



MEETING OUTLINE

As of July 13, 2018

Wednesday/October 10, 2018

Basics Course (full day, hands-on)

Advanced/Board Review Course (full day, lecture and discussion)

Trichoscopy Course (morning, lecture and discussion)

Surgical Assistants Core Skills Workshop (morning, hands-on)

Mini Courses Morning

Mini Course are 3 hours each, small group, intense learning, and limited to approximately 18 students. Extra fee.

- Scalp Micropigmentation (hands-on)
- Decision-Making in Difficult Cases (discussion)
- Experiencing Manual and Motorized FUE Devices (hands-on)

Mini Courses Afternoon

- Scalp Micropigmentation (hands-on)
- Decision-Making- FUE vs FUT vs Combination (discussion)
- Trichoscopy (hands-on)

Board of Governors Meeting (full day)

Ancillary Meeting: ABHRS Recertification Exam (evening)

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### Thursday/October 11, 2018

Newcomers Orientation

#### General Sessions

- 1: Opening Session
- 2: Hair Follicle Physiology and Growth Factors: New Discoveries & Better Understanding **\*FEATURED GUEST SPEAKER**
- 3: Graft Survival and Graft Preparation
- 4: Diagnostic Methods **\*FEATURED GUEST SPEAKERS**
- 5: Body Hair, Eyelash, and Eyebrow

Exhibits

Posters

Welcome Reception

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Friday/October 12, 2018

Discussion Table Topics

General Sessions

6: Hairline & Implanters

7: FUE Instrumentation & Surgical Techniques ***FEATURED GUEST SPEAKER**

8: Difficult & Challenging Cases

Workshops First Bank

One workshop in each bank comes with the price of congress registration. Some workshops are limited to physicians only. The workshop occurring in the general session room will have simultaneous interpretation.

101: Non-Surgical Adjunctive Treatments: PBM, Minoxidil, Finasteride, Microneedling, Nutraceuticals

102: Train the Trainer: Tips on Giving Excellent Medical Presentations ***FEATURED GUEST SPEAKER**

103: Avoiding Poor Techniques, Poor Planning, Poor Growth, and Bad Results (physician only)

104: Transgender Patients (physician only)

105: PRP for Hair Restoration [simultaneous interpretation]

Workshops Second Bank

111: Donor Area Limits in FUE: Taking it Too Far

112: Train the Trainer: Tips on Giving Excellent Medical Presentations ***FEATURED GUEST SPEAKER**

113: Implanters

114: Social Media, Reviews, Photos, Consents, Filming Surgery

115: Hair Care Products and the Science Behind Them [simultaneous interpretation]

Exhibits

Posters

M&M Conference (evening)

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## **Saturday/October 13, 2018**

### **General Sessions**

9: Chemotherapy Induced Alopecia & Female Pattern Hair Loss

**\*FEATURED GUEST SPEAKER**

10: Medical Treatments for AGA

11: Pulling Hair and Donor Area **\*FEATURED GUEST SPEAKER**

12: Organization & Quality Assurance

Live Patient Viewing

General Membership Business Meeting

Exhibits

Posters

Red Carpet Gala

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Sunday/October 14, 2018

General Sessions

13: Anesthesia

14: Selection of Interesting Topics

15: Open Microphone: Congresses Best Topics

11:00AM Congress Adjourns

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# FEATURED SPEAKERS

## Apostolos Pappas, PhD

Head of Program, Nestle Skin Health – SHIELD  
Luasanne, Switzerland



Lecture: “Understanding the importance of lipid pathways for the existence, health, and development of the hair follicle”

Apostolos Pappas, PhD, started his professional career as a research biochemist in the Skin Research Center of Johnson & Johnson in '99 and later served as a group leader at Munich Biotech, where he worked on cancer research.

Thereafter he returned to Johnson & Johnson, where he was a Research Manager and Fellow at J&J focusing on lipid metabolism research.

Dr. Pappas was one of the first to culture cells that were previously not cultured; as human primary sebocytes and more recently human facial preadipocytes.

While at J&J he collaborated with many experts and KOLs to open a new field within the academic textbooks arena and curriculums on “Nutrition and Skin”, which was published by Springer in 2011. The success and wide recognition of this project paved the way for his second academic textbook by Springer in 2014: “Lipids and Skin Health”; which was the very first of its kind as well.

He has initiated and chaired three major symposia and has given more than 20 invited lectures at prestigious societies and universities. He became adjunct faculty at the Department of Food Science at Rutgers University (since September 2013) and a member of the Rutgers Center for Lipid Research. He has also been appointed as a member of the scientific advisory board of directors of the Cicatricial Alopecia Research Foundation.

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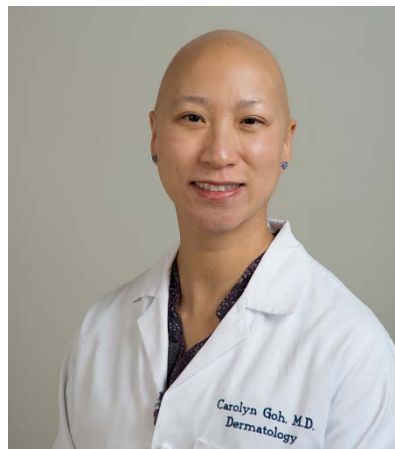
Antonella Tosti MD
Fredric Brandt Endowed Professor of Dermatology
University of Miami, USA

Lecture: "Trichoscopy: Why, When, How"



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**Carolyn Goh, MD**  
Assistant Clinical Professor of Dermatology  
Director of Hair and Scalp Disorders Clinic  
David Geffen School of Medicine  
University of California, Los Angeles



Lecture: "Pattern Hair Loss or Not, That is the Question: Identifying Alopecia Areata and Other Non-Scarring Alopecias"

Dr. Goh practices general medical dermatology with a specialty in hair loss and scalp disorders. Her research and clinical interests are in all types of hair loss including alopecia areata and scarring alopecia. She has been active with patient advocacy groups and local support groups for patients with hair loss.

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Cheng-Ming Chuong, MD, PhD

Professor of Pathology

University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, USA



Lecture: "Pulling hair and hair restoration"

Dr. Cheng-Ming Chuong received M.D. from Taiwan University and Ph.D. from Rockefeller University. He moved to University of Southern California and is currently a professor of pathology. Dr. Chuong directs the Laboratory of Tissue Development and Engineering (<http://www-hsc.usc.edu/~cmchuong/cmchuong@usc.edu>). He has published more than 220 papers on the biology of integuments in top journals, including multiple research papers and commentaries in Nature,

Science, CELL. In 2008, he was elected to the National Academy equivalent of Taiwan. In 2014, he was elected as an AAAS fellow for "Distinguished contribution to advance new understanding in the development, regeneration and evolution of patterns in ectodermal organs". His also works on Evo-Devo of feathers contributing new understanding in the "The Birth of Birds" which was chosen by Science as one of the 10 major breakthroughs in 2014. His work is covered by mainstream media including New York Time, LA times, BBC, CNBC, etc

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## **Mario E. Lacouture, MD**

**Dermatology Service, Department of Medicine**

**Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, New York, USA**



Lecture: "Chemotherapy Induced Alopecia and Endocrine Therapy Induced Alopecia"

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Marsheila DeVan, MBA

Communication Specialist



Lecture: "How to Present for Medical Professionals"

Marsheila DeVan is a Communication Specialist with over twenty five years of training experience. Her expertise includes work within university systems as well as the pharmaceutical and medical industries, concentrating on physician speaker development, interpersonal skills improvement, meeting moderation, leadership, cultural diversity, sales training, curriculum development and one-to-one coaching. Her outstanding communication skills and ability to work with diverse audiences earned her multiple national

awards.

Her international experience includes teaching to multiple nationalities and medical specialties in locations such as Thailand, Switzerland, Hungary, Spain, Austria, Bermuda, Australia, France, Germany, Czech Republic, Italy, Portugal, Turkey, Mexico, Canada, Korea, Hong Kong, Iraq, Iran, Pakistan, Vietnam, Philippines, Ireland, the Caribbean, Mongolia and most recently Sri Lanka. Her extensive travels have given her an understanding of different beliefs, attitudes, and values of various cultures and people.

Marsheila's demeanor, humor and approach to training create an open and comfortable learning environment that results in a high level of interaction and learning.