Visiting Professor Program

The Visiting Professor Program of the Department of Surgery is extremely important for the education of both the faculty and the residents. It gives the residents a first-hand opportunity to come into contact with distinguished leaders in American surgery, participate in teaching rounds with them, and get to know them as individuals. In addition, the Visiting Professor gives presentations at Surgical Grand Rounds to faculty, residents and medical students.

Recent Visiting Professors:

September 23, 2015
Eighteenth Annual Barrows Memorial Lectureship
Douglas S. Tyler, MD
John Woods Harris Distinguished Professor
Chairman, Department of Surgery
University of Texas Medical Branch
Surgical Grand Rounds: “Current Trends in the Management of Malignant Melanoma: A Surgical Perspective”

October 21, 2015
Eighth Annual Heekin Family Lectureship
William C. Chapman, MD
Professor of Surgery & Eugene M. Bricker Chair of Surgery
Chief, Division of General Surgery
Chief, Abdominal Transplantation
Washington University in St. Louis
Surgical Grand Rounds: “New Directions for Training in Surgery: Where Are We Headed?”

February 3, 2016
Nineteenth Annual Barrows Memorial Lectureship
John C. Alverdy, MD
Sarah and Harold Lincoln Thompson Professor of Surgery
Executive Vice Chair, Department of Surgery
University of Chicago Pritzker School of Medicine
Surgical Grand Rounds: “Anastomotic Leak is Caused by Bacteria not Technique”

February 17, 2016
Sixteenth Annual Max & Molly Fischer Professorship
Timothy M. Pawlik, MD, MPH, PhD
John L. Cameron Professor in Alimentary Tract Diseases
Chief, Division of Surgical Oncology
Director, Surgical Oncology Fellowship
Director, Liver Tumor Center
Johns Hopkins Medicine
Surgical Grand Rounds: “Perioperative Blood Management in Surgical Setting: Variation, Overutilization, and Impact on Clinical Outcomes”
In addition to the named visiting professorships, the Department has been privileged to host a number of distinguished lecturers:

**Recent Guest Lecturers:**

October 27, 2015  
Research Visiting Professor  
**Timothy Hla, PhD**  
Professor of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine;  
Director, Center for Vascular Biology;  
Weill Medical College of Cornell University  
Scientific Lecture: “S1P Signaling in Vascular and Immune Systems”

December 16, 2015  
Division of Surgical Oncology Visiting Professor  
**Motaz Qadan, MD PhD**  
Fellow in Complex General Surgical Oncology  
Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center  
Surgical Grand Rounds: “Complex Surgical Strategies in the Management of Colorectal Liver Metastases”

January 6, 2016  
Visiting Professor  
**Andrew C. Bernard, MD**  
Associate Professor of Surgery;  
Paul A. Kearney, MD Endowed Chair of Trauma Surgery;  
Medical Director, Trauma and Acute Care Surgery  
University of Kentucky/UK Healthcare  
Surgical Grand Rounds: “Frailty – This Is Not Our Forefathers’ Surgical Services”

February 10, 2016  
Division of Vascular Surgery Visiting Professor  
**Bruce A. Perler, MD, MBA**  
Julius H. Jacobson II, Professor of Surgery  
Vice-Chair for Clinical Operations and Finance, Department of Surgery  
Chief Emeritus, Division of Vascular Surgery and Endovascular Therapy  
The Johns Hopkins University  
President, Society for Vascular Surgery  
Surgical Grand Rounds: “Evidence-Based Medicine & the Contemporary Management of Carotid Artery Disease: After 60 Years the Controversies Continue”