3RD INTERNATIONAL TRANSORAL ROBOTIC SURGERY (TORS) CONFERENCE

July 14–15, 2016 • Hyatt Regency San Francisco

THURSDAY, JULY 14, 2016
Didactic Presentations, Expert Panel Discussions, and Live Surgery! Special Afternoon Sessions in TORS for Benign Base-of-Tongue Resection and Multidisciplinary Treatment following TORS

FRIDAY, JULY 15, 2016
Cadaver Demo-Dissections & Live TORS Surgery

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LIVE SURGERY

Just prior to the AHNS 9th International Conference on Head and Neck Cancer in Seattle, WA
Course Overview
TransOral Robotic Surgery (TORS) was first developed in 2004 at the University of Pennsylvania and in 2009 the FDA approved robotic surgery for selected malignancies of the oral cavity, pharynx and larynx and all benign tumors. In 2014, the FDA cleared robotic surgery for benign base of tongue resection procedures. We have created a unique program this year in which the first half day will focus on cancer related TORS surgery and the second half of the day will allow the group to attend a full half day focused on radiation or chemoradiation following TORS. Our thought in creating this program is that successful cancer care, as well as the role of TORS for benign base-of-tongue resection, results from a collaborative approach between the surgeon and non-surgeon. Whether you are a head and neck surgeon, pulmonologist, radiation oncologist or medical oncologist please look carefully at this program and we hope you will agree that this will offer a unique learning opportunity for all specialties. Surgeons who are presently doing TORS or who have an interest will have the opportunity of learning the state-of-the-art approach from the world’s experts. Radiation oncologists, both university and community based, will have the opportunity to better understand robotic surgical techniques and learn the state-of-the-art treatment planning that will allow better collaboration between the surgical and radiation oncology teams.

Objectives
Upon completion of this course, participants should be able to:

• Describe the basic function of a robotic surgical system
• Identify the most common oncologic indications and contraindications for the use of a robotic surgical system
• Discuss TransOral Robotic Surgery for benign and malignant tumors of the mouth and throat
• Define preoperative evaluation and TransOral Robotic Surgery procedures for sleep apnea
• Assess postoperative management of patients undergoing TransOral Robotic Surgery
• Describe the role of Transoral Robotic Surgery in the multidisciplinary treatment of oropharyngeal cancer and how adjuvant therapy should be considered.

Target Audience
This program is designed for Otolaryngologists, Head and Neck Surgeons, Radiation Oncologists, Medical Oncologists, and other related health care professionals such as Speech Language Pathologists, nurses, nurse practitioners and physician assistants.

Accreditation
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• First 50 Physicians registered/paid only! $550.00
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• Residents, Fellows, Nurses, NPs, PAs $300.00 (Flat fee) Residents and Fellows are required to submit a verification letter from their department for the reduced fee.

Course registration fees include attendance at the conference, participant materials, continental breakfasts, lunch and refreshment breaks.

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS
Submissions accepted: March 1, 2016–May 1, 2016
Notification: May 15, 2016

• Submit abstract in pdf format via email to: mary.hamburg@uphs.upenn.edu
• Abstracts should be a maximum of 150 words to include study objectives, methods, results and conclusion.
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Thursday, July 14, 2016
HYATT GRAND BALLROOM A

6:30am  Breakfast & Registration

7:00-7:10am  Welcome and Overview
Chris Holsinger, MD

7:10-7:30am  The Story of Transoral Robotic Surgery: Past, Present, Future
Bert O’Malley, Jr., MD

7:30–8:00am  TORS for Oropharyngeal Carcinoma (Tongue-base and Tonsil): Standard and Extended Resections, Indications, Contraindications and Technique
Gregory Weinstein, MD

8:00–8:15am  The TORS Paradigm for Therapeutic De-intensification in HPV Related Oropharyngeal Carcinoma
Balazs Lorincz, MD

8:15–8:30am  Reconstruction Following TORS: Local Flaps vs. Microvascular Free-Tissue Transfer
Eric Genden, MD

8:30–8:50am  The Role of TORS in the Management of the Unknown Primary Tumor
Eduardo Mendez, MD

8:50–9:10am  Recommendations for Post-operative Adjuvant Therapy following TORS: An Evidence-based Approach
Alexander Lin, MD

9:10-9:30am  Coffee Break & Exhibit/Poster Viewing

9:30–9:45am  KEYNOTE ADDRESS BY AHNS PRESIDENT, DR. DENNIS KRAUS
How Do We Teach and Implement TORS in H&N Surgery: Quality Assurance and Maintaining Standards of Surgical Excellence

9:45-10:00am  Making the Leap to TORS: Pearls and Pitfalls on the Learning Curve
Claudio Cernea, MD

10:00–10:30am  Expert Panel: TORS for Head and Neck Malignancy
MODERATOR: Chris Holsinger, MD
PARTICIPANTS: Scott Magnuson, MD, Greg Weinstein, MD, Balazs Lorincz, MD, Alexander Lin, MD, Eric Genden, MD, Dennis Kraus, MD

10:30–12:00pm  Live Telecast of Transoral Robotic Surgery
SURGEON: J. Scott Magnuson, MD

12:00–1:00pm  Lunch & Exhibit/Poster Viewing

1:00-1:20pm  What’s the Role of TORS in the Management of Benign Base-of-Tongue Resection? Who Needs Surgery?
Paul Hoff, MD

1:20-1:40pm  TORS for Benign Base-of-Tongue Resection and the Hypoglossal Nerve Stimulator: Indications and Contraindications
Olivier M. VanDerveken, MD, PhD

1:40-2:10pm  Update on NCI-funded Clinical Trials for Transoral Robotic Surgery
Robert L. Ferris, MD

2:10-2:30pm  Can We Safely De-Escalate Radiation Therapy and Chemotherapy for Patients with HPV-associated Oropharyngeal Cancer?
Sue Yom, MD, PhD

2:30-2:50pm  New Agents for Systemic Chemotherapy in Head and Neck Cancer
Dimitrios Colevas, MD

2:50-3:10pm  TORS for P16 Negative Cancers of the Oropharynx: Does Field Cancerization Change the Approach?
Surender Dabas, MD

3:10-3:45pm  Coffee Break & Exhibit/Poster Viewing

3:45-4:45pm  Expert Panel: Multidisciplinary Decision Making for Head and Neck Cancer: When to TORS or Not to TORS
MODERATOR: Robert Ferris, MD
PARTICIPANTS: Dimitri Colevas, MD, Sue Yom, MD, PhD, Gregory Weinstein, MD, Alexander Lin, MD, Christopher Holsinger, MD

4:45-5:00pm  New Approaches to Exposure: Upright Transoral Robotic Surgery?
Eric J. Moore, MD

5:00-5:20pm  Early Experience with the FLEX System for Transoral Endoscopic Head and Neck Surgery
Stephan Lang, MD

5:20-5:40pm  Management and Prevention of Post-Operative Hemorrhage
Neil D. Gross, MD

5:40-6:00pm  A Novel Method and Curriculum for Teaching Transoral Endoscopic Head and Neck Surgery
Umamaheswar Duvvuri, MD, PhD

6:00pm  Summary and Adjournment
Chris Holsinger, MD & Greg Weinstein, MD
23rd Annual Advances in Diagnosis and Treatment of Sleep Apnea and Snoring*
February 17 – 19, 2017
Disney Boardwalk Inn Resort, Lake Buena Vista, Florida
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Visiting Mini Fellowship in Endoscopic Sinus Surgery
University of Pennsylvania Department of Otorhinolaryngology–Head and Neck Surgery
This program is designed for practicing Otolaryngologists with a significant interest in endoscopic sinus surgery and management of sinus and nasal problems. The course is a 3-day, one-on-one clinical experience where participants may spend time with Dr. David Kennedy, Dr. James Palmer, and Dr. Nithin Adappa during their office hours, observing them in surgery, and performing a cadaveric dissection. It will be of particular benefit to Otolaryngologists who have been to didactic courses, developed some experience with FESS and identified specific problem areas in the surgical management of patients with sinus disease. A maximum of two Otolaryngologists is admitted to the mini fellowship at any one time, allowing for a close one-on-one experience with the faculty. Participants are encouraged to present CT scans from their own difficult or interesting patient cases. Mini Fellows are invited to attend Wednesday evening clinical conferences and Thursday morning Grand Rounds.

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