



Eastern Association for
the Surgery of Trauma
Advancing Science,
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and Building Careers

38th Annual Scientific Assembly

JANUARY 14-18, 2025
JW Marriott Tucson Starr Pass
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OVERALL SCHEDULE

TUESDAY, JANUARY 14, 2025

7:30 am-6:00 pm	Registration
7:30 am-6:00 pm	Speaker Preparation
7:30 am-4:00 pm	EAST Development Fund & Information Kiosks
7:00 am-4:00 pm	Community Outreach – Cholla High School, Tucson, AZ – Click here to volunteer

Courses & Workshops - Ticketed session, additional fees apply. Pre-registration required.

8:00 am-4:30 pm	Thinking Big: Leadership Development for the National Stage An EAST Leadership Development Workshop <i>Presented by the EAST Career Development Committee</i>
12:30 pm-4:30 pm	Bridging the Gap: An EAST Chief Residents & Fellows Workshop <i>Presented by the EAST Career Development Committee</i>
1:30 pm-5:15 pm	TCAA: Trauma Performance Improvement <i>Presented by the Trauma Center Association of America (TCAA) Supported by the EAST Quality, Safety & Outcomes Committee</i>

4:00 pm-8:30 pm EAST Board of Directors Meeting

1:00 pm-5:00 pm Exhibit Set-up

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15, 2025

6:30 am-7:30 am	Friends of Bill W
6:30 am-6:30 pm	Registration
6:30 am-5:45 pm	Speaker Preparation
7:00 am-4:00 pm	Exhibits Open
7:00 am-4:45 pm	EAST Development Fund & Information Kiosks
7:00 am-8:00 am	Breakfast in the Exhibit Hall
8:00 am-8:30 am	Opening Ceremony - Flag Ceremony Presentation of John P. Pryor, MD Distinguished Service in Military Casualty Care Award Opening Remarks
8:30 am-10:00 am	Scientific Session I: Raymond H. Alexander, MD Resident Paper Competition (Papers 1-4) Moderators: Ben L. Zarzaur, MD, MPH & Adam Price, MD (2024 Basic Science Paper Award Recipient)
10:00 am-10:30 am	Morning Break - Refreshments provided in the Exhibit Hall
10:30 am-12:00 pm	Scientific Session II: Raymond H. Alexander, MD Resident Paper Competition (Papers 5-8) Moderators: Bradley Dennis, MD & Elise Biesboer, MD (2024 Clinical Science Paper Award Recipient)



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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15, 2025 (CONTINUED)

- 11:30 am-5:00 pm **EAST In the Arena Live Podcasts**
Presented by the EAST Educational Resources Committee
- Industry Satellite Symposiums**
- 12:00 pm-1:15 pm Satellite Symposium – AVITA Medical
12:00 pm-1:15 pm Satellite Symposium – Cerus Corporation
12:00 pm-1:15 pm Satellite Symposium – Prytime Medical Devices
- 1:15 pm-2:15 pm Educational Sessions – Concurrent Sessions**
- 1:15 pm-2:15 pm **EAST & WTA - Collaborative Review of Guidelines
with Western Trauma Association**
Presented by the EAST Guidelines Committee with Western Trauma Association
- 1:15 pm-2:15 pm **The Two Hit Hypothesis of EGS: Navigating Surgical Emergencies
in Patients with Advanced Co-morbidities**
Presented by the EAST Emergency General Surgery Committee
- 2:15 pm-2:30 pm Break in the Exhibit Hall
- 2:30 pm-3:30 pm **Opening Keynote - Presidential Address**
Ben L. Zarzaur, MD, MPH, FACS
- 3:30 pm-3:45 pm Break in the Exhibit Hall
- 3:45 pm-4:45 pm Educational Sessions – Concurrent Sessions**
- 3:45 pm-4:45 pm **Problem-solving in Caring for the Polytrauma-Burn Patient**
Presented by the EAST Burn Surgery Committee
- 3:45 pm-4:45 pm **Healing as a Team: Navigating Alcohol Use Disorder**
*Presented by the EAST4ALL Committee, EAST Member Recruitment &
Retention Committee, and the EAST Career Development Committee*
- 5:00 pm-6:00 pm Educational Sessions – Concurrent Sessions**
- 5:00 pm-6:00 pm **Improving Rural Trauma Care Through Protocol Sharing:
A Panel Discussion on Local Support, Transfer Guidance & Quality**
Presented by the EAST Rural and Community Care Committee
- 5:00 pm-6:00 pm **So, You Want to be an Advocate**
*Presented by the EAST Advocacy Ad Hoc Task Force & the
EAST Career Development Committee*
- 6:30 pm-8:30 pm Opening Reception



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6:30 am-4:30 pm	Registration
6:30 am-5:45 pm	Speaker Preparation
7:00 am-4:00 pm	Exhibits Open
7:00 am-4:45 pm	EAST Development Fund & Information Kiosks
7:00 am-8:30 am	Breakfast in the Exhibit Hall
7:30 am-8:30 am	So You Want to Be a Division Chief <i>Presented by the EAST Mentor Member Committee</i>
8:30 am-9:30 am	EAST Annual Oriens Presentations <i>Presented by the EAST Career Development Committee</i> Moderator: Vanessa Ho, MD, MPH
8:30 am-9:20 am	Keynote Address: Selwyn O. Rogers, Jr., MD, MPH, FACS
9:20 am-9:30 am	2025 EAST Oriens Essay Presentations
9:30 am-10:00 am	Morning Break - Refreshments provided in the Exhibit Hall
10:00 am-11:00 am	Quick Shots Session I (Papers 1-10) Moderators: Alexandra Briggs, MD & Michael Cripps, MD
10:00 am-11:00 am	Quick Shots Session II (Papers 11-20) Moderators: Lauren Dudas, MD & Ronnie Mubang, MD
11:00 am-11:15 am	Break - Refreshments provided in the Exhibit Hall
11:15 am-12:15 pm	Scientific Session III: Cox-Templeton Injury Prevention Paper Competition (Papers 9-12) Moderators: Leah Tatebe, MD & Grace Keegan, BS (<i>2024 Paper Award Recipient</i>)
11:30 am-4:00 pm	EAST In the Arena Live Podcasts <i>Presented by the EAST Educational Resources Committee</i>
Industry Satellite Symposiums	
12:15 pm-1:30 pm	Satellite Symposium – Johnson & Johnson MedTech
12:15 pm-1:30 pm	Satellite Symposium - TBD
12:15 pm-1:30 pm	Satellite Symposium – TBD
12:15 pm-1:30 pm	EAST Past Presidents Lunch (By invitation only)



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- 1:40 pm-3:40 pm **Scientific Session IV**
(Papers 13-17)
Moderators: Niels Martin, MD & Libby Schroeder, MD
- 1:40 pm-3:40 pm **Scientific Session V**
(Papers 18-23)
Moderators: Scott Armen, MD & Bellal Joseph, MD
- 4:30 pm-6:00 pm **No Suit, No Problem: Fostering Relationships
& Building Careers**
*Presented by the EAST Career Development Committee
(RSVP requested)*

FRIDAY, JANUARY 17, 2025

- 6:30 am-1:30 pm Registration
- 6:30 am-5:00 pm Speaker Preparation
- 7:00 am-11:00 am Exhibits Open
- 7:00 am-5:00 pm EAST Development Fund & Information Kiosks
- 7:00 am-8:30 am Breakfast in the Exhibit Hall
- 7:30 am-9:30 am **Scientific Session VI**
(Papers 24-29)
Moderators: Avi Bhavaraju, MD & Christina Riojas, MD
- 7:30 am-9:30 am **Scientific Session VII**
(Papers 30-35)
Moderators: Mike Mallah, MD & Alexis Moren, MD, MPH
- 9:30 am-9:45 am Morning Break - Refreshments provided in the Exhibit Hall
- 9:45 am-10:45 am **Engage the Experts**
Presented by the EAST Career Development Committee
- 10:45 am-11:15 am **EAST Annual Report, Gavel Exchange &
Awards & Recognition Ceremony**
- Raymond H. Alexander, MD Resident Paper Competition
 - EAST Oriens Award
 - John M. Templeton, Jr., MD Military Call to Service Scholarship
 - Cox-Templeton Injury Prevention Paper Award
 - 2024 Brandeis Executive Leadership Scholarship Recipient
 - 2025 John M. Templeton, Jr., MD Injury Prevention Research Scholarship
 - 2025 Trauma Research Scholarship
 - 2025 Multicenter Trials Junior Investigator Award
 - 2025 Leadership Development Workshop Scholarship Recognition



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11:30 am-12:30 pm **Scott B. Frame, MD Memorial Lecture**
Martin A. Croce, MD, FACS
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Short Courses – Concurrent Sessions

1:00 pm-5:00 pm **EAST Short Course 1**
**Robotic Applications Across the Spectrum from Elective
to Emergency Surgery**
Presented by the EAST Emergency General Surgery Committee

1:00 pm-5:00 pm **EAST Short Course 2**
Trauma Surgeon Scientists Needed
*Presented by the EAST Research-Scholarship Committee and
the EAST Multicenter Trials Committee*

1:00 pm-5:00 pm **EAST Short Course 3**
Gun Safety is No Accident
Presented by the EAST Injury Control and Violence Prevention Committee

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