



## **2018 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Mazama Spine Summit**

**Friday, January 26-Sunday, January 28, 2018  
Sun Mountain Lodge  
Winthrop, WA**

# AGENDA

## Friday, January 26

2:00 – 4:00 pm angelMD Innovation Event, Methow Room  
*[not for CME credit]*

6:30 - 8:30 pm ***Opening Reception, Wine Tasting and Hors D'oeuvres***, Pasayten A & B  
*[not for CME credit]*

6:30 - 6:35 pm ***Welcome Remarks***, Richard N.W. Wohns, MD, JD, MBA

## Saturday, January 27

6:30 – 7:30 am ***Buffet breakfast with Exhibitors***, Pasayten A

**MORNING SESSION: Outpatient Spine Surgery**, Pasayten B  
Moderator: Scott Blumenthal, MD

7:00 – 7:30 am Session 1: ***Growth of Outpatient Spine Surgery***  
Scott Becker, JD

7:30 – 7:45 am Session 2: ***Metrics of Outpatient Spine Surgery***  
Ciara Harraher, MD

7:45 – 8:00 am Session 3: ***When is Outpatient not Outpatient?***  
Brian Gantwerker, MD

8:00 – 8:15 am Session 4: ***Management of Osteoporotic Compression Fractures***  
Ken Nwosu, MD

8:15 – 8:45 am Session 5: ***Innovations in Outpatient Spine Surgery***  
Stephen Hochschuler, MD

8:45 – 9:00 am Session 6: ***Outpatient Inter-laminar Decompression and Stabilization***  
William Tobler, MD

9:00 – 9:15 am Session 7: ***Spine Surgery: A Crisis of Perception or Reality***  
Jens Chapman, MD

9:15 – 9:30 am Session 8: ***MIS Spine Surgery - From the Skeptic Surgeon Perspective***  
Tony Tohmeh, MD

9:30 – 9:45 am Session 9: ***Stem Cell Based Intervertebral Disc Regeneration***  
Mick Perez-Cruet, MD

9:45 – 10:00 am Session 10: ***Outpatient Cervical ADR is Now the Gold Standard***  
Scott Blumenthal, MD

10:00 - 10:15 am Session 11: ***Open Panel Q&A***: All Speakers

## **Mid-day Activities**

10:30 am - 3:00 pm ***Exhibit Fair***, Pasayten A

10:30 am – 3:00 pm ***Outdoor Recreation***: Cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, ice skating. “Grab and Go” lunches will be provided.

1:00 - 3:00 pm “***Afternoon in the Wine Cellar: Macaroons and Wine Pairings***”  
Hosted by Matt Mabus

1:00 – 2:00 pm ***Family Sleigh Ride***: Horse drawn carriage ride. Enjoy hot chocolate and treats.

**AFTERNOON SESSION: Ethics and Integrity**, Pasayten B  
Moderator: Richard Adler, JD

3:00 – 3:40 pm Session 12: ***Ethics and Integrity: The Patient Comes First***  
Scott Lederhaus, MD

3:40 – 4:00 pm Session 13: ***Informed Consent: The Patient’s Right to Choose Their Physician***  
Mike Wampold, JD

4:00– 4:20 pm Session 14: ***Concurrent Surgeries***  
David Newell, MD

4:20 – 4:40 pm Session 15: ***Integrity***  
Moustapha Abou-Samra, MD

4:40 – 5:10 pm Session 16: ***What are Ethics and Professionalism? Lessons from Conrad Murray and the Michael Jackson Case***  
Gail Van Norman, MD

5:10 – 5:20 pm Session 17: ***Open Panel Q&A***: All Speakers

5:45 – 6:45 pm Session 18: ***Keynote Speaker: Art Wolfe***, Main Lobby  
Nature and Cultural Photographer  
*[not for CME credit]*

7:00 – 8:30 pm **Summit Dinner**, Pasayten A  
Torii Mor wines  
Introduction to Single Malt Scotch by Ari Shapiro

8:45 pm **Horse-Drawn Sleigh to Summit of Sun Mountain (adults only please)**  
Enjoy cigars, scotch and a roaring bonfire.

## **Sunday, January 28**

6:30 – 7:30 am Buffet breakfast, Pasayten A

**Mini Symposium**, Pasayten B

7:00 – 8:00 am Session 19: ***Biomechanical Assessments: The Legal View***  
Tom Jacobs, JD and Parker Reich, JD

**Spine Potpourri**

Moderator: Jens Chapman, MD

8:00 – 8:15 am Session 20: ***The Research Co-op: One Solution to Systemic Bias in Clinical Research***  
Robin Young  
CEO and Publisher, Orthopedics This Week  
CEO, PearlDiver Medical DataMining

8:15 – 8:30 am Session 21: ***Risks of Spine Surgery - Do We Have Sufficient Data?***  
Jens Chapman, MD

8:30 – 8:45 am Session 22: ***Efficiency, Predictability, Profitability Solutions***  
Stuart Massey  
President, Integrated Business Systems & Services

8:45 – 9:05 am Session 23: ***Neuroradiology Update***  
Frank Wessbecher, MD

9:05 – 9:20 am Session 24: ***Stem Cells in the Treatment of Lower Back Pain***  
Christina Julian, MD

9:20 – 9:35 am Session 25: ***Delivering Value in New Healthcare Market***  
Jeff Dunkle  
Titan Spine, VP of Strategic Partnering & FDA

9:35 – 9:50 am Session 26: ***The Role of the Neurosurgeon in Technology Innovation***  
Doniel Drazin, MD

9:50 – 10:05 am Session 28: ***Surgical Management of Degenerative Spondylolisthesis***

Ken Nwosu, MD

10:05 – 10:20 am Session 29: ***Eccelearning***  
Geoffrey Andrews, PhD, MBA

10:20 – 10:35 am Session 30: ***Rationale Behind Biologics...or Lack Thereof***  
Tony Tohmeh, M.D.

10:35 – 10:50 am Session 31: ***Sagittal Balance and ACDF***  
Roland Kent, M.D.

10:50 – 11:10 am Session 31: ***Open Panel Q&A***: All Speakers

***Closing Remarks***, Richard Wohns, MD, JD, MBA

***Guest Checkout and Departure***