

# LUNCH

11:00 a.m.  
Mozart 1 & 2

## EDWIN C. JAMES LECTURESHIP

12:00 p.m.  
Bach & Brahms

**CLIFFORD KO, M.D., M.S., M.S.H.S.,  
F.A.C.S., F.A.S.C.R.S.**



Dr. Clifford Ko is the Robert and Kelly Day Professor of Surgery and a Professor of Health Services at the UCLA School of Public Health. He is the Director of the Division of Research and Optimal

Patient Care at the American College of Surgeons (ACS), where oversees all the ACS quality improvement programs. Dr. Ko's work focuses on surgical quality of care, including quality measurement, process improvement, value-based care, and achieving high reliability in surgical care. He has served in advisory roles to national and international efforts for achieving higher quality and safety including the World Health Organization, the Institute of Medicine, the National Quality Forum, PCORI, amongst others. He has received millions of dollars in grant funding to study quality of care from sources that include the National Institutes of Health, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the American Cancer Society, the Centers of Medicare and Medicaid Services, the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, and the Veterans Administration. He has published over 400 peer reviewed manuscripts and has written more than 20 book chapters



The Edwin C. James Lectureship was established in honor of Edwin C. James, M.D., F.A.C.S. (1932–1994); Professor and Chairman, UND Department of Surgery 1980–89; Dean, UND School of Medicine & Health Sciences 1988–93; and Founder of the UND Surgical Residency Program.

## JUDGES

Select invited academic faculty at the presentation site will serve as judges.

Clifford Ko, M.D., M.S., M.S.H.S., F.A.C.S., F.A.S.C.R.S. Director of the Division of Research and Optimal Patient Care at the American College of Surgeons, Director of ACS NSQIP; Chicago, Ill. Robert and Kelly Day Professor of Surgery, UCLA Department of Surgery, UCLA, Calif.

Scott Engum, M.D. Associate Dean, UND Southeast Campus Fargo, N.D.

Daniel Tuvin, M.D. Commission on Cancer, N.D. State Chair Fargo, N.D.

### Objectives

- Understand patient care issues that provide information on state-of-the-art care.
- Identify information specific to their expertise for improvement of patient care.

### CME Statement

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The Department of Surgery  
General Surgery Residency Program  
invites you to join us for the

## EDWIN C. JAMES LECTURESHIP AND SURGICAL RESIDENT RESEARCH COLLOQUIUM

- The purpose of the annual Surgery Resident Research Colloquium is for the presentation of each general surgery resident's research project for the academic year.
- First- and second -year residents present Quick Shots of their projects in development. Third, fourth and fifth year residents give oral presentations of their projects.
- Presentations are judged by a panel of clinical and basic science faculty with the winning projects in each category awarded at the Chief Resident Graduation Banquet.
- Many of the research projects will be presented at regional or national meetings and submitted for peer-reviewed publication.

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Delta Hotels by Marriott

1635 42nd Street SW

Fargo, ND 58103

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11:00 Lunch – Mozart 1 & 2 – Delta Hotel

12:00 **Edwin C. James Lecture**

Bach & Brahms – Delta Hotel

**Achieving Surgery – Quality Lessons Learned**

Clifford Ko, M.D., M.S., M.S.H.S.,  
F.A.C.S., F.A.S.C.R.S.

**General Surgery Part I**

Moderators: Ganai / Johnson

1:10 Eric Curto, M.D., PGY-IV

Community Hospital Quality Improvement Programs  
*Mary Aaland, M.D., F.A.C.S., University of North  
Dakota School of Medicine & Health Sciences  
(UND SMHS)*

1:22 Jonathan Sticca, M.D., PGY-I

Does the use of T-fasteners for gastropexy when  
placing percutaneous endoscopic gastrostomy tubes  
affect complication rates? (Quickshot)

1:27 Reid Bartholomew, M.D., PGY-IV

Does Hand Sewing of the Stapled Common  
Enterotomy During Bowel Anastomosis Result in  
Fewer Leaks?  
*Mentor Ahmeti, M.D., F.A.C.S., Sanford Health,  
UND SMHS*

1:39 Samuel Bloomsburg, M.D., PGY-I

Closed-loop obstruction from multiple trichobezoars  
in a pregnant patient (Quickshot)

1:44 Joclyn Seiler, M.D., PGY-IV

Laparoscopic-Assisted Transversus Abdominis Plane  
Block is Superior to Port Site Infiltration in Reducing  
Post-Operative Opioid Use in Laparoscopic Surgery:  
A Retrospective Review  
*Sugong Chen, M.D., F.A.C.S., Sanford Health*

1:56 Hunter Row, M.D., PGY-II

Transcatheter aortic valve replacement  
(TAVR) preoperative vascular injury scoring  
system (Quickshot)

2:01 Max Hansen, D.O., PGY-V

Pulmonary Artery-Tracheal Fistula after Coil  
Implantation for Behcet's Disease  
*Cornelius Dyke, M.D., Sanford Health, UND SMHS*

2:13 Elena Danielson, M.D., PGY-I

Necrotizing soft tissue infection of the abdominal  
wall due appendiceal fistula in a large ventral  
hernia. (Quickshot)

2:18 Dustin Nowotny, D.O., PGY-V

Financial literacy of practicing surgeons of North  
and South Dakota  
*Kayla Burchill, M.D., F.A.C.S., VAMC, UND SMHS*

2:30 **Break**

**General Surgery Part II**

Moderators: Burchill / Zreik

2:40 Alessandra Spagnolia, M.D., PGY-III

Do certain combinations of risk factors influence  
mastectomy complication rates more than  
others? A look at one breast surgeon's practice  
over the past 10 years.  
*Michael Bouton, M.D., F.A.C.S., Sanford Health*

2:52 Matthew Zweerink, M.D., PGY-IV

Tracheostomy in the setting of COVID-19 and  
Associated Pneumothorax  
*Khaled Zreik, M.D., F.A.C.S., Sanford Health*

3:04 Riley Moore, M.D., PGY-I

COVID and Acute Abdomen (Quickshot)

3:09 Tyler Van De Voort, M.D., PGY-V

Delayed pneumothorax and lead dislodgement  
after pacemaker insertion in a patient using  
nightly CPAP  
*Kayla Burchill, M.D., F.A.C.S., VAMC, UND SMHS*

3:21 Ryan Beard, D.O., PGY-II

The Effect of Chronic Anticoagulation Therapy  
on COVID-19 patients: An unexpected  
result (Quickshot)

3:26 Conor Roche, M.D., PGY-III

COVID-19 associated fatality from invasive rhino-  
sinusitis in a non-immunocompromised patient  
*Khaled Zreik, M.D., F.A.C.S., Sanford Health*

3:38 Andrea Gerberding, M.D., PGY-I

Stoma Siting – where did we come from,  
and where do we go? (Quickshot)

3:43 Erin Follman, M.D., PGY-V

Rare Thyroid Pathology: A 20 Year Review of a  
Single Surgeon's Practice  
*Michael Traynor, M.D., F.A.C.S., AAES,  
Sanford Health*

3:55 **Break**

Snacks and beverages in the Mozart 1 & 2

**Trauma Competition**

Moderators: Ahmeti / Szlabick

4:15 David Velez, M.D., PGY-IV

SUNBURN: A protocol for delivering bad  
news in Trauma and Acute Care Surgery  
*Mentor Ahmeti, M.D., F.A.C.S., Sanford Health,  
UND SMHS*

4:27 Dana Nielsen, M.D., PGY-III

The influence of thromboelastography on  
blood transfusions in major trauma: a single  
institution retrospective study  
*Steven Briggs, M.D., F.A.C.S., Sanford Health*

4:39 Jude Barber, M.D., PGY-II

Has Improved Infrastructure Caused a Decrease  
in North Dakota Vehicle Deaths? (Quickshot)

4:44 Chani Taggart, D.O., PGY-V

Effect of obesity on outcomes in trauma  
patients with rib fractures  
*Megan Bowen, M.D., F.A.C.S., Sanford Health*

4:56 Anthony Duncan, M.D., PGY-II

Timing of Palliative Care Consultation on  
Trauma Patient Outcomes (Quickshot)

5:01 Kristen Reede, M.D., PGY-III

Seeking to SINK Narcotic Use in Trauma  
Patients with Scheduled Intranasal Ketamine  
*Steven Briggs, M.D., F.A.C.S., Sanford Health*

5:13 Adrian Sarli, M.D., PGY-II

Changes in patterns of rural trauma  
center admissions during the COVID-19  
pandemic (Quickshot)

5:18 Zachery Staskywicz, M.D., PGY-III

Farm Trauma Characterization and  
Comparative Analysis  
*Sheryl Sahr, M.D., Sanford Health*