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A Message From the Chair

Patrick I. Borgen, MD

The **Miami Breast Cancer Conference**[®] has brought community oncologists, surgeons, clinicians, researchers, pharmacists, and every discipline of healthcare provider together for the past 3-plus decades, creating an engaging and exhilarating educational program that provides up-to-the-minute advances in breast cancer oncology.

In 2018, our 35th year, our formula for success is as fresh as ever. World-leading experts specializing in surgical, medical, and radiation oncology bring an unrivaled expanse of knowledge and depth of experience to aid in the careful construction of the conference curriculum. Our unique format is founded on the bedrock of real-world utility, with every clinical advancement placed into case-based context. With your patients in mind, the **Miami Breast Cancer Conference**[®] will once again deliver on our simple refrain: "Hear it on Friday, use it on Monday!"

The **Miami Breast Cancer Conference**[®] is distinctly able to cover late-breaking research findings, controversies, and other breakthroughs, passing that knowledge on to our audience in the most expeditated fashion. A yearlong endeavor, our program will cover everything you might have missed and provide new insights into what you already know.

PER[®] and those of us at the **Miami Breast Cancer Conference**[®] are fully committed to you, the learner. This landmark meeting only exists if it valuable to you and your patients.

I hope to see you in Miami next spring. Come ready to learn. There will be a lot to discuss!

Sincerely,

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Patrick I. Borgen, MD Chairman, Department of Surgery Maimonides Hospital Director, Brooklyn Breast Cancer Program Brooklyn, NY



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MiamiBreast Cancer Update

Hot Topics to be Covered in 2018!

Evaluating Ductal Carcinoma in Situ Biomarkers

With the advent of modern screening technologies, the diagnosis rate for ductal carcinoma in situ biomarkers has also increased. Standard treatment includes local surgical resection followed by radiation or endocrine therapy. However, adjuvant treatment is not necessary for all patients. How do we determine which patients will benefit? Join us in Miami to learn how to evaluate potential biomarkers and what screens you can use to test for them!

The Latest Strategies in Oncoplastic Surgery

Evolving strategies in breast-conserving surgery and local tissue rearrangement are incorporating mammoplasty techniques. What are the new frontiers in oncogenic breast surgery? Where is the field going? Join the discussion in Miami!

The Expanded Role of the Surgeon

BRCA mutation status can impact the lives and decisions of patients and their families. With an explosion of genetic screens and cultural drives, surgeons have an increased need to act as genetic counselors. What you need to know and how best to counsel your patients will all be presented in Miami!

The Importance of Opioid-Sparing Approaches

Patrick I. Borgen, MD, chairman of the Department of Surgery at Maimonides Hospital and director of the Brooklyn Breast Cancer Program, discussed the changing mindset on prescription choices in order to address the growing opioid epidemic. Of the more than 70 million patients who are prescribed opioids for postsurgical pain, 1 in 15 will become addicted. This rate is even higher for older patients, especially those undergoing low-risk surgery.

"Obviously, it's time for a change," said Borgen. "Patients don't even like opioids," he continued. "They would rather put up with the pain than get addicted."

Advocating for multidiscipline practices that stress enhanced recovery after surgery and a preference for long-acting, micelle-based local anesthetics, Borgen presented data from trials showing opioid use decreased in patients after surgeons employed these practices. Utilizing these techniques can reduce the time that patients spends in the recovery room, the number of readmissions, and the need for emergency department visits. Concluding his talk, Dr. Borgen shared patient testimonials, showing the true impact these practices can have.

FEATURING Miami Breast Mini-Symposium

The *35th Annual* **Miami Breast Cancer Conference**[®] Mini-Symposium offers an additional educational opportunity for attendees who plan to arrive in Miami the day before the official conference begins. The Mini-Symposium takes the format of a World-Class Tumor Board, featuring cases and discussions that highlight challenging clinical situations commonly faced by surgeons and oncologists.

This special session was developed to be of interest to healthcare practitioners from all specialties and will provide practical information to enhance patient care in the clinic, delivered by top experts in the field of breast cancer. If your schedule allows, we hope you will plan to attend and take advantage of this extra session! <image>

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