



# **North Dakota & South Dakota**

## ***Chapters***

# **2023 Annual Meeting**

**April 28-29, 2023**

**Holiday Inn**

3803 13th Ave South - Fargo, ND

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## Objectives

At the end of this educational activity, participants will be able to:

- Identify updates in the various disciplines of surgery with application to daily practice.
- Apply newly acquired knowledge to surgical practice.

## Accreditation

The American College of Surgeons is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

## CME Credit

The American College of Surgeons designates this live activity for a maximum of 11.25 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)*<sup>™</sup>. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

## Accommodations

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Holiday Inn, 3803 13th Avenue S, Fargo, ND. The rate is \$114 plus taxes. For reservations call 1-877-282-2700 or 701-282-2700 by April 14, 2023 and identify that you are with the "ND Chapter ACS Meeting."

## Cancellation Policy

No refunds of registration will be made after April 24, 2023.

## For More Information

If you have any questions, need more information, or have special dietary needs, please contact Leann Benson at 701-223-9475 or leann@ndmed.com.

## Thursday Evening Welcome

Upon your Thursday arrival, please join us for an informal gathering at the Holiday Inn Spirits Lounge beginning at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 27<sup>th</sup>. Plan to stop in!

## Featured Presenters



### Callisia N. Clarke, MD, MS, FACS, FSSO

Dr. Callisia Clarke completed her medical degree at the University of Cincinnati College of Medicine where she was elected to the Alpha Omega Alpha Honors Society. She completed a general surgery residency at the University of Cincinnati Medical Center in Cincinnati, Ohio in 2013 and a

fellowship in Complex General Surgical Oncology at The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center in 2016.

She joined the faculty at the Medical College of Wisconsin in 2016 and is now an Associate Professor of Surgery in the Division of Surgical Oncology.

Her research efforts are centered on epigenetic regulation of pancreatic neuroendocrine tumors and Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in academic surgery.

She holds several leadership positions in national organizations. She was recently elected the President-Elect of the Association for Academic Surgery, the first Black Woman to hold this office. She serves in other leadership roles in the Society of Surgical Oncology and the American Board of Surgery.



### Rifat Latifi, MD, FACS, FICS, FKCS

Dr. Rifat Latifi is a founder and Chairman of Surgery Consultants International LLC, Tucson, Arizona, and an adjunct professor of surgery at the University of Arizona College of Medicine, Tucson. He is a former Chairman and tenured Professor of Surgery at New York Medical College

School of Medicine and Director of the Department of Surgery at Westchester Medical Center Health Network in Valhalla, New York. He is a fellow of the American College of Surgeons (ACS), International College of Surgeons (ICS), and Founding President and fellow of the Kosova College of Surgeons.

Dr. Latifi is a recognized authority in reoperative surgery, global surgery and use of telemedicine and telehealth, as tools of rebuilding healthcare systems in the developing world and post-conflict countries.

Dr. Latifi has served in leadership roles stateside and internationally, including an appointment as Director of the Trauma Center at Hamad General Hospital in Doha, Qatar, and as the Minister of Health for Kosovo, his home country.

He has authored and co-authored more than 300 peer-reviewed articles and over 140 book chapters, and published 20 books in various surgical topics.

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#### Friday, April 28, 2023

7:00 am Registration  
Atrium

7:00 am Continental Breakfast  
Visit Exhibitors  
Royale & Embassy Rooms

#### Morning Session - Crowne

Moderator: Jay M. MacGregor, MD, FACS

7:55 am Welcome - Opening Remarks  
Jay M. MacGregor, MD, FACS  
Amy L. Hiuser, MD, FACS

8:00 am Global Surgery and Surgical  
Volunteerism: A Sustainable Model of  
Improving Access to Care  
Special Guest: Rifat Latifi, MD, FACS

8:45 am Percutaneous Arterio-Venous Fistula for  
Hemodialysis: A Revolution No One  
Expected  
Bhargav Mistry, MD, FACS

9:15 am Peak Fluid Index  
Matthew L. Zweerink, MD  
ND Surgery Resident

9:30 am Underutilization of Transcatheter Aortic  
Valve Replacement in Northern Plains  
American Indians with Severe Aortic Stenosis  
Hunter J. Row, MD  
ND Surgery Resident

9:45 am Break in Exhibit Area  
Royale & Embassy Rooms

10:15 am Challenges Of Children and Pregnancy in  
Residency  
Joclyn A. Seiler, MD  
ND Surgery Resident

10:45 am Hospital and Clinic-Based Surgical Services  
During the Pandemic: How Did We Do?  
Troy D. Hollinsworth, MS3  
USD Sanford School of Medicine

11:00 am Patterns Of Trauma Injuries in The Dakotas  
Region During The COVID-19 Pandemic  
Adrian C. Sarli, MD  
ND Surgery Resident

11:15 am Robotic Pancreaticoduodenectomy in a  
Community Setting: Early Experience  
and Outcomes  
Allison A. Blumenfeld, MD  
SD Surgery Resident

11:30 am Complex Abdominal Wall Reconstruction:  
What the Acute Care and General Surgeon  
Should Know  
Special Guest: Rifat Latifi, MD, FACS

12:00 pm Lunch with Exhibitors  
Royale & Embassy Rooms  
South Dakota Council Lunch  
Press Room

#### Afternoon Session - Crowne

Moderator: Amy L. Hiuser, MD, FACS

1:00 pm The Effect of Institutionalized Protocols on  
Patients with Traumatic Brain Injuries  
Nicole Lee, MD  
ND Surgery Resident

1:15 pm Global Surgery in Honduras: Training Benefits  
for the Rural Bound General Surgery Resident  
Michael R. Burt, MD  
SD Surgery Resident

1:30 pm The Impact of Adrenal Injury on Trauma  
Population  
Ikktesh K. Chahal, MD  
ND Surgery Resident

- 1:45 pm *Consistency Is Key: Additional Education and Outreach in A Rural Trauma System Reduces Excess Imaging Studies*  
Shaye D. Brummet, MD  
SD Surgery Resident
- 2:00 pm *Rapid Expansion of Post Traumatic Syringomyelia Following Parathyroidectomy: A Case Report and Literature Review*  
Hunter A. O'Connor, MS3  
USD Sanford School of Medicine  
Chester B. McVay MD Award Recipient
- 2:15 pm *Stapling Common Enterotomy Does Not Increase Leak Rates in Stapled Anastomoses*  
Reid K. Bartholomew, MD  
ND Surgery Resident
- 2:30 pm *Robotic Colon Surgery in a Rural Setting - One Surgeon's Experience*  
Alexander Johnson, MS3, UND SMHS  
Douglas D. Berglund, MD, FACS
- 2:45 pm *Impact of Early Versus Late Palliative Care Consultation on Trauma Patient Outcomes*  
Anthony J. Duncan, MD  
ND Surgery Resident
- 3:00 pm Break in Exhibit Area  
**Royale & Embassy Rooms**
- 3:15 pm *ACS Foundation Update*  
Shane Hollett  
Foundation Executive Director  
Kenneth W. Sharp, MD, FACS  
ACS Regent
- 3:30 pm *Cancer Panel*  
Special Guest: Callisia N. Clarke, MD, FACS  
Daniel M. Tuvin, MD, FACS, Moderator
- 4:45 pm *Surgical Jeopardy - Friendly Competition Between ND and SD Surgery Residents*  
Jay M. MacGregor, MD, FACS, Moderator
- 5:45 pm Friday Educational Session Concludes
- 6:30 pm Social (Cash Bar)  
**Directors and Conference**
- 7:00 pm Annual Dinner  
Award Presentations  
**Directors and Conference**

## Saturday, April 29, 2023

- 7:00 am ND Chapter, ACS Annual Meeting & Breakfast - **Board Room**
- 7:00 am SD Chapter, ACS Annual Meeting & Breakfast - **Executive Room**

### Morning Session - **Crowne**

**Moderator: Daniel M. Tuvin, MD, FACS**

- 8:15 am *ACS Governor's Update*  
Michael S. Bouton, MD, FACS  
William C. Spanos, MD, FACS
- 8:45 am *Large Benign Breast Tumors and Approach to Their Surgical Management*  
Elena J. Danielson, MD  
ND Surgery Resident
- 9:00 am *Improved Outcomes for Borderline Resectable Adenocarcinoma of The Pancreas After Neoadjuvant Chemotherapy in A Community Cancer Center*  
Robert P. Sticca, MD, FACS
- 9:30 am *Efficacy of Telehealth Visits for Postoperative Care at the Minneapolis VA*  
Jack Dimberger, MS3  
UND SMHS  
Wayne M. Swenson MD Award Recipient
- 9:45 am *Changing Patterns in Midwestern Farm Trauma: A Retrospective Comparative Analysis*  
Zachery T. Staskywicz, MD  
ND Surgery Resident
- 10:00 am Break
- 10:15 am *ATV Trauma Incidence, Mortality, and Injury Severity in The South Dakota Pediatric Population*  
Dylan R. Goehner, MD  
SD Surgery Resident
- 10:30 am *Trauma Case Panel*  
Derek D. Kane, MD, FACS, Moderator
- 11:45 am Closing Remarks
- 12:00 pm ND Chapter Committee on Applicants - Fellow Interviews  
**Press Room**



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### Mail-In Registration Form Payment By Check

Please complete the following information (print clearly)

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☐ Check here if you **Want** a printed meeting binder.  
Note: the meeting binder will be available to download.

### Registration Fee

#### Full - \$150

1½ days - Includes Breakfasts,  
Lunch, and Breaks \$ \_\_\_\_\_

#### One Day - \$100

☐ Friday ☐ Saturday \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### Medical Students - No Registration Fee

(Individual Tickets Must be Purchased for  
Friday Evening Dinner)

### Annual Dinner

Friday, April 28, at 7:00 pm

Social at 6:30 pm

Holiday Inn

**Dinner Tickets - \$55 per person** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### Total Amount Enclosed

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

### Registration Deadline - April 24, 2023

#### Please mail this form along with payment to:

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