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Thursday, February 5th, 2026

Friday, February 6th, 2026

Saturday, February 7th, 2026

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Seminar Site

HYATT REGENCY HOTEL

400 S.E. 2nd Avenue, Miami, FL (Ashe Auditorium)

2026 WELCOME ADDRESS

CONTEMPORARY ADVANCEMENTS: THE HARBINGER FOR FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS IN AESTHETIC SURGERY

The 60th Baker Gordon Symposium, our *Grand Finale*, represents a bittersweet moment, recognizing that even exceptional experiences cannot last forever. In our rapidly changing world, few things stand the test of time. Nonetheless, for 60 years, the Baker Gordon Symposium has remained a constant in bringing true experts in aesthetic surgery together to share their innovations through live surgery demonstrations.

Our first Symposium, which was held February 3 & 4, 1967, represented a response to the frustration of that era regarding organized plastic surgery's refusal to provide a forum which emphasized aesthetic surgery education. The inaugural Symposium highlighted not only lectures, but for the first time at a national meeting, included live surgery demonstrations. Following the success of the initial Symposium, a small group of plastic surgeons attending the first Baker Gordon Symposium recognized that advancements in aesthetic surgery required a national organization whose mission statement was to promote aesthetic surgery education. This led to the formation of the American Society of Aesthetic Plastic Surgery, whose first meeting was held immediately following the 2nd Baker Gordon Symposium in 1968. The importance of aesthetic surgery education to advance our specialty was established.

60 years later, aesthetic surgery remains at the epicenter for plastic surgeons in their daily practice. The field has been shaped by many factors, including a more thorough understanding of anatomy, technological developments, patient demand and perhaps most importantly, the willingness of experts in plastic surgery to share innovations with their peers. The theme of our *Grand Finale* remains similar to the goals of our first Symposium, to examine Current Advancements as Harbingers for Future Innovations in Aesthetic Surgery.

For our *Grand Finale*, we have invited those expert surgeons who have led to many of the current innovations in cosmetic surgery procedures. This year's meeting will include live demonstrations and lectures on the open approach to preservation and structural rhinoplasty, deep plane vs SMAS face lifting, advancements in primary and re-operative breast augmentation, and advances in body contour surgery including rib remodeling.

The Baker Gordon Symposium has always embraced aesthetic developments, including procedures emphasizing reconstructive challenges. From our perspective what is termed a "reconstructive procedure" is only as successful as the aesthetic outcome, and the distinction between reconstructive and aesthetic surgery remains arbitrary. To examine the aesthetic challenges of reconstructive surgery we have invited Dr. Eduardo Rodriguez to share his experiences in facial transplantation, as well as the methods which restore appearance in reconstructive deformities.

At our conclusion, we will celebrate some of the milestones of our six-decade experience, reviewing past highlights of previous meetings, sharing our memories of the many surgeons who have been such a vital part of our meeting. Our host faculty and previous faculty members will also join us to share their recollections as participants and operating surgeons. To conclude our celebration, we invite all our attendees to join us in a champagne toast, to share your memories and relate how the Baker Gordon Symposium influenced your career.

In 1967, Drs. Baker and Gordon set the bar for quality in aesthetic surgery education. Six decades later it is our sincere expectation that our final meeting continues this tradition of excellence. We look forward to hosting you in Miami and hope you will join us to celebrate 60 years of excellence in aesthetic surgery education.

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THIS COURSE IS AVAILABLE TO PLASTIC SURGEONS AND THEIR RESIDENTS

Limited Registration

ACTIVITY OVERVIEW

This year's meeting will include live demonstrations and lectures on Deep Plane and SMAS Face Lifting, Preservation Rhinoplasty, advancements in Primary and Revision Breast Augmentation, and technical and aesthetic innovations in Body Contour Surgery.

TARGET AUDIENCE

This activity is designed for an audience of physicians.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of the educational activity, participants should be able to:

- Identify the anatomic and technical details required to perform a deep plane face lifting safely.
- Evaluate the treatment options to solve complex problems in revisionary breast surgery.
- Discriminate between methods to safely combine high definition liposuction with abdominoplasty.



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PROGRAM

Thursday, February 5th, 2026

A PRELUDE TO A GRAND FINALE – THE PENULTIMATE CHAPTER IN MASTERING AESTHETIC SURGERY

LIVE SURGERY

8:30 a.m.	Open Approach to Preservation Rhinoplasty	Dean Toriumi, M.D.
9:30 a.m.	Open Approach to Preservation Rhinoplasty	Aaron Kosins, M.D.
9:50 a.m.	Indications for Preservation vs the Structural Approach in Rhinoplasty	Rodney Rohrich, M.D.
10:10 a.m.	Discussion: Contemporary Advancements in Rhinoplasty	Aaron Kosins, MD Rodney Rohrich, MD Dino Elyassnia, M.D. James M. Stuzin M.D., <i>Moderator</i>
10:30 a.m.	Coffee Break	

Contemporary Advancements in Face Lifting: Does Technique Influence Aesthetic Result SMAS vs. Deep Plane

11:00 a.m.	The High SMAS Approach in Face Lifting-Does it Offer Greater Aesthetic Versatility	Timothy J. Marten, M.D.
11:20 a.m.	Personal Approach to Deep Plane Face Lifting-Aesthetic Control and the Avoidance of Complications	Sam Rizk, M.D.
11:40 a.m.	The Hybrid SMAS Face Lift: Stacking/Plication/ High SMAS Dissection	Dino Elyassnia, M.D.
12:10 p.m.	DISCUSSION	
12:30 noon	Lunch	

(INTERACTIVE VIDEO)

1:30 p.m.	Key Elements in the Open Approach to Preservation Rhinoplasty	Aaron Kosins, M.D.
2:30 p.m.	Contemporary Advancements in Facial Transplantation	Eduardo Rodriguez , M.D.
3:30 p.m.	Coffee Break	

Contemporary Advancements in Cosmetic Medicine; Ancillary Procedures for Facial Enhancements

4:00 p.m.	Examining Long-Term Results in Lip Lifting and Buccal Fat Removal	Rodney Rohrich, M.D.
4:20 p.m.	DISCUSSION	
4:30 p.m.	NonSurgical Cosmetic Advancements; New Generation Skin Tightening Devices, Microcoring and the Utility of Ultrasound for Injectable Filler	Jeffrey Kenkel, M.D.
4:50 p.m.	DISCUSSION	
5:00 p.m.	Examining 30 year Experience Utilizing Injectable Fillers-Consistency and Aesthetic Control	Steven Fagien, M.D.
5:20 p.m.	DISCUSSION	
5:30 p.m.	Adjournment	

Between times, you may visit the exhibit area, chat with friends and simply enjoy.

PROGRAM

Friday, February 6th, 2026

8:00 a.m.	How Baker Gordon has Influenced National Based Aesthetic Surgery Education Devinder Singh, M.D., Chairman Division Plastic Surgery, University of Miami Miller School of Medicine The American Society of Plastic Surgeons (ASPS) The American Society of Aesthetic Plastic Surgery (ASAPS)
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Contemporary Advancements in Body Contour Surgery

LIVE SURGERY

8:30 a.m.	Shaping the Female Silhouette: High Definition Liposuction Gluteal Augmentation, and Rib Remodeling	Alfredo Hoyos, M.D. Pat Pazmino, M.D.
9:30 a.m.	Two Decades of Experience with HDL and Gluteal Augmentation: Avoidance of Complications, Surface Irregularities and Reoperation	Daniel DelVecchio, M.D.
9:50 a.m..	High Definition Liposuction with Rib Remodeling and Gluteal Augmentation	Tino Mendieta, M.D.
10:15 a.m.	DISCUSSION	
10:30 a.m.	Coffee Break	

Contemporary Advancements in Breast Augmentation

11:00 a.m.	15 Year Experience with Dual Plane Breast Augmentation	William Adams, M.D.
11:15 a.m.	The Expanding Role of Slow Absorbing Mesh in Breast Augmentation Can it Replace ADM?	William Adams, M.D.
11:30 a.m.	The Advantages and Technical Nuances Utilizing Motiva Implants	Holly Wall, M.D.
11:55 a.m.	Long Term Results in Primary Breast Augmentation: Control of Shape and Avoidance of Reoperation	David Hidalgo, M.D.
12:20 p.m.	DISCUSSION	
12:30 p.m.	Lunch	

LIVE SURGERY

1:30 p.m.	Correction of Capsular Contracture; the Utility of Slow Absorbing Mesh	William Adams, M.D.
2:00 p.m.	High Definition Liposuction with Rib Remodeling (INTERACTIVE VIDEO)	Constantino Mendieta, M.D.
2:30 p.m.	The Technical Nuances of Breast Augmentation Utilizing Motiva Implants (INTERACTIVE VIDEO)	Holly Wall, M.D.
3:00 p.m.	DISCUSSION	
3:30 p.m.	Coffee Break	
4:00 p.m.	Controlling Outcomes in Body Contour Surgery; Consistency in Muscle Grafting and Rib Remodeling (INTERACTIVE VIDEO)	Alfredo Hoyos, M.D.
5:00 p.m.	Adjournment	

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Saturday, February 7th, 2026

LIVE SURGERY

8:30 a.m. High SMAS Facelift Part I- Volumetric Enhancement Timothy Marten, M.D.

9:30 a.m. Technical Consideration in Deep Plane Face Lifting
(INTERACTIVE VIDEO) Sam Rizk, M.D.

LIVE SURGERY

10:00 a.m. Part II – High SMAS Facelift Timothy Marten, M.D.

10:30 a.m. Coffee Break

11:00 a.m. The Arbitrary Distinction Between Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery Eduardo Rodriguez, M.D.

12:00 p.m. Lunch

LIVE SURGERY

1:30 p.m. Part III- Subplatysmal Cervical Contouring: Submaxillary Gland Resection Timothy Marten, M.D.

2:00 p.m. **KEYNOTE LECTURE:** The Baker Gordon Symposium: The Legacy of
Dr. Thomas J. Baker and its Influence on The Evolution of Aesthetic Surgery James M. Stuzin, M.D.

3:00 p.m. The Harbinger of Future Developments in Aesthetic Surgery-Personal
Recollections: CELEBRATING 60 YEARS OF BAKER GORDON SYMPOSIUM
Sherrell Aston M.D.
Foad Nahai M.D.
Val Lambros M.D.
Rodney Rohrich M.D.
Steven Fagien M.D.
Bernard Markowitz M.D.

5:00 p.m. Thanks for the many memories! Adjournment

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SPECIAL FEATURES

In keeping with the tradition of informality, open discussions will be held after each presentation and during the course of live demonstrations. Presentations may be substituted or added, as case load demands.

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After December 1, 2025, an additional \$200.00 will be assessed

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