American University of Beirut
Breast Cancer Conference

Latest Advances in Breast Cancer Multidisciplinary Management:
Surgery, Radiation Therapy, Chemotherapy, Hormonal & Targeted Therapy

(Includes highlights from San Antonio, ESMO, ASCO and EBCC)

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Lebanese Society of Radiation Oncology
Lebanese Society of Obstetrics & Gynecology

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Preliminary Program

Friday, February 8, 2013
15:00 - 16:00 Registration - 1

Session I: Breast-Conserving Therapy and Neo-adjuvant Therapy
Chairs: Hikmat Husseini, MD, Dolly Nasr, MD
Speakers: Ismail Jatoi, MD, PhD (USA), Nagi El Saghir, MD (LB)

16:00-16:30 Breast Conserving Therapy: Indications, Margins and Modern Aspects
Ismail Jatoi

16:30-17:00 Recent Advances in Neo-adjuvant Therapy
Nagi S. El Saghir

Session II: Case Discussion
Panel: Ismail Jatoi, MD, Nagi El Saghir, MD, David Cameron, MD, Hikmat Hussein, MD, Fady Geara, MD, George Chahine, MD, Assem Hajj, MD, Faysal El-Kak, MD

17:00-18:00 Case Discussion

18:00-18:30 COFFEE BREAK

Satellite Symposium (NON-CME)
18:30 - 20:00 Overcoming Resistance to Hormonal Therapy in Breast Cancer
(Sponsored by Novartis)

Saturday, February 9, 2012
08:00 - 09:00 Registration - 2

Session III: Primary Management of Breast Cancer
Chairs: Faek Jamali, MD David Atallah, MD, Ziad Salem, MD, Elie Nasr, MD
Speakers: Ismail Jatoi, MD, PhD (USA), Nagi S. El Saghir, MD (LB), Yazid Belkacemi, MD, PhD (FR)

09:00-09:30 Controversies in MRI for Pre-operative Evaluation of Patients with Breast Cancer
Ismail Jatoi

09:30-09:45 Pathological Complete Remission and Survival in Neo-adjuvant Therapy
Nagi S. El Saghir

09:45-10:15 Modern Axillary Management and Sentinel Lymph Node Biopsy
Ismail Jatoi

10:15-11:00 Fractionation, Short Duration, Intra-operative Modalities and Standardization of Breast Radiation Therapy
Yazid Belkacemi

11:00-11:30 COFFEE BREAK
Session IV: Adjuvant Therapy
Chairs: Marwan Ghosn, MD, Khaled Ibrahim, MD
Speakers: Nagi El Saghir, MD (LB), David Cameron, MD (UK)

11:30 - 12:00 Latest Advances in Adjuvant Hormonal Therapy
Nagi S. El Saghir

12:00 - 12:30 Latest Advances in Anti-HER2 and Chemotherapy Therapy
David Cameron

Session V: Metastatic Breast Cancer
Chairs: Arafat Tfayli, MD, Fadi Farhat, MD
Speaker: David Cameron, MD (UK)

12:30 - 13:30 Advances in Metastatic Breast Cancer
David Cameron

Session VI: Case Discussion/ Lunch Hour
Panel: Yazid Belkacemi, MD, PhD, David Cameron, MD, Nagi El Saghir, MD, Ismail Jatoi, MD, PhD, Jaber Abbas, MD, Faek Jamali, MD, Ghina Berjawi, MD, Fouad Boulos, MD

13:30 - 15:00 Case Discussion

15:00 ADJOURN