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Agenda

7:00 a.m.  Registration and Breakfast
7:45 a.m.  Welcome and Opening Remarks
Nilesh Vyas, MD and Ameet Singh, MD
8:00 a.m.  Extracranial Endoscopic Skull Base Anatomy
Ameet Singh, MD
8:20 a.m.  Endoscopic Skull Base Approaches
Theodore Schwartz, MD, FACS
9:00 a.m.  Intracranial Endoscopic Skull Base Anatomy
Nilesh Vyas, MD
9:30 a.m.  Introduction to Dissection Lab
Nilesh Vyas, MD and Ameet Singh, MD
9:45 a.m.  Laboratory Session I: Endoscopic Approaches to the Sella, Tuberculum and Planum
Drs. Schwartz, Welch, Vyas, Singh, Ecklund, Waziri
12:00 p.m. Lunch
12:30 p.m. Challenges in Endoscopic Skull Base Reconstruction
Kevin Welch, MD, FACS
1:15 p.m.  Endoscopic Approaches to the Clivus and Craniocervical Junction
Theodore Schwartz, MD, FACS
2:00 p.m.  Post-Operative Management
Kevin Welch, MD, FACS
2:30 p.m.  Laboratory Session II: Extended Endoscopic Approaches to the Cribriform, Fovea Ethmoidalis, Frontal Sinus, Clivus and Craniocervical Junction
Drs. Schwartz, Welch, Vyas, Singh, Ecklund, Waziri
5:00 p.m.  Tying it all together: Discussion, questions, evaluations

Course Directors
Nilesh Vyas, MD
Associate Chair, Neurosurgery Programs
Assistant Professor, Virginia Commonwealth University School of Medicine

Ameet Singh, MD
Associate Professor of Surgery & Neurosurgery
Medical Director, Endoscopic ENT for Skull Base and Pituitary Surgery, Inova Fairfax
Co-Director, Endoscopic Pituitary & Skull-Base Surgery GW Medical Center, Washington, DC.

Honored Invited Faculty
Theodore H. Schwartz MD, FACS
David and Ursel Barnes Professor of Minimally Invasive Neurosurgery
Department of Neurosurgery, Otolaryngology and Neuroscience
Director, Anterior Skull Base and Pituitary Surgery
Director, Epilepsy Research Laboratory
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Kevin Welch MD, FACS
Associate Professor Department of Otolaryngology -- Head & Neck Surgery
Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine

Local Faculty
James Ecklund, MD
Chairman, Department of Neurosciences, Inova Fairfax Hospital
Medical Director, Department of Neurosciences, Inova

Allen Waziri, MD
Director of Brain Tumor Program
Inova Fairfax Hospital
3300 Gallows Road
Falls Church, VA

This course will provide a comprehensive overview of the newly emerging field of endoscopic skull base surgery combining didactic sessions with hands-on cadaver dissection. At the completion of this course, physicians will have fundamental information on diagnosis and treatment for pituitary conditions, and be equipped to start utilizing the advanced approaches in their own practices.

Fee: $250 for physicians/$25 for residents.
Breakfast, lunch and parking included.

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