

8<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL



# KOREAN AMERICAN SPINE SOCIETY MEETING

- ◆ President: Kee Park, MD
- ◆ Co-chairs:  
Jeff Roh, MD  
& Kevin Yoo, MD
- ◆ 8.25 hours of CME Credit
- ◆ Scientific Guest Speaker:  
David Polly, MD

**JUNE 27-29, 2013**

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# Dear Colleagues:



**ON BEHALF** of the Scientific Committee of the Korean American Spine Society (KASS), we are pleased to invite you to attend our eighth Annual Meeting in Boston on June 27-29, 2013. This meeting continues to grow in scientific excellence and friendly camaraderie. Our 2013 Annual Meeting features a superb line-up of highly interactive CME sessions, **including:**

- ◆ In-depth case presentations and debates on optimal treatment
- ◆ Sessions covering cervical spinal stenosis, lumbar DDD, adjacent disc disease, complications, and other common challenges
- ◆ Guest speakers on medical economics and medical malpractice
- ◆ Multiple exhibits and hands-on workshops
- ◆ 8.25 hours of CME Credit

All KASS members and interested attendees are invited to submit a case or lecture for the meeting. In addition, scholarships are available for current and recent residents & fellows who present a case or lecture. Please see page 3 for more details.

We hope you can join us in Boston for this interactive and highly memorable course!

**Kee Park, MD**  
PRESIDENT

**Kevin Yoo, MD**  
PROGRAM CO-CHAIR

**Jeff Roh, MD**  
PROGRAM CO-CHAIR

## EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

As a result of this activity, the participant should be better able to:

- ◆ Discuss and evaluate the treatment options for multi-level anterior cervical spinal stenosis with myeloradiculopathy
- ◆ Discuss and evaluate the treatment options for isolated L5-S1 degenerative disc disease
- ◆ Discuss and evaluate the treatment options for adjacent disc disease of the lumbar spine at L3-L4
- ◆ Summarize unusual complications in spine surgery and formulate plans for avoiding and managing such complications



## SCHOLARSHIPS FOR CURRENT & RECENT RESIDENTS/FELLOWS

KASS is offering a scholarship in the form of hotel funding and up to \$500 in travel reimbursement for attendees who are 3 years or less post residency or fellowship. To qualify, attendees will need to submit a Lecture or Case for presentation at the course by March 15 (see callout), and scholarships will be awarded to the first 10 qualified applicants whose submissions are accepted for presentation. Recipients will be provided with complimentary meeting registration, up to two nights of complimentary hotel accommodation the Hyatt Regency, and up to \$500 towards travel expenses including airfare. To apply, please indicate your interest and eligibility for the scholarship when submitting your case or lecture.

## STATEMENT OF NEED/ PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Peer reviewed spine journals present more than 600 papers annually, making it virtually impossible for a busy spine surgeon to keep up with current research, outcomes data, and new and emerging surgical techniques and technologies. The underlying need is to provide a forum in which spine surgeons can receive updates on, and discuss, current research results, outcomes studies, and new surgical techniques and technologies, in a manner that is concise, focused, expert and free from bias. The desired outcome

## CALL FOR CASES/CALL FOR LECTURES

### ALL KASS MEMBERS AND INTERESTED ATTENDEES

are invited to submit a Case or Lecture for on-site presentation.

To apply, e-mail a 1-page summary or précis of your case or lecture to [klaney@broad-water.com](mailto:klaney@broad-water.com) by March 15, 2013.

is for surgeons to apply information learned so as to be better able to determine which surgical techniques and procedures will be most suitable for which patients, and will have the highest likelihood of a successful outcome.

## TARGET AUDIENCE

This activity has been designed to meet the educational needs of orthopaedic and neurological surgeons, fellows, and residents involved in the care of patients with spinal disorders.

## PHYSICIAN CREDIT

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and Policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint sponsorship of Medical Education Resources (MER) and KASS. MER is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

## CREDIT DESIGNATION

Medical Education Resources designates this live activity for a maximum of 8.25 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)<sup>™</sup>. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

## DISCLOSURE OF CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

It is course policy to ensure balance, independence, objectivity, and scientific rigor in all presentations. All presenters will disclose any financial conflicts of interest and/or other relationship with the manufacturer(s) of any commercial product(s) to be discussed during their presentations.

## FACULTY

Faculty and speakers will be drawn from the KASS Board of Directors, members, and other invited guests. A complete list of faculty including affiliations, will be available at [www.kassmd.org](http://www.kassmd.org) in spring 2013.

## SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

*Thursday, June 27, 2013*

<b>PM</b>	<b>1:30</b>	Registration, Exhibits & Boxed Lunch	
	<b>2:00</b>	Welcome Remarks	<b>KEE PARK, MD</b>

### SESSION 1 Clinical Case #1

	<b>2:10</b>	Case Presentation: Multilevel Anterior Cervical Spinal Stenosis with Myeloradiculopathy	
	<b>2:20</b>	<b>Position #1:</b> Multilevel ACDF	
	<b>2:30</b>	<b>Position #2:</b> Multilevel ADR	
	<b>2:40</b>	<b>Position #3:</b> Hybrid	
	<b>2:50</b>	<b>Position #4:</b> Posterior Decompression with or Without Fusion	
	<b>3:00</b>	Discussion	
	<b>3:15</b>	Refreshment Break in Exhibit Area	

### SESSION 2 Clinical Case #2

	<b>3:40</b>	Case Presentation: Thoracic Disc Herniation	
	<b>3:50</b>	<b>Position #1:</b> Open Thoracic Laminectomy	
	<b>4:00</b>	<b>Position #2:</b> Costotransversectomy	
	<b>4:10</b>	<b>Position #3:</b> Transthoracic MIS XLIF/DLIF	
	<b>4:20</b>	Discussion	

### SESSION 3 Free Papers

	<b>4:35</b>	<b>Paper #1</b>	
	<b>4:40</b>	<b>Paper #2</b>	
	<b>4:45</b>	<b>Paper #3</b>	
	<b>4:50</b>	Discussion	
	<b>5:00</b>	<b>Paper #4</b>	
	<b>5:05</b>	<b>Paper #5</b>	
	<b>5:10</b>	<b>Paper #6</b>	
	<b>5:15</b>	Discussion	
	<b>5:25</b>	<b>Paper #7</b>	
	<b>5:30</b>	<b>Paper #8</b>	
	<b>5:35</b>	<b>Paper #9</b>	
	<b>5:15</b>	Discussion	
	<b>5:50</b>	<b>Welcome Cocktail Reception (with Workshop Supporters Only)</b>	

Friday, June 28

<b>AM</b>	<b>7:00</b>	Registration, Exhibit Viewing & Coffee
	<b>7:30</b>	Housekeeping/Opening Remarks

### SESSION 4 Clinical Case #3

	<b>7:35</b>	Case Presentation: Adjacent Disc Disease Lumbar Spine at L3/4
	<b>7:45</b>	<b>Position #1:</b> Open PLIF/TLIF
	<b>7:55</b>	<b>Position #2:</b> Stand Alone XLIF or with Plate
	<b>8:05</b>	<b>Position #3:</b> Posterolateral Fusion only with Instrumentation
	<b>8:15</b>	Discussion
	<b>8:30</b>	Family Breakfast

### SESSION 5 Symposium on Medical Economics

	<b>9:10</b>	Invited Lecture: NPT Coding Changes	<b>JOE CHENG, MD</b>
	<b>9:20</b>	Invited Lecture	
	<b>9:30</b>	Discussion	
	<b>9:40</b>	Introduction of Keynote Speaker	
	<b>9:45</b>	Keynote Address	<b>DAVE POLLY, MD</b>
	<b>10:05</b>	Discussion	
	<b>10:10</b>	Walking Break	

### Workshops 1 & Refreshment Break

	<b>10:15</b>	Non-CME Hands-on Workshops with Refreshment Break: 5 Rotations of 15 Minutes Each
	<b>11:30</b>	Walking Break

### SESSION 6 Free Papers

	<b>11:35</b>	<b>Paper #10</b>
	<b>11:40</b>	<b>Paper #11</b>
	<b>11:45</b>	<b>Paper #12</b>
	<b>11:50</b>	Discussion
<b>PM</b>	<b>12:00</b>	<b>Paper #13</b>
	<b>12:05</b>	<b>Paper #14</b>
	<b>12:10</b>	<b>Paper #15</b>
	<b>12:15</b>	Discussion

## SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

*Friday, June 28, Continued*

12:25	Business Meeting	
12:35	Boxed Lunches & Adjourn	
7:00-9:00	Annual Dinner	GUEST SPEAKER: EUNA LEE

*Saturday, June 29*

AM	7:00	Registration, Exhibit Viewing & Coffee
	7:30	Housekeeping/Opening Remarks

### SESSION 7 Clinical Discussion

	7:35	Unusual Complication of Spine Surgery
	7:45	Complication #1
	7:55	Complication #2
	8:05	Complication #3
	8:15	Discussion
	8:30	Family Breakfast

### SESSION 8 Medical Malpractice in Spine Surgery

	9:00	Case #1
	9:05	Case #2
	9:10	Case #3
	9:15	Discussion
	9:25	Keynote Speaker Introduction
	9:30	Keynote Speaker
	9:40	Discussion
	9:50	Walking Break

# Saturday, June 29, Continued

## Workshops 2 & Refreshment Break

9:55 Non-CME Hands-on Workshops with Refreshment Break: 5 Rotations of 15 Minutes Each

11:10 Walking Break

## SESSION 9 Free Papers

11:15 Paper #16

11:20 Paper #17

11:25 Paper #18

11:30 Discussion

11:40 Adjourn

### MISSION

KASS's founding surgeons, Casey K. Lee, MD, Howard S. An, MD, and Hae-Dong Jho, MD, PhD, formed the society to share their passion for spine care, as well as to promote and share their passion for their culture. KASS's mission is to further spine care through social, academic, and cultural exchange.



## REGISTRATION



Register online at  
[www.regonline.com/KASS2013](http://www.regonline.com/KASS2013)

### REGISTRATION FEES

2013 Annual Membership Renewal/Meeting Registration	\$595
2013 Annual Membership Renewal/Meeting Registration— For Fellows	\$100
Adult Guests (age 13 and up)	\$125
Child Guests (age 5-12)	\$75

- ◆ Medical registration includes all conference materials, breakfasts, lunches, Friday night dinner, and the welcome reception.
- ◆ Guest registration includes breakfasts, lunches, Friday night dinner, and the welcome reception.

**Note:** The Annual Meeting registration fees are combined with the KASS annual membership fee.



### HYATT REGENCY BOSTON

The program and related activities will be held at the Hyatt Regency in Boston, MA. Hyatt Regency Boston puts the best of Boston within easy reach. Enveloped by the vibrant activity of the Financial, Theatre, and Entertainment Districts, the downtown destination is connected to Macy's and located minutes from Boston Common/Public Garden, Faneuil Hall, and Newbury Street. Guests will also enjoy a fully equipped, 24 hour fitness center, free weights, eucalyptus steam room and sauna, and 52 foot indoor swimming pool with sun terrace.

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To make your hotel reservations via phone, please call 617.912.1234 by June 5<sup>th</sup>. Please notify the agent that you are calling for the KASS special rate.

Hyatt Regency Boston guestrooms feature one king or two double beds.

Run of House Room—\$239 single/double occupancy

\* local taxes and fees, currently 14.45%

### ROOM RATES & RESERVATIONS—BOOK BY JUNE 5<sup>TH</sup>

A dedicated online reservation website is available for KASS attendees to make, modify, and cancel hotel reservations online, as well as take advantage of any room upgrades,

### DEPOSIT AND CANCELLATION POLICY

You will be required to provide a credit card to secure your reservation with a deposit equal to one night's room and tax. Deposit is fully refundable if cancelled at least 24 hours prior to arrival.



## LOCAL ATTRACTIONS

- ◆ Beacon Hill
- ◆ Colonial Theatre
- ◆ Walk the **Freedom Trail** through history
- ◆ Opera House
- ◆ Public Garden/Boston Common
- ◆ Quincy Market
- ◆ Water Front
- ◆ Enjoy sea breezes and views of Boston's skyline aboard the ferry as you **whale watch**

## TOURS AND MAIN ATTRACTIONS

- ◆ Original Famous Duck Tours—[www.bostonducktours.com](http://www.bostonducktours.com)
- ◆ Boston Children's Museum—[www.bostonchildrensmuseum.org](http://www.bostonchildrensmuseum.org)
- ◆ Harvard Tour—[www.harvardtour.com](http://www.harvardtour.com)
- ◆ MIT Tour—[web.mit.edu/institute-events/visitor/info.html](http://web.mit.edu/institute-events/visitor/info.html)
- ◆ Museum of Fine Arts—[www.mfa.org](http://www.mfa.org)
- ◆ Museum of Contemporary Art—[www.icaboston.org](http://www.icaboston.org)
- ◆ New England Aquarium—[www.neaq.org](http://www.neaq.org)
- ◆ Museum of Science—[www.mos.org](http://www.mos.org)

For more information on tours and location attractions, contact Boston Tours at [www.allbostontours.com](http://www.allbostontours.com)



## QUESTIONS?

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