

Stony Brook General Surgery Residency Program



Department of Surgery



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PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Stony Brook's surgical residency, established in 1974, is an ACGME-approved five-year postgraduate training program, designed to offer residents a broad range of experience in general surgery, as well as in the surgical subspecialties.

The general emphasis of the program is to provide residents with an educational experience that will prepare them for a productive and fulfilling career in surgery.

Since the career goals of individual residents differ, it is the goal of our residency training to provide a broad base of surgical education from which a career as a community practitioner, researcher, or academician can be equally well pursued. The program likewise ensures that those residents completing the program will meet the

standards of professional excellence adopted by the American Board of Surgery and will be fully eligible for board certification.

Stony Brook University Hospital, a tertiary care hospital serving greater than 1.5 million people on Long Island, provides the academic base for our program of residency training.

The members of our surgical staff are all full-time faculty of Renaissance School of Medicine at Stony Brook University and are committed to resident training. At University Hospital, the resident has the opportunity to rotate not only on the general surgery service, but also to gain experience on cardiothoracic, pediatric, plastics, surgical oncology, minimally invasive and bariatrics, transplantation, trauma/burns, acute care surgery, head and neck, and vascular surgical services. In addition,

surgical residents gain an extensive experience in surgical intensive care during rotations in the surgical intensive care unit and cardiovascular intensive care unit.

While University Hospital is the epicenter of our residency training program, several important affiliates (Northport Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Stony Brook Southampton, Good Samaritan Hospital, Stony Brook Eastern Long Island) serve an invaluable role to our resident training. Residents gain a greater breadth of experience observing and learning the various institutional practices and career models available to general surgery graduates furthering their preparation for a fulfilling career individualized to each resident's career goals.

MISSION

We transform lives through scientific discovery, education and healthcare.

VISION

We bring together innovative research, advanced education and extraordinary healthcare expertise to set the standard for how healthy communities thrive.



VALUES

INTEGRITY

We are honest and ethical in our interactions.

COMPASSION

We are empathetic and commit to understanding how to best serve individuals.

ACCOUNTABILITY

We take responsibility for our actions, decisions and behaviors and their impact on the global community.

RESPECT

We value equity, inclusion and diversity, treating all with dignity, courtesy and consideration.

EXCELLENCE

We achieve the highest standards in quality, safety and service.

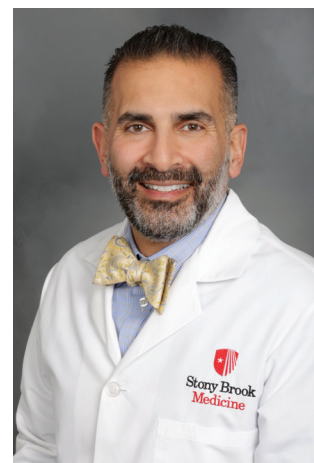


Apostolos Tassiopoulos, MD, FACS
Professor of Surgery
Chair, Department of Surgery

A Message from the Chair and Division Chief

As a pivotal component of the largest University Medical Center in Suffolk County, The Department of Surgery is comprised of 10 divisions consisting of over 60 specialized full-time faculty members, some of whom are national leaders in their fields. We take great pride in not only the care we give to our patients but in the tutelage and training that our residents and faculty experience during their time at Stony Brook Medicine.

Over the 50 years since the Department of Surgery's founding, we have remained committed to advancing our residents' clinical and academic skills by pioneering groundbreaking surgical interventions, advanced simulation training and innovative research. Our mission is simple and steadfast, to provide advanced surgical experiences through highly skilled surgical teams with one end goal: Delivering the highest quality, patient-centered care to our communities.



Sherif Abdel-Misih, MD
Professor of Surgery
Director, SBUH General Surgery Residency,
Division of Surgical Oncology

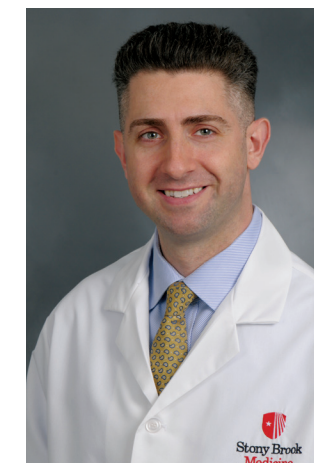
A Message from the Program Director

The Stony Brook University General Surgery residency program is an integral part of the tripartite academic mission of the Department of Surgery, comprised of clinical experience, research and education. Through education combined with outstanding clinical care and scientific discovery, the program aims to train professional, knowledgeable, outstanding, autonomous surgeons who become leaders in their own unique professional careers. To do so, we have assembled a complement of faculty focused on resident education, clinical innovation and advances in basic, clinical and translational research. In this way, we have assured that our resident trainees are not only exposed to the scientific basis of surgical practice, but interact with faculty who are dedicated to the pursuit of new knowledge and the development of new technologies in advancing surgical care.

We are committed to providing residents with both broad and in-depth exposure to the various surgical diseases embodying general surgery. Additionally, the training experience exposes residents to different teaching sites and faculty including academic practice and community based practices which is valuable to providing the breadth of practice and careers in surgery. We believe that our residency program in surgery provides the clinical, scientific, educational, collegial and supportive environment for every trainee to become leaders in their own right of their personal and professional careers in surgery.



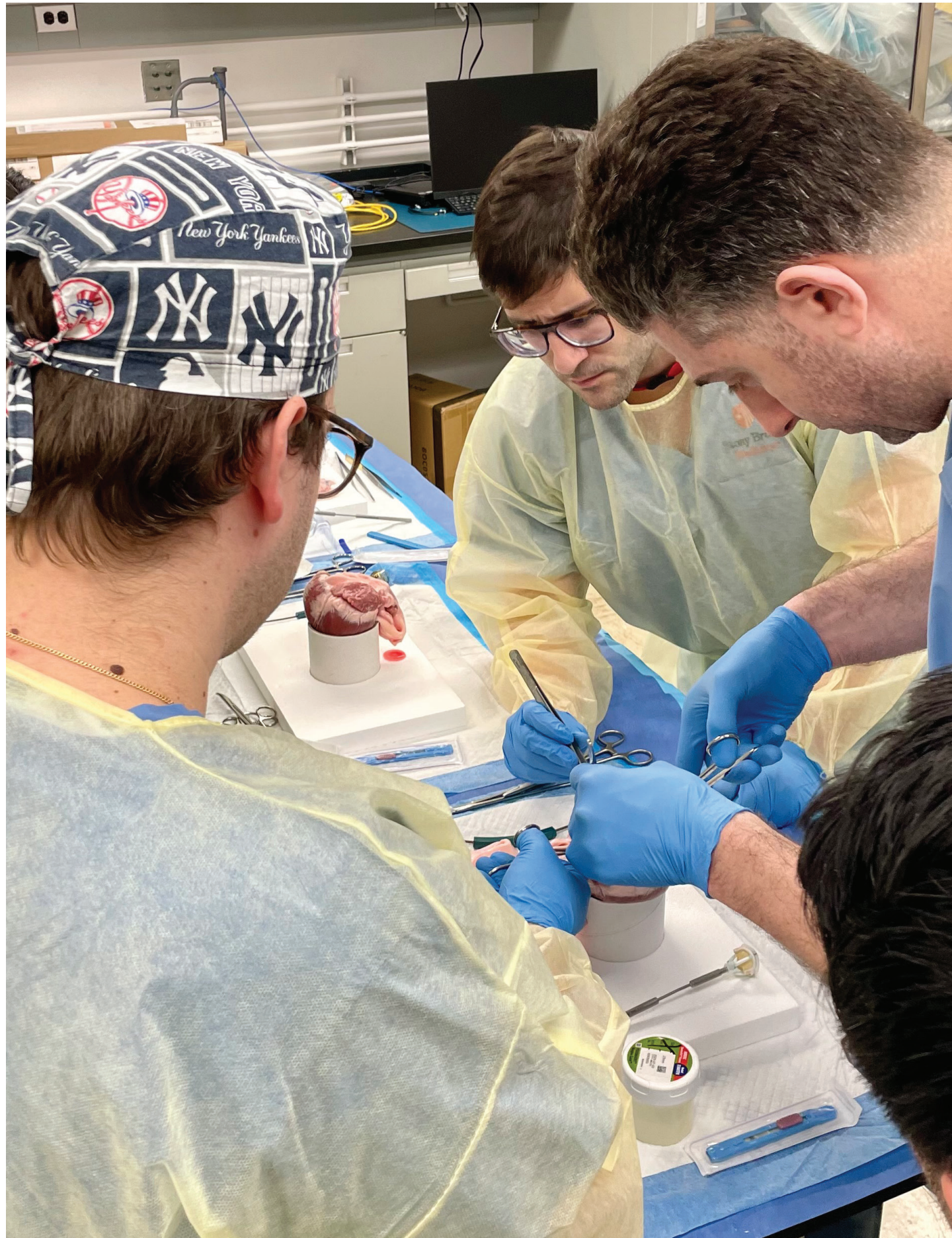
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Stony Brook Medicine integrates and elevates all of Stony Brook University's health-related initiatives: education, research and patient care.

This includes our Health Sciences schools — Medicine, Dental, Health Professions, Nursing and Social Welfare — a Program in Public Health, as well as Stony Brook University Hospital, Stony Brook Children's Hospital, Stony Brook Southampton Hospital, Stony Brook Eastern Long Island Hospital, Long Island State Veterans Home, and more than 200 community-based healthcare settings throughout Suffolk County. With 628 beds, Stony Brook University Hospital serves as Suffolk County's only tertiary/quaternary care center and Level 1 Trauma Center for both adults and children, and is home to Stony Brook Heart Institute, Stony Brook Cancer Center, Stony Brook Children's Hospital and Stony Brook Neurosciences Institute.

Suffolk County's Premier Academic Healthcare System

Where we are strongly rooted in:

Research, where ideas are explored, tested and brought to light. At Stony Brook Medicine, we develop lifesaving medicines, pioneer new treatments and make breakthroughs in understanding the disease process.

Clinical Care, which is ideas in action. We ensure that the advances made by researchers in all major specialties and subspecialties are accessible to our patients.

Education, which ties it all together. Through our health sciences schools, we train the next generation of physicians and researchers.

An Integrated Healthcare System

In addition to Stony Brook University Hospital, our clinically integrated network serves the residents of Long Island:

- With 95 staffed beds, Stony Brook Southampton Hospital (SBSH) is a Level 3 Adult Trauma Center and the sole provider of emergency care on the South Fork. SBSH is a designated primary stroke center, has interventional cardiac services and a specialty center for endovascular surgery.
- With 70 beds, Stony Brook Eastern Long Island Hospital (SBELIH) provides access to advanced medical care for residents of the North Fork and Shelter Island. Its inpatient and outpatient Behavioral Health programs combine high-caliber medicine, psychology and behavioral therapy.

Learn more about Stony Brook University Hospital on page 9.

A Regional Resource

Stony Brook Medicine serves as the regional "go-to" medical facility for those who have complex conditions and need advanced care.

Stony Brook Children's Hospital:

The only children's hospital in Suffolk County, offering the most advanced pediatric specialty care in the region.

Stony Brook Heart Institute:

Long Island's only university-based cardiovascular program and the region's leading referral center for complex cardiac care.

Stony Brook Cancer Center:

Suffolk County's cancer care leader, providing comprehensive cancer care with groundbreaking research and innovative procedures.

Stony Brook Neurosciences Institute:

The premier neurosciences facility in the region and a leader in many specialties, including cerebrovascular services.

Stony Brook Trauma Center:

Suffolk County's only verified Level 1 Trauma Center for both adults and children.



Stony Brook University Hospital At-a-Glance

NYS-Designated Centers

- AIDS Center
- Burn Center
- Center of Excellence for Alzheimer's Disease
- Comprehensive Psychiatric Emergency Program (CPEP)
- Comprehensive Stroke Center
- Level I Trauma Center for adults and children (highest designation)
- Regional Perinatal Center (highest designation)
- SAFE (Sexual Assault Forensic Examiner)-Designated Hospital

Long Island's Only

- Accredited Chest Pain Center with Primary PCI (Percutaneous Coronary Intervention) and Resuscitation
- ALS (Lou Gehrig's disease) Association Certified Center of Excellence
- Celiac Disease and Gluten Sensitivity Center (children)
- Huntington's Disease Society of America Center of Excellence
- Tourette Association of America (TAA) Center of Excellence for Tourette Syndrome and TIC Disorders

Suffolk County's Only

- Bone Marrow and Blood Stem Cell Transplantation Program
- Children's Hospital
- Kidney Transplantation Program (for adults and children)
- Pediatric Oncology Comprehensive Program
- Tertiary/Quaternary Care Center
- University-based Level 4 Comprehensive Epilepsy Center

Suffolk County's First

- Open Heart Surgery Program
- Aortic Center
- da Vinci® Robotic Surgical System
- Deep Brain Stimulation (DBS) Surgery Program (and the only one in Suffolk County)
- Joint Commission-certified Comprehensive Stroke Center
- Siemens Artis zee® Biplane Angiography Suite for neuroendovascular diagnosis and treatment

2023 FAST STATS

Beds:
628

Inpatient Discharges (excluding newborns):
31,367

Emergency Department Visits:
112,144

Outpatient Visits:
1,171,941

Births:
3,867

Surgeries (cases):
25,279

Imaging Studies:
368,992

Laboratory Tests:
9,006,795

Research Expenditures:
\$122,517,786

Employees:
7,982

Physicians:
1,272

Volunteers:
270

Learn more at: stonybrookmedicine.edu/aboutus



General surgery residents are exposed to a broad range of experiences in the operating room to develop their skills.

Department of Surgery Divisions

Bariatric, Foregut and Advanced Gastrointestinal Surgery

Division Chief
Konstantinos Spaniolas, MD

Breast Surgery

Division Chief
Brian O'Hea, MD

Cardiothoracic Surgery

Interim Division Chief
Allison J. McLarty, MD

Colon and Rectal Surgery

Division Chief
Deborah Nagle, MD

Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery (ENT)

Interim Division Chief
Huseyin Isildak, MD

Pediatric Surgery

Division Chief
Kenneth Gow, MD, MHA, FACS, FAAP

Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery

Interim Division Chief
Sami Khan, MD

Surgical Oncology

Division Chief
Aaron R. Sasson, MD, FACS

Trauma, Emergency and Surgical Critical Care

Division Chief
James A. Vosswinkel, MD, FACS

Vascular and Endovascular Surgery

Division Chief
Apostolos K. Tassiopoulos, MD

DEPARTMENTAL MISSION, VISION AND GOALS

Our Mission

Provide the best surgical care while advancing surgery through education, discovery and inspiration.

Our Vision

Stony Brook Surgery will be a world-recognized leader in surgery and discovery while inspiring the leaders of tomorrow.

Our Goals

Educational

Achieve excellence in education of residents for careers in surgical practice and research by providing broad knowledge and skills, developing appropriate professional behavior, mastery of essential competencies and preparing residents for continued intellectual growth.

Research

Advance medical knowledge by conducting active programs in basic and applied research.

Service

Provide the highest quality of medical care, as well as ensure access to health and educational services for the local, national and international communities.

Training Sites

Stony Brook University Hospital (SBUH) serves as the main teaching site for the General Surgery Residency program. Residents will gain experience not only in general surgery, but will also complete rotations in cardiothoracic, neurosurgical, pediatric, transplantation, trauma, head and neck, plastic surgery and vascular surgical services. Additionally, residents will gain experience performing rotations in our surgical and cardiovascular intensive care units as well as the Burn Center and VA Medical Center.

Northport Veterans Affairs Medical Center (NVAMC) plays an invaluable role as a major teaching affiliate for residency training. Attended by the full-time Stony Brook Medicine and NVAMC-affiliated surgical faculty, residents gain experience during their time at NVAMC in general surgery, vascular surgery and thoracic surgery.

Stony Brook Southampton Hospital (SBSH) is a community hospital that was established in 1913 and joined the Stony Brook Medicine system in 2017. Centrally located in the village of Southampton, two hours from New York City, the Hospital is the healthcare hub for an ethnically and financially diverse population of year-round residents, second homeowners and vacationers. With ACGME accreditation merging the Stony Brook University Hospital and Stony Brook Southampton Hospital general surgery training programs, there will be increasing opportunities and exposures for training in this unique community hospital serving the eastern end of Long Island.

Good Samaritan Hospital, a member of Catholic Health Services of Long Island health system, is a 537-bed not-for-profit hospital serving communities along the south shore of Long Island. This experience provides residents (PGY-3/4/5) a broad exposure and experience in general surgery that includes minimally invasive surgery, vascular surgery, trauma and other surgical subspecialties within a busy regional community hospital affiliate.

Stony Brook Eastern Long Island Hospital (SBELIH) is an acute care community hospital committed to delivering excellence in patient care and meeting the current and emerging health needs of the Northeast end of Long Island. A campus of Stony Brook University Hospital, this rotation provides an elective experience of community-based surgical care that includes elective and emergency general surgical exposures as well as endoscopic experience.

2023 Graduating Chief Resident Mean Operative Experience

Category	Cases
Total Major Cases	1043
Total Major (Chief)	330
Total Major (Teaching Assist)	42
Breast	66
Head and Neck	50
Alimentary Tract	302
Abdominal	362
Vascular	116
Endocrine	21
Liver	8
Pancreas	7
Operative Trauma	15
Thoracic	44
Pediatric	29

Stony Brook University Hospital Salary Scale

Salary includes \$2,500 resident stipend and \$3,026 location stipend. Subject to any changes as may be contractually negotiated.

Pay Level	2025-26 Salary
PGY 1	\$77,008
PGY 2	\$81,881
PGY 3	\$86,337
PGY 4	\$90,796
PGY 5	\$95,247
PGY 6	\$99,694
PGY 7	\$108,597

*Starting PGY Level is determined by the Program's prerequisite training years. Any exceptions would need to be discussed with the Program Director and approved by the DIO prior to receiving an offer.

Surgical Skills Lab

The Department of Surgery created a skills lab for the purposes of trainee utilization for technical skill experience and refinement. This lab resides in very close proximity to both patient care areas and the department administrative offices to allow easy lab access (24/7 with badge access to surgical trainees and faculty only) to surgical personnel.

The lab contains various training resources necessary for both traditional and minimally invasive techniques. Resources range from those applicable to basic open skills (knot tying, suturing, IV access, central line, tube thoracostomy), advanced open skills (hernia anatomy/repair, anastomoses, endarterectomy, aneurysm repair), and minimally invasive skills.

Resources directed at minimally invasive techniques range from basic trainers to complex simulators directed at the development of basic and advanced minimally invasive skills, respectively. This includes laparoscopic trainers aimed to develop the basic skill competencies required for the Fundamentals of Laparoscopic Surgery (FLS) program. Similarly, endoscopy simulators are available for the development of the endoscopic knowledge and skills required by the Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgery (SAGES) Fundamentals of Endoscopic Surgery (FES) program. With the advancements of minimally invasive surgery across disciplines, simulators in general surgery and vascular surgery are available to hone basic, advanced and endovascular (catheters, angioplasty, stenting) skills.

Most recently, with the increasing incorporation of robotic approaches to general surgery, a daVinci simulator has been added to the surgical skills lab to allow residents increasing exposure to the technology to hone their skills learned in the lab and be able to incorporate this safely into their patient care surgical experiences.

With the expansion of knowledge and technical skills in general surgery, the Department of Surgery believes it essential to provide the environment and resources to facilitate resident skill development to optimize both surgical resident education and the quality of the surgical care for our patients.



Clinical Skills Center

The Clinical Skills Center (CSC) at Stony Brook Medicine provides participants with opportunities for hands-on training in a safe environment. It is a state-of-the-art training center that is used as a resource for specialized training of physicians and other healthcare professionals. Participants evaluate and diagnose patients through teaching modules that incorporate the use of actor patients and computerized manikins that simulate disease processes.

This 13,000-square-foot facility features:

- Three simulation labs/control rooms with high-fidelity manikins, including a simulated trauma/emergency room

- Twenty fully equipped exam rooms with computer stations and control rooms
- One procedural skills training area
- Three classroom areas for teaching/skills/debriefing equipped with AV packages including teleconferencing capabilities
- An observation room for faculty
- Audio/visual monitoring for each exam room, simulation lab and procedural skills area via the Laerdal SimCapture Simulation Software System
- High-fidelity computerized manikins (Laerdal SimMen, SimJunior, SimBaby and SimNewB)
- Clinical stations/partial trainers (TraumaMan, central line trainers, IV arms, arterial arms, lumbar puncture backs, intubating heads, pediatric multi venous IV arm kit, IV torso, airway management trainer, PICC line trainer, foley trainers, ultrasound equipment, NGT/trach trainer, TEE simulator, knee aspiration and birthing trainer)

The CSC provides a range of outcome assessment activities, including Objective Standardized Clinical Exercises. These include standardized patient encounters, high-fidelity manikin scenarios and clinical skills stations. The Clinical Skills Center is fully digitized, allowing for videotaping, streaming, remote viewing and scoring of simulated patient encounters.

Research Opportunities

The Department of Surgery is committed to excellence in research, in keeping with the mission of Stony Brook Medicine. The training model we use is interdepartmental, leveraging mentors within the Department of Surgery as well as external collaborators within Stony Brook Medicine and Stony Brook University.

Residents are required to conduct at least one research project each year and encouraged to develop scholarly output for local/regional/national presentation and publication. Additionally, residents are encouraged to present their work and discoveries at the Department of Surgery's Annual Research Day.

Residents are also supported to pursue optional non-clinical career development, commonly being research experiences of 1–3 years' duration, internally and externally, during their residency experience. Opportunities for collaborative research continue to grow with robust learning and development for our trainees.



Left to right: Residents participate in Department of Surgery's Annual Research Day; Dr. Helen Hsieh, pediatric surgeon, panelist at Stony Brook's Women in Medicine Research Day.

Conferences and Educational Opportunities

Surgical conferences and teaching rounds provide formal instruction and educational opportunities. These include:

Wednesday Morning Didactics

Core curriculum and simulation-based education.

Journal Clubs

General Surgery, Colorectal, Head and Neck, Plastics, Cardiothoracic, Breast

Conferences

Morbidity and Mortality, Department of Surgery Grand Rounds, Chairman Resident, IBD, Vascular Surgery, Plastic Surgery, Pediatric Surgery Walk Rounds, ICU, Thoracic

Disease-Site Specific Multidisciplinary Tumor Boards

Breast, Colorectal, Inflammatory Bowel Disease (IBD), Upper Gastrointestinal, Sarcoma, Head and Neck, Pediatric, Thoracic (Lung), Melanomas

Grand Rounds

Of special interest to surgical residents is the Department of Surgery Grand Rounds lecture series program, which invites local, regional and nationally recognized surgeons as visiting professors to provide perspectives and insights on the past, present and future of surgery.

NAME	PGY	MED SCHOOL (GRAD YEAR)
Jacob Bamberger, MD	1	SUNY Downstate (2024)
Argrios Gyftopoulos, MD	1	University of Athens (2022)
Alexandria Krauss, MD	1	SUNY Downstate (2024)
Sophia Liu, MD	1	Albert Einstein College of Medicine (2024)
Abiramy Logeswaran, MD	1	Boston University School of Medicine (2024)
Chloe Savino, MD	1	Tufts University School of Medicine (2024)
Seth Weir, DO	1	Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine (2024)
Athanasios Angistriotis, MD	2	University of Athens (2022)
Emelia Farnsworth, DO	2	Nova Southeastern University College of Osteopathic Medicine (2023)
Hayley Howell, MD	2	Saba University (2022)
Nina Kosciuszek, DO	2	New York Institute of Technology College of Osteopathic Medicine (2023)
David Roberts, DO	2	Touro College of Osteopathic Medicine (2023)
Isabelle Van Roy, MD	2	Boston University School of Medicine (2023)
Gigi Yip, MD	2	Georgetown University (2023)
John Campbell, MD	3	Boston University School of Medicine (2020)
Stergios Gatzoflias, MD	3	New York Medical College (2022)
Aleksandr Krichmar, MD	3	Jacobs School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences (2022)
Mark Lee, MD	3	Lewis Katz School of Medicine at Temple University (2022)
Shanen Mulles, MD	3	Rutgers University – New Jersey School of Medicine (2020)
Daniel Rodriguez, MD	3	Mayo Clinic (2022)
Matthew Staz, MD	3	Georgetown University (2022)
Nikita Ahmad, MD	4	New York Medical College (2021)
Michael Froehlich, MD	4	George Washington University School of Medicine and Health Sciences (2020)
Christopher Mazis, MD	4	University of Arizona College of Medicine (2021)
Naina Rao, MD	4	New York Medical College (2021)
Priyanka Ramachandra, MD	4	Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School (2021)
David Restle, MD	4	Renaissance School of Medicine at Stony Brook University (2019)
Niharika Singh, MD	4	Boston University School of Medicine (2021)
Daniel Wolbrom, MD, MPH	4	St. George's University School of Medicine (2019)
Ashla Gaibi-Rodriguez, MD	5	University of Puerto Rico Medical Sciences Campus (2017)
Alisa Khomutova, MD	5	Oakland University William Beaumont School of Medicine (2020)
Zaina Naeem, MD, MPH	5	Stony Brook University (2020)
Zachary M Plona, MD	5	Sidney Kimmel Medical College, Thomas Jefferson University (2019)
Michael Trentalange, MD	5	Charles E. Schmidt College of Medicine, Florida Atlantic University (2020)
Sun Yu, MD	5	Tufts University School of Medicine (2020)
Ahmad Aljobeh, MD	Research	Mayo Clinic (2022)
Rahul Kanade, MD	Research	Mayo Clinic (2021)
Brooke Rothberg, MD	Research	Charles E. Schmidt College of Medicine, Florida Atlantic University (2022)



Since 1975, when our first graduating residents entered the profession of surgery, several hundred physicians have completed their residency training in general surgery at Stony Brook. The table below shows the immediate post-Stony Brook placement of our program's recent graduates.

2024 Graduating Chiefs

RESIDENT	PLACEMENT	WHERE
Ryan Chan, MD	Advanced GI/Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship	Cleveland Clinic Weston Hospital, Weston, FL
Kevin Duh, MD	Vascular Surgery Fellowship	Abbott Northwestern Hospital, Minneapolis, MN
Alexa-Rae Pesce, MD	General Surgery	Stony Brook Southampton Hospital, Southampton, NY
Danny Poon, MD	Advanced GI/Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship	NYU Langone Hospital-Long Island, Mineola, NY
Tianyu Shang, MD	Advanced GI/Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship	University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, TX
Christine Ward, MD	Trauma/Surgical Critical Care Fellowship	Emory University Hospital, Atlanta, GA

2023 Graduating Chiefs

RESIDENT	PLACEMENT	WHERE
Jocellie Marquez, MD	Burn Fellowship (2023), Plastic Surgery Residency (2024)	Nassau University Medical Center (NUMC), NUMC/Stony Brook University Hospital, Stony Brook, NY
Joseph Obeid, MD	Cardiothoracic Surgery Fellowship	Temple University, Philadelphia, PA
Juyeon Park, MD	Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship	University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN
Bryan Robins, MD	Minimally Invasive Colon and Rectal Fellowship	Houston Methodist Hospital, Houston, TX
Heitham Wady, MD	Colorectal Fellowship	Allegheny Health Network, Erie, PA
Ross Weller, MD	General Surgery Practice	NYU Langone Health, Long Island Community Hospital, Patchogue, NY

2022 Graduating Chiefs

RESIDENT	PLACEMENT	WHERE
Givi Basishvili, MD	Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship	University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, TX
Panagiotis Drakos, MD	Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship	Highland Hospital, Rochester, NY
Kelsi Hirai, MD	Vascular Surgery Fellowship	Oregon Health & Science University, OR
Panagiotis Volteas Sr., MD	Vascular Surgery Fellowship	Stony Brook University Hospital, Stony Brook, NY

LIFE ON LONG ISLAND



Long Island is considered a haven for residents and visitors alike. The longest and largest island in the United States, Long Island stretches over 100 miles from New York City to Montauk Point, offering pristine Atlantic Ocean beaches on its famous South Shore and quaint towns on its North Shore.

Though a well-known summer destination for celebrities, as well as singles, couples and families, Long Island is also home to several million residents who enjoy the island's unique beauty and a myriad of recreational opportunities. Whether you enjoy fabulous art galleries and museums, exceptional fishing spots, pristine golf courses, great restaurants, amazing wineries, beautiful bike trails or spectacular white sandy beaches, there's virtually something for everyone.

Located in the northern center of the island, Stony Brook is close to the excitement of Manhattan where an easy commute places you at the doorsteps of world-famous museums, professional and college sporting and concert events, and restaurants of every cuisine.

Find out more about what makes Long Island special at: medicine.stonybrookmedicine.edu/longisland.

GENERAL SURGERY RESIDENTS — GROWING TOGETHER

