

# The 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Multidisciplinary Symposium on Breast Disease



Dear Colleagues:

It is indeed a pleasure to present you with the detailed program about our upcoming symposium, which will be held at the Ritz-Carlton at Amelia Island on February 9-12, 2012. This program is designed to provide a panoramic overview of the latest scientific information surrounding breast disease. Each session is devoted to a different spectrum of breast disease with emphasis on an integrated and multidisciplinary approach.

This symposium now has 17 years of history in providing an educational experience for those who have been interested in the study and management of breast disease. Started as a bold idea in 1995, this multidisciplinary symposium is a unique display of an assembly of physicians/scientists, health care providers and patient advocates who have recognize the necessity of direct communication about the issues that matter in breast health care.

As in previous years, this symposium is enriched by the overwhelming interest of highly recognized speakers who have graciously agreed to share their experience with the audience of this symposium. This year our Keynote Speaker is Dr. Monica Morrow, who will speak on "Local Therapy in The Multidisciplinary Era."

Also of interest is the "The Breast Journal Award" in recognition of the value of research on breast health care. This award is sponsored by Wiley-Blackwell and includes an attractive plaque, a check, and free subscription to *The Breast Journal* for a one-year period. The three winners will present their papers during Saturday's luncheon.

We are confident that you will enjoy the experience of participating in this symposium. I hope that you will seriously consider joining us in Florida on Valentine weekend.

See you in Amelia Island.

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