



2019 Spine IEP

Fellows and Young Surgeons' Course

November 15-17, 2019



Huntington Beach, CA | Hyatt Regency

Course Overview

This course has been developed specifically to educate Spine and Neuro Fellows and Young Surgeons on current topics pertaining to the practice of spine/neuro surgery, as well as to assist them with the transition from Fellow to practicing surgeon. The format for this course is highly interactive - all sessions will conclude with question/answer sessions and panel discussions. Fellows and Young Surgeons will also participate in didactic sessions with medical device course sponsors.

Meeting Schedule

Please note: This meeting schedule is subject to change without prior notice. The course is available for review at: <http://www.spine-iep.com/sfc>

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2018

4:00 PM Check-in at the Fairmont, San Francisco

SYMPOSIUM BEGINS

5:15 PM Registration & Cocktail Reception

6:00 PM Welcome Message and Introduction | [Magnifi Group](#)

CASE PRESENTATIONS & PANEL DISCUSSION

6:05 PM Degenerative Lumbar Scoliosis | [Gurvinder Deol, MD](#)
Panel: [Safdar Khan, MD](#); [Michael Kelly, MD](#)

6:20 PM Cervical Myelopathy | [Steven Garfin, MD](#)
Panel: [R. Todd Allen, MD](#); [William Donaldson, MD](#)

6:35 PM Topic Discussion and Q&A

DEBATE: LUMBAR DDD | Moderator: [R. Todd Allen, MD](#)

6:35 PM No Role for Fusion for DDD: It Only Benefits Your Wallet | [William Donaldson, MD](#)

6:43 PM Fusion for DDD: Evidence-based! | [Greg Lopez, MD](#)

6:51 PM Topic Discussion and Q&A

7 PM Adjourn

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2018

6:30 AM Breakfast

7:30 AM Welcome & Introduction | [Frank Phillips, MD](#)

PRINCIPLES OF TREATMENT | [Frank Phillips, MD](#)

7:35 AM Spinal Alignment: What Parameters Are Essential in My Everyday Practice? | [Michael Kelly, MD](#)

7:50 AM Topic Discussion and Q&A

7:55 AM Adult Scoliosis and Deformity: Surgical Treatment | [Safdar Khan, MD](#)

8:10 AM Topic Discussion and Q&A

8:15 AM MIS TLIF: Technique Pearls and Outcomes | [Neil Badlani, MD, MBA](#)

8:30 AM Topic Discussion and Q&A

8:35 AM Lateral Interbody Fusion: Technique Pearls and Outcomes | [Steven Garfin, MD](#)

- 8:50 AM Topic Discussion and Q&A
8:55 AM Posterior Cervical Procedures & Instrumentation: Tips and Pearls | [R. Todd Allen, MD](#)
9:10 AM Topic Discussion and Q&A
9:15 AM Outpatient Spine Surgery: Safely and Ethically Incorporating into My Practice | [Neil Badlani, MD, MBA](#)
9:30 AM Topic Discussion and Q&A

BREAKOUT SESSION I

- 9:15 AM Didactic Sessions with Industry

INTERMISSION

- 10:40 AM Coffee and Refreshment Break

CONTINUED - PRINCIPLES OF TREATMENT | Moderator: Stephen Ryu, MD

- 10:55 AM Strategies for Avoiding and Treating PJK | [Michael Kelly, MD](#)
11:10 AM Topic Discussion and Q&A
11:15 AM Managing Common Complications | [Gurvinder Deol, MD](#)
11:30 AM Topic Discussion and Q&A
11:35 AM Fusion Biologics: Alternatives? What, When and How? | [Safdar Khan, MD](#)
11:50 AM Topic Discussion and Q&A
11:55 AM SI-joint Diagnosis and Treatment | [Steven Garfin, MD](#)
12:10 PM Topic Discussion and Q&A

LUNCH

- 12:15 PM Lunch

BREAKOUT SESSION II

- 1:15 PM Didactic Sessions with Industry

DEBATE 1: CERVICAL RADICULOPATHY | Moderator: Steven Garfin, MD

- 2:40 PM Laminoforaminotomy is Least Invasive | [Greg Lopez, MD](#)
2:48 PM ACDF is the Gold Standard | [Gurvinder Deol, MD](#)
2:56 PM Cervical TDR is the Evidence-based Approach | [Frank Phillips, MD](#)
3:04 PM Topic Discussion and Q&A

DEBATE 2: DEGENERATIVE SPONDYLOLISTHESIS | Moderator: Steven Garfin, MD

- 3:10 PM Postero-Lateral Fusion is Adequate | [William Donaldson, MD](#)
3:18 PM Inter-Spinous-Laminar Devices Make Sense | [Carl Laurysen, MD](#)
3:26 PM Interbody Fusion is Optimal | [Stephen Ryu, MD](#)
3:34 PM Topic Discussion and Q&A
3:40-4:40 PM Adjourn and Cocktail Reception in Didactic Room

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2018

6:30 AM Breakfast

TRANSITIONING FROM FELLOWSHIP INTO PRACTICE

- 7:30 AM Alumni Panel: What to Expect in Your First Year of Practice | Moderator: Frank Phillips, MD; Panel: TBD
- 8:00 AM Dealings with Industry and Future Trends | Frank Phillips, MD
- 8:15 AM Topic Discussion and Q&A
- 8:25 AM Finding the Right Practice: Academics v. Private Practice | Moderator: R. Todd Allen, MD; Presenters: R. Todd Allen, MD; Neil Badlani, MD, MBA; Carl Laurysen, MD
- 8:45 AM Topic Discussion and Q&A
- 8:55 AM Coding for Common Procedures | Stephen Ryu, MD
- 9:05 AM Topic Discussion and Q&A
- 9:15 AM Getting Started: Dos and Don'ts in Your First Year of Practice | Gurvinder Deol, MD
- 9:30 AM Topic Discussion and Q&A
- 9:40 AM Happiness After Training | Stephen Ryu, MD
- 10 AM Topic Discussion and Q&A

SYMPOSIUM ENDS

- 10:10 AM Closing Remarks | Glenn Abel & Andrew Wolpe
- 10:15 AM Adjourn

AdvaMed Code of Ethics

This course complies with the AdvaMed Code of Ethics, effective July 1st, 2009. The educational meetings are intended solely for the invited Fellows and Faculty. Guests/spouses or other healthcare professionals are not invited to attend the educational portion.

Course Director

Frank M. Phillips, MD

Professor and Director of the Division of Spine Surgery [Department of Orthopaedic Surgery, Rush University Medical Center](#)

Program Co-Chairs

Gurvinder Deol, MD

Clinical Faculty, Department of Orthopaedics
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Neil Badlani, MD, MBA

Director of Spine Surgery | VP of Medical Affairs
[The Orthopedic Sports Clinic | Nobilis Health Corp.](#)

Faculty

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Distinguished Professor and Chair and Chief of Spine Surgery [Dept. of Orthopaedic Surgery, UC San Diego Health System](#)

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[Washington University, Saint Louis](#)

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How to Participate?

This course is open to 2019/2020 and 2018/2019 Fellows, as well as Young Surgeons in their first 3 years of practice.

1. Complete the Fellow registration form included in this brochure and return to Rachel Smith at rsmith@magnifigroup.com
2. Fellows will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. You will be notified via email if your registration has been received and if you are accepted into the course. We will place you on a waiting list, in the event that the course is full. You will be subsequently notified if an opening becomes available.
3. Our travel coordinator will contact you to arrange your travel. When checking into the hotel, you will be asked to provide a credit card for incidental charges.
4. Space is extremely limited, so RSVP early!

What is Covered?

1. One round-trip, non-refundable, coach class airplane ticket*. Attendee is responsible for all other transportation.
2. Accommodations for run-of-the-house rooms with one (1) bed for Friday, November 16 and Saturday, November 17, 2018. The attendee is responsible for any additional upgrades or alternate requirements.
3. All meals and refreshments indicated on the course agenda. The attendee is responsible for all other meals.

**Efforts will be made to secure the best available airline rate in compliance with the attendee's schedule. Attendees are responsible and will be invoiced for any fees they incur due to itinerary changes or cancellations once the tickets have been reserved by the travel coordinator. Flights for attendees coming from outside the Continental US are not covered.*

For any questions, contact Rachel Smith at
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MD DO

 Last Name First Name MI

 Departure Airport Birth Date Gender: M F

 Preferred Airline Rewards Number (if applicable)

 Daytime Phone Number

 Personal Email Address (required) Center Email Address

 Institution/Hospital Name



Please indicate any Special Needs (including dietary restrictions) that we should be aware of.

Program Director (Fellows only)

Your Fellowship Program Director (2019-2020 Fellows) - OR - immediate supervisor (2018-2019 Fellows) must sign this form to indicate his/her understanding of the time commitment required in order for you to be eligible to attend this course.

Director's Name (Printed) _____

Director's Signature _____ Date _____

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

- Attendees are expected to attend the event in its entirety, as listed in the itinerary, beginning at check-in at 4:00 PM on Friday, November 15 until adjournment at 10:10 AM on Sunday, November 17, 2019. Attendees are expected to participate in all sponsor-based didactic sessions, as listed in the agenda, and participation in these sessions will be noted.
- By participating in this conference, you give your permission to Magnifi Group, Inc. to enter your contact information into our database. This is used by our sponsors so they may update you on information relative to their respective devices.
- Attendees are responsible for any fees they incur due to itinerary changes or cancellations after their airfare has been booked. Attendees will be invoiced for the fees by Magnifi Group, Inc.
- Per AdvaMed Standards, guests are not allowed to attend the course sessions. Please select one of the following:

- No, I will not be bringing a guest.
- Yes, _____ (guest name) will be accompanying me, but will not be accompanying me to any of the meals or cocktail reception.
- Yes, _____ (guest name) will be accompanying me to the meals and cocktail reception - \$350/guest.

Attendee Signature Date

Please send completed form via email to Rachel Smith

Email: rsmith@magnifigroup.com, Subject: "Spine IEP Fellows Course Registration Form"