



# Society of University Surgeons

Advancing the Art and Science of Surgery

## 5<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL SUS MID-CAREER ACADEMIC SURGERY PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT COURSE

Monday, February 6, 2017 • Las Vegas, Nevada

8:00 am – 8:05 am

### Welcome and Introduction

Course Chairs:

*Allan Tsung, MD, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine*

*Gregory D. Kennedy, MD, PhD, University of Alabama at Birmingham*

8:05 am – 9:15 am

### IDENTIFYING THE OPPORTUNITIES

- **How Do I Know When I'm Ready? How Do I Prepare For A Leadership Position?**

*George K. Gittes, MD, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh*

- **How Do I Know If I Should Stay Or If I Should Leave?**

*Sandra L. Wong, MD, MS, Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center*

- **I am Staying at My Institution - How Should I Redirect My Focus?**

*A. James Moser, MD, FACS, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center*

- **Moderated Panel**

9:15 am – 10:30 am

### PLANNING FOR THE INTERVIEW PROCESS

- **How To Prepare For A Successful Interview**

*David L. Bartlett, MD, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine*

- **A Chair's Perspective: Steps Of The Interview Process**

*K. Craig Kent, MD, Ohio State University College of Medicine*

- **Search Firm/Search Committee Perspectives**

*Bernard Godley, MD, PhD, MBA, FACS, Senior Client Partner, Korn Ferry*

- **Moderated Panel**

10:30 am – 11:30 am

**KEYNOTE SPEAKER:** *Robert S.D. Higgins, MD, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine*

11:30 am – 12:00 pm

### Lunch

12:00 pm – 1:30 pm

### ON THE JOB EXPERIENCES

- **Assessing Organizational Health: Understanding How To Create A Better Environment**

*David L. Dunn, MD, PhD, University of Louisville*

- **Personnel Management - Effectively Managing Up And Down**

*Dai H. Chung, MD, Vanderbilt University Medical Center*

- **Understanding The Expectations Of The New Job**

*Rebecca M. Minter, MD, UT Southwestern Medical Center*

- **Advancing At Home And Keeping Your Career Fresh**

*Justin B. Dimick, MD, MPH, University of Michigan Health System*

- **Moderated Panel**

1:30 pm – 1:45 pm

### Break

1:45 pm – 4:30 pm

**LEADING AND MANAGING OTHERS** – *Janet Dombrowski, President, JCD Advisors, LLC*

### SMALL GROUP EXERCISES

4:30 pm – 6:00 pm

### Wrap Up and Cocktail Mixer



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Benjamin R. Fisher Chair in Pediatric Surgery  
Professor of Surgery and Pediatrics  
Surgeon-in-Chief and Chief, Division of Pediatric Surgery  
Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC  
University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine

#### **SANDRA L. WONG, MD, MS**

Chair of Surgery  
Senior Vice President of the Surgical Service Line  
Dartmouth-Hitchcock and the Geisel School of Medicine  
at Dartmouth

#### **A. JAMES MOSER, MD, FACS**

Executive Director, Institute for Hepatobiliary & Pancreatic Surgery  
Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center

#### **DAVID L. BARTLETT, MD**

Bernard Fisher Professor of Surgery  
Vice Chairman, Surgical Oncology and Gastrointestinal Services  
University of Pittsburgh Cancer Institute  
University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine

#### **K. CRAIG KENT, MD**

Dean, The Ohio State University College of Medicine

#### **BERNARD GODLEY, MD, PHD, MBA, FACS** *(Invited)*

Senior Client Partner in the Academic Medicine Practice  
Korn Ferry

#### **ROBERT S.D. HIGGINS, MD**

William Stewart Halstead Professor of Surgery  
Surgeon-in-Chief  
Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine

#### **DAVID L. DUNN, MD, PHD**

Executive Vice President for Health Affairs  
University of Louisville

#### **DAI H. CHUNG, MD**

Professor and Chairman  
Department of Pediatric Surgery  
Janie Robinson and John Moore Lee Endowed Chair  
Vanderbilt University Medical Center

#### **REBECCA M. MINTER, MD**

Professor and Alvin J. Baldwin Chair in Surgery  
Chief of the Division of Surgical Oncology's Section  
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#### **JANET DOMBROWSKI**

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