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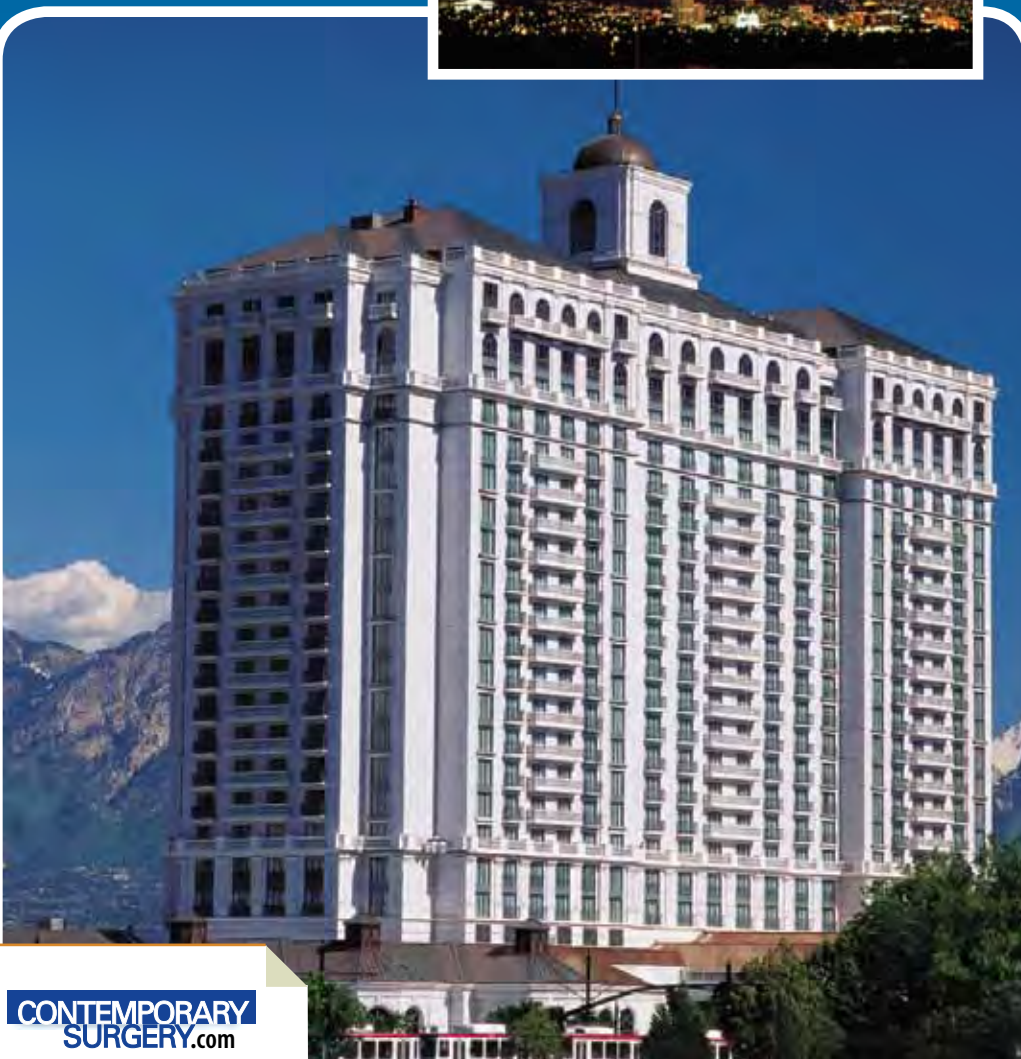
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### REGISTRATION FORM

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#### 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

FIRST NAME \_\_\_\_\_

LAST NAME \_\_\_\_\_

DEGREE:  MD  DO  RESIDENT  OTHER CLINICIAN

OTHER, PLEASE SPECIFY \_\_\_\_\_

AFFILIATION (Organization/Institution) \_\_\_\_\_

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#### 2. PROFILE

##### 1. SURGICAL EXPERIENCE IN YEARS:

1 to 5  6 to 10  11 to 20  20+

##### 2. SPECIALTY:

GENERAL  BARIATRIC  COLORECTAL  OTHER

##### 3. TYPE OF PRACTICE:

SOLO  HOSPITAL  
 PARTNERSHIP (2 physicians)  GROUP (3 physicians or more)  
 OTHER, PLEASE SPECIFY \_\_\_\_\_

##### 4. HOW MANY SURGICAL PROCEDURES DO YOU PERFORM OR ATTEND IN A TYPICAL WEEK?

(Including inpatient, ambulatory, and same-day)

NONE  1 to 5  6 to 10  
 11 to 15  16 to 20  >20

##### 5. HOW MANY YEARS HAVE YOU ATTENDED MISS?

NONE  1 to 4  4 to 8  More than 8

#### 4. PAYMENT METHOD

(Your registration cannot be processed without full payment)

CHECK ENCLOSED CHECK NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

(Make payable to "Quadrant HealthCom/MISS 2011")

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#### 3. REGISTRATION OPTIONS

(All options include admission to the 2011 MISS Exhibit Hall 2/21- 2/26)

##### • PLATINUM PASSPORT

(Includes admission to Colon, Foregut, Hernia, and Morbid Obesity sessions)

	Until 1/8/11	1/9/11- 1/28/11	AFTER 1/28/11
<input type="checkbox"/> PHYSICIAN	\$795	\$895	\$995
<input type="checkbox"/> FELLOW/RESIDENT	\$475	\$575	\$675
<input type="checkbox"/> HEALTHCARE PRACTITIONER (non-MDs)	\$425	\$475	\$575

##### A LA CARTE OPTIONS:

##### • COLON (Includes admission to all Colon sessions on 2/21 and 2/22)

<input type="checkbox"/> PHYSICIAN	\$345	\$395	\$495
<input type="checkbox"/> FELLOW/RESIDENT	\$225	\$265	\$365
<input type="checkbox"/> HEALTHCARE PRACTITIONER (non-MDs)	\$185	\$225	\$265

##### • FOREGUT (Includes admission to all Foregut sessions on 2/22 and 2/23)

<input type="checkbox"/> PHYSICIAN	\$225	\$275	\$345
<input type="checkbox"/> FELLOW/RESIDENT	\$150	\$200	\$245
<input type="checkbox"/> HEALTHCARE PRACTITIONER (non-MDs)	\$125	\$150	\$200

##### • HERNIA (Includes admission to all Hernia sessions on 2/23)

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<input type="checkbox"/> FELLOW/RESIDENT	\$150	\$200	\$245
<input type="checkbox"/> HEALTHCARE PRACTITIONER (non-MDs)	\$125	\$150	\$200

##### • MORBID OBESITY

(Includes admission to Morbid Obesity sessions on 2/24-2/26)

<input type="checkbox"/> PHYSICIAN	\$595	\$695	\$795
<input type="checkbox"/> FELLOW/RESIDENT	\$295	\$350	\$495
<input type="checkbox"/> HEALTHCARE PRACTITIONER (non-MDs)	\$150	\$195	\$250

##### • NON-EXHIBITING MEDICAL DEVICE

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**Winter advisory:** MISS takes place during the region's prime winter week. You are encouraged to make your hotel and travel arrangements as early as possible to assure availability of hotel rooms, flights, and other transportation.



## ABOUT MISS

### COURSE OVERVIEW

The 11th Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Symposium (MISS) will consist of lectures, panel discussions, debates and video presentations by world-renowned experts who will discuss the most recent advances in laparoscopic surgery for colon procedures, foregut surgery, hernia repair, and morbid obesity.

### MORBID OBESITY PROGRAM

This program is designed to familiarize participants with the latest strategies utilizing an all-inclusive approach to the evaluation, diagnosis, and metabolic surgical management of morbidly obese patients. Our expert faculty will explore topics including:

- Latest technical advances including gastric plications, sleeve, and single port
- New frontiers and controversies
- Videofest: techniques & complications
- Health economics, and the return on investment of bariatric surgery

### WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

MISS is designed for practicing general and sub-specialty surgeons (including bariatric, colorectal, gastrointestinal, and thoracic) with laparoscopic and open skills, and residents, fellows, and allied health clinicians. The Morbid Obesity Program is designed to benefit your entire bariatric team including bariatric physicians, and bariatric NPs, PAs, RNs, psychologists and dietitians.

### WHY ATTEND MISS?

- **TO LEARN** about the latest advances in minimally invasive surgery from world-renowned experts and apply that knowledge immediately to your practice.
- **TO ENGAGE** in lively debate on controversial subjects and explore new techniques.
- **TO INTERACT** in an intimate and informal atmosphere conducive to open discussion and peer-to-peer learning.
- **TO PARTICIPATE** in an educational opportunity for your entire surgical team with key opinion leaders in the field.
- **TO ENJOY** a relaxing venue and schedule where you can mix valuable education with precious leisure time.
- **TO EARN** up to 38 CME credits in just 5.5 days!

### PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

Following completion of this program, participants should be able to:

#### Morbid Obesity *Up to 15 hours of credit*

1. State the pathophysiology of obesity and how nutrition and exercise influence co-morbidities
2. Determine the proper management of bariatric patients before and after surgery
3. Discuss the essential elements of open bariatric procedures, the "Gold Standards"
4. Evaluate laparoscopic approaches to vertical banded gastroplasty, gastric banding, sleeve and Roux-en-Y gastric bypass, and identify selection criteria for laparoscopic bariatric procedures
5. Identify the elements necessary to establish bariatric centers of excellence

#### Colon *Up to 11 hours of credit*

1. Identify and describe surgical options for colon disease
2. Discuss the benefits and drawbacks of laparoscopic colon surgery
3. Discuss the controversy of laparoscopic colectomy for cancer and results of recent trials
4. Recognize important technical aspects of laparoscopic colectomy
5. Define current complications of laparoscopic colectomy
6. Explore benefits and drawbacks of robotic surgery
7. Discuss various benefits and pitfalls of single-port surgery

#### Foregut *Up to 6.5 hours of credit*

1. Ascertain and describe medical and surgical treatment options for GERD
2. Describe treatments for GERD and esophageal cancer
3. Identify and manage complications of surgical treatment for GERD
4. Identify and manage recurrence of disease

#### Hernia *Up to 5.5 hours of credit*

1. Identify and treat unique problems with hernia repair
2. Discuss the techniques of laparoscopic and open approaches to hernia repair
3. Recognize and manage complications of laparoscopic herniorrhaphy

### CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION

#### Physician Accreditation

The University of Cincinnati is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

#### Credit Designation

The University of Cincinnati designates this education activity for a maximum of 38 AMA PRA Category 1

Credit(s)<sup>™</sup>. Physicians should claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity. This CME activity was planned and produced in accordance with the ACCME Essentials.

#### Physician Assistants Credit Designation

The American Academy of Physician Assistants (AAPA) accepts Category 1 CME approval from the American Academy of Family Physicians and organizations

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#### Faculty Disclosure

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Colon Foregut Hernia Morbid Obesity

## MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2011

6:00 am Breakfast/Exhibits

### Colon Session I

7:00 am Welcome and What To Expect  
Morris Franklin, MD and Philip Schauer, MD

7:15 am Long-Term Follow Up of Intracorporeal Anastomosis

7:35 am Anastomotic Leak After LAR and Chemoradiotherapy

7:55 am Proven Benefits of Hand-Assisted Surgery

8:15 am Question and Answer Panel Session

8:35 am Robotic Surgery for Colon Resections

8:55 am Break/Exhibits

9:25 am Fecal Incontinence and Transanal Extraction

9:45 am Ureteral Injuries During Laparoscopic Colon Surgery

10:05 am Question and Answer Panel Session

10:30 am Morning Session Adjourns

10:30 am-5:00 pm Free Time

### Colon Session II

5:00 pm SILS for Right Colon Resection

5:20 pm Protective Ileostomy and Low Anastomosis

5:40 pm Anatomic Landmarks for Laparoscopic Colon Resection

6:00 pm Question and Answer Panel Session

6:20 pm Break/Exhibits

6:40 pm Colon Surgery and Obese Patients

7:00 pm T4 Colon Cancer and Laparoscopic Approach

7:20 pm Question and Answer Panel Session

7:40 pm Day 1 Adjourns

## TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2011

6:00 am Breakfast/Exhibits

### Colon Session III

7:00 am NOTES

7:20 am LAR and Acceptable Lymphnode Resection

7:40 am Use of Staple Line Reinforcement: When?

8:00 am Complications of Hand-Assisted Surgery

8:20 am Question and Answer Panel Session

8:40 am Break/Exhibits

9:00 am Diverticulitis and Herniosis: Are They Related?

9:20 am Neoadjuvant Therapy for Colon Cancer

9:40 am Impotence and Rectal Cancer

10:00 am Question and Answer Panel Session

10:30 am Morning Session Adjourns

10:30 am-2:00 pm Free Time

### Foregut Session I

2:00 pm Gastroenterologist View of GERD and Workup of Pre-Surgery

2:20 pm Collis Nissen for Short Esophagus

2:40 pm Endoscopic Treatment of GERD

3:00 pm A Gastroenterologist View of Post-Surgical Complications and Gastroparesis

3:20 pm Surgical Approach to Complications/Redos

3:40 pm Question and Answer Panel Session

4:00 pm Foregut Session I Adjourns

### Colon Session IV

5:00 pm The Right Way to Perform TME

5:20 pm Complications of SILS Surgery

5:40 pm When to Operate: Diverticulitis?

6:00 pm Question and Answer Panel Session

6:20 pm Break/Exhibits

6:40 pm Use of Stents and Colon

7:00 pm Lap Colon Surgery and Concurrent Procedures

7:20 pm Question and Answer Panel Session

7:40 pm Colon Program Adjourns

## WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2011

6:00 am Breakfast/Exhibits

### Foregut Session II

7:00 am Best Treatment for Barrett's is Medical

7:20 am Best Treatment for Barrett's is Surgery

7:40 am Endoluminal Treatment for Barrett's Dysplasia/Cancer

8:00 am Minimally Invasive Esophagectomy

8:20 am Question and Answer Panel Session

8:40 am Break/Exhibits

9:00 am Approach to GIST (Gastric)

9:20 am Laparoscopic Gastric Resections

9:40 am Small Bowel Carcinoid Tumors

10:00 am Question and Answer Panel Session

10:30 am Break/Exhibits

### Foregut Session III

10:50 am Laparoscopic Pancreatic Resections

11:10 am Gastroparesis Diagnosis and Treatment

11:30 am Laparoscopic Liver Resections

11:50 am Question and Answer Panel Session

12:10 pm Foregut Program Adjourns

### Hernia Session I

1:00 pm Why Do Abdominal Wall Hernias Form?

1:20 pm Watchful Waiting...Really?

1:40 pm Inguinal Hernia: Which Repair for Which Hernia?

2:00 pm Question and Answer Panel Session

2:20 pm Break/Exhibits

2:40 pm Sports Hernia: Diagnosis and Management

3:00 pm Inguinodynia Doesn't Have to Mean "Surgeon Odynia"

3:20 pm Now What Do I Do? Tough Situations in Inguinal Hernia Repair & How to Avoid or Manage Them

3:40 pm Question and Answer Panel Session

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## Hernia Session II

- 4:00 pm Making Sense of Biomaterials: An Update
- 4:20 pm Abdominal Wall Hernia Repair: What Does the Data Say?
- 4:40 pm Minimally Invasive Advances in AWR
- 5:00 pm Break/Exhibits
- 5:20 pm Question and Answer Panel Session
- 5:40 pm AWR and The Bariatric Patient
- 6:00 pm Parastomal Hernias
- 6:20 pm Now What Do I Do? Tough Situations in VH Repair and How to Avoid or Manage Them
- 6:40 pm Question and Answer Panel Session
- 7:00 pm Hernia Program Adjourns

## THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2011

- 6:00 am Breakfast/Exhibits

## Morbid Obesity I: Basic Science

- 7:00 am Welcome/What to Expect
- 7:15 am Weight Loss Physiology: Calorie Restriction and Longevity
- 7:35 am Physiology of Hunger: Implications for Bariatric Surgery
- 7:55 am What's New in Diet Drugs: Rough Waters or New Opportunities?
- 8:15 am Question and Answer Panel Session
- 8:35 am Break/Exhibits
- 9:05 am New Insights into Mechanisms for Diabetes Resolution after Bariatric Surgery: GLP1 is King
- 9:25 am Alternative Mechanisms for Diabetes Resolution
- 9:45 am Obesity and Hypertension: It's Not all About the Blood Sugar
- 10:05 am Q&A Panel Session
- 10:30 am Morning Session Adjourns
- 10:30 am-5:00 pm *Free Time*

## Morbid Obesity II: Journal Club

- 5:00 pm Gastric Bypass
- 5:20 pm LAGB
- 5:40 pm BPD/DS and Sleeve
- 6:00 pm Question and Answer Panel Session
- 6:20 pm Break/Exhibits
- 6:40 pm Emerging Technologies
- 7:00 pm Bariatric Surgery and Metabolism
- 7:20 pm Q&A Panel Session
- 7:30 pm Afternoon Session Adjourns

## FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2011

- 6:00 am Breakfast/Exhibits

## Morbid Obesity III: VideoFest: Techniques and Complications

- 7:00 am Gastric Plication
- 7:15 am Sleeve en Y or Short Duodenal Switch
- 7:30 am New Band Concepts; Pressure Stabilizer Self-Adjusted Band Device
- 7:45 am Esophageal Problems after Gastric Banding
- 8:00 am SILS Banding: Here to Stay?
- 8:15 am Question and Answer Panel Session
- 8:40 am Break/Exhibits
- 9:10 am Flip Technology for Bands
- 9:25 am Managing Chronic Fistulas

- 9:40 am Post-Op Bowel Obstruction After Bypass: New Trends
- 9:55 am SILS Sleeve: Here to Stay?
- 10:10 am Question and Answer Panel Session
- 10:30 am Morning Session Adjourns
- 10:30 am-5:00 pm *Free Time*

## Morbid Obesity IV: Health Economics

- 5:00 pm Economic Burden of Obesity
- 5:20 pm Current Economic Conditions and their Impact on Bariatric Surgery
- 5:40 pm Bariatric Surgery and Return on Investment
- 6:00 pm Question and Answer Panel Session
- 6:20 pm Break/Exhibits
- 6:40 pm Medical Tourism
- 7:00 pm Reducing Cost of Surgery: What You Can Do and Why?
- 7:20 pm Question and Answer Panel Session
- 7:30 pm Afternoon Session Adjourns

## SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2011

- 6:30 am Breakfast

## Morbid Obesity V: Outcomes and Safety

- 7:30 am Cardiovascular Outcomes of Bariatric Surgery
- 7:50 am Long Term Outcomes for Metabolic Surgery for DM
- 8:10 am Surgical Outcome Reporting Requirements: You Ain't Seen Nothing Yet
- 8:30 am Question and Answer Panel Session
- 8:50 am Break
- 9:10 am Risk Management in the New Era of Healthcare Reform
- 9:30 am New ASMBS Initiatives
- 9:50 am Sensitivity Training: How to Communicate to Your Bariatric Patient
- 10:10 am Update on Training Initiatives
- 10:30 am Panel Session-Bariatric Surgery: What it will Take for Greater Adoption by Primary Care
- 10:50 am Break

## Morbid Obesity VI: New Frontiers and Controversies

- 11:10 am Heart Failure: A New Indication for Bariatric Surgery?
- 11:30 am Emerging Technologies: What to Expect in 2011/2012
- 11:50 am Outpatient Bariatric Surgery: Is it Here?
- 12:10 pm What's Hot and What's Not in Bariatric Surgery
- 12:55 pm Symposium Wrap-Up
- 1:00 pm Symposium Adjournment





## HOTEL AND TRAVEL

The Grand America Hotel  
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The 11th Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Symposium (MISS) will take place February 21 - 26, 2011 at the Grand America Hotel, Salt Lake City, Utah.

We have secured discount rates of just \$189 a night at the Grand America Hotel, Salt Lake City. To make your reservation, call 1 (800) 304.8696 and identify yourself as a MISS participant. The cut-off date for discount rates is January 21. However, we urge you to make your reservation as soon as possible if you wish to stay at the host hotel.



## ABOUT THE GRAND AMERICA HOTEL

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## ABOUT SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

Framed by mountains and desert, Salt Lake City is nestled between the Great Salt Lake to the west and the Wasatch Mountains to the east. Gateway to Utah's recreational areas and ski resorts—home of the "greatest snow on earth"—Salt Lake City took the world stage as host of the 2002 Winter Olympics. The city boasts a vibrant night life, museums, a state-of-the-art planetarium—and of course, the world-famous Temple Square.

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