



CHICAGO SURGICAL SOCIETY

President's Message
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Welcome to the Chicago Surgical Society:

Thanks to Drs. Yao and Shoup, we weathered the unknown of Covid-19 and remained connected via Zoom. I am looking forward to the possibility of seeing and welcoming those of you that can attend in person meetings this year. Our first meeting on October 7th and will feature Dr. Yao's presidential address and our annual business meeting since these were delayed due to the pandemic. We will also welcome and celebrate our new members. They are the future of our organization, and we are fortunate for their continued interest and dedication to the Chicago Surgical Society. Our November meeting will feature our great debates in surgery. A scientific program or panel discussion is planned for the January meeting. The Bevan Lecture is being moved to February. In April, we will join our colleagues at the Illinois Surgical Conference for a combined meeting and annual resident paper awards. In May, at our final meeting of the year, I will give my presidential address.

I thank you for allowing me to lead this year's Chicago Surgical program as we continue to navigate the many changes during these uncertain times. I hope we can all use this venue to reconnect with each other and show our resident trainees that this Society is vital to the academic mission of Chicago health care.

Looking Forward to Seeing You,
Keith

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