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2009-2010

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Cherkasky Auditorium
Spencer Foreman, MD Pavilion
Montefiore Medical Center
111 East 210th Street, Bronx, New York
(East Gun Hill Road entrance)
8:30 am



TIMOTHY J. GARDNER, MD

President, American Heart Association
 Medical Director, Center for Heart and Vascular Health,
 Christiana Care

“The Role of CABG after the Syntax Trial”

September 14, 2009

Timothy J. Gardner, MD, is President of the American Heart Association and a nationally noted heart surgeon and leader in cardiovascular medicine. He is the Medical Director at Christiana Care’s Center for Heart and Vascular Health in Wilmington, Delaware.

Dr. Gardner has held numerous positions with the American Association for Thoracic Surgery, including president and chair. He was chief of the Division of Cardiothoracic Surgery for the University of Pennsylvania Health System and is clinical professor of surgery in the division of Cardiothoracic Surgery, and a former William M. Measey Professor of Surgery at the University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine.

Dr. Gardner is a graduate of Georgetown University Medical School and received his post graduate training in surgery at The Johns Hopkins School of Medicine. He was a cardiac surgeon at Johns Hopkins Hospital and joined the faculty at Johns Hopkins School of Medicine in 1976, where he was later appointed professor of surgery.

H. RICHARD ALEXANDER, MD

Associate Chair for Clinical Research
 University of Maryland Medical Center

“Regional Perfusion for Treatment of Patients with Metastatic Melanoma”

October 5, 2009

H. Richard Alexander, MD is an internationally recognized surgical oncologist and cancer researcher. He treats patients at the University of Maryland Marlene and Stewart Greenebaum Cancer Center. He is also associate chairman for clinical research in the Department of Surgery of the University of Maryland School of Medicine in Baltimore.

Prior to his tenure at the University of Maryland, Dr. Alexander spent 17 years at the National Institutes of Health, where he served as chief of the surgical metabolism section, head of the gastrointestinal malignancies faculty and deputy director of the National Cancer Institute’s Center for Cancer Research.

Dr. Alexander is recognized for developing innovative techniques to treat patients with regionally advanced cancers of the extremity, peritoneum, or liver. His clinical research programs have been instrumental in establishing the role of vascular isolation and perfusion of the limb or liver for patients with unresectable cancers confined to these regions and the use of cytoreduction with high dose intra-peritoneal chemotherapy for patients with peritoneal surface malignancies. His laboratory is focused on identifying new therapeutic interventions based on elucidating the molecular profiles and cellular pathways that are activated in peritoneal mesothelioma.

SEYMOUR I. SCHWARTZ, MD

Distinguished Alumni Professor of Surgery
 University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry

“Prejudice and Pride”

November 2, 2009

Seymour I. Schwartz, MD is the Distinguished Alumni Professor of Surgery at the University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry and was Chair of the Department of Surgery from 1987-1998. He received his medical training at New York University. Dr. Schwartz has authored and co-authored several surgical textbooks, including seven editions of the most widely read “Principles of Surgery” and is Editor Emeritus of the Journal of the American College of Surgeons. He has served as president of the American College of Surgeons, the American Surgical Association, and the Society of Clinical Surgery.

ARNOLD G. CORAN, MD

Professor of Surgery, University of Michigan Medical Center

“Therapeutic Options for Long-Gap Esophageal Atresia”

December 7, 2009

Arnold G. Coran, MD, is a Professor of Surgery in the Section of Pediatric Surgery at the University of Michigan Medical School. He served as Surgeon-in-Chief, C. S. Mott Children’s Hospital, Ann Arbor, Michigan for 25 years before stepping down in 2005.

Dr. Coran received his degree in medicine from Harvard Medical School and went on to train in general and thoracic surgery at the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital before completing training in pediatric surgery at the Children’s Hospital of Boston. He has authored more than 450 published articles, 101 chapters and 19 books. He is also co-editor of one of the two major textbooks of pediatric surgery. He is board certified in General Surgery, Thoracic Surgery, Surgical Critical Care and Pediatric Surgery.

Dr. Coran has contributed extensively to the fields of parenteral and enteral nutrition, shock in children, bacterial translocation in the neonate, and extracorporeal membrane oxygenation in pediatric respiratory failure. Among his clinical research efforts are studies concerning total body water and stracellular fluid changes in infants receiving total parenteral nutrition and neonatal respiratory failure, Hirschsprung’s disease, inflammatory bowel disease, studies of pediatric cancer, and esophageal surgery in children.

NORMAN M. RICH, MD

Leonard Heaton and David Packard Professor of Surgery

Uniformed Services of the Health Sciences

“Vascular Trauma: A Historic Reflection with Current Thoughts”

January 11, 2010

Norman M. Rich, MD was appointed Professor of Surgery at the School of Medicine of the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences in 1976 and he became the first Chairman of the Department of Surgery in 1977. At the time of his retirement from active military duty in 1980, he made a second commitment to serve as Chairman of the Department of Surgery. He was appointed Professor

of Military Medicine in 1983. Dr. Rich also served as Chief, Division of Vascular Surgery (1977-99) and Director of the Vietnam Vascular Registry, which he initiated in 1965, a position he maintains.

Since 1978, Dr. Rich has also been Academic Advisor to the Department of Surgery and Co-Director of the Vascular Fellowship Program at Walter Reed Army Medical Center, becoming Emeritus in 1993. He became the Leonard Heaton and David Packard Professor in 1999 named for two USUHS Founders. He has served as Deputy Chairman of the Department of Surgery since mid-October 2002.

As a military surgeon with an academic interest emphasizing the management of injured patients and vascular surgery, Dr. Rich has earned international recognition for his work, lecturing in more than 35 countries. He has published over 300 manuscripts and has been the author and co-author of five books.

DOUGLAS B. EVANS, MD

Professor and Chairman, Department of Surgery,
 Medical College of Wisconsin

“Treatment Sequencing and Extent of Surgery for Pancreatic Cancer”

February 1, 2010

Douglas B. Evans, MD is Professor and Chairman, Department of Surgery at the Medical College of Wisconsin. Dr. Evans is a graduate of Boston University School of Medicine and completed his surgical training at Hitchcock Medical Center. His surgical oncology fellowship was completed at the University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center where he then joined the faculty in 1990. He was appointed to the faculty at the Medical College of Wisconsin in January 2009. Dr. Evans’ clinical and research interests focus on tumors of the endocrine system and pancreas. His recent publications and related information can be found at the Medical College of Wisconsin website: www.mcw.edu/surgery.

RONALD W. BUSUTTIL, MD

Distinguished Professor and Executive Chairman

William P. Longmire, Jr. Chair in Surgery, UCLA

“A Quarter Century of Liver Transplantation at UCLA”

March 1, 2010

Ronald W. Busuttil, MD is Distinguished Professor and Executive Chairman of the UCLA Department of Surgery and holds the William P. Longmire, Jr. Chair in Surgery. Additionally, he serves as founding Chief of the Division of Liver and Pancreas Transplantation and Director of the Pflieger Liver Institute, which includes the Dumont-UCLA Transplant Center and the Dumont-UCLA Liver Cancer Center.

At UCLA, he established the Liver Transplant Program and has been the Director and Chief Surgeon for over two decades. When the UCLA program was founded, it was one of the first in the United States. It has since grown to become one of the largest liver transplant centers in the world. Dr. Busuttil and his team have performed nearly 5000 liver transplants, and he is internationally recognized for his expertise in liver transplantation and liver surgery.

EZEKIEL J. EMANUEL, MD, PhD

Chair, Clinical Center Department of Bioethics, National Institutes of Health, Special Advisor on Health Policy to the Director of the Office of Management and Budget

“Bioethics and Clinical Research”

April 12, 2010

Ezekiel J. Emanuel, MD, PhD is the Chair of the Clinical Center Department of Bioethics at the National Institutes of Health is currently serving as a Special Advisor on Health Policy to the Director of the Office of Management and Budget. He is also a renowned breast oncologist and author.

After completing Amherst College, Dr. Emanuel received his MSc from Oxford University in Biochemistry. He received his MD from Harvard Medical School and his PhD in political philosophy from Harvard University. His dissertation received the Toppan Award for the finest political science dissertation of the year. In 1987-88, he was a fellow in the Program in Ethics and the Professions at the Kennedy School of Government at Harvard.

STEVEN A. ROSENBERG, MD, PhD

Chief of Surgery at the National Cancer Institute

Professor of Surgery, Uniformed Services of the Health Sciences

“Development of Immunotherapy for the Treatment of Cancer”

May 3, 2010

Steven A. Rosenberg, MD, PhD is Chief of Surgery at the National Cancer Institute in Bethesda, Maryland and Professor of Surgery at the Uniformed Services of the Health Sciences and at the George Washington University School of Medicine and Health Sciences.

Dr. Rosenberg received his BA and MD degrees at The Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, Maryland and a PhD in Biophysics at Harvard University. After completing his residency training in surgery in 1974 at the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital in Boston, Massachusetts, Dr. Rosenberg became the Chief of Surgery at the National Cancer Institute, a position he continues to hold.

HENRY K. KAWAMOTO JR., MD, DDS

Clinical Professor, UCLA Dept of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery

“Divine Right of Man”

June 7, 2010

Henry Kawamoto Jr., MD, DDS, is the Director of Craniofacial Surgery for UCLA’s Craniofacial Clinic and a UCLA clinical professor of plastic and reconstructive surgery. In the past 27 years, he has earned international respect from his peers and deep gratitude from thousands of patients and their parents for his surgical skill in reconstructing children’s faces after correcting disfiguring skull and facial defects caused by birth, disease or trauma.

When Dr. Kawamoto joined UCLA’s Craniofacial Clinic in 1975, he was the first Los Angeles plastic surgeon trained in the craniomaxillofacial (skull-jaw-face) specialty. Treating nearly 300 patients a year, UCLA’s clinic is the biggest craniofacial surgical center in California and one of the largest in the United States.