

**Christiana Care  
Newark, Delaware**

<b>Application Fees</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes:			
<b>Faculty</b>			
	Esther Han - MIGS		
	Michelle Pacis - MIGS		
	4 Urogyn Faculty		
<b>Type of Rotation:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Observation Only <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Patient Care Responsibilities			
<b>Rotation Length:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Days: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Weeks: 4			
<b>Rotation Offers:</b>			
	<input type="checkbox"/> Call Responsibility	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Malpractice Coverage	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Simulation
	<input type="checkbox"/> Housing Provided	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept Non-US Resident	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Residency Program Affiliation
	<input type="checkbox"/> Food Stipend	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Research Opportunity	
<b>Clinical Focus/Special Interests:</b>			
Complex Conventional Laparoscopy	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Chronic Pelvic Pain	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Complex Robotic Surgery	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Uterine Fibroids	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Complex Vaginal Surgery	<input type="checkbox"/>	Abnormal Uterine Bleeding	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Complex Abdominal Surgery	<input type="checkbox"/>	Oncology	<input type="checkbox"/>
Complex Hysteroscopic Surgery	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Urogynecology	<input type="checkbox"/>
vNOTES, Single Site, Radiofrequency Fibroid Ablation	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fertility/Reproductive Surgery	<input type="checkbox"/>
Endometriosis	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Pediatric/Adolescent	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Rotation Goals and Objectives**

Exposure to complex laparoscopy, hysteroscopy and robotic surgery. Graduated participation in the operating room based on demonstrated surgical skills. Participation in the office where learners will learn the importance of the office consultation and exam and see patients with fibroids, abnormal uterine bleeding, benign adnexal pathology, chronic pelvic pain and endometriosis.

**Program Description**

The Christiana Care Fellowship in Minimally Invasive Gynecologic Surgery is a 2-year program set in a high-acuity, community-based academic medical center in Newark, Delaware. Our MIGS fellowship aims to provide comprehensive clinical, surgical, and academic training for future leaders in the field. The MIGS fellow works closely with fellowship-trained surgical subspecialists in Minimally Invasive GYN Surgery, Urogynecology, Gynecologic Oncology, Colorectal surgery and other fields to expand their knowledge and expertise treating complex benign gynecologic conditions, especially those with surgical management. Patient care occurs in the operating room, inpatient, and ambulatory settings to develop a well-rounded knowledge of disease management, preoperative planning, minimally invasive gynecologic procedures, and post-intervention care. In the first year, the fellow rotates with MIGS faculty to gain experience in laparoscopy, robotic surgery, hysteroscopy (including in-office hysteroscopy), and vaginal surgery, including one month rotating with Urogynecology. Fellows also receive intraoperative training with colorectal surgeons during our many joint cases. In the second year, fellows may participate in subspecialty surgical rotations with Urogynecology, Gyn Oncology, and Pediatric & Adolescent Gynecology. Dedicated research time is allotted weekly so that the fellow may meet the requirement to submit a paper for publication in both years. Research is supported by mentorship through our MIGS division and the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology.