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# Taipei International Breast Cancer Symposium

台北國際乳癌研討會

Topic:

## **Global Perspectives: Navigating Career Pathways in Breast Cancer Treatment for Young Doctors**

Abstract

This talk will discuss how to create an immersive clinical and educational environment for international breast oncology and surgery scholars sparking inspiration and global collaboration and future leaders to advance the field of breast oncology care.

In this talk I will review:

### **Young Doctors International breast oncology debate**

This is a multidisciplinary debate with approximately 30 members in total, divided into 2 teams based on the Global Breast Cancer Conference (GBCC) model. This debate involves all early career members of clinical breast cancer care including: surgery, medical oncology, radiation oncology and moderated by two middle-advanced career professors. Two cutting edge topics in the field of breast oncology are chosen and the two teams prepare a presentation followed by a live debate and discussion on the advances and controversies presented. We discuss the educational impact of such an endeavor, the appreciation of such topics not only as standard of care, but the subtleties and challenges found in different areas of the world. We also discuss the development of profound collaborations spanning different countries from working on this project annually.

### **International Breast surgery/oncology exchange programs (Mount Sinai, Yale ) and Society of surgical oncology (SSO) short visitor programs**

We discuss Mount Sinai and Yale international breast surgery exchange programs which is a multidisciplinary observership experience at the Mount Sinai Hospital, Icahn School of Medicine in New York, New York USA and Yale Breast center and Yale medical school in New Haven, Connecticut USA. We also discuss the SSO short visitor programs and examples of experiences by graduates.