

NMA Surgical Section
2023 Annual Scientific and Business Meeting
New Orleans, LA

Maximum Amount of CME is 12.

Monday, July 31

7:00am-7:30am

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Breakfast

Chair Address

Jonathan Laryea, MD, FACS

- **Professor of Surgery, Chief of the Division of Colon & Rectal Surgery, Nollie and Norma Mumey Endowed Chair, Vice Chair for Quality, Department of Surgery; Director, Cancer Service Line, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences**

8:30am-9:00am

The Future of DEI

Orlando Kirton, MD, FACS

- **Chair, Department of Surgery, Abington Hospital, Thomas Jefferson University, Sidney Kimmel Medical College**

9:00am-9:30am

Innovations in Robotic Thoracic Surgery

Brian Pettiford, MD, FACS

- **Section Head, General Thoracic Surgery, Ochsner Health**

9:30am-10:00am

William A. Matory Lecture

Valentine Nfonsam, MD, FACS

- **Chair, Department of Surgery, Surgical Quality Officer for the University Medical Center, Louisiana State University Medical Center**

10:00am-10:30am

The Mount Rushmore of the SSNMA

Edward Cornwell III, MD, FACS

- **LaSalle D. Leffall Professor of Surgery, Howard University College of Medicine**

10:30am-11:00am

William H. Sinkler Lecture

Ala Stanford, MD, FACS

- **Founder Black Doctors COVID-19 Consortium; U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Region 3 Director**

11:00 am

Visit Exhibit Hall

1:00pm-1:30pm

**Frederick D. Stubbs Lecture:
“The Path to Fetal Surgery: Trials,
Triumphs and Takeaways”**

Oluyinka Olutoye, MD, FACS

- **Surgeon-in-Chief, Nationwide Children’s Hospital; E. Thomas Boles, Jr MD Chair in Pediatric Surgery, Professor of Surgery, Pediatrics and Obstetrics & Gynecology, the Ohio State University Wexner College of Medicine**

1:30pm-2:00pm

The Role of Social Media in Clinical Practice

Patricia Sylla, MD, FACS

- **President, Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES); Professor and Chief of Colon and Rectal Surgery for the Mt. Sina Health System**

2:00pm-2:10pm

Afternoon Break

2:10pm-3:40pm

Personal Development Symposium

Moderator: Kakra Hughes, MD, FACS

- **Professor of Surgery, Howard University College of Medicine; Director of Endovascular Surgery, Director of Outpatient Services, Department of Surgery Howard University Hospital**

Managing Up: A Strategy for Leadership and Professional Development

- **Terrence Fullum, MD, FACS Professor of Surgery, incoming Chair, Department of Surgery, Chief Divisions of General Surgery and Minimally Invasive and Bariatric Surgery, Howard University College of Medicine; Director, Howard University Center for Wellness and Weight Loss Surgery**

Navigating Burnout

- **Sharmila Dissanaikie, MD, FACS**

**Peter C. Canizaro Chair and
University Distinguished
Professor of Surgery, Texas
Tech University Health Sciences
Center**

Having Difficult Conversations

- **Erica Sutton, MD, FACS
Associate Dean of Academic
Programs and Affiliations;
Associate Dean Undergraduate
Medical Education, Morehouse
School of Medicine**

3:40pm-5:00pm

Colorectal Surgery Symposium

Moderator: Lynn O'Connor, MD, FACS

- **Chief, Division of Colon and
Rectal Surgery, Mercy Hospital,
St. Joseph Hospital,
Huntington, New York**

**What is New in Rectal Cancer
Treatment?**

- **Izi Obokhare, MD, FACS
Associate Dean of Faculty
Affairs; Texas Tech Health
Sciences Center**

Anastomotic Leak

- **Robert Amajoyi, MD, FACS
Director Rectal Cancer
Program, Saint Luke's Health
System, University of Missouri**

Diverticulitis in the 21st Century

- **Adewunmi Adeyemo, MD, FACS
Section Chief of General
Surgery, Corewell East
Dearborn Hospital**

Surgical Management of IBD

- **Patricia Sylla, MD, FACS
President, Society of American
Gastrointestinal and
Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES);
Professor and Chief of Colon
and Rectal Surgery for the Mt.
Sina Health System**

5:00pm

Wrap up and Preview of Day 2

Tuesday, August 1

7:30am-8:00am

Breakfast

8:00am-8:30am

**SSNMA Women in Surgery Lecture
“Putting Your Oxygen on First: The
ABC's of Health as a Leadership
Strategy”**

Wendy Ricketts Greene MD, FACS

- **Professor of Surgery; Director of the Acute and Critical Care Surgery Service, Emory University Hospital; ACS Board of Governors Representative, NMA Surgical Section**

8:30am-10:00am

**LaSalle D. Leffall, Jr. Cancer Symposium
and Panel Discussion**

“Precision Cancer Care”

Moderator: Ronda Henry-Tillman MD, FACS

- **Muriel Balsam Kohn Chair in Breast Surgical Oncology, Professor and Vice Chair, Division Chief Breast Surgical Oncology, Director of Health Initiatives and Disparities Research, Department of Surgery, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences**

The Relationship Between Timely Care and Outcomes

- **Dennis Holmes, MD, FACS
Breast Cancer Surgeon and Clinical Researcher; CEO, XpediteMD, Inc.**

Precision Medicine in Cancer Care

- **Edith Mitchell, MD
116th President of the NMA; Professor of Medicine, Associate Director for Diversity Services, Kimmel Cancer Center; Program Leader, Gastrointestinal Oncology; Enterprise Vice President for Cancer Disparities, Jefferson Health's Sidney Kimmel Cancer Center**

The Evolution of Surgery in Precision Cancer Treatment

- **Lee S. Cummings, MD, FACS**
Associate Professor of Surgery,
University of Missouri-Kansas
City School of Medicine

**Opportunities in Engagement, Leadership,
and Contributions Within Precision Cancer
Research**

- **Lisa Newman, MD, FACS**
Professor of Surgery, Chief,
Division of Breast Surgery;
Director, Interdisciplinary
Breast Program;
Medical Director and Founder,
International Center for the
Study of Breast Cancer
Subtypes, Weill Cornell
Medicine/New York
Presbyterian Hospital Network

10:00am-11:00am

Section Business Meeting

11:00am

Visit Exhibit Hall

1:00pm-2:30pm

Leadership Symposium/Panel Discussion
Moderator: **Andrea Hayes Dixon, MD,
FACS**

- **Dean, College of Medicine;
Professor and Chair,
Department of Surgery, Howard
University College of Medicine**

Patricia Turner, MD, FACS

- **Executive Director, American
College of Surgeons**

Henri Ford, MD, FACS

- **President Elect, American
College of Surgeons; Dean and
Chief Academic Officer,
University of Miami Miller
School of Medicine**

Steven Stain, MD, FACS

- **President, American Surgical
Association; Chair, Department
of Surgery, Lahey Hospital &
Medical Center**

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Existential Threats to Critical Access

**Hospitals and the Rural Surgeon
Damon Brantley, MD, FACS**

- **Vice Chief of Staff, Southeast Georgia Physician Associates-Camden Campus**

3:10pm-4:40pm

**Health Equity in Pain Management:
Perspectives from Anesthesiology,
Surgery, and Public Health
Johnathan Goree, MD**

- **Associate Professor of Anesthesiology, Director of Interventional Pain Management Services, Division Director of Chronic Pain Management Services, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences**

Corey Montgomery, MD

- **Associate Professor, Department of Orthopaedic Surgery, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences**

Vwaire Orhurhu, MD, MPH

- **Pain Management Specialist, MVH Health Pain, Vein, and Wellness; University of Pittsburgh Medical Center**

4:40pm-5:00pm

Presentation of New Chair