

# LIMB LENGTHENING AND RECONSTRUCTION SOCIETY: ASAMI–NORTH AMERICA

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*Co-chairs: Christopher Iobst, MD  
and Joseph R. Hsu, MD*

8:00 – 8:10 am	<b>Welcome, Announcements</b>
<b>25 YEARS OF LIVING HISTORY</b>	
8:10 – 8:25 am	<b>External Fixation in Bone Infection: Past, Present, and Future</b> <i>George Cierny III, MD (San Diego, CA)</i>
8:25 – 8:40 am	<b>External Fixation in Trauma: Past, Present, and Future</b> <i>J. Tracy Watson, MD (St. Louis, MO)</i>
8:40 – 8:55 am	<b>External Fixation in Pediatrics: Past, Present and Future</b> <i>Deborah Stanitski, MD (Kiawah Island, SC)</i>
8:55 – 9:10 am	<b>Discussion</b>
9:10 – 9:30 am	<b>External Fixation Designs: Past, Present, and Future</b> <i>Stuart A. Green, MD (Irving, CA)</i>
9:30 – 9:50 am	<b>External Fixation: Past, Present, and Future</b> <i>Dror Paley, MD (West Palm Beach, FL)</i>
9:50 – 10:05 am	<b>Discussion</b>
10:05 – 10:15 am	<b>Refreshment Break</b>
<b>SAY WHAT YOU'RE THINKING</b>	
10:15 – 10:30 am	<b>What the Young-uns are Missing</b> <i>James C. Binski, MD (Dayton, OH)</i>
10:30 – 10:45 am	<b>What I Wish Someone Besides the Patient Had Taught Me</b> <i>Craig Robbins, MD (St. Jackson, MS)</i>
10:45 – 11:00 am	<b>How to Make This Fit into My Practice</b> <i>Stuart Gold, MD (Torrance, CA)</i>
11:00 – 11:15 am	<b>Discussion</b>

11:15 – 11:30 am	<b>Military Conflict and the Ilizarov Method: Outdated or Rediscovered?</b> <i>James R. Ficke, MD (San Antonio, TX)</i>
11:30 – 11:45 am	<b>The Top 5 Research Questions I Want LLRS to Answer</b> <i>S. Robert Rozbruch, MD (New York, NY)</i>
11:45 am – 12:00 pm	<b>Discussion</b>
12:00 – 1:00 pm	<b>Lunch On Own</b>
<b>BEST PAPERS FROM LLRS 21ST ANNUAL MEETING, JULY 2011</b>	

1:00 – 1:15 pm	<b>Femoral Lengthening with Fitbone Intramedullary Nail: Preliminary Experience</b> <i>John G. Birch, MD</i>
1:15 – 1:30 pm	<b>A Prospective Clinical Trial of Antimicrobial Titanium Implants Supported by Povidone Iodine</b> <i>Hiroyuki Tsuchiya, MD, PhD</i>
1:30 – 1:45 pm	<b>Monitoring of Peripheral Nerve Function during External Fixation Procedures</b> <i>Marina Makarov, MD</i>
1:45 – 2:00 pm	<b>Discussion</b>
<b>PRESERVING THE FUTURE OF LLRS</b>	
2:00 – 2:15 pm	<b>How to Educate Residents and Fellows in External Fixation Deformity Correction</b> <i>John G. Birch, MD (Dallas, TX)</i>
2:15 – 2:30 pm	<b>How to Educate Residents and Fellows in Trauma External Fixation</b> <i>James J. Hutson, MD (Miami, FL)</i>
2:30 – 2:40 pm	<b>How to Expand the LLRS Membership</b> <i>James J. McCarthy, MD (Cincinnati, OH)</i>
2:40 – 2:50 pm	<b>Discussion</b>
2:50 – 3:15 pm	<b>Refreshment Break</b> – move to Room 2002/2004 for joint LLRS/OTA symposium

3:15 – 5:20 pm	<b>LIMB LENGTHENING AND RECONSTRUCTION SOCIETY / ORTHOPAEDIC TRAUMA ASSOCIATION JOINT SESSION</b> 
<b>COMPLEX LOWER EXTREMITY INJURIES, STANDARD AND WIRE RING FIXATION SOLUTIONS CASE DISCUSSIONS/AUDIENCE ARS</b> <i>Moderator: John K. Sontich, MD (Cleveland, OH)</i>	
3:15 – 3:31 pm	<b>Circular External Fixation Versus Intramedullary Nailing for Severe Open Tibia Fractures</b> <i>Moderator: Robert V. O'Toole, MD (Baltimore, MD)</i>

3:15 pm	<b>Argument Pro-Nailing</b> <i>Michael D. Stover, MD (Maywood, IL)</i>	4:25 pm	<b>Segmental Bone Transport with Indications</b> <i>James J. Hutson, Jr., MD (Miami, FL)</i>
3:23 pm	<b>Argument Pro-External Fixation</b> <i>James C. Binski, MD (Dayton, OH)</i>	4:33 pm	<b>Segmental Bone Loss Case Presentations (with audience participation)</b> <i>J. Tracy Watson, MD (St. Louis, MO)</i>
3:31 pm	<b>Open Tibia Shaft Fracture Case Presentation (with audience participation)</b> <i>Robert V. O'Toole, MD (Baltimore, MD)</i>	4:48 – 5:20 pm	<b>Management of Difficult Peri-Articular Tibia Fractures</b> <i>Moderator: J. Tracy Watson, MD (St. Louis, MO)</i>
3:46 – 4:02 pm	<b>Soft Tissue Defect Management in High Energy Lower Extremity Traumas</b> <i>Moderator: Robert V. O'Toole, MD (Baltimore, MD)</i>	4:48 pm	<b>Argument- Pro-ORIF</b> <i>David Barei, MD (Seattle, WA)</i>
3:46 pm	<b>Argument Pro-Free Tissue Transfer</b> <i>L. Scott Levin, MD (Philadelphia, PA)</i>	4:56 pm	<b>Argument-Pro-Ring External Fixation</b> <i>John K. Sontich MD (Cleveland, OH)</i>
3:54 pm	<b>Argument Pro-Soft Tissue Reduction with External Fixation</b> <i>Joseph R. Hsu, MD (Fort Sam Houston, TX)</i>	5:04 pm	<b>Peri-Articular Tibia Fractures Case Presentations (with audience participation)</b> <i>J. Tracy Watson, MD (St. Louis, MO)</i>
4:02 pm	<b>Soft Tissue Defect Management Cases (with audience participation)</b> <i>Robert V. O'Toole, MD (Baltimore, MD)</i>	5:20 pm	<b>Adjourn</b>
4:17 – 4:33 pm	<b>Management of Segmental Bone Loss</b> <i>Moderator: J. Tracy Watson, MD (St. Louis, MO)</i>		
4:17 pm	<b>Traditional Bone Grafting, Orthobiologies and RIA</b> <i>Timothy G. Weber, MD (Indianapolis, IN)</i>		

