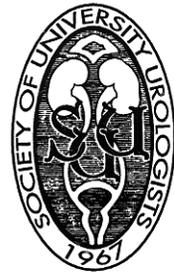




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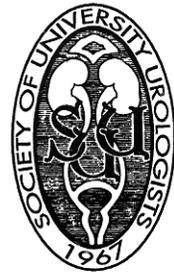


SOCIETY OF UNIVERSITY UROLOGISTS ANNUAL MEETING		11:15 a.m.–12:00 p.m.	Panel Discussion <i>All participants</i>
Program Chair: Michael O. Koch, MD		12:00 p.m.–1:00 p.m.	Box Lunch
8:00 a.m.–8:05 a.m.	WELCOME <i>Robert R. Bahnson, MD, President</i>	12:15 p.m.–1:00 p.m.	SUU BUSINESS MEETING
<u>WHY SHOULD WE BE CONSIDERING EDUCATIONAL CHANGE IN UROLOGY?</u>		1:00 p.m.	Adjourn
8:05 a.m.–8:20 a.m.	ABU Perspectives <i>Linda D. Shortliffe, MD</i>	SOCIETY FOR UROLOGY CHAIRPERSONS AND PROGRAM DIRECTORS	
<u>WHAT IS THE PROBLEM AND WHAT ARE THE PROPOSED CHANGES?</u>		Program Chair: Marc S. Cohen, MD	
8:20 a.m.–8:40 a.m.	Proposals from the AUA Task Force on Redesigning Residency Education and Why <i>John D. McConnell, MD</i>	1:00 p.m.–3:00 p.m.	Difficult Conversations with Residents: An Interactive Workshop Session <i>Catherine J. Morrison, Morrison Associates Negotiation and Conflict Management Counseling</i>
8:40 a.m.–9:00 a.m.	Are We Adequately Preparing Urologists to Enter Careers in Private Practice and Academics? <i>John Forrest, MD</i>	3:00 p.m.–3:10 p.m.	Break
<u>HOW WILL THESE CHANGES AFFECT FELLOWSHIPS?</u>		3:10 p.m.–3:40 p.m.	VA Contracts and Urology Programs: Current Understanding, Insights, and Suggestions <i>Martha Terris, MD, Medical College of Georgia</i>
9:00 a.m.–9:30 a.m.	Pediatric Urology Workforce Assessment and Recruitment Issues <i>Douglas A. Husmann, MD</i>	3:40 p.m.–4:10 p.m.	Evidence-Based Medicine in Urologic Training <i>Philipp Dahm, MD, University of Florida</i>
9:30 a.m.–10:00 a.m.	Urologic Oncology—What Are the Challenges Facing Recruiting GU Cancer Fellowships and How Might These Changes Affect the Training of GU Cancer Specialists? <i>Joel Sheinfeld, MD</i>	4:10 p.m.–4:20 p.m.	Break
10:00 a.m.–10:15 a.m.	Break	4:20 p.m.–5:00 p.m.	Panel Discussion: “What I Can Tell You About ACGME Residency Review 2006–2007: What Do You Want to Know?” <i>Moderator: Marc S. Cohen, MD</i> <i>Panelists: Culley C. Carson III, MD</i> <i>Craig V. Comiter, MD</i> <i>Regina M. Hovey, MD</i> <i>Gary J. Faerber, MD</i> <i>Mark L. Jordan, MD</i> <i>Chad W.M. Ritenour, MD</i>
<u>WHAT CAN WE LEARN FROM OTHER SPECIALTIES?</u>		5:00–5:30 p.m.	Business Meeting
10:15 a.m.–10:45 a.m.	Lessons Learned from the Subspecialization in GYN Oncology <i>Norman F. Gant, MD</i>	5:30 p.m.	Adjourn
10:45 a.m.–11:15 a.m.	Lessons Learned and Future Directions of the American College of Surgeons/ American Board of Surgery <i>Richard H. Bell, MD</i>		



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SUU Target Audience: This one-day conference is designed to inform and benefit academic urologists involved in the education, supervision, and evaluation of residents in postgraduate training programs in urologic surgery.

SUU Goal: The goal of this meeting is to allow attendees to understand the issues forcing change in how we train residents and gain input from attendees and which approaches may be beneficial to pursue.

SUU Educational Objectives: After attending the meeting, participants should be able to:

- Distinguish the reasons why the ABU is considering major structural changes in residency programs
- Comprehend the needs of training for residents to make them successful in academic and private sectors.
- Measure the challenges and successes in fellowship training today.
- Identify the mistakes and good decisions made by other surgical specialties

SUCPD Target Audience: This half-day conference is designed to inform and educate urology program directors and chairpersons in a wide range of issues pertaining to the administration of urology departments and divisions with residency programs.

SUCPD Goal: The goal of this meeting is not only to provide attendees with information relating to residency program administration but also to provide opportunities to become actively engaged in the information exchange.

SUCPD Needs Statement:

- Residency Program Directors (RPD) and Chairpersons (CPs) often have to address sensitive and difficult areas in communication with residents (such as substance abuse, failing grades, dismissal from programs, poor performance). Many RPDs and CPs receive little or no training in these areas.
- RPOs and CPs are being held to a higher standard in meeting the educational needs of their residents. The principles of evidence-based medicine (EBM) are now considered a practice core tool for meeting ACGME core competency requirements.
- RPDs and CPs are required to implement, access, and refine core competencies in urologic education. For many programs, the application of criteria for successful RRC review is not clear.
- RPDs and CPs use VA hospital facilities in the education and training of residents. Difficulties frequently arise regarding contractual arrangements between individual VA hospitals and individual urology programs.

SUCPD Educational Objectives:

- Attendees will gain insight through didactic instruction in communication skills specific to these areas of difficulty and will have the opportunity to practice these skills in role-play scenarios.
- To familiarize RPDs and CPs in using EBM in residency curriculum design as well as an understanding of barriers, pitfalls and available resources for successful EBM implementation.
- An interaction of RPDs and CPs with a panel of their peers who have recently undergone RRC review, will provide insight, allow refinement of urologic armamentaria in addressing RRC review.
- To survey, discuss current performances and form action plans of value for contractual discussions by urology PDs utilizing VA hospitals as training sites.

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