

2017 Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery

Physician Schedule

Wednesday, November 8

6:00 PM Registration Sign-In – Open Until 8:00 p.m.

Thursday, November 9

7:00 AM Registration Sign-In & Buffet Breakfast

7:45 AM Course Introduction – Ken Gross, M.D.; Howard Steinman, M.D.; Carlos Garcia, M.D.

8:00 AM Basic Mohs Technique – Ken Gross, M.D.

8:45 AM Mohs Mapping – Howard Steinman, M.D.

9:30 AM Refreshment Break & Exhibits

9:50 AM Laboratory & Cryostat Techniques – Rene Bermudez, D.O.

10:30 AM Establishing a Mohs Practice; Patient Scheduling – Andrew Weinstein, M.D.

11:10 AM Optimizing the Microscope for Mohs Surgery – Ken Gross, M.D.

11:30 AM Question & Answer Session

11:45 AM Box Lunch & Video-Projected Mohs Case Review – Valencia Thomas, M.D.

1:15 PM Indications for Mohs Surgery – Carlos Garcia, M.D.

1:50 PM Patient Preparation, Office Set-up & Instrumentation – Kevin Crawford, M.D.

2:40 PM Histopathology of Basal Cell Carcinoma – Ronald Rapini, M.D.

3:25 PM Refreshment Break & Exhibits

3:40 PM Histopathology of Squamous Cell Carcinoma – Ronald Rapini, M.D.

4:40 PM Advanced Mohs Mapping – Howard Steinman, M.D.

5:20 PM Refreshment Break & Exhibits

5:35 PM Elective Microscope Session I – Laboratory Faculty

6:00 PM Small Group Pathology Discussion – John Campbell, M.D.

8:30 PM Thursday Session Adjourns

Friday, November 10

6:00 AM Elective Microscope Session II – Laboratory Faculty

7:00 AM Buffet Breakfast & Exhibits

7:55 AM Daily Announcements – Howard Steinman, M.D.

8:00 AM Mohs for Melanoma – Valencia Thomas, M.D.

8:30 AM Vertical & Horizontal Histopathology of Normal Skin – Antoanella Calame, M.D.

9:10 AM Facial Danger Zones in Mohs Surgery – Howard Steinman, M.D.

9:30 AM Refreshment Break & Exhibits

9:50 AM Cryostat Specimen Quality – John Campbell, M.D.

10:30 AM Histopathology of Unusual Tumors – Antoanella Calame, M.D.

11:10 AM Staining & IHC “Pearls” for Mohs Surgeons – Antoanella Calame, M.D.

11:35 AM History of the ASMS; ASMS Preceptorship Program – Howard Steinman, M.D.

12:05 PM Buffet Lunch & Exhibits

12:30 PM Elective Microscope Session III – Laboratory Faculty

1:45 PM Mohs Coding & Reimbursement – Alexander Miller, M.D.

2:25 PM Cryostat Laboratory Introduction for Physicians – Carlos Garcia, M.D.

2:35 PM Group A: Physician Tissue Cutting Session – Elective (No CME) Laboratory Staff – Carlos Garcia, M.D.

(Director); Rene Bermudez, D.O.; Kevin Crawford, M.D.; Rainer Sachse, M.D.; James Schiro, M.D.

Group B: Video-Projected Mohs Case Review – Alexander Miller, M.D.

3:35 PM

4:00 PM

Refreshment Break & Exhibits

Group A: Video-Projected Mohs Case Review – Alexander Miller, M.D.

Group B: Physician Tissue-Cutting Session – Elective (No CME) Laboratory Staff – Carlos Garcia, M.D.

(Director); Rene Bermudez, D.O.; Kevin Crawford, M.D.; Rainer Sachse, M.D.; James Schiro, M.D.

Friday Session Adjourns - Enjoy San Diego

5:00 PM

Saturday, November 11

6:00 AM Elective Microscope Session IV – Laboratory Staff

7:00 AM Buffet Breakfast & Exhibits

7:55 AM Daily Announcements – Carlos Garcia, M.D.

8:00 AM Closure Considerations Following Mohs Surgery – James Schiro, M.D.

8:15 AM The Politics of Mohs Surgery – James Schiro, M.D.

8:55 AM Laboratory Technician Supervision – Alex Lutz, B.S.

9:15 AM OSHA/CLIA Requirements & Mohs Surgery – Nicole James

9:45 AM Refreshment Break & Exhibits

10:20 AM Quality Assurance for Mohs Surgery – Lee S. Portnoff, M.D.

11:00 AM Plastic Surgery & Mohs – Rainer Sachse, M.D.

11:20 AM Mohs in Difficult Locations – Carlos Garcia, M.D.

12:00 PM Buffet Lunch & Exhibits

12:30 PM Elective Microscope Laboratory V – Laboratory Staff

1:45 PM Intraneural & Perineural Cancers – Alexander Miller, M.D.

2:15 PM Post-Mohs Radiation – Kenneth Shimizu, M.D.

2:35 PM Refreshment Break & Exhibits

2:50 PM Peer Review: Common Errors & How to Prevent Them – Lee S. Portnoff, M.D.

3:30 PM Mohs Surgical “Pearls” – Ken Gross, M.D.; Andrew Weinstein, M.D.

5:15 PM Refreshment Break & Exhibits

5:30 PM Practical Self-Assessment Slides – Laboratory Staff

8:30 PM Small Group Pathology Discussion – John Campbell, M.D.

Saturday Session Adjourns

Sunday, November 12

6:00 AM Elective Microscope Session VII – Laboratory Staff

7:00 AM Buffet Breakfast & Exhibits

8:15 AM Daily Announcements – Ken Gross, M.D.; Howard Steinman, M.D.; Carlos Garcia, M.D.

8:30 AM More Mohs Pearls – Ken Gross, M.D.; Andrew Weinstein, M.D.

9:30 AM Video Projected Mohs Cases – Valencia Thomas, M.D.

11:30 AM Discussion of Video Projected Self-Assessment Slides – John Campbell, M.D.

1:00 PM Conclusion of Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery Course

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2017 Fundamentals of Mohs Surgery

Director: Alex G. Lutz, B.S. **Co-Directors, Mohs Laboratory:** Rick A. Wolf, LPN and Juan (B.J.) Villarreal

Mohs Technician Schedule

Wednesday, November 8

6:00 PM

Registration Sign-In – Open Until 8:00 p.m.

Thursday, November 9

7:00 AM

Registration Sign-In (cont.)

7:00 AM

Buffet Breakfast & Exhibits

7:40 AM

NSH Contact Hours Sign-In

7:45 AM

Course Introduction – Brickstones Room (Technician Lecture Hall) – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.

8:00 AM

Faculty Introductions and Group Assignments – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.

Group 1 (Less than 5 Years' Experience)

Group 2 (Greater than 5 Years' Experience or Past Course Attendance)

8:15 AM

Group 1: Frozen Section Technique – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.

Group 2: Tissue Cutting Session – Laboratory Faculty

9:15 AM

Group 1: Tissue Processing Video

Group 2: Tissue Cutting Session – Laboratory Faculty

9:30 AM

Refreshment Break & Exhibits

9:50 AM

Mohs Laboratory Introduction: Stations & Cameras

11:30 AM

Question & Answer Session

11:45 AM

Buffet Lunch & Exhibits

1:30 PM

Tissue Cutting Session: Cryostat Laboratory

3:25 PM

Refreshment Break & Exhibits

3:40 PM

Tissue Cutting Session: Cryostat Laboratory

5:00 PM

Refreshment Break & Exhibits

5:30 PM

Tissue Cutting Session: Cryostat Laboratory

6:00 PM

Thursday Session Adjourns

Friday, November 10

6:00 AM

Tissue Cutting Session: Cryostat Laboratory

7:00 AM

Buffet Breakfast & Exhibits

7:50 AM

NSH Contact Hours Sign-In

7:55 AM

Daily Announcements – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.

8:00 AM

Question & Answer Session

8:30 AM

Tissue Cutting Session: Cryostat Laboratory

9:30 AM

Refreshment Break & Exhibits

9:50 AM

Tissue Cutting Session: Cryostat Laboratory

12:00 PM

Buffet Lunch & Exhibits

1:45 PM

Groups 1 & 2: CLIA Documentation in the Mohs Lab – Daniel H. Gong, M.S.

2:45 PM

Groups 1 & 2: Attaining Full Margins (Getting the Epi) – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.

3:15 PM

Groups 1 & 2: Ethical Processing in the Mohs Lab – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.

3:30 PM

Refreshment Break & Exhibits

4:00 PM

Groups 1 & 2: Question & Answer Session – Laboratory Faculty

5:00 PM

Friday Session Adjourns

Saturday, November 11

6:00 AM

Tissue Cutting Session: Cryostat Laboratory

7:00 AM

Buffet Breakfast & Exhibits

7:55 AM

NSH Contact Hours Sign In

8:00 AM

Groups A & B – Tissue Cutting Session

9:40 AM

Refreshment Break and Exhibits

10:00 AM

Group A – Testing: Lab Practicum

10:00 AM

Group B – Written Exam

12:00 PM

Buffet Lunch & Exhibits

1:45 PM

Group B – Lab Practicum

3:45 PM

Group A – Written Exam

Groups A & B – Lab Practicum Incomplete:

Test Completion Tissue Cutting Session

4:30 PM

Group A & B – Question and Answer Forum

5:00 PM

Refreshment Break & Exhibits

5:30 PM

Saturday Session Adjourns – Cryostat Laboratory Breakdown

Sunday, November 12

7:00 AM

Buffet Breakfast & Exhibits

8:10 AM

NSH Contact Hours Sign-In

8:15 AM

Daily Announcements – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.

8:30 AM

Mohs Tech Truisms: Recap of Mohs Concepts – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.

10:00 AM

FMS Program Concludes (Mohs Technicians only)

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Director: Alex G. Lutz, B.S.

Mohs Technician Schedule

Wednesday, November 8

7:15 AM	Registration & Contact Hours Sign-In Buffet Breakfast & Exhibits
8:00 AM	Announcements – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.
8:15 AM	Mohs Surgery Protocol: In the Door to Out the Door – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.
8:45 AM	Whole Mounted Specimens – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.
9:15 AM	Establishing Speed in the Mohs Lab – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.
9:45 AM	Refrigeration 101 – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.
10:15 AM	Refreshment Break & Exhibits
10:30 AM	Mart 1 IHC for Melanoma – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.
11:15 AM	Aggressive Mohs Cases: When You Hit Bone – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.
11:45 AM	Processing Wedge Cases – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.
12:30 PM	Buffet Lunch & Exhibits
1:45 PM	Mucosal/Conjunctival Epithelium Processing Considerations – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.
2:15 PM	Microtome Blade Issues – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.
2:45 PM	Tumors and Errors – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.
3:30 PM	Refreshment Break & Exhibits
3:45 PM	Mohs Tech Cloning – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.
4:15 PM	History of the ASMS – Alex G. Lutz, B.S.
4:45 PM	Question & Answer Session
5:00 PM	Conclusion of Advanced Mohs Technician Course

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