The Leading International Scientific Event for SURGICAL ONCOLOGISTS

EXHIBITOR PROSPECTUS
Symposium: March 27-30, 2019
Exhibits: March 28-29, 2019
San Diego Convention Center | San Diego, California
The SSO Annual Cancer Symposium connects you with the who’s who of the surgical oncology community. Become an exhibitor and meet the most distinguished and influential cancer surgeons, comprised of both academic and community practitioners and health care professionals from all surgical oncology specialties.

Roughly 1,800 attendees will experience firsthand the most comprehensive cross-section of important clinical information, techniques and equipment that will play a central role in surgical oncology in the coming year.

“SSO 2018 provided a unique opportunity to meet with some of the best cancer surgeons in the country across the spectrum of breast, sarcoma, melanoma, and hepatobiliary specialties.”

EDWARD NOBREGA, LUMICELL
WHY EXHIBIT?
SSO 2019 Is the Largest Gathering of Top Decision-Makers from the Surgical Oncologist Community.

REASONS TO EXHIBIT

NETWORK
1,800 Attendees, including difficult to reach surgical oncology professionals from around the world.

BENEFIT
6+ Dedicated Exhibit Hours And all food and break functions scheduled in the Exhibit Hall.

CAPITALIZE
19:1 Rare Physician to Exhibitor Ratio With this highly targeted audience of influential surgeons.

REACH
32% Fellows and Residents Early in their careers and new to the profession.

CONNECT
More than 45 Countries The largest international scientific event for surgical oncologists.

WHO EXHIBITS?
- Pharmaceutical and Biotech Companies
- Medical Device Companies
- Medical Equipment Providers
- Publication Companies
- Surgical Technology Companies
- Medical Recruiters
- Biopsy Product Providers
- Clinical Research Companies
- Laparoscopic and/or Robotic Device Companies
- Information Technology Companies
- Diagnostics/Testing Companies

ANNUAL MEETING OVERVIEW
- 1,800+ Attendees
- 60+ Exhibiting Companies
- 500+ Abstract Presentations
- 400+ Poster Presentations
- 25+ Educational Sessions
- 12 Meet the Professor Breakfasts
- Industry Forums and Industry Satellite Symposia

JOIN US AT SSO 2019!
For more information on becoming an exhibitor contact:
703-631-6200 | ssoexhibits@spargoinc.com

VIEW THE 2018 EXHIBITOR LIST
WHO ATTENDS?

REGISTRATION TYPE COUNT

- Professional Attendance: 1,618
- Total Attendance: 1,894

ATTENDEE DEMOGRAPHICS

- Physician or Scientist: 1,013
- Resident/Fellow/Medical Student: 515
- Pharma or Other: 59
- Allied Health Provider (PA, NP, RN, LPN, LVN): 31

47 COUNTRIES REPRESENTED

TOP 10 STATES IN ATTENDANCE:

1. California
2. Illinois
3. New York
4. Texas
5. Florida
6. Ohio
7. Massachusetts
8. North Carolina
9. Pennsylvania
10. Michigan

TOP 5 INTERNATIONAL COUNTRIES

1. Canada
2. Mexico
3. Netherlands
4. Brazil
5. Japan

OVER 20% INTERNATIONAL ATTENDEES

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EXHIBIT SPACE RATES

EXHIBIT SPACE RENTAL FEE
$29.75 per square foot

CORNER SPACE
$32.25 per square foot

RESERVE A BOOTH

WHAT’S INCLUDED?
- Up to three exhibitor badges per 10’x10’ space
- Attendee pre-registration list to conduct a pre-show mailing
- Company listing in printed Program Guide, on the meeting website and in the mobile application.

UPGRADE YOUR LISTING

LOCATION
San Diego Convention Center
111 W Harbor Dr, San Diego, CA 92101

WHAT’S HAPPENING IN THE EXHIBIT HALL
- Networking Lounge: New this year, networking lounges have been added within disease-site poster areas, giving attendees one more reason to spend time in the Exhibit Hall.
- Dedicated Hours: Two days of exhibits with over six dedicated hours.
- Exhibit Hall Lunch and Refreshment Breaks: Attendees will gather in the Exhibit Hall for multiple social functions scheduled during dedicated breaks in the educational programming.
- Fellows Lounge: Giving Fellows yet another reason to visit the Exhibit Hall and enjoy a private area to share ideas, discuss best practices, and take a few moments for themselves.
- Exhibit Hall Theater: Programming will include SSO late breaking videos, highlighted poster abstract presentations and exhibitor presentations/product theaters.
- Exhibit Hall Happy Hour: All attendees are invited to a Happy Hour in the Exhibit Hall on Thursday evening.

EXHIBITION AND POSTER VIEWING SCHEDULE

Dedicated exhibit hours are included within the overall agenda and all food and break functions are scheduled in the Exhibit Hall.

THURSDAY, MARCH 28

Exhibit Hall/Posters Open
9:30 am - 3:30 pm and 5:00 - 6:00 pm

Opening Refreshment Break
9:30 am - 10:30 am

Exhibit Hall Opening Lunch
12 pm - 1:15 pm

Afternoon Refreshment Break
2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Exhibit Hall Happy Hour
5 pm - 6 pm

FRIDAY, MARCH 29

Exhibit Hall/Posters Open
9:30 am - 4 pm

Refreshment Break
9:30 am - 10:15 am

Exhibit Hall Lunch
11:45 am - 1 pm

Ice Cream Break/Closing
3:15 pm - 4 pm

*Hours are subject to change without notice
ABOUT THE SOCIETY OF SURGICAL ONCOLOGY

The Society of Surgical Oncology is the premier international surgical specialty society for physicians trained in the comprehensive management of surgical patients with cancer. The Society and its members are dedicated to advancing and promoting the science and treatment of cancer. The Society’s members provide unified, comprehensive medical and surgical care to patients with a variety of cancers from diagnosis to completion of treatment, including surgery, chemotherapy, radiation therapy and supportive care. SSO members encompass all surgical subspecialties and treat all disease sites including breast, gastrointestinal, melanoma, liver and pancreatic, head and neck, bone and soft tissue and endocrine.

LEVERAGE SOCIAL MEDIA
By actively using social media to promote your exhibit you will experience interest from attendees and beyond.
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TAKE ADVANTAGE OF SPEAKING OPPORTUNITIES
Don’t miss out on the opportunity to educate prospective customers and end users about your solutions and services.
Exhibit Hall Theater Presentation > Industry Forum Presentation >

CAPTURE YOUR LEADS
Lead retrieval services are available allowing your staff to spend more time engaging prospects and less time recording data.
Lead Retrieval Rental >

ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE
SSO offers many exciting opportunities specifically designed to maximize your exposure, reinforce your brand, and help drive traffic to your booth:
• Marketing Opportunities
• Branding Opportunities
• Presentation and Special Event Opportunities
• Hotel Marketing Opportunities
Available Opportunities >

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