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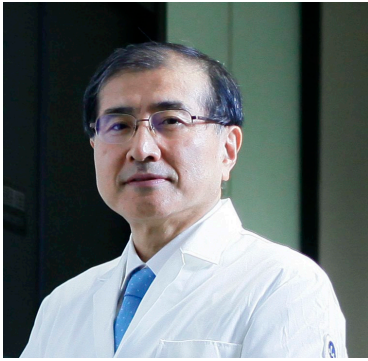
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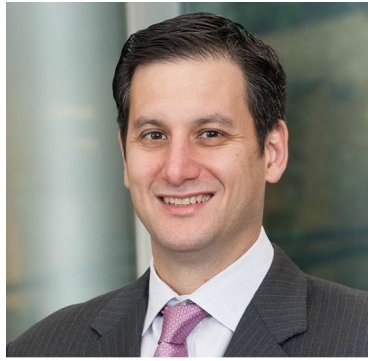
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WELCOME



Norihiro Kokudo
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Welcome to the city that never sleeps for the IHPBA 15th World Congress! After much planning, unplanning, and replanning, we are so pleased to gather together despite the challenges of the pandemic in New York City. Some of our International friends are unable to join us due to challenging Visa issues at this time, and we encourage you to reach out via our meeting app to welcome our colleagues.

The Scientific Programme Committee led by Dr. Javier Lendoire (Argentina), along with the Local Organizing Committee, have put together an invigorating program filled with innovation, riveting science, including Living Legend and Keynote speakers, thought-provoking debates, cutting-edge research, Meet the Professors sessions with world-renowned surgeons, fun social activities, and more!

We hope to see you at the Congress Dinner on Friday night. Tickets are required and can be purchased at the registration desk.

Don't miss the Pre-Congress Symposium on Wednesday planned by AHPBA President-Elect Majella Doyle (USA) promising lively discussion.

Thank you for joining us in New York for the IHPBA 15th World Congress. We look forward to welcoming you.

William C. Chapman MD (USA)
Congress Chair



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Thursday	06:30 – 18:00
Friday	06:30 – 18:00
Saturday	06:30 – 17:00

If you pre-registered, please proceed to the Pre-Registered Desk to collect your badge.

If you have not pre-registered, start at the New Registration desk.

No cash payments will be accepted onsite.

Name badges are required at all times in the meeting space.

SPEAKER RESOURCE CENTER – GREEN ROOM, 4TH FLOOR

Wednesday	07:30 – 18:30
Thursday	06:30 – 18:00
Friday	06:30 – 18:00
Saturday	06:30 – 17:00

EXHIBIT HALL HOURS – AMERICAS HALL 1

Wednesday	18:30 – 19:30
Thursday	07:00 – 18:00
Friday	07:00 – 18:00
Saturday	07:00 – 16:15

MEALS / RECEPTIONS INCLUDED WITH YOUR CONGRESS TICKET

Morning Coffee Wednesday 08:00 – 08:30 Grand Ballroom Foyer

Continental Breakfast Thursday – Saturday 07:00 – 08:00 Americas Hall 1

Morning Coffee Breaks Thursday - Saturday 09:30 - 10:00 Americas Hall 1

Afternoon Coffee Breaks Thursday & Friday 15:00 - 15:30 Americas Hall 1

Lunch Thursday & Friday (first come, first served, quantities limited) 12:00 – 13:00 See Schedule

Welcome Reception Wednesday 18:45 – 19:45

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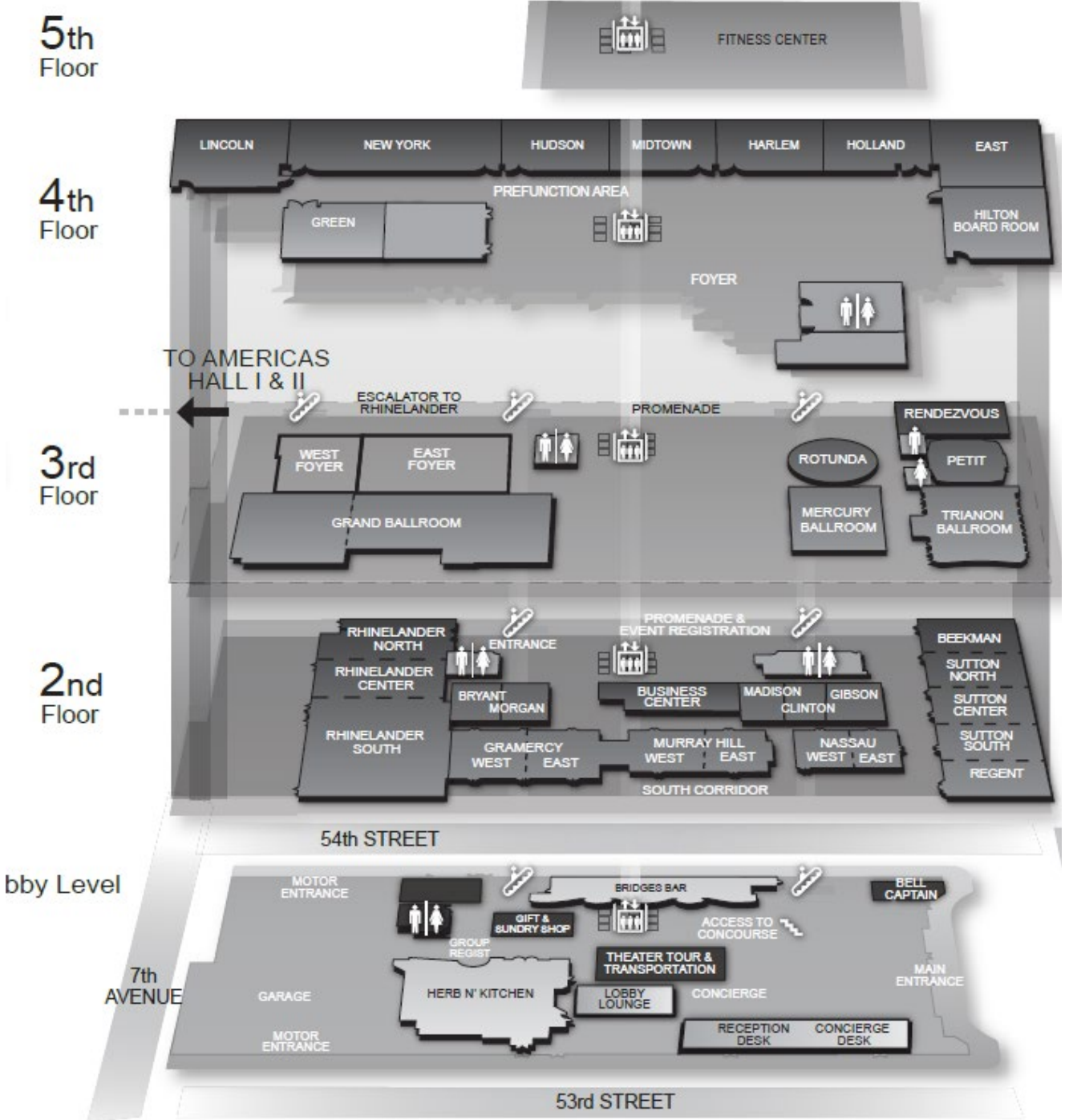
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- Do not leave your laptop, phone or personal devices on the floor or out of your sight
- Be aware of your surroundings
- If you do misplace or lose something, please contact the Registration Desk immediately

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EARLY CAREER GROUP EVENTS

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RSVP required for events listed below unless otherwise indicated.

Wednesday, March 30

16:30 – 18:00

Rhineland Center

ECG Cocktail Hour

Experience hands-on learning activities sponsored by Medtronic. Drinks and appetizers included.

Thursday, March 31

18:30 – 20:00

Americas Hall 1

ECG Demos & Drinks

Join us for a special opening of the IHPBA 2022 Exhibit Hall – just for you! Spend time demonstrating equipment from Ethicon, Medtronic, Fujifilm Healthcare and Olympus. Drinks and appetizers included.

Friday, April 1

07:00 – 08:00

Americas Hall 2

Breakfast with BK Medical

Enjoy breakfast while learning about intraoperative ultrasound, the role of intraoperative ultrasound in HPB surgery, watch case examples, how to get started and gain expertise in intraoperative ultrasound, and how to incorporate intraoperative ultrasound in your practice (post fellowship).

09:00 – 12:00

Americas Hall 2

BK Medical Product Demonstrations (drop-ins welcome)

Demos and hands-on experiences to continue with BK Medical throughout the morning. All are welcome to drop in.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Wednesday, March 30

All registered delegates are welcome to attend. Do you have an unregistered guest who would like to attend? Stop by registration to purchase a ticket.

18:00 – 18:45

Grand Ballroom

Opening Ceremony

Join us for the kickoff to the IHPBA 15th World Congress including a surprise Broadway performance!

18:45 – 19:45

Americas Hall 1

Welcome Reception

Join us for drinks, appetizers and networking with colleagues and friends!

Friday, April 1

Tickets are required for access to the Congress Dinner. Stop by registration to purchase your ticket. \$150 per person includes hosted bar, dinner and dancing!

19:30 – 21:30

Sutton North

Congress Dinner

Experience an immersion into the five boroughs of New York City! Enjoy iconic fare, drinks and entertainment.

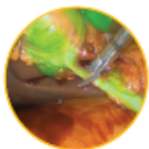
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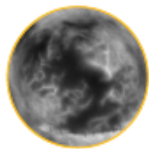
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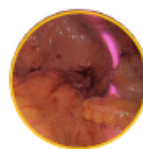
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This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education through the joint providership of PESI Inc. and the Americas Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary Association (AHPBA) and the International Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary Association (IHPBA). PESI, Inc. is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

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PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

At the completion of this program, IHPBA 2022 World Congress attendees will be able to develop an understanding of the diagnosis and management of gallbladder cancer, including surgical and medical management, learn to work up and manage patients with benign biliary diseases, identify the role of new technologies and research to optimize the safety, quality, and outcomes in HPB Surgery and Transplantation, discuss the state of the art care for liver metastasis (colorectal & non-colorectal), including the role of chemotherapy, ablation, surgery and transplantation, learn the alternatives for prevention, diagnosis, and treatment of post-hepatectomy liver failure, discuss state of the art care for advanced pancreatic cancer, describe the different surgical strategies in the neoadjuvant era, analyze the new perspectives of transplant oncology in the management of HPB malignancies and learn how to share knowledge and skills across the global HPB community.

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International Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary Association

IHPBA Distinguished Service Award 2022

Professor Oscar Inventarza



The 2022 IHPBA Distinguished Service Medal has been awarded to **Professor Oscar Inventarza**.

Following training and working for five years at the Transplant Division of the University of Pittsburgh under the supervision of Professor Thomas Starzl, Professor Inventarza returned to Argentina in 1992 where he has dedicated his life to improving the delivery of Liver Transplantation and Complex HPB Surgery.

He opened the first two public liver transplant programmes in Argentina; a paediatric programme in Hospital Garrahan, and an adult program in Hospital Argerich, both in Buenos Aires. These programmes accept patients from all over Latin America, delivering complex HPB surgery and liver transplantation, independently of any health insurance. Professor Inventarza also opened the first HPB & Liver Transplant Programme in the Province of Formosa, in the Littoral Region of Argentina. It is the only programme in that region which offers general access for any patient.

Professor Inventarza was a founding member and President of the Argentine Society of Transplantation, Council Member of the Argentine Chapter of the IHPBA (CA-IHPBA) since 2007, President elect of the same Chapter in 2011-2013, and an Active Member of the Argentine Academy of Surgery. He is a great educator and has mentored many students, residents and fellows throughout his career.

Professor Inventarza has not only served as Treasurer and President of IHPBA, he was one of the key players in the success of the 2010 World Congress in Buenos Aires, and has been actively involved in IHPBA outreach activities.

Professor Inventarza is widely respected by his peers in the HPB field and has made an invaluable contribution throughout his dedicated career to both IHPBA and to HPB surgery as a whole. IHPBA is delighted to award him the 2022 IHPBA Distinguished Service Medal. The award will be presented at the IHPBA General Assembly, Friday 1 April 2022, 18:00-19:00 EDT.

AHPBA NONIE LOWRY DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

The Distinguished Service Award is named after Nora “Nonie” C. Lowry, AHPBA Executive Director, who passed away April 9, 2016 after a long battle with breast cancer. Nonie served the association tirelessly, and her leadership, dedication, and contributions to the AHPBA will always be remembered and cherished.



2022 Recipient

Gazi B. Zibari MD

John C. McDonald Regional
Transplant Center, WKHS

Bombs, tyranny, fleeing from home and studying in caves are just fragments of the heroic story of Dr. Gazi B. Zibari. Dr. Zibari describes his journey to becoming an HPB surgeon as “very rocky at best”. He persevered through a vicious war in his country, family separation and loss, educational barriers, and learning a new language and culture to earn the utmost respect for his excellence of practice and passion for relieving human suffering.

On May 1, 1976, Dr. Zibari arrived on the shores of the United States of America in New York City as a refugee from Kurdistan who barely spoke English. Now, almost forty-six years later, Dr. Zibari will come back to New York City to receive AHPBA’s highest honor of excellence, as voted by his peers, in the field of HPB surgery.

Dr. Zibari was born in Kurdistan, and sadly lost his father at a young age due to leukemia. Experiencing this loss compounded by the lack of health care in his country led Dr. Zibari’s desire to pursue a career in medicine to help people. Unfortunately, this would not be the only adversity Dr. Zibari would face in his formative years.

In 1974, when Dr. Zibari was in high school, Saddam Hussein attacked his home country, and his family was forced to flee to the mountains of Kurdistan, Iraq in desperate search of safety. Dr. Zibari recalls studying in mountainous caves, while the Iraqi Air Force was targeting civilians and schools below. Dr. Zibari’s family was among a near million Kurdish refugee and were able to eventually escape Iraqi Kurdistan and traveled into Iranian Kurdistan in 1975, where Dr. Zibari graduated high school in a refugee camp. Unfathomably, over half of Dr. Zibari’s classmates including one of his cousins were killed during the war.

During that time, Iran would not permit Kurdish refugees to obtain college education at their universities. Dr. Zibari’s older brother felt passionately that they needed to pursue education in another country. Incredibly, Dr. Zibari and one of his brothers were granted refugee visas and with the hope to seek higher education in the United States. Leaving their family behind, they traveled to America, first arriving in New York City before being transferred to their Catholic Charities sponsor in Nashville, TN.

Dr. Zibari and his brother began their studies, against all odds, and graduated college in four years. Recalling this time in his life, Dr. Zibari said “Our desire to pursue education was so strong because we were told we couldn’t, which motivated us even more. While in college, I had to translate everything into Kurdish to learn it and then I had to translate it back into English. The beauty of math is that it needed no translation....

AHPBA NONIE LOWRY DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

...I worked full time and went to school at night. The following year I went to school during the day and worked at night". Dr. Zibari graduated from Lipscomb University with a degree in pre-medicine. Drs Franklin Jones and Willis Owens were our sponsors and mentors and all credits goes to them and others for our initial success in Nashville.

Upon graduation, Dr. Zibari was accepted into Medical School at the University of Tennessee Health Sciences Center in Memphis, TN where he was mentored by Drs. Lou Britt and James Williams and Thomas Petters. Following his graduation from Medical School, Dr. Zibari completed his General Surgery Residency at Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center where he learned from Dr. John C. McDonald and Michael Landernau. Perhaps, most meaningful in his training career was his relationship with Dr. John C. McDonald at LSUHSC, who took Dr. Zibari under his wing and guided him like his own son. Dr. Zibari credits Dr. McDonald as being instrumental to helping him secure a coveted position as a transplant fellow at Johns Hopkins University where he trained under Drs. Melville Williams, Andrew Klein, Lloyd Ratner, Paul Colombani, James Burdick, Jeff Fair, Dilip Kittur, Warren Maley and Francisco Cigarroa. While in training, Dr. Zibari never lost sight of the unwavering support bestowed upon him from his mother and brother who always encouraged him to pursue education.

Dr. Zibari was influenced by Drs. John Cameron, Henry Pitt, Keith Lillemoe and Charlie Yeo to pursue a career in HPB surgery beside Transplantation. He said he was drawn to this field because it provides the surgeon with the precious gift to make something good come out of tragedy. When considering Dr. Zibari's past, this choice seems pre-destined for a young boy who witnessed horrible cruelty and wanted to help.

Dr. Zibari's need to help people runs deeper than desire and is a call to serve. His passion is humanitarian outreach, and true to his humble nature, he gives all the credit to his colleagues and mentors for their teamwork and support. He recalls one of his proudest moments where he led a team to establish the first renal transplant units in Kurdistan, and helped with establishing HPB centers in Honduras, and Nicaragua. He identifies one of his greatest passions as helping foreign countries build capacity to treat HPB diseases within the constraints of their limited resources. Every year, Dr. Zibari spends his vacation visiting countries in need to lend his expert hands and compassionate heart. Dr. Zibari encourages everyone to go on a medical outreach mission, as he promises one will receive unparalleled gifts of inspiration and energy in return for their humanitarian contribution.

Some of the most important aspects of humanitarian outreach efforts are teamwork and comradery, which have been fundamental values throughout Dr. Zibari's life. Throughout each step of his journey, he explains that he has "taken full advantage of my mentors and have acknowledged all my team members' hard work." With the support of his family, he was brave enough to overcome adversity. His steadfast work ethic opened doors for others to want to help him achieve. Now, he is privileged to help others open doors of their own. Dr. Zibari believes one of the greatest benefits of joining AHPBA is the ability to connect with peers and receive mentorship.

Dr. Zibari offers the following advice to young HPB Surgeons and Trainees:

- **Dedicate time to family**
- **Treat patients like loved ones**
- **Be a team player**
- **Teach and support trainees and treat staff with respect**
- **Give all team members the credit they deserve**
- **Advocate for diversity, equity and gender equality**

AHPBA NONIE LOWRY DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

Reflecting on his life, Dr. Zibari said “all my life I have done my best to support my family, provide the best care for my patients and teach my students everything I know. “If I can succeed, anyone else should be able to succeed as well”. He is very grateful to his Colleagues Drs Husain Shokouh-Amiri, Quyen Chu, Donnie Aultman, Neeraj Singh, David Dies and to our administration and personnel at JCM Regional Transplant Center, Willis-Knighton Health System. He is deeply indebted to his wife, Maysoon, and their four children, Susan, Renas, Rona and Lehat. With pride, Dr. Zibari says his children are “good kids with good hearts”. He and Maysoon will soon be celebrating their 30th wedding anniversary.

Dr. Zibari believes that the “sky is the only limit in this country” and his story of bravery inspires our community to never lose sight of what the power of hard work and desire to help others can do. As a former refugee, who was given a chance to live a better life, Dr. Zibari has in return made our world better. Dr. Zibari is indebted to the men and women in uniform and closed the interview by stating “may God Bless Nonie Lowry up in heaven and may God Bless AHPBA and the USA”.



LIVING LEGENDS
NAMED LECTURES
KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



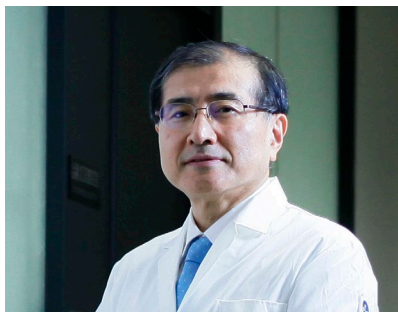
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IHPBA WELCOME & PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS



IHPBA Presidential Address

Grand Ballroom

Thursday, March 31

10:05 – 10:30

Norihiro Kokudo

Japan

IHPBA President

Dr. Norihiro Kokudo is the President of National Center for Global Health and Medicine in Tokyo. He earned his M.D. in 1981, and then Ph.D. in 1988 at University of Tokyo. From 1989 to 1991 he stayed at Department of Surgery, University of Michigan as a visiting research investigator. After 6 years at Cancer Institute Hospital, Tokyo, as a senior staff of GI surgery, he joined the Department of HPB Surgery in The University of Tokyo and became a professor and chairman in 2007 (until March 2017). Dr. Kokudo has been conducting a number of research projects on surgical treatment of HCC, colorectal liver metastases, and living donor liver transplantation. As the chairman of the guideline committee, he compiled 3rd and 4th version of Japanese clinical practice guidelines for HCC in 2013 and 2017. Dr. Kokudo is the past president of Japan Surgical Society and Asian-Pacific Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary Association (A-HPBA). He is currently a president of International Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary Association (IHPBA) and Japan Liver Cancer Association (JLCA), and a Vice President of International Association of Surgeons, Gastroenterologists and Oncologists (IASGO). He is also a fellow of American College of Surgeons (Governor) and Royal College of Surgeons of England. He is a Co-editor-in-Chief for Global Health and Medicine, and an associate editor for Liver Cancer. He is on the editorial board of Annals of Surgery, Surgery (-2019), Journal of American College of Surgeons, World Journal of Surgery, and Journal of HPB Science.

AHPBA WELCOME & PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS



Michael D'Angelica
USA
AHPBA President

Over a Quarter of a Century of the AHPBA: Where Do We Go From Here?

Grand Ballroom

Friday, April 1

10:05 – 10:30

Dr. D'Angelica received his medical degree from Tufts University in 1993 and completed his general surgery residency at the University of Connecticut in 2000. During his residency he completed a 2 year research fellowship at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center and after residency completed the 2 year surgical oncology fellowship at the same institution. He has been on staff at Memorial Sloan Kettering since 2002 on the Hepatopancreatobiliary Service. Dr. D'Angelica currently holds the Enid A Haupt chair in surgery, serves as the Vice Chair of Education and is a member and attending surgeon at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center. He is also a professor of surgery at Weill Medical College of Cornell University. Dr. D'Angelica is currently the program director for both the complex general surgical oncology fellowship as well as the hepatopancreatobiliary fellowship at Memorial Sloan Kettering. He has lectured throughout the world, particularly on hepatic surgery for malignancy. He has published over 400 peer-reviewed manuscripts and numerous textbook chapters and reviews. He is also a co-editor of the Blumgart textbook of hepatobiliary and pancreatic surgery. Dr. D'Angelica also serves in leadership roles in the SSO, AHPBA and is a vice-chair of the National Comprehensive Cancer Network guidelines for hepatobiliary malignancies.

LOCAL ORGANIZING LECTURE

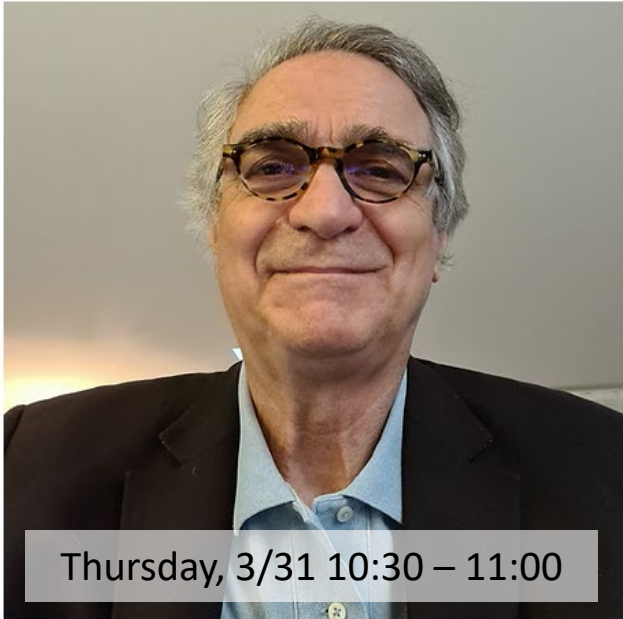


William Chapman
USA
LOC Chair

**Transplantation for Hepatic Malignancy:
Where HPB and Transplantation Meet**
Grand Ballroom
Saturday, April 2
10:05 – 10:30

William Chapman, M.D., F.A.C.S., is a Professor of Surgery, the Chief of Abdominal Organ Transplant and the Eugene M. Bricker Chair of Surgery at Washington University in St. Louis, as well as the Chief of the Division of General Surgery at Barnes Jewish Hospital. He has been an active member in many surgical societies, including President of the AHPBA for the 2013-2014 year and President of the Western Surgical Association for the 2015-2016 year, and most recently President-Elect of the ASTS. He is currently a director of the American Board of Surgery and is on the editorial board of six surgical journals, including the American Journal of Transplantation, Transplantation, Journal of the American College of Surgeons, Annals of Surgery, and Journal of Gastrointestinal Surgery. His clinical interest is adult and pediatric liver transplantation, adult kidney transplantation, and HPB surgery for both benign and malignant diseases.

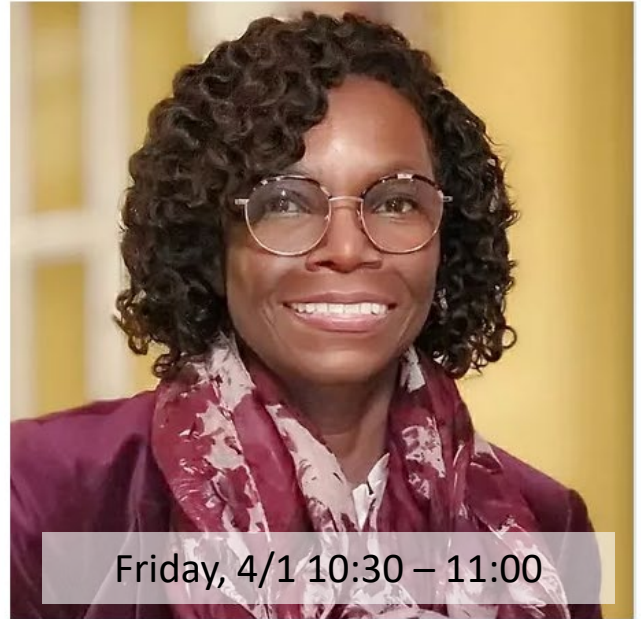
LIVING LEGENDS



Thursday, 3/31 10:30 – 11:00

Living Legend 1
Evolution of Minimal Invasive Liver Surgery

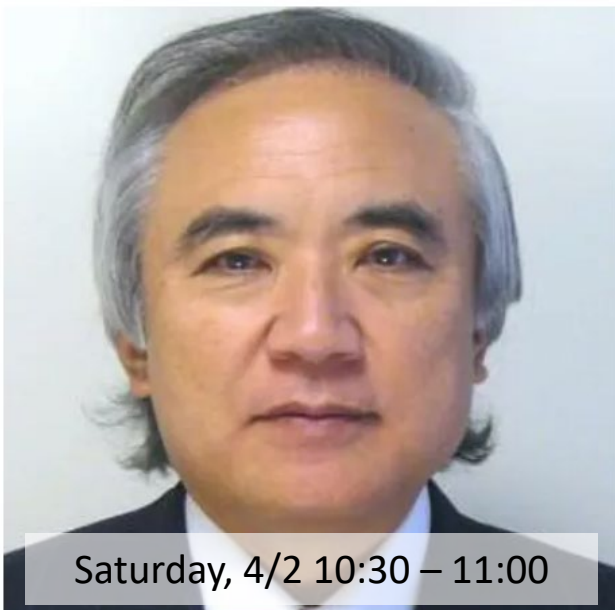
Brice Gayet MD | France



Friday, 4/1 10:30 – 11:00

Living Legend 2
Within Transplantation: The Hidden Figure

Velma Scantlebury MD | USA



Saturday, 4/2 10:30 – 11:00

Living Legend 3
Isolated Pancreatectomy Using Mesenteric Approach

Akimasa Nakao MD, PhD | Japan



Living Legend
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NAMED LECTURES

Leslie H. Blumgart Historical Lecture

Friday, 4/1 | 10:30

O. James Garden MD, CBE, BSc,
MB, ChB; United Kingdom

A 50 Year Legacy in HPB Surgery



Betty & Henry Pitt Quality Oration

Friday, 4/1 | 11:15

Bruce L. Hall MD, PhD, MBA; USA

Perspectives on Resource
Stewardship in Medicine & Surgery



Thomas Starzl Memorial Lecture

Saturday, 4/2 | 13:00

John J. Fung MD, PhD; USA

Transplant Oncology - The Past,
Present and Future



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KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

Thursday, March 31, 2022 - 1300 - 1330hrs

Yuman Fong MD; USA
KN01 - Palliative Liver Resection



Julie Heimbach MD; USA
KN02 - Contemporary Management of Hilar Cholangiocarcinoma



Andrea Schlegel MD; Italy/Switzerland
KN03 - An Ideal Liver Graft Machine Perfusion



Friday, April 1, 2022 -1300 - 1330hrs

Claudio Bassi MD; Italy
KN04 - IPMN Treatment Guidelines Update



Jin-Young Jang MD; Korea
KN05 - Management of Choledochal Cysts



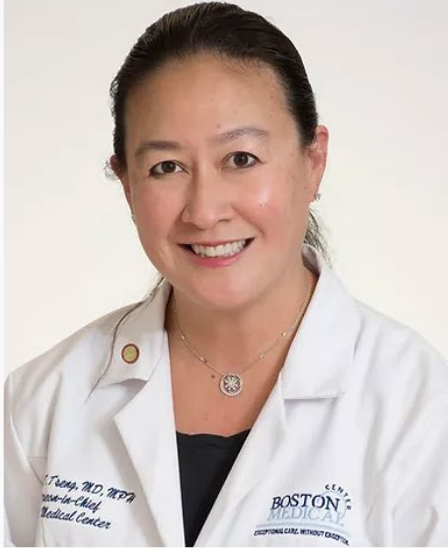
Melinda Bachini; USA
KN06 - Quality of Care from a Patient's Perspective



KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

Saturday, April 2, 2022 - 1300 - 1330 hrs

Jennifer Tseng MD; USA
**KN07 - Pancreatic Cancer Surgery:
Evidence and Future**



Masukazu Yamamoto MD; Japan
**KN08 - Liver Resection in
Advanced HCC**



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SESSION TYPES

Living Legend (LL)

Not to be missed - an opportunity to hear from some of the most important surgeons in our field who have stamped their mark on the field of HPB surgery. Each will speak on a separate topic reflecting their career's passion (Liver, Pancreas and Transplantation Surgery) in exclusive plenary sessions throughout the Congress.

Keynote Lectures (KN)

These are state-of-the-art presentations of highly topical and timely subjects in HPB surgery, addressed to all Congress participants. Leading international speakers, with considerable expertise in the subject at hand, have been invited to conduct these Keynote Lectures. This motif is scheduled at "prime time" in the programme, unopposed to other activities, to achieve maximum attendance.

Thomas Starzl Memorial Lecture

Thomas Earl Starzl (March 11, 1926 – March 4, 2017) was an American physician, researcher, and expert on organ transplants. He performed the first human liver transplants, and has often been referred to as "the father of modern transplantation." In recognition of his many contributions and to honor his legacy, the Thomas Starzl lecture has become a permanent feature of IHPBA's biennial World Congress. We are honoured that Dr John Fung (USA) will give the Thomas Starzl Memorial Lecture at the IHPBA 2022 World Congress. Dr Fung's lecture is titled "Transplant Oncology - The Past, Present and Future". This lecture requires independent funding and you can contribute to the Thomas Starzl lecture fund [here](#).

Meet the Professor (MTP)

Meet the Professor breakfast sessions allow delegates to meet in a small group with renowned researchers and clinicians. The format is designed to facilitate informal discussions, allowing participants to present their questions and gain new perspectives. To foster a more intimate learning environment, space is limited to fewer than 50 people and a nominal fee will be charged.

Symposia (SYM)

Symposia are significant educational sessions aimed at critically reviewing diverse aspects of a specific topic. Moderators will oversee between 4-6 focused talks which probe the depth of the topic. The target audience consists of delegates who are primarily interested in the subject or wish to update their knowledge in the area. Audience interaction will be prominent with robust "Question and Answer" opportunities. Many of the symposia will feature Multidisciplinary, Technical, or Scientific themes. A selection of special sessions have also been organised during the congress.

IHPBA Meets "Societies"

These symposia will be hosted jointly by Partner Societies. Speakers selected from IHPBA and the Partner Society will contribute in a facilitated symposia, providing an opportunity for exchange of ideas, debate and discussion. Partner Societies who have agreed to contribute are listed below:

- American Society of Liver Transplantation (ASTS)
- International Consortium on Minimally Invasive Pancreas Surgery (I-MIPS)
- International Laparoscopic Liver Society (ILLS)
- International Liver Transplantation Society (ILTS)
- International Society for Fluorescence Guided Surgery (ISFGS)
- Society for Surgery of the Alimentary Tract (SSAT)

SESSION TYPES

Leslie H. Blumgart Historical Lecture

The Leslie H. Blumgart Historical Lectureship was established to offer broad historical and educational content in honor of Leslie H. Blumgart's legacy. Dr. Blumgart was one of the pioneering hepatobiliary surgeons of our time, and his contributions to our field are enormous and well known to all in HPB surgery. His body of work was largely responsible for establishing the modern standards of HPB surgery, and many of the principles and techniques that he described remain in active practice. Indeed, whether directly or indirectly, Dr. Blumgart has been a mentor to all in HPB surgery.

Betty & Henry Pitt Quality Oration

The Betty & Henry Pitt Quality Oration was established in honor of AHPBA Past President Dr. Henry Pitt and his commitment to quality of care in HPB Surgery.

Bernard Langer Fellows Symposium

The Bernard Langer Fellows Symposium was established to provide a platform for HPB fellows to organize a symposium tailored for their training needs and interests. The symposium is aptly named after renowned HPB Surgery mentor, Dr. Bernard Langer. Dr. Langer was a first generation HPB Surgeon, who established the Liver Surgery Fellowship in Toronto. Being a mentor to young surgeons was at the heart of his legendary career. He cites the alumni of his fellowship program as his greatest professional achievement.

Debates

Debates allow speakers to debate controversial topics in an attractive format which provides "food for thought". Questions for which we have no good answers yet are featured. This motif is always lively and entertaining. The faculty chosen for these sessions are highly acclaimed clinicians with passion for their positions.

Updates

These are sessions in which speakers are expected to provide objective, exhaustive reviews in a field, either clinical or basic. Issues regarding diagnosis, management and different aspects of research will be evaluated. They are addressed to participants who wish to acquire practical knowledge on a specific subject. The presenter's own clinical acumen will allow for clinical interpretation of the data presented. An interactive discussion with the audience at the end of the session is expected.

Invited Video Presentations

A single Invited Video, presented by a master surgeon, will be embedded within various Oral free paper presentation sessions. The subject of the invited video presentation will align with the session of similar topic matter.

"Best of the Best" Session

The Top 12 competitive abstracts of the Congress, the "Best of the Best", will be featured in a session open to the full membership. These represent investigations and results that will likely make a significant impact on how HPB surgery is practiced. Presenters will have 15 minutes including questions and answers. Each will be discussed by a preeminent thought leader in the field. Mandatory submission of a full manuscript to HPB will be required for just these particular presentations.

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Oral Presentation Abstract Sessions

The most exciting work from abstracts submitted to the Congress will be honoured with a place in these sessions. Each presenter explains their work and answers questions from the audience.

ePoster

We are offering all ePoster presenters the opportunity to submit their ePoster with or without a recorded voiceover. Delegates will also have the opportunity to contact the author via email and functions in the congress platform.

Video Abstract Presentations

Video abstract presentations will also be included in the programme with select, high ranking video presentations being offered podium presentation. Each video presentation will be 8 minutes with two minutes of subsequent questions and answers. All accepted video abstracts will be available to view in the eVideo gallery.

Tricks of the Trade

Following the success in previous IHPBA World Congresses, we will continue to include a session entitled, "Tricks of the Trade." The goal of this session is to provide a forum for all members to share their technical "tricks" in HPB surgery or management pearls they have learned in treating problems encountered by our patients. Each selected oral presentation will be 10 minutes in length including Q&A, and should demonstrate the process clearly involving, for example, good artwork, line drawings, or even a short video clip. These are not meant to be long, extravagant dissertations, but rather succinct descriptions of the method under discussion.



HANDS-ON POSTGRADUATE COURSES

Wednesday, March 30, 2022

07:00 – 12:00

10th Annual HPB Ultrasound and Advanced Technology (hybrid)

Gramercy

Welcome & Lab Briefing

Ellen Hagopian MD, MHPE | Hackensack Meridian School of Medicine

Hands-on Skills Stations

Faculty: David Iannitti MD | Atrium Health; Mariano Giménez MD, PhD | University of Buenos Aires/University of Strasberg; D. Rohan Jeyarajah MD | Methodist Richardson Medical Center; Martin Palavecino MD | Hospital Italiano de Buenos Aires; John Martinie MD | Atrium Health; Brendan Visser MD | Stanford University; Dionisios (Dennis) Vrochides MD | Atrium Health

Station 1: IOUS Anatomy

Station 2: LUS Anatomy

Station 3: IOUS Targeting

Station 4: LUS Targeting

Station 5: Tumor Ablation/MW, IRE

Side Station: TAUS

Room change to Murray Hill

Use of US in HPB Surgery: Case Presentations

Moderator: Ellen Hagopian MD, MHPE | Hackensack Meridian School of Medicine

Pancreas/Biliary

Martin Palavecino MD | Hospital Italiano de Buenos Aires

Liver

Dionisios (Dennis) Vrochides MD, PhD | Atrium Health Carolinas

Panel Discussion

All faculty

Debriefing

Ellen Hagopian MD, MHPE | Hackensack Meridian School of Medicine

HANDS-ON POSTGRADUATE COURSES

Wednesday, March 30, 2022

12:00 – 15:30

3rd Annual Advanced Tumor Ablation Postgraduate Course

Gramercy

Welcome & Course Overview

Ellen Hagopian MD, MHPE | Hackensack Meridian School of Medicine

Ablation Indications and Patient Selection

T. Clark Gamblin MD, MS, MBA | Medical College of Wisconsin

Difficult ablations: tips and tricks

David A. Iannitti MD | Atrium Health

Complications of Ablation (RF, MW, IRE)

Adnan Alseidi MD, EdM | University of California San Francisco

Post-ablation Surveillance (RF, MW, IRE)

Eric H. Jensen MD | University of Minnesota Medical Center

Outcomes following Ablation (RF, MW, IRE)

Mariano Giménez MD, PhD | University of Buenos Aires/University of Strasbourg

Surgical Approach: Why?

David A. Iannitti MD | Atrium Health

Panel Discussion (Q/A, All faculty)

BREAK

Hands-on Skills Stations: Ablation Technologies (All faculty)

Station 1: Microwave (MWA) (Emprint)

Station 2: Microwave (MWA) (Neuwave)

Station 3: MWA (Solero)

Station 4: Irreversible electroporation (IRE) (Nanoknife)

Debriefing

Ellen Hagopian MD, MHPE | Hackensack Meridian School of Medicine

PRE-CONGRESS SYMPOSIUM

Wednesday, March 30, 2022

Grand Ballroom

08:30 – 10:00

CRLM

Moderators:

Shimul A. Shah MD, MHCM | University of Cincinnati
Henrik Petrowsky MD | University of Zürich, Switzerland

Talia Baker MD | University of Utah Health

Defining Resectability in CRLM

Sarah Bellemare MD | Montefiore Medical Center

Tx for CRLM - From Pipe Dream to Reality: Optimizing Patient Selection for Long Term Outcomes

Pål-Dag Line MD, PhD | Oslo University Hospital

HAI Therapy for Unresectable CRLM

Michael E. Lidsky MD | Duke University

Case Presentations

Panelists:

Skye C. Mayo MD | Oregon Health & Science University

T. Peter Kingham MD | Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center

Roberto Hernandez-Alejandro MD | University of Rochester Medical Center

10:00 – 11:30

HCC

Grand Ballroom

Moderators:

William C. Chapman MD | Washington University

Kelly M. Collins MD | Henry Ford Hospital

Tx for HCC - Time to Ditch My Old Experiments? Are We Optimizing Inclusiveness Through Existing Criteria?

Karim J. Haluzun MD | Weill Cornell Medicine

Who is a Candidate for Hepatic Resection?

Jonathan Hernandez MD | National Cancer Institute/ NIH

Treatment for HCC - Immunotherapeutic Strategies with Resection and Transplant

Parissa Tabrizian MD | Mount Sinai Medical Center

Case Presentations

Panelists:

Ching-Wei D. Tzeng MD | MD Anderson Cancer Center

Lucas McCormack MD | Hospital Aleman of Buenos Aires

Elizabeth Pomfret MD, PhD | University of Colorado School of Medicine

11:30 – 13:00

Lunch Break on own

PRE-CONGRESS SYMPOSIUM

13:00pm – 14:30

Grand Ballroom

Cholangiocarcinoma

Moderators:

Erin C. Maynard MD | Oregon Health and Science University

Kristopher P. Croome MD | Mayo Clinic

Rx for IHC – Are We Making Any Progress?

Sepideh Gholami MD | University of California, Davis

Tx for Intrahepatic Cholangio - The Next Frontier or a Far Reach?

Gonzalo Sapisochin MD | Toronto General Hospital

Major Vascular Resections and Reconstructions in Liver/HPB Malignancies - Navigating Tiger Country Without Being Eaten Alive

Eduardo Fernandes MD | Rio de Janeiro Federal University

Case Presentations

Panelists

Sean P. Cleary MD, MSc, MPH | Mayo Clinic

Christopher J. Sonnenday MD | University of Michigan

14:30 – 16:00

Grand Ballroom

Challenging Decisions on Case Presentations in Diseases of the Pancreas

Moderators:

William G. Hawkins MD | Washington University School Of Medicine

Major Kenneth Lee MD, PhD | University of Pennsylvania

NE Tumor

Flavio G. Rocha MD | Oregon Health & Science University

Radiation Therapy

Alice C. Wei MD, MSc | Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center

IPMN

C. Max Schmidt MD | Indiana University School of Medicine

Case Presentations

Panelists

Marco Del Chiaro MD | University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus

Callisia N. Clarke MD | Medical College of Wisconsin

PRE-CONGRESS SYMPOSIUM

14:30 – 15:30

Murray Hill

Machine Perfusion

Moderator:

Seung Hee Lee MD | Baylor University Medical Center

Cristiano Quintini MD | Cleveland Clinic

Selection Criteria for Using the Pump

Garrett Roll MD | UCSF Health

Viability Testing for Super Marginal Livers

Philip Dutkowski MD | University Hospital Zurich

Use of the Pump for Enhancing Transplant Logistics

Leigh Anne Dageforde MD, MPH | Massachusetts General Hospital

Normothermic vs. Hypothermic Machine Perfusion (Debate)

Normothermic - Peter Friend MD | University of Oxford

Hypothermic - James V. Guarrera MD | Rutgers Health

15:30 – 16:30

Murray Hill

Advanced Minimally Invasive Liver Surgery Video Session

Moderators:

Adeel S. Khan MD, MPH | Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis

Erin Baker MD | Atrium Health

Redo Laparoscopic Liver Surgery

Krishna Menon MS | King's College Hospital

Advanced Laparoscopic Liver Resections - My Tips and Tricks

Fernando Rotellar MD | Clinica Universidad de Navarra

Robotic ALPPS and Vascular Reconstructions

Fabrizio Di Benedetto MD | University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Robotic Donor Hepatectomy

Yee Lee Cheah MD | Lahey Clinic

ADVANCED PRACTICE PROVIDER SYMPOSIUM

Wednesday, March 30, 2022

12:30 – 14:30

Murray Hill

APP Symposium

Moderator: Sarah Reed PA-C, MHS | Duke University

Post Hepatectomy Liver Failure: Prevention and Management

Jennifer Sharp MSN, ACNP | University of Michigan

Controversies in Transplant for Metastatic Colorectal Cancer

Kaitlyn Musto PA-C | Mayo Clinic, Jacksonville

Management of Acute and Long-term Complications Post Pancreatic Surgery

Michelle Williamson PA-C | Mayo Clinic

Pharmacologic Challenges in HPB Patients

Laura Hatfield PharmD | Johns Hopkins Hospital

HPB Anatomy Review

Gina Raimondi PA | Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center

Keynote Speaker

Anne Covey MD | Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center

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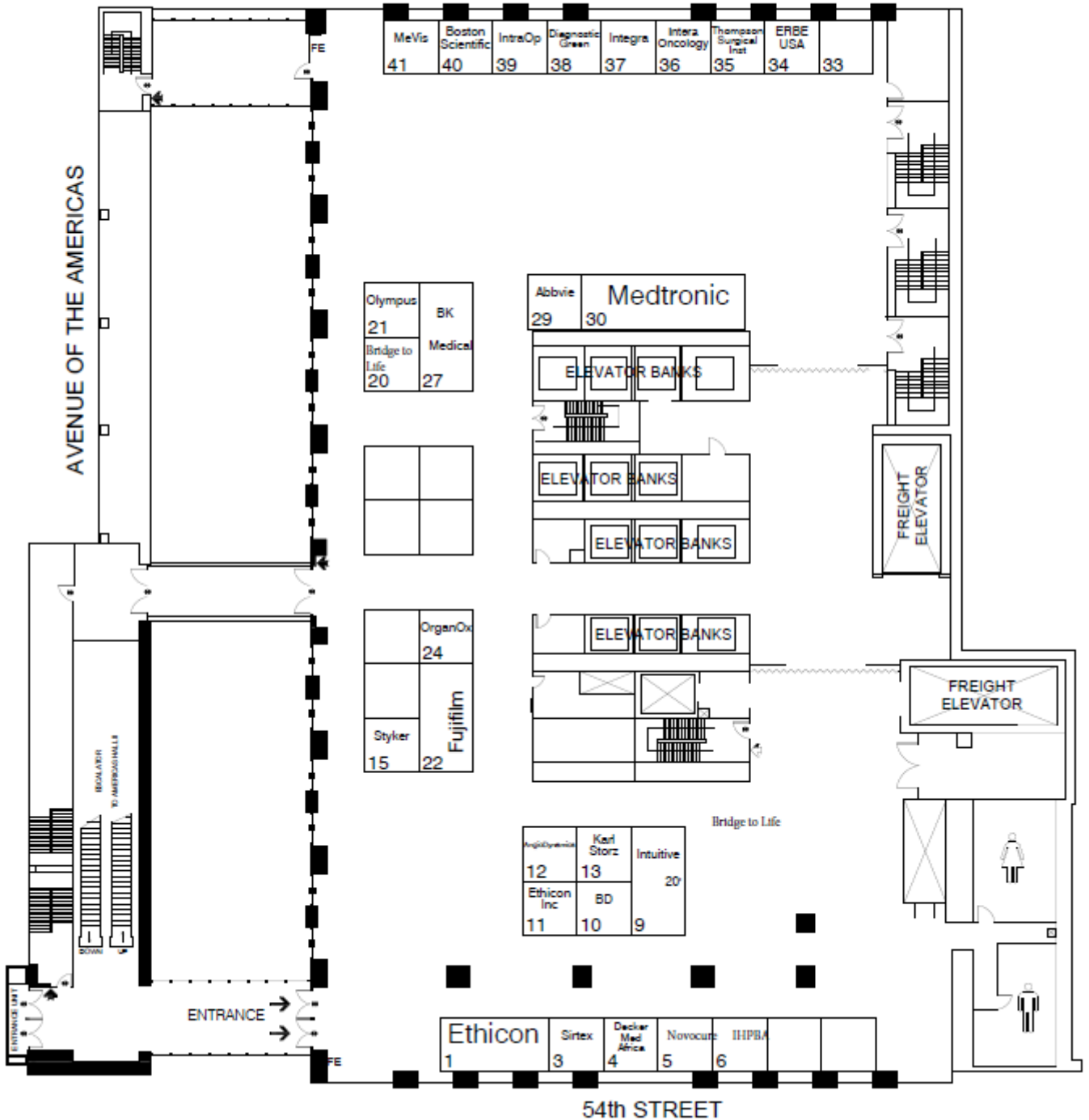
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IHPBA Foundation: Education, Research & Training

Global Reach

Outreach Programme

The IHPBA Foundation is dedicated to supporting outreach programmes in developing countries. These initiatives are longitudinal multifaceted programs to assist in the care of patients with HPB diseases in developing countries by fostering, mentoring and supporting local surgeons and institutions.



Education & Training Project

The Foundation has supported the IHPBA Education & Training Committee with their recent initiative including an ambitious project to develop a web-based centralised case log, training, evaluation and accreditation tool which will shortly be available to trainee members in a recognized fellowship. The Foundation has also recently supported the pre-operative planning project, there are now 25 modules on **myHPB** with more to follow in 2022.

Research Projects

The Foundation is supporting the Research Committee on their initiative to develop three global registries, one for each field of HPB research.

Travel Grants

The IHPBA Foundation will support a number of travel grants for the 2022 World Congress in New York.

IHPBA Kenneth Warren Fellowship

The IHPBA Kenneth Warren Fellowship is awarded annually with the goal of promoting collaborative scientific discovery in HPB diseases through support of clinical or laboratory research for a young investigator.

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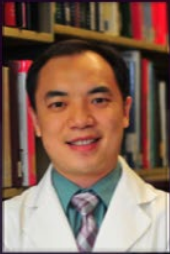


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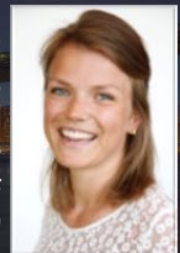


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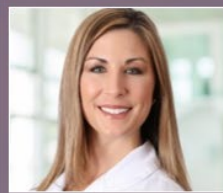
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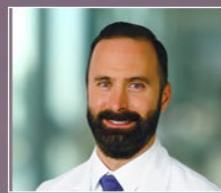
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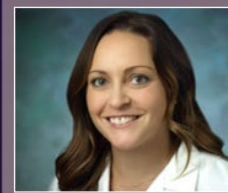
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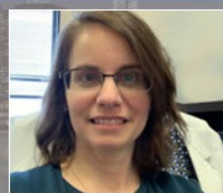
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An Interview with Dr. Bernard Langer, as told by Dr. Paul Greig | March 8, 2018

Dr. Langer is a first generation HPB Surgeon. He confesses that he came to HPB Surgery “by accident” and claims that “it found me”. Following Medical School & Residency in General Surgery in Toronto, Dr. Langer did a 6 month travelling Fellowship in cancer chemotherapy, followed by a 6 month Fellowship in Boston with Francis Moore where his interest and expertise in liver surgery grew from his research in the very new field of liver transplantation.

Upon return to the University of Toronto, he received a grant to develop a model of auxiliary liver transplantation and clinically, he attracted the complex liver and pancreas cases. He became interested in surgery for portal hypertension and initiated an RCT of meso-caval vs distal splenorenal shunt for bleeding esophageal varices. As the surgical management of liver, pancreas & biliary diseases evolved, he expanded the HPB focus at the Toronto General Hospital by attracting Bryce Taylor and hiring Paul Greig. In 1985 he did Toronto’s 1st liver transplant. And so the era of HPB in Toronto surgery was initiated.

During his decade as Chair of the Department of Surgery at the University of Toronto, he instituted the Surgeon Scientist Program for Residents in Surgery, and income-sharing agreements in each of the divisions to facilitate sub-specialization and academic initiatives. He says that his experience in Boston “gave him insight into how to run a Department and the importance of research to the academic culture”.

Following his retirement from clinical surgery, Dr. Langer served as the President of The Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada. In 2002 he was appointed Officer of the Order of Canada and in 2015 was inducted into the Canadian Medical Hall of Fame.

IN MEMORIAM

Dr. Langer established a Fellowship in Liver Surgery which grew from one Fellow in 1982, to 3 Fellows in Transplant & HPB Surgery in 1989, and now to 7 Fellows in two separate but integrated Fellowships in HPB Surgical Oncology, accredited by the AHPBA & Fellowship Council and in Abdominal Organ Transplantation accredited by the ASTS. To date over 80 Fellows have graduated from these two Fellowships. He cites his greatest accomplishment as being the alumni of the Fellowship, currently practicing in over 25 countries, many of whom have become leaders in HPB & Transplant Surgery throughout the world. He recently met a young new Faculty HPB Surgeon who was trained by a former Langer-Fellow and who acknowledged her “Langer pedigree”.

Dr Langer’s advice to new HPB Surgeons:

- **Know yourself - your strengths & weaknesses and just what you want to do**
- **Plan well - set goals and timelines and organize your life so you can accomplish them**
- **Have an open mind for change or new opportunity.**
- **Keep family foremost**

Dear Colleagues,

It is with great sadness that we announce the loss of Dr Bernard Langer (1932-2022). He was a friend, colleague, and mentor to many members of the IHPBA and AHPBA.

Dr Langer was a global pioneer in the field of HPB surgery and a revered Canadian surgeon. Bernie performed the first liver transplant in Toronto and established one of the most highly respected and prestigious hepatobiliary training programs in the world. Throughout his career, Dr Langer was deeply committed to promoting academic excellence in surgery, as well as surgical education. As the R.S. McLaughlin Professor and Chair of Surgery at the University of Toronto he developed the field of academic surgery and established the Surgical Scientist Program, a formal research training program for academic surgeons. His contribution to our field is recognized by the Bernard Langer Fellows Symposium at the AHPBA Meeting.

Bernie was an extraordinarily gifted surgeon and surgical educator. He has mentored hundreds of surgeons throughout his career. Of the over 90 HPB fellows that have graduated from the HPB fellowship he started, many have gone on to become leaders in HPB surgery and Transplantation. Each of his trainees carries forward Bernie’s legacy of surgical excellence and leadership.

Dr Langer has served as the President of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, President of the Canadian Association of General Surgeons, President of the Society for Surgery of the Alimentary Tract, and the Vice President of the American Surgical Association. Amongst many accomplishments he was a Member of the Order of Canada and Canadian Medical Hall of Fame.

Our thoughts, and prayers are with his family and friends at this time.

Written by Dr. Alice Wei, on behalf of AHPBA Leadership



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