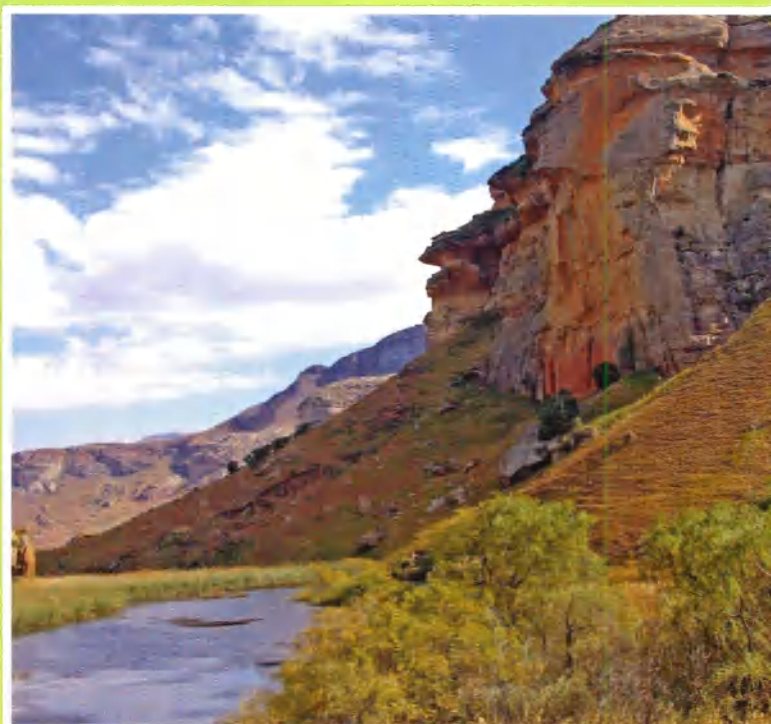
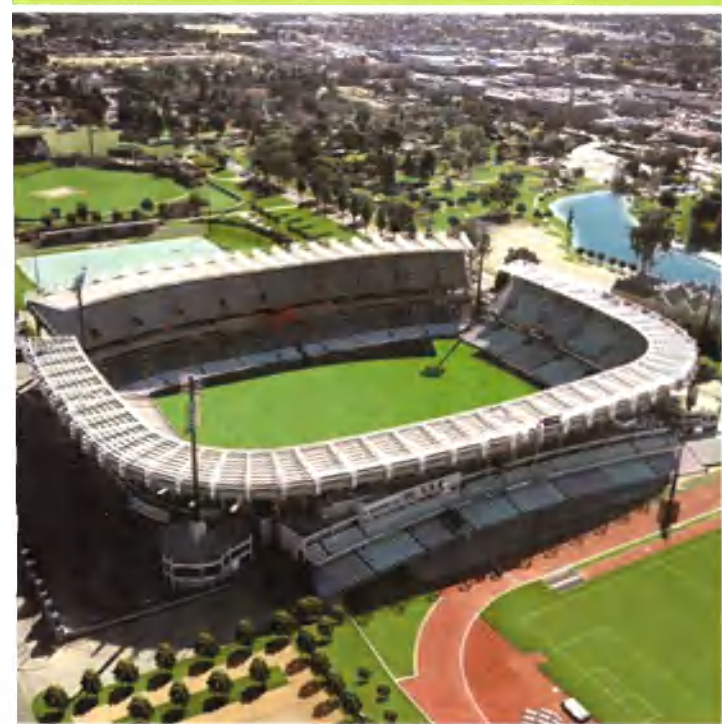




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WELCOME MESSAGE PRESIDENT : SASSH

MICHAEL SOLOMONS



Dear Colleagues

A warm welcome to the judicial capital of our country. The 'City of Roses' as Bloemfontein is known never fails to deliver a fantastic meeting. We return to this venue for the Annual Refresher Course to cover the important topics of Infection, Tumours, Rehabilitation and Amputations. On a daily basis we deal with these critical pathologies and a cutting edge approach is mandatory to optimise patient care.

Prof Konstantinos Malizos is joined by an experienced local faculty to bring us up to speed on these subjects.

One small request please. We all deal with these pathologies on a daily basis and therefore all have experience, anecdotes and queries. Too often meetings can be didactic and one sided. Please help to make this meeting as interactive as possible.

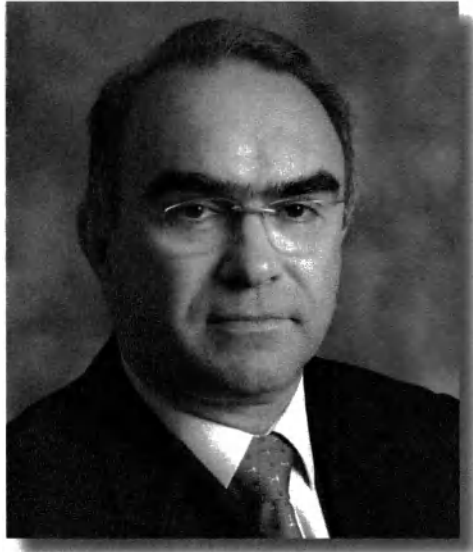
If you don't understand - ASK and if you don't agree – CHALLENGE.

We often learn more from the questions and answers than from the actual lecture itself.

Welcome!

INTERNATIONAL VISITOR

KONSTANTINOS MALIZOS



Prof Malizos is President of Orthopaedics at the School of Health Sciences of the University of Thessaly. He is also Director of the Institute of Biomedical Research and Technology. He is a member of 15 scientific societies and has authored more than 120 publications in peer-reviewed journals. He has also written 22 book chapters and two books. Professor Malizos has received 11 international awards.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS AND INFORMATION

ADMISSION BADGES

Participants are requested to wear their admission badges during the course of the event

CPD REGISTER

- Discovery Health will handle the CPD formalities on a daily basis and will be located in the Trade Exhibition Area
- You will receive notification via a sms message to download your certificate from the website
- No certificates are issued by SASSH anymore

DRESS CODE

Casual attire for congress sessions

IMPORTANT

- Admission badges should be worn at all times. Only delegates wearing their badges will be permitted to enter the lecture hall, exhibition area and the social function
- Please switch off all cell phones in the lecture hall

INFORMATION FOR SPEAKERS

Keeping to your allocated time is a courtesy to all following speakers. The chairs of the sessions have been instructed to exert tight control and interrupt lengthy presentations. Please make sure you are aware of the time allotted to you for your presentation

Please hand your presentation to the audiovisual technicians at least 3 hours prior to the session in which the presentation is being given. They will be available in the congress venue to receive your material

INFORMATION/REGISTRATION DESK

The Information/Registration Desk will be situated in the Trade Exhibition Area

Please feel free to visit the Desk should you require any assistance

LANGUAGE

The official language of the congress will be English. No simultaneous translation service will be provided

SOCIAL FUNCTION: SATURDAY 26 MARCH at 18h30

Emoya Estate is located approximately 3 km after Ilanga. No transport will be supplied. Experience a relaxed atmosphere and thus casual wear is recommended. Cash bar facilities will be available at the venue

SMOKING

In accordance with Government Legislation regarding smoking in public areas, kindly note that this venue is a non-smoking area

TRADE EXHIBITORS

Kindly make every effort to visit all the stands

Teas and lunches will be served in the Trade Exhibition Area



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CONGRESS 2011
2-4 SEPTEMBER
SUN CITY HOTEL (MAIN HOTEL)
SUN CITY COMPLEX

Dear Delegate

SASSH is proud to announce that the Annual Congress will be held in the Baobab Lecture Halls, Main Hotel, Sun City Complex from 2-4 September 2011.

However, at this stage the President and Executive Committee would like to bring to your attention the following important information with regards Accommodation Bookings at Sun City Complex.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION
REDUCTION AND CANCELLATION POLICY FOR ACCOMMODATION BOOKINGS AT SUN CITY

Sun International has strict rules with regards accommodation reservations and the client (in this case SASSH) has to adhere to these arrangements. By contract SASSH is **holding a block booking at the Main Hotel only** and the following policy will be applicable:

Date Range	Total Cancellation Penalty Charge	Reduction Penalty Charge
>180 days before arrival	Equals 50% of rooms held	Full charge for more than 50% of rooms reduced
179-45 days before arrival	Equals 80% of rooms held	Full charge for more than 20% of rooms reduced
44-14 days before arrival	Equals 95% of rooms held	Full charge for more than 5% of rooms reduced
13 to same day arrival	Equals 100% of rooms held	100% of rooms reduced

This means:

1. **On 6 March** (179 days) SASSH will release 50% of the rooms held without any penalty payment
2. **On 19 July** (44 days) SASSH will release a further 20% of the balance of the rooms held without any penalty payment
3. **Up to 19 August** SASSH will release another 5%
4. **From 20 August** a full cancellation penalty is applicable and payable by SASSH

Thus: if by **the above dates** rooms have not been booked, SASSH will release these rooms in order to avoid paying cancellation fees. The release dates that SASSH have agreed to are as per the table above. We are unable to hold rooms that have not been booked beyond these dates as then SASSH is at risk of incurring cancellation penalties.

Sun International cannot guarantee availability after cancellation of these rooms. There is an overall shortage of rooms in the Greater Sun City complex and there is no accommodation options in the vicinity.

I trust that the above information will thus encourage you to do your reservation at your earliest convenience.

Kind regards

DR MIKE SOLOMONS
PRESIDENT: SASSH

HENDRIKA VAN DER MERWE
CONGRESS COORDINATOR



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SASSH CONGRESS

2011

DATE

2 – 4 September

VENUE

**Baobab Conference Area
Sun City Main Hotel**

INTERNATIONAL SPEAKER

Scott Wolfe, MD
Hospital for Special Surgery
New York



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ACCOMMODATION RESERVATION FORM

How to make your reservation:

- Option 1** Phone Sun International Central Reservations on **+27 (0) 11 780 7818** and quote your **Group ID** (found in rates table in this form) for the hotel of your choice and provide them with the relevant information.
- Option 2** Fax the form on the reverse of this page to Group Reservations on **+27 (0) 11 780 7596**.
- Option 3** E-mail the form on the reverse of this page to **grpresv@za.suninternational.com**
- You will receive written confirmation of your booking within 24 hours

How to pay for your reservation:

Please note that FULL PREPAYMENT for any accommodation booked is required within 10 days of making your booking, alternatively your booking will be released.

Option 1: Credit Card

- Fax or email the credit card form on the reverse of this page to Group Reservations on **+27 (0) 11 780 7596** or to **grpresv@za.suninternational.com**.

Option 2: Direct Deposit

- If you do not have a credit card, you will be required to make a cash deposit into Sun International's bank account within 10 days of making the reservation, alternatively your booking will be released.
- Fax your deposit slip to the Advance Deposit Manager at **+27 (0) 11 780 7168**.
- Please include your reservation number and contact telephone number on the deposit slip.

Banking Details:

- Sun International Limited c/o Local Advance Deposits
Standard Bank, Sandton Branch, 019205, Current Account
Account number: 02 267 1889

Terms and Conditions:

- Accommodation will be allocated on a 'first come, first served' basis.
- Please note that "split weekends" are not permitted.
- On arrival at your hotel, you will be required to provide a credit card guarantee or cash deposit, to cover charges you may incur over and above your accommodation.
- The rates quoted are net, per room, per night including Bed & Breakfast, tourism levy and 14% VAT.
- These rates are valid for the period of the **1st to the 4th of September 2011** Only.

Cancellations:

- A cancellation made 7 days prior to arrival date will entitle you to a full refund of the money's paid, upon written request faxed to the Advance Deposit Manager on **+27 (0) 11 780 7168**.
- A cancellation made within 7 days of arrival date will result in the forfeit of one night's accommodation including the relevant taxes.
- In the event of a "no-show" the full package price will be retained.

Accommodation is subject to availability

LOCATION	ROOM TYPE	GROUP ID	MIDWEEK Sunday – Thursday Nights		WEEKEND Friday & Saturday Nights	
			Double	Single	Double	Single
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	LUXURY FAMILY ROOM		R2 851	R2 691	R2 851	R2 691

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Please read the terms and conditions and sign in the space provided below in acceptance thereof					
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Partner's Surname		Partner's Name		Title	
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					Postal Code
Facsimile		Tel (B)		Tel (H) / Cellphone	
Arrival Date			Departure Date		
Group ID	SASSHSC01				
Special Requests / Instructions?					
Guest Signature		Name			

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CARD HOLDERS SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

Please fax completed details to Advance Payments on Fax (011) 780 7168 or mail to payments@za.suninternational.com .

It remains the responsibility of the Card Holder to verify if this authorisation has been received and processed onto the correct reservation.

Reservations where card payments been declined by Card Division, will be cancelled.

Cancellation of reservations made 7 days prior to the arrival date will result in a cancellation fee of the first nights accommodation being charged.

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ANNUAL REFRESHER COURSE

25-27 FEBRUARY 2011

ILANGA ESTATE, BLOEMFONTEIN

INFECTION, TUMORS, AMPUTATIONS AND REHABILITATION

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

Friday 25 February 2011

1200-1700	Trade Set-up
1230	Executive Committee Meeting
	Free Evening

Saturday 26 February 2011

0700-0750	Registration
0750-0800	Welcome and Announcements

SESSION ONE CHAIR: DR MICHAEL SOLOMONS

0800-0815	What's New in the World of Bugs (MRSA etc) and Antibiotics? (Microbiologist)	Dr Gene Elliot
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0815-0820	Discussion	
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0820-0835	Surgical Prophylaxis, Guidelines for Biopsies, Smears etc. Where does Surgical Infection come from?	Dr Gene Elliot
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0835-0840	Discussion	
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Acute Infections

0840-0850	(a) Paronychia + Felon	Dr Michael Carides
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0850-0905	(b) Web Space Abscess + Flexor Sheath Infection	Dr Martin Wells
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0905-0925	(c) Deep Palm Infection	Prof Konstantinos Malizos
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0925-0930	Discussion	
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0930-0945	Human Bites	Prof Ulrich Mennen
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0945-0950	Discussion	
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0950-1005	Animal Bites	Dr Johan vd Westhuizen
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1005-1010	Discussion	
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Special Problems

1010-1020	(a) Diabetic Hand	Dr Andrew Barrow
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1020-1040	(b) HIV and Hands	Dr Johan van Rensburg
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1040-1045	Discussion	(Physician)
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1045-1115	TEA	
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SESSION TWO CHAIR: DR MICHAEL CARIDES

1115-1130	Hand Therapy of the Swollen/Infected Hand
1130-1135	Discussion
1135-1145	Pharmacological Management of CRPS
1145-1150	Discussion
1150-1200	Leprosy
1200-1205	Discussion
1205-1220	Skin Conditions that Mimic Infection
1220-1225	Discussion
1225-1240	TB Hand and Wrist (Including MOTT)
1240-1245	Discussion
1245-1305	Septic Non-union of Upper Limb
1305-1315	Discussion
1315-1415	LUNCH

Ms Jennifer Blenkinsop

Prof Gillian Lamerclaw
(Pain Clinic)

Prof Werner Sinclair
(Dermatologist)

Prof Werner Sinclair

Dr Ajmal Ikram

Prof Konstantinos Malizos

SESSION THREE CHAIR: DR MARTIN WELLS**AMPUTATION**

1415-1430	To replant or not?
1430-1435	Discussion
1435-1450	Finger Amputations (Including how does a Ray Amputation Affect the Hand)
1450-1455	Discussion
1455-1510	Transmetacarpal Amputations
1510-1515	Discussion
1515-1530	Wrist and Distal Forearm Amputation
1530-1535	Discussion
1535-1550	Around Elbow Amputations – Principles
1550-1555	Discussion
1555-1610	Shoulder and Humerus Amputations – Principles
1610-1615	Discussion
1615-1635	Vascularised Fibula Graft in Upper Limb
1635-1640	Discussion
1640-1710	TEA

Dr Andrew Barrow

Dr Mike Solomons

Dr Odette Koch

Dr Erich Mennen

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Dr FP du Plessis

Prof Konstantinos Malizos

**SESSION FOUR CHAIR: DR JOHAN VD WESTHUIZEN
PROSTHETICS AND REHABILITATION**

1710-1740	Upper Limb Prosthetics – Cutting Edge 2011
1740-1745	Discussion
1745-1815	Rehabilitation in Upper Limb Amputation
1815-1820	Discussion
1830-late	EMOYA ESTATE – FUN AND WILD EVENING

Mr Stephan Kritzinger

Ms Kim Shankland/
Mr Tony Madden

END OF DAY ONE

Sunday 27 February 2011

0730-0750 Registration

SESSION FIVE CHAIR: DR ROGER NICHOLSON TUMOURS

0800-0815	Biopsy of Tumours and Fixation of Specimens – Bone Lesions of the Hand	Prof Cathy Beukes (Pathologist)
0815-0820	Discussion Skin Lesion	
0820-0835	(a) Benign	Prof Werner Sinclair
0835-0845	(b) Malignant – Basal Cell CA, Squamous CA	Dr Marshall Murdoch
0845-0855	(c) Malignant Melanoma	Dr Mark van der Velde
0855-0900	Discussion Soft Tissue Tumours	
0900-0915	(a) Diagnostic Imaging of Benign and Malignant Tumours	Dr Gebs Gebremariam (Radiologist)
0915-0930	(b) Benign – Lipoma, GCT, inclusion or dermoid cysts	Dr Jackie Muller
0930-0945	(c) Malignant Soft Tissue Tumours	Dr Adriaan Smit
0945-0950	Discussion	
0950-1020	TEA	

SESSION SIX CHAIR: PROF THEO LE ROUX TUMOURS (contd)

	Bone Tumours	
1020-1035	(a) Benign	Dr Martin Wells
1035-1050	(b) Malignant Tumours: Staging, Grading and Management	Prof Theo le Roux
1050-1055	Discussion	
	Nerve Tumours	
1055-1110	(a) Benign	Dr Phillip Webster
1110-1125	(b) Malignant	Dr Nikki van der Walt
1125-1130	Discussion	

SESSION SEVEN CHAIR: PROF ULRICH MENNEN

1130-1200	Ethics Lecture: Feeding the Right Wolf	Dr Poen Louw
1200-1210	Vascular Malformation of the Hand	Dr Roger Nicholson
1210-1215	Discussion	
1215-1230	Ganglion – What are They and What to Do with Them?	Dr Steve Carter
1230-1235	Discussion	
1235-1255	Scaphoid Non-Union	Prof Konstantinos Malizos
1255-1300	Discussion	
1300	Closure by the President	Dr Mike Solomons

END OF COURSE

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

- ❖ **Committee** Drs Michael Solomons and Evert Visser
- ❖ **Course Coordinator** Hendrika van der Merwe

FUTURE SASSTH EVENTS

❖ **SASSTH CONGRESS 2011**

Event 42nd Annual Congress
Date 2 - 4 September 2011
Venue Baobab Conference Area
Sun City Main Hotel
Sun City Complex

Invited Guest Scott Wolfe, MD
New York

Our guest at this year's congress is Scott Wolfe from Hospital for Special Surgery in New York. Scott is one of the Current Editors of Greens Operative Hand Surgery and as such is a mine of information backed up by enormous experience. His talks are varied and range from common wrist pathology, to distal radius fractures, to osteoarthritis, flap coverage and Brachial Plexus trauma. Having heard him talk, delegates can expect a crisp, succinct and well delivered overview on these important subjects. Miss him at your peril!

❖ **SASSTH REFRESHER COURSE 2012**

Topic Trauma
Date February 2012
Venue Pretoria

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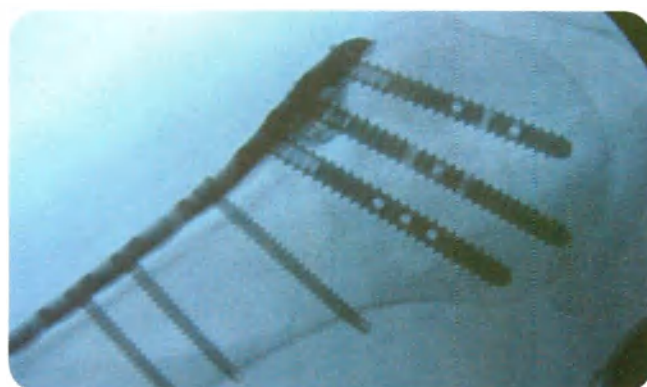
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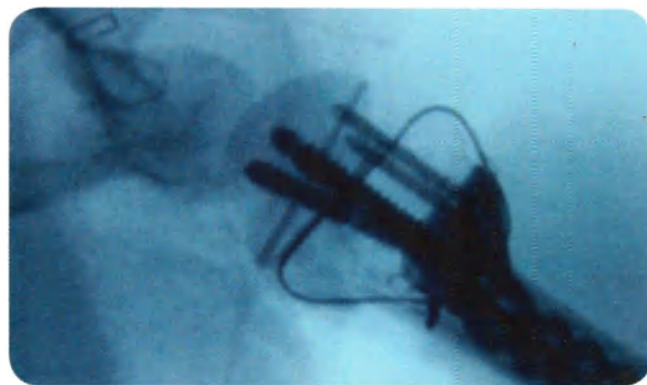
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