



Pre-Meeting Courses
May 2–3

General Session
May 3–6



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ANNUAL MEETING
highlights

For more information about the program or Society membership *and* to register for the meeting, go to www.breastsurgeons.org.
To take advantage of the discounted early registration fee, be sure to register no later than **March 7**.



Learn about the latest techniques in breast surgery and discover how you can enhance patient care at this unique gathering of more than 1,700 surgeons who share your dedication to the treatment of breast disease.

pre-meeting program

WEDNESDAY, MAY 2

Genetics and Risk Assessment

This course is designed to update breast surgeons on the latest data regarding the scope of pathogenic mutations in our population, indications for testing, strategies to deliver effective testing, implications of results and what the future might hold in this dynamic area of medicine.

NEW IN 2018—Two levels of Oncoplastic training offered!

Beginner Oncoplastic Breast Surgery Skills with Cadaver Lab

For general surgeons and breast surgeons who have never performed oncoplastic surgery. The morning lectures will provide information on entry level strategies and techniques for delivering oncoplastic breast care and conservation. The afternoon will provide a hands-on surgical cadaver skills lab for supervised practice of procedures learned in the morning lectures.

Intermediate Oncoplastic Breast Surgery Skills with Cadaver Lab

For the surgeon with basic knowledge of oncoplastic techniques. This course is designed to emphasize collaborative principles and techniques for optimal oncoplastic resection and reconstruction. Lectures will provide techniques and strategies for delivering the full spectrum of oncoplastic breast cancer care. Hands-on instruction in a surgical cadaver lab will provide supervised practice of the full range of oncoplastic procedures. Instructors will describe their current solutions to the technical challenges of individual cases involving breast conservation.

Stereotactic Breast Biopsy: An Introductory Course

Through a didactic session, hands-on workshop and clinical case presentations, gain a basic knowledge of indications, principles, and technical aspects for performing stereotactic-guided percutaneous breast biopsy. *Newer platforms for performing stereotactic breast biopsy on tomo-detected only breast lesions will be addressed. The course will also serve as a review and source of CME for those considering applying for certification.*

THURSDAY, MAY 3

Half-Day Courses

NEW! Breast Research Tools (7:00am-12:30pm)

This course serves as a primer on interpreting and applying research outcomes to your practice and helping you to get involved or design your own clinical research project.

NEW! Advanced Coding and Documentation (12:30pm-4:00pm)

This course is designed to provide physicians and Advanced Practice Providers (APPs-Nurse Practitioners and Physician Assistants) with principles and tools for improving the accuracy of their documentation and appropriate coding. Lectures will address billing, general principles of medical record documentation supporting evaluation and management (EA) levels, and compliance issues. Use of modifiers and diagnosis assignment will be reviewed.

Full-Day Concurrent Courses

Breast Ultrasound: An Introductory Course

Learn the basics of ultrasound physics, scanning techniques, and the interpretation of the characteristics of benign vs. malignant focal breast lesions. Both didactic and hands-on instruction will cover the basics of intervention for diagnosis, core biopsy pathology, and the use of intraoperative ultrasound. *The course will also serve as a review and source of CME for those considering applying for certification.*

NEW! Techniques to Manage Benign and High-Risk Breast Disease

Participants in this course will learn new techniques to address benign and high-risk breast disease, including; review of current disease management; indications for surgery, and when non-surgical management is appropriate. Benign breast diseases can be extremely challenging in our daily practice. Lectures will focus on the technical aspects of performing through didactic lectures, case presentations, and video ("how to") demonstration. An expert faculty will illustrate how they perform procedures to manage acute and chronic infections, and nipple discharge, as well as discuss an array of evolving tools for localizing non-palpable lesions for surgery and performing non-surgical percutaneous excision and ablation. Additionally, participants will learn how to present these technologies to the "Value-Added" Committee of their hospitals or surgery centers felt to be worthy of inclusion in the surgeons armamentarium.

See www.breastsurgeons.org for detailed course agendas and faculty.



KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Kelly K. Hunt, MD, FACS

Hamill Foundation Distinguished Professor of Surgery in Honor of Dr. Richard G. Martin, Sr. Chair, Department of Breast Surgical Oncology The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center



The ASBrS Foundation is pleased to present Kelly Hunt, MD, as the 2018 Keynote Speaker. A gifted surgeon and compassionate clinician, Dr. Hunt's work focuses on finding less invasive yet more effective

surgical procedures for patients with breast cancer and soft-tissue sarcomas. As an international leader in breast cancer research, she has directed major clinical trials whose results have changed practice in breast cancer. Dr. Hunt's work has led to the revision of the AJCC staging system for breast cancer to incorporate biological factors for more accurate determination of prognosis for breast cancer patients. Dr. Hunt also has an active laboratory that studies cell-cycle deregulation in breast and other cancers. The goal of these studies is to provide a better understanding of biological factors that could be used as predictive or prognostic markers. Her recent publications have shown that cytoplasmic cyclin E is a biomarker of aggressive breast cancer and mediates resistance to aromatase inhibitors.

Capitalize on this exciting opportunity to network with the leading experts in breast care. Surround yourself with like-minded surgeons seeking answers to the same questions and controversies as you.

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general session

Here's a Preview of What You Can Expect During the 2018 GENERAL SESSION MAY 3–6:

Hear experts in the field of breast surgery address a variety of topics

- **NEW:** The John Wayne Critical Issues in Breast Cancer Forum: The Changing Paradigm for Breast Cancer Surgery (Supported by a grant from the John Wayne Cancer Foundation)
- Systemic Therapies and Chemoprevention
- Patient Reported Outcomes
- Impact of Delays in Surgery on Outcomes
- New MOC Guidelines
- Breast Cancer Genomics
- Timing of Breast Cancer Treatments
- Benign Breast Disease Primer
- Updates in Loco-regional Treatment of Breast Cancer
- Considerations for Systemic Treatment
- Breast Imaging Update
- AJCC 8th Edition Update
- Continually Changing Health Care Landscape
- Management of Recurrent Breast Cancer
- Environmental Risk Factors for Breast Cancer
- Neoadjuvant Therapy
- Coding and Reimbursement

Listen to and learn from debates on

- Benign Breast Disease
- Malignant Breast Disease

Learn about the latest research through

- Scientific Session Oral Presentations
- A "Quickshot" forum, featuring brief presentations followed by discussion
- And the ever-popular, Best Papers

Find out how they would do it, when

- Several of your colleagues, selected by competition, share their tips and tricks to surgical techniques via narrated videos on Saturday, May 5
- Attending the early-morning *Ask the Breast Experts* session on Sunday, May 6

Enjoy numerous networking opportunities, including

- The opening reception, where you can relax with other attendees, while previewing the exhibits
- Poster session receptions, where researchers will be available to discuss their findings
- Meals and breaks throughout the week

See the latest developments in technology by

- Visiting with representatives from more than 80 companies in the Exhibit Hall
- Attending a variety of vendor-supported events including symposia on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday

SUNRISE WORKSHOPS

(*TICKETS REQUIRED, Continental breakfast provided.)

Optional early-morning SUNRISE WORKSHOPS* on Friday, May 4, will address the following topics

1. Mastering Mastery of Breast Surgery
2. Managing Margins for Invasive and Noninvasive Cancer
3. Interacting with the Media and Advocacy Groups
4. Oncoplastics for Dummies
5. How to Order Genetic Testing for Your High-Risk Patients
6. Sentinel Node Biopsy and Neoadjuvant Therapy
7. Nipple-Sparing Mastectomy: Incision Location, Technical Considerations
8. Oncofertility
9. Survivorship: How to Set Up a Survivorship Program that Fulfills ASCO, CoC and NAPBC Criteria
10. Pregnancy and Breast Cancer

FELLOWS TRACK*

(NEW DATE AND TIME)

Thursday, May 3, 1:00pm–4:00pm

Optional Vendor Supported Lunch Symposium from 11:45am–12:45pm.

Fellows Track returns on a new day and time in Orlando. Topics relevant to breast fellows will be addressed in this half-day, afternoon session.

*Fellows Track and lunch symposium is limited to fellows participating in a yearlong multidisciplinary breast fellowship and residents entering or interested in participating in a breast fellowship. (Pre-registration required)

For a complete program and faculty list, information about Society membership, and to register for the meeting, go to www.breastsurgeons.org.

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REGISTER BY MARCH 7 AND SAVE!
Pre-registration deadline is April 17.
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If you are a medical professional dedicating all or part of your practice to the treatment of breast disease, consider joining more than 3,000 of your colleagues who share your interest.

By joining The American Society of Breast Surgeons, you become part of one of the most respected groups dedicated to the treatment of breast disease and advances in patient care.

Highlighted below are a few of the valuable benefits you will have access to as a member of the Society:

- Practice-changing information through E-Alerts, E-Newsletters, and a subscription to *The Annals of Surgical Oncology*
- Significant savings on registration fees for continuing medical education programs, including our annual meeting, pre-meeting courses, and the web-based Breast Education Self-Assessment Program (BESAP)
- Access to the Mastery of Breast Surgery program, Breast Surgery Manual, career center, and other online resources
- Representation through the Society's numerous advocacy efforts and inter-societal relationships

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