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ACUTE CARE SURGERY
Moderator: Dr. Lloyd Smith
8:30 Approach to the Elderly Patient — Dr. Ralph George
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8:45 Controversies in the Plastic Surgery of the Axilla: The Surgeon — Dr. David McCleary
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9:15 Panel Discussion
9:45 Break
10:15 BEST PRACTICE IN GENERAL SURGERY: PRACTICAL QUALITY IMPROVEMENT
Moderator: Dr. Robert McLeod

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BREAST SURGERY
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10:15 HERNA AND ABDOMINAL WALL CONGRUENDAS
Moderator: Dr. Fred Brenneman

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Registrants may attend one of the following workshops in each small group session. Workshop topics will remain the same for each session. Please sign out at time of registration.

8:00 Small Group Sessions (until 9:30)
1. Trauma Surgery Case Review Dr. Najma Ahmed
2. Challenging Acute Care Surgery Cases Drs. Homer Tian & Avery Nathens
Panel of "Experts" and Moderator leading this interactive session, including prepared cases and cases from the audience.
3. Thyroid and Parathyroid Dr. Lorne Rotstein
4. Challenging Breast Cases: Bring it on Dr. Tulin Cil & Ralph George
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8:30 Surgeal Site Infection
1:10 Enhanced Recovery after Surgery — Dr. M.A. Aarts
1:15 Intra-abdominal Sepsis — Dr. Avery Nathens
2:00 How to Improve Your Hospital’s Compliance with Infection Control — Dr. Darlene Fenich
Panel Discussion
Lunch

CHALLENGES BEYOND THE OPERATING ROOM: WHAT TO DO WHEN?
Moderator: Dr. Andy Smith
1:45 ... You Want to Burn Out — Dr. Michael Kaufman
1:50 ... You Need to Talk to a Complicated/Conflicted Patient — Dr. Sue Adeel
2:00 ... You have a Complicated Disclosure — Dr. Dave Unbech
2:15 ... GE, MOC and the General Surgeon Collide — Dr. Craig Campbell

WHAT IS THE ROLE?
Panel Discussion

CONUNDRUMS
9:45 Oncologist
9:00 Controversies in the Oncoologists’ Office — Dr. Paul Sullivan
8:45 Approach to Cancer in the Oncologist — Dr. Lorraine Tremblay
8:30 The Role of the Contralateral Mastectomy — Dr. Frances Wright
8:00 Approach to Cancer in the Oncologist — Dr. Homer Tien

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