



The Society for Surgery of the Alimentary Tract

2025 Schedule-at-a-Glance

SATURDAY
MAY 3, 2024

SUNDAY
MAY 4, 2024

MONDAY
MAY 5, 2024

TUESDAY
MAY 6, 2024

6:30 AM-7:30 AM				Breakfast Connection: Pearls of Wisdom in Early Clinical Practice* Room 11			Breakfast Connection: Practical Aspects of GLP-1 Drugs for Providers* Room 11								
8:00 AM-9:30 AM	Residents and Fellows Research Conference Room 10	Oral Session: Colorectal Diseases I Room 9	Oral Session: Esophageal Diseases I Room 3	LIVE STREAM CCS: Medical vs. Surgical Mgmt of GERD Room 32	NEW International Symposium I: Colorectal Surgery Meets Abdominal Wall Reconstruction Room 3	Oral Session: Pancreatic Diseases I Room 9	Research Committee: Artificial Intelligence in Surgical Research and Education Room 10	Video Session: Esophageal Diseases Room 3	Video Session: HB Tract Diseases Room 9	Video and Oral Session: PAWS Diseases Room 10	LIVE STREAM Presidential Plenary Room 26	Thomas R. DeMeester Lecture Series: Esophageal Physiology, the Gateway to Surgical Outcome Optimization Room 9	Oral Session: Colorectal Diseases III Room 10	LIVE STREAM Legends of GI Surgery Room 26	
10:00 AM-11:30 AM		Stomach/Bariatric/Metabolic Diseases I Room 9	Video Session: HPB Diseases Room 3	LIVE STREAM CCS: High Impact Papers 2025 Room 32	Oral Session: Stomach/Bariatric/Metabolic Diseases Room 3	SSAT-ISDS Symposium: Intraoperative Complications during Robotic/Lap Surgery Room 9	APP Symposium: Quality APPs = Quality Improvement Room 10	Presidential Address Room 10		Cameron Guest Oration Room 10		Plenary Session: Best of Colorectal Diseases Room 3	NEW SSAT-WTS Controversies in Management of Esophageal and GEJ Cancers Room 9	SSAT-AHPBA Joint Symposium: HPB Video Debates Room 10	
12:30 PM-1:45 PM		BREAK			Meet-the-Professor: Writer's Workshop with JOGS Editors* Room 8	Poster Session: Pancreatic and Esophageal Diseases Hall C-E	Meet-the-Expert Trainee & Early Career Lounge	Meet-the-Professor: Grant Writing Workshop* Room 11	Poster Session: Colorectal and PAWS Diseases Hall C-E	Poster Session: HPB Tract & Stomach/Bariatric/Metabolic Diseases Hall C-E					
2:00 PM-3:30 PM		Oral and Video Session: PAWS Diseases Room 9	Stomach/Bariatric/Metabolic Committee: Challenging Issues in Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery Room 3	SSAT-ASCRS Joint Symposium: Benign Anorectal Disease for the Gastroenterologist Room 3	NEW SSAT-JSGS International Joint Symposium II: Contemporary Advances in GI Surgery Around the World Room 9	Plenary & Oral Session: Best of PAWS Diseases Room 10	LIVE STREAM Kelly and Carlos Pellegrini SSAT-SAGES Joint Symposium: Revisional Foregut Surgery: Approaches and Challenges Room 6DE	Plenary Session: Best of Esophageal Diseases Room 3	Plenary Session: Best of HB Diseases Room 9	Complex GI Fellowship Committee: Perspectives and Controversies in Graduate Surgical Training Room 10	LIVE STREAM Maja and Frank G. Moody State-of-the-Art Lecture Room 32	Oral Session: Stomach/Bariatric/Metabolic Diseases III Room 3	Oral Session: HB Diseases II Room 10	SSAT-SSO Joint Symposium: Controversies in Treatment Sequencing of GI and HPB Cancers Room 10	LIVE STREAM CCS: Multidisciplinary Mgmt of Malignant GI & Biliary Obstruction Room 32
4:00 PM-5:30 PM	Video Session: HB Diseases Room 9	Video Session: Stomach/Bariatric/Metabolic Diseases Room 3	LIVE STREAM SSAT-AHS Joint Symposium: Hernias and the Alimentary Tract Room 6DE	LIVE STREAM CCS: What Endoscopists and Surgeons Want Each Other to Know Room 32	NEW International Symposium III: Difficult Gall Bladder and Beyond Room 3	Oral Session: Colorectal Diseases II Room 9	Plenary Session: Best of Stomach/Bariatric/Metabolic Diseases Room 10	Video Session: Colorectal Diseases Room 3	Oral Session: Esophageal Diseases II Room 9	Plenary Session: Best of Pancreatic Diseases Room 10	DDW Shark Tank DDW Theater I	Oral Session: QI, HSR, Education Room 3	Oral Session: Pancreatic Diseases II Room 9	Oral Session: Colorectal Diseases IV Room 10	Best of DDW Room 6DE
5:30 PM-9:30 PM	SSAT Connections Reception Tortuga, Omni San Diego			SSAT Foundation Reception Grand Ballroom, Omni San Diego											

Check out the DDW Combined Clinical Symposia (CCS), DDW Meet-the-Professor Lunches and DDW Breakfast Connections!
*sessions require a separate registration fee

T R A C K S	Esophageal, Gastric, Bariatric, Metabolic	Colorectal
	Hepatobiliary and Pancreas	General and Society Business
	Peritoneal Surface, Abdominal Wall, Small Bowel	Education, Quality, Outcomes & Policy

JOIN US FOR OUR RECEPTIONS
CONNECTIONS RECEPTION
 SATURDAY, MAY 3 | 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM
FOUNDATION RECEPTION
 SUNDAY, MAY 4 | 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM