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TWO YEAR PROGRAM

NYU Langone Health, NYC and Brooklyn, NY

2-Year Program	
Optional Degrees: <input type="checkbox"/> MPH <input type="checkbox"/> MBA <input type="checkbox"/> MS <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None	
Number of Faculty	
	GYN Faculty: 8
	UROGYN Faculty:
	REI Faculty:
	ONCOLOGY Faculty:
	GU Faculty:
	General Surgery Faculty:
	Colorectal Faculty:
	Other:
Residency Program Affiliation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Computer Simulation Center: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Training Labs:	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Cadaver lab <input type="checkbox"/> Animal Lab <input type="checkbox"/> None
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dry Lab <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Robotics
Office Surgery: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Contract/Agreement Letter: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
	Stipend PGY-5 or 6: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Resident Teaching <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Benefit Package: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	OB obligation: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <i>If yes, please describe obligation.</i>
	Junior Faculty <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <i>Attending Privileges</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Moonlighting: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <i>Non-compete clause:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
	Malpractice: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <i>Meeting support:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Malpractice tail coverage: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <i>Other coverage obligations- specify:</i>
Accept J1 Visa applicants <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Accept H1 Visa applicants <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Dedicated Research Hours: Hours/per week: 6 hrs in yr 1; 12 hrs in yr 2 Hours/per month: 24 hrs in yr 1; 48 hrs in yr 2	
Protected Academic: Hours/per week: 6 hrs in yr 1; 12 hrs in yr 2 Hours/per month: 24 hrs in yr 1; 48 hrs in yr 2	
Clinical Focus/Special Interest	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reproductive Surgery <input type="checkbox"/> Oncology
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Endometriosis/Pelvic Pain <input type="checkbox"/> Pelvic Reconstruction
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Robotic Surgery <input type="checkbox"/> Pediatric/Adolescent
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hysteroscopic Surgery <input type="checkbox"/> Other:

Program Description

The NYU Langone Fellowship in Minimally Invasive Gynecologic Surgery (MIGS) is a two-year AAGL accredited program that provides comprehensive subspecialty training in advanced endoscopic techniques and the management of complex benign gynecologic conditions. The overall goal of the fellowship is to graduate gynecologists with advanced surgical skills in minimally invasive gynecologic surgery (MIGS) so that they may serve as independent consultants. Under the mentorship of MIGS fellowship-trained faculty, our fellows play an active role in the clinical care of patients, participate in education, and engage in research. Specifically, fellows will complete an original data-driven research project, learn advanced gynecologic office skills, engage in surgical teaching and leadership, and learn the advanced surgical skills necessary to perform complex laparoscopic, robotic, vaginal, and hysteroscopic gynecologic procedures.

Fellows will obtain experience in the evaluation and appropriate selection of medical or surgical treatment in the management of complex gynecologic conditions. These conditions include:

- Abnormal uterine bleeding
- Uterine fibroids
- Congenital uterine anomalies
- Endometriosis
- Benign ovarian neoplasms
- Chronic pelvic pain
- Fertility-sparing treatments
- Intra-uterine pathology (e.g. intra-uterine adhesions, fibroids, polyps and septums)
- Gender-affirming surgery

Fellows will be exposed to a large volume of both simple and advanced endoscopic procedures under the mentorship of fellowship-trained minimally invasive gynecologic surgeons. This includes office-based procedures such as office hysteroscopy as well as advanced hysteroscopy, laparoscopy, robotic, and vaginal surgery. Approximately 50% of laparoscopic cases are performed robotically and 50% are performed using conventional laparoscopic techniques. Specifically, they will have the opportunity to be involved in complex surgical cases ranging from minimally invasive procedures to advanced laparotomy, including multi-modal open abdominal myomectomy with concomitant hysteroscopic myomectomy. In addition, fellows will have exposure to VNOTES (vaginal natural orifice transendoscopic surgery). With regards to hysteroscopic procedures, the fellow will have the opportunity to participate in both office-based and operating room-based diagnostic and operative cases. This includes multistage hysteroscopic myomectomies, intra-uterine lysis of adhesions, uterine septum resections, and isthmocele repair.

Fellows are also responsible for the routine gynecologic care of NYU Langone patients. Specifically, the fellow will provide clinical care to patients as a benign gynecologist in their own continuity clinic. In addition, fellows will take call and will cover GYN consults in the emergency room as part of the on-call responsibilities