PONTE VEDRA BEACH **WOMEN'S HEALTH & ROBOTICS SYMPOSIUM**

OCTOBER 9-11, 2026 • Ponte Vedra Inn & Club • Ponte Vedra Beach, Florida

DAY 1 • Friday, October 9	
7:00 AM - 5:00 PM	**Registration & Information**
7:00 AM - 8:00 AM	**Breakfast with Exhibitors**
8:00 AM - 8:10 AM	Welcome Remarks *Martin A. Martino, MD Course Director* *Scott Kahsman, CEO Ascension Florida - East*
8:10 AM - 9:00 AM	**SESSION 1 State of the Art Updates on Robotic Surgery and Digital Innovations** Moderators *Paola Gehrig, MD; Martin A. Martino, MD* Panelists *Kristin Trinca, MD; Mark R. Dylewski, MD; Ginger Gardner MD, Sharona Ross, MD* - Robotic and Digital Innovations: DV5, SP, Ottava, CMR, Hugo, Peritas, and Others!
9:00 AM - 9:45 AM	**Live Gynecology Surgery** Moderators *Paola A. Gehrig, MD; Martin Martino MD* Panelists *Gregory Kainz, MD; Anne Smith, MD; Reda Alami* - SP Hysterectomy - Remote surgeon - Gemelli, Rome, Italy Surgeon *Dr Anna Fagotti* - HUGO Hysterectomy - Remote surgeon - Panama City, Panama Surgeon *Dr Miguel Caceres*
9:45 AM - 10:00 AM	**Break with Exhibitors**
SESSION 2 Single-Port (SP) Part I Moderators Martin A. Martino, MD; Laila Rashidi, MD	
10:00 AM - 10:10 AM	Introduction to Single Port (SP) *Laila Rashidi, MD; Martin A. Martino, MD*
10:10 AM - 10:30 AM	SP Technology: Inspiring Transformative Surgical Approaches *Clark Gerhart, MD, VP and Associate Chief Medical Office - Intuitive*
10:30 AM - 11:00 AM	**Live from Ascension Riverside - SP Surgery** Surgeons *Neil Gibson, MD ; Kevin Hancock, MD* Moderators *Martin A. Martino, MD; Jessica Chochoon, RN* Panel *Kristin Trinca, MD; Francesco M. Bianco, MD, FACS*
SESSION 2 Single-Port (SP) Part II Moderators *Alexis Kainz, MHA, FACHE; Paola A. Gehrig, MD*	
11:00 AM - 11:15 AM	Breast Surgery: The Role for Nipple Sparing Mastectomy *Mara Piltin, DO, FACS*
11:15 AM - 11:30 AM	SP Colon/GI Surgery *Laila Rashidi, MD*
11:30 AM - 11:45 AM	The Role for SP in General and HepatoBiliary Surgery (HPB) *Sharona Ross, MD*
11:45 AM - 12:00 PM	Discussion Q&A
12:00 PM - 12:30 PM	**LUNCHEON When Health Meets High Tech** • *Sponsored by Medtronic* Moderator *Bob Reddy, Medtronic Chief Strategy Officer*
12:30 PM - 1:00 PM	**Hands-on Demonstrations**

SESSION 3 The Friendly Phone Call Moderators *Kristin Trinca, MD; Martin A. Martino, MD* Panelists *Francesco M. Bianco, MD, FACS; Jessica Chochoon, RN; Angeles Alvarez Secord, MD, MHSc*	
1:00 PM -1:15PM	Hi, Can You Find the Ureter? *Heyden Hill, MD*
1:15 PM - 1:30 PM	Good Morning, Can You Move the Colon Away From Our Uterus? *Laila Rashidi, MD*
1:30 PM – 1:45 PM	Your Small Bowel Is Stuck To This Mesh, Now What? *Alexander Rose, MD*
1:45 PM – 2:00 PM	I See a Trocar in the Small Bowel, Can You Come Over for a Minute? *Francesco M. Bianco, MD*
2:00 PM - 2:15 PM	Simple Steps to a Small Bowel Resection with the New Robotic 8mm Stapler *Isaac Motamarry, MD*
2:15 PM - 2:30 PM	Risk-Reducing Salpingectomy to Prevent Fallopian Tube and Ovarian Cancers? *Martin A. Martino, MD; Ginger J. Gardner, MD, FACOG*
2:30 PM - 3:00 PM	**Break with Exhibitors**
SESSION 4 Cardiac and Thoracic Surgery Moderator *Richard Prioa, MD; Dee Ruffian, RN*	
Cardiac Surgery	
3:00 PM- 3:30 PM	How to Build a Robotic Cardiac Program? *T. Sloane Guy, MD*
3:30 PM - 3:45 PM	Robotic Hybrid Ablation for Afib *Ian Makey MD*
3:45 PM - 4:00 PM	Panel Discussions *Dee Ruffian, RN - Cardiac Team* *Melissa Pollard, RN - Perfusion Team* *Jessica Cochoon, RN - OR Riverside Director*
Thoracic Surgery	
4:10PM - 4:20 PM	Diagnosing and Treating Lung Cancer with Robotics *Akram M. Shibani, MD*
4:20PM - 4:40 PM	How to Simplify the Segmentectomy: Tools for the Modern Surgeon *Mark R. Dylewski, MD*
4:40 PM - 5:00 PM	Discussion *Milan Patel, MD, MBA; Richard Proia, MD*
5:30 PM - 7:30 PM	**Faculty, Family and Friends Welcome Reception (Kids Welcome)** - Face Painting, Carnival Theme - Robotic Surgery Olympics

DAY 2 • Saturday, October 10	
7:00 AM - 4:00 PM	**Registration & Information**
7:00 AM - 7:30 AM	**Breakfast with Exhibitors**
7:25 AM - 7:30 AM	Welcome Remarks *Angeles Alvarez Secord, MD, MHSc; Martin A. Martino, MD*
7:30 AM - 8:30 AM	**INDUSTRY SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM (ISS): Advances in LGSOC: Optimizing Patient Outcomes Through MAPK and FAK Pathway Inhibition** *Sponsored by GOG* *Thomas J. Herzog, MD; Angeles Alvarez Secord, MD, MHSc; Martin A. Martino, MD*
8:30 AM - 9:00 AM	**INDUSTRY PRODUCT THEATER: A Treatment Option for Patients with Primary Advanced or Recurrent Endometrial Cancer** *Sponsored by GSK* *Scott Jordan, MD*
9:00 AM - 9:45 AM	**INDUSTRY PRODUCT THEATRE: Select Treatment Options for Adult Patients with Certain Types of Advanced Gynecological Cancers** *Sponsored by Merck* *Robert Holloway MD*
9:45 AM - 10:15 AM	**Break with Exhibitors**
SESSION 5 State of the Art: Novel Treatments in Endometrial Cancers: Next Generation Therapeutics in Endometrial Cancer Moderator *Ginger J. Gardner, MD, FACOG; Mark H. Einstein, MD*	
10:15 AM - 10:30 AM	ESGO/ASCO/SGO Updates in Endometrial Cancer *Angeles Alvarez Secord, MD, MHSc*
10:30 AM - 11:15 AM	2026 Case Studies in Endometrial Cancer *Paola A. Gehrig, MD; Angeles Alvarez Secord, MD,MHSc*
SESSION 6 State of the Art: Novel Treatments in Cervical Cancer Moderator *Emily Tanzler, MD; Sewit Teckie, MD*	
11:15 AM - 11:30 AM	ESGO/ASCO/SGO Updates in Cervical Cancer *Angeles Alvarez Secord, MD, MHSc*
11:30 AM - 11:45 AM	Preventing Cervical Cancer: Updates on HPV Vaccination and Testing *Mark H. Einstein, MD - Past President ASCCP*
SESSION 7 State of the Art Treatments in Ovarian Cancer Lunch Program: Welcome *Ayed Ayed, MD; Paola A. Gehrig, MD*	
11:45 AM - 12:05 PM	2026 ESGO/ASCO/SGO Updates in Ovarian Cancer *Abdulrahman K. Sinno, MD*
12:05 PM - 12:15 PM	**Break**
12:15 PM - 12:50 PM	Working Lunch with the GOG: A Discussion on Clinical Trials *Thomas J. Herzog, MD*
12:50 PM - 1:00 PM	Closing Remarks *Martin A. Martino, MD; Angeles Alvarez Secord, MD, MHSc*
1:00 PM - 6:30 PM	**WELLNESS AND FAMILY TIME**
6:30 PM - 7:30 PM	**Bubbles & Bots**
7:30 PM – 9:30 PM	**Celebration of Champions Dinner**

PONTE VERDE HIGH SCHOOL:
NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY (NHS) AND WOMEN IN STEM SURGERY TEEN SESSION

Course Directors *Claire Faherty + Simone Thomasino + Cameron Redmond*

12:00 PM - 12:30 PM	**Registration**
12:30 PM - 1:30 PM	National Honor Society Session: Meet the Robots
1:30 PM - 1:35 PM	Institute for Surgical Excellence (ISE) Teen Session Welcome Remarks *Laila Raishidi, MD; Martin A. Martino, MD; Sharona Ross, MD*
1:35 PM - 2:15 PM	CPR/First Aid Certification *John Coffey, CHSP, CHEP, EMT*
2:15 PM - 3:00 PM	Stop the Bleed: An American College of Surgeons (ACS) Program to Teach Attendees How to Triage Patients with Bleeding *Lori Karnes, MSN, RN, CEN* *Trauma Services and Outreach Educator, HCA FL Memorial Hospital*
3:00 PM - 3:55 PM	Women in STEM Surgery (WISS) Session: Ask Us Anything! **Moderator** *Martin A. Martino, MD; Sharona Ross, MD* **Panel** *Rebekah Richmond, MD, Xujia Annie Smith, MD, Cameron Schultz; Lindsay Deliberto DO, Gregory Kainz, DO*
3:55 PM - 4:00 PM	Closing Remarks *Laila Rashidi MD*

DAY 3 • Sunday, October 11	
7:30 AM - 12:30 PM	**Registration & Information**
8:00 PM - 9:00 PM	**Breakfast**
SESSION 8 Women's Health 2026 Co-Chairs *Martin A. Martino MD; Caitlin Brunell*	
9:00 AM - 9:05 AM	Welcome Remarks *Scott Kashman*
9:05 AM - 9:30 AM	**KEYNOTE The Future of Women's Health** *Dorothy Fink, MD - Deputy Assistant Secretary for Health Director: Office of Women's Health*
9:30 AM - 10:00 AM	An Open Discussion with Dr Fink on Women's Health **Moderators** *Martin A. Martino, MD; May H. Blanchard, MD*
10:00 AM - 10:15 AM	Group Picture
10:15 AM - 10:35 AM	Breast Health: 2026 Screening and Prevention Updates *Kathryn Pearson, MD*
10:35 AM - 10:45 AM	Discussion Q&A
10:45 AM - 11:00 AM	**Break**
SESSION 9 Women's Health Day 2026: Health and Recovery Moderator *Martin A. Martino MD; May H. Blanchard, MD*	
11:00 AM - 11:20 AM	Longevity Medicine: Lifespan vs Healthspan *Gregory F. Kainz, DO*
11:20 AM - 11:40 AM	Exercise, Nutrition, and Creatine *Mackenzie - Training for Warriors*
11:40 AM - 12:00 PM	Menopause: Whats Happening? *Rebekah Richmond, MD*
12:00 PM - 12:20 PM	GLP1's: When, Where and How? *Aileen Caceres, MD*
12:20 PM - 12:30 PM	Panel Discussion
12:30 PM	Closing Remarks: THANK YOU *Gregory F. Kainz, DO; Martin A. Martino, MD*