ANNUAL MEETING 2015
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COL DAVID W. TOWLE, COURSE DIRECTOR
APRIL 16-19, 2015
SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA

ASSOCIATION OF MILITARY OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIANS & SURGEONS
An Invitation from the Course Director

Dear Colleagues,

It is my privilege to invite you to the AMOPS Annual Meeting this April 16-19 in San Diego, CA. This is the premier educational event in the field of osteopathic military medicine and offers more than basic and advanced sessions for military physicians and students in any stage of his or her career.

Please look through this Registration Brochure and visit our website at amops.org to learn more about the great meeting we have in store. Bring your family along to enjoy the area’s beautiful weather, historic attractions and miles and miles of white sand beaches.

I look very forward to welcoming you to our Annual Meeting 2015 in San Diego.

Very Respectfully,

Dave Towle

David W. Towle  COL (ret) MC  MFS  DMO  
MS MPH DO DME
AMOPS Conclave of Eagles 2012
CME ACCREDITATION
The Association of Military Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons has re-quested that the AOA Council on Continuing Medical Education approve the following CME activities for 28 AOA Category 1-A CME credits. Approval is currently pending.

STATEMENT OF NEED
Given the rapid advances in military medicine, effective diagnostic and interventional modalities are constantly evolving to diagnose and treat patients. The design and implementation of military medical protocols will be reviewed and faculty will discuss the current status of military medicine.

PURPOSE STATEMENT
The Association of Military Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons pro-vides this structured, hands-on learning activity to provide physicians and other healthcare professionals with an opportunity to master military medicine issues. This activity is designed to address the following ABMS/ACGME competencies: patient care and medical knowledge.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COMMERCIAL SUPPORT
This educational activity was designed independent of commercial support.
CME SESSIONS FOCUSED ON G.I. JOE

We have designed a series of excellent CME offerings revolving around a conceptual patient that we will call G.I. Joe . . . . understand that he can be any branch of the warrior class. We will follow the care of this young American warrior from the moment of IED impact to his full recovery through the modern military health care system. You will get a dynamic feel for how far military medicine has evolved and to what extend our capabilities compare favorably to any health care system in the world. The topic specific lectures all involve the critical elements of his holistic care and optimal recovery.

As is our tradition, you will get up to the minute briefings from our various Flag officers and celebrate in a formal military mess [banquet] event. Mark your calendars now for some outstanding CME and even better, for meaningful networking, comradery, and the true fellowship in the brotherhood of arms. Share the news with friends and colleagues, and let’s make this the best AMOPS conference yet!
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Thursday, April 16, 2015
0800-0845 Registration at the Handlery Hotel
0900-1200 AMOPS Special Offsite Event at Strategic Operations
on the lot of Segall Productions
This immersive demonstration will occur at one of the most
unique training facilities in the country (formerly one of the larg-
est independent movie/TV studios in America). You will be on a bat-
tlefield where rocket propelled grenades and IEDs will go off all
around you, and a wounded G.I. Joe will receive tactical combat
casualty care under fire. You will see tourniquet application,
chest need decompression, and a chest tube inserted into a live per-
son. And you may be asked to provide assistance. G.I. Joe will then
be transported to an emergency room and then into an operating
room where you will witness surgery performed on this live pa-
tient (who is wearing the latest “Cut Suit,” a human worn surgical
simulator).
1200-1300 Lunch On Your Own at the Award Winning Studio Diner
(www.studiodiner.com)
1300-1345 Registration at the Handlery Hotel
1345-1400 Welcome and Opening Remarks
by COL Salvador Renteria, AMOPS President
1400-1900 OMT Workshop: Fascial Distortion Model
by Eugene Lenard, DO

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Friday, April 17, 2015

0800-0845 Introduction to Battlefield Medicine
by COL (ret) David W. Towle

0845-0930 Formal Forward Deployed Medical Assets
by LTC Benjamin A. Hill, Jr.

0930 Exhibit Hours

0945-1030 Forward Surgical Capacity
by COL (ret) R. Todd Dombroski

1030-1115 Critical Care in the Air (CCAT)
by Patricio G. Bruno, DO, FAAFP, FHM

1115-1200 CONUS Based Tertiary Care
by Capt (ret) Dennis Amundson

1200 Sponsored Luncheon

1330-1430 Burn Care at Point of Injury
by Todd R. Fredricks, DO, COL MC SFS WVARNG

1430-1530 Vascular Surgery Intervention
by COL (ret) Salvador Renteria

1530-1630 Combat Psychiatry

1630-1730 Rehabilitation of Combat Trauma
by Capt Matthew Puderbaugh

1730-1800 Current Trends in Veterans Research at Ohio University: Interdisciplinary and Institutional Collaboration Projects
by Todd R. Fredricks, DO, COL MC SFS
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Saturday, April 18, 2015

0800-0900 Urological Trauma

0900-1000 Environmental Medicine Effects

1000-1015 Exhibit Hours

1015-1115 Legal Medicine

by David B. Canton, David DO, MPH, JD

1130-1215 Bio Terrorism on the Battlefield

by COL (ret) Charles A. Holt

1215 AMOPS Membership Luncheon

1330-1430 Combat Dental Trauma Management

1430-1530 Nutritional Requirements of Life

1630-1730 2nd Annual Poster Competition

1830-2100 Presidential Banquet, Conclave of Eagles

and Installation of New Officers

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SUNDAY, APRIL 19, 2015

0800-0900  MILITARY CARDIOLOGY PREVENTION AND SCREENING

0900-1000  PODIATRY FOR THE PRIMARY CARE PHYSICIAN

BY JENNIFER A. D'AMICO, DPM

1000 BREAK

1015-1115  IMPLEMENTING AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY SCREENING

1115-1215  UPDATE ON SYNTHETIC AGENTS OF ABUSE

BY ANTHONY DEKKER, DO

1215  CLOSING REMARKS

1230PM PROGRAM CONCLUDES

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Annual Meeting 2015
A Message From Your AMOPS Student Representative

It is my honor to invite all SAMOPS students to register for the 2015 National Student Conference. For the 2nd consecutive year, there will be a separate student conference that will feature and highlight relevant talks and discussions aimed at our specific career progression.

The lineup features military leaders and innovators in their respective fields as well as hands on workshops that will prove invaluable to your military training.

The opportunity for networking and mentorship that is offered to SAMOPS students is beyond any other conference nationwide. Students will be able to gain information regarding their specific career path and absolutely impact their future.

I am very excited about this conference as I have first hand knowledge of the benefit of attending last year. I look forward to seeing you all there.

Very Respectfully,

Matthew Esposito

Matthew Esposito
2LT, US ARMY
National Student Conference

Sunday, April 19, 2015

0800-0845 Military Medicine: Planning for a Successful Military Medical Career
   by Douglas J. Robb, DO, MPH, Lieutenant General, USAF, MC, CFS, Director, Defense Health Agency

0845-0900 Creating a Successful and Thriving Local Club at Your School Led by Whay Cheng

0900-1000 An Overview of Flight Medicine
   by Capt Matthew Puderbaugh

1000-1015 Break

1015-1045 Residency Panel Discussion: What You Need to Know to Land Your Dream Military Residency

1045-1145 Everything You NEED to Know About the New Single Accreditation System and Its Effect on You
   by Clinton Adams, DO, MPA, FACHE, Rear Admiral (retired) United State Navy

1115-1145 Top 5 Secrets for a Successful Military Residency
   by COL (ret) R. Todd Dombroski

1145-1215 Student Panel Discussion with the Flag Officers

1230 Program Concludes

TOP REASONS TO ATTEND

Learn About Osteopathic Military Medicine

Connect with Like-Minded Students

Get an Edge on Your Future by Personally Meeting Flag Officers

Meet Skilled, Experienced and Successful Physicians

Develop Leadership Skills and Apply for Leadership Opportunities

Visit us Today at www.amops.org
National Student Conference

A Don’t Miss Event

Please join us for our Annual Meeting where we will be devoting a full day to our osteopathic medical students. Registration is open and we encourage you to register for this great event.

Visit us today at www.amops.org for details.

Funding is Available for You

We are committed to helping our students attend our National Student Conference and encourage all students to submit a poster for the Poster Competition where cash prizes will be awarded. Please find more information by visiting the website.

Other forms of financial aid are available through many osteopathic medical schools, student government and your local SAM-OPS chapter. Please research these options and find one that works for you.

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Experts in the field of OSTEOPATHIC MILITARY MEDICINE are the ones attending this meeting. These are your peers and colleagues that you will learn from and exchange ideas with.

Our faculty includes DOs, MDs and other health care professionals that are eager and excited to share their knowledge with you.

We have structured our educational program to include plenty of time for education and even time for some recreation and fraternization.

Exhibitors will be onsite to demonstrate their latest products and services. These product demonstrations add the element of interactivity that connects you to the latest products and technology available.

Our four-day ANNUAL MEETING offers virtually unlimited opportunity to renew old contacts and friendships and create new ones. These are physicians who are interested in how YOUR solutions will advance and improve their patient care.

The AMOPS exhibit hall educates attendees by providing information, services and products and presenting industry trends pertinent to the field of medicine. Placing orders and selling exhibited products is permitted.

PERTINENT INFORMATION

SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA

Bordered by the Pacific Ocean to the west, the Anza-Borrego Desert and the Laguna Mountains to the east, and Mexico to the south, the diverse neighborhoods of San Diego are spread out over 4,200 square miles, offering endless opportunities for exploration and activities. Spend a day relaxing in one of the many beach communities, then hiking in the east San Diego County mountains the next. Explore the urban neighborhoods of San Diego’s downtown, from the iconic Gaslamp Quarter to the eclectic community of Hillcrest. Visit the quaint and charming island town of Coronado or the picturesque village of La Jolla. San Diego’s regions are so unique and diverse; there are plenty of options to discover something new each time you visit.

LOCATION

Handlery Hotel San Diego
950 Hotel Circle North
San Diego, CA  92108
(619)398-8334

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

Handlery Hotel is offering special group rate for $119.00 per night.

BOOK YOUR ACCOMMODATIONS BY MARCH 15
REGISTRATION FORM

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Face-to-Face interactions and meetings build relationships and trust
- Education and training are highly effective in a live setting
- In person meetings result in a more effective exchange of ideas
- In person meetings provide the human connection that creates synergies in providing quality patient care