



Fellowship in Minimally Invasive Gynecologic Surgery

Fellowship year July 1, 2013 to June 30, 2014

Important Dates of the Fellowship:

- **Program start date:**
July 1, 2013
- **Deadline to submit application:**
July 1, 2012
- **Interviews with applicants:**
To be determined by each site.
To be scheduled no later than September 2012
- **Submission of Rank List:**
October 5, 2012
- **Notification of match results:**
October 26, 2012

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AAGL *Advancing Minimally Invasive Gynecology Worldwide*

and the

Society of

Reproductive Surgeons

(an affiliate society of the American Society for Reproductive Medicine)

The Fellowship in Minimally Invasive Gynecologic Surgery, an affiliate of the AAGL and the Society of Reproductive Surgeons, is sponsoring fellowships in advanced gynecologic endoscopy. These fellowships were created with the goal of producing a standardized training program. The Fellowship provides an opportunity for gynecologists who have completed their residency to acquire additional skills in minimally invasive gynecologic surgery.

Educational objectives focus on evidence based medicine, anatomical principles, instrumentation, operative laparoscopy and operative hysteroscopy. The Fellowship offers in depth experience using state-of-the-art techniques to treat abnormal uterine bleeding, pelvic pain, myomata, endometriosis, adhesive disease, and pelvic relaxation.

This fellowship also aims to further research in the field of minimally invasive gynecology. Fellows are required to complete a scholarly contribution to be presented at the annual meetings of the AAGL and ASRM.

The overall goal of fellowship training in minimally invasive gynecology is for the graduate to serve as an independent specialist and consultant in the surgical management and techniques of minimally invasive gynecology surpassing competence expected at the end of a categorical residency. The graduate is anticipated to serve as a scholarly and surgical resource for the community and have the ability to care for patients with complex gynecologic disease and manage complications using minimally invasive techniques.

The Fellowship in Minimally Invasive Gynecologic Surgery actively encourages applications from postgraduate physicians aspiring to develop their surgical skills in minimally invasive gynecology.