



Northeast Surgical Meeting

April 29, 2022 | 4pm - 6pm EST

PHILADELPHIA ACADEMY OF SURGERY • BOSTON SURGICAL SOCIETY • NEW YORK SURGICAL SOCIETY

4:00pm Introduction | Alliric Willis MD

4:05pm **Top 5 Research Abstract Papers**

Format: 4 minute discussions

Ryan Lamm MD | Thomas Jefferson University

The Impact of the Pandemic on Melanoma Presentation: A COVID-19 Cancer Canary in a Coal Mine

Invited Discussant: Genevieve Boland MD, PhD | Massachusetts General Hospital

Sara Ginzberg MD | University of Pennsylvania

Disparities in Appropriate Thyroid Cancer Treatment, Before and After the Release of the 2015 American Thyroid Association Guidelines

Invited Discussant: Nancy Lackhyun Cho MD | Harvard Medical School

Theodore E. Habarth-Morales, NRAEMT, MS3 | Thomas Jefferson University

Direct To OR Resuscitation of Abdominal Trauma: An NTDB Propensity Matched Outcomes Study

Invited Discussant: Mayur Narayan MD, MPH, MBA, MHPE | Weill Cornell Medicine

Keshav Kooragayala MD | Cooper University Hospital

Impact of Adipose-Derived Stem Cells on Aortic Tensile Strength in an AAA Model

Invited Discussant: Sharif Ellozy MD | Weill Cornell Medical College

Jacqueline Soegaard MD | University of Pennsylvania

Preoperative History and Physical Update Visits May Be Suitable for Telehealth

Invited Discussant: Akuezunkpa O. Ude MD | NYU Langone Hospital Brooklyn

5:00pm-5:30pm Residency Program Director Debate
Recruiting General Surgery Residents Without USMLE Scores

Format: 10 minutes each side, 4 minute rebuttal, audience vote

PRO

Rachel Kelz MD
University of Pennsylvania

CON

Steven A. Lee-Kong MD
Columbia University Irving Medical Center

5:30pm-6:00pm Keynote Address | Diversity Equity and Inclusion



Robert S.D. Higgins MD, MSHA

President, Brigham and Women's Hospital
Executive Vice President, Mass General Brigham