### Message from the Surgical Assistants Chair

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12th Annual ISHRS Meeting Update

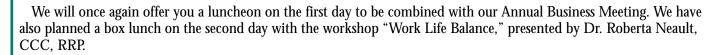
**Tear Surgical Assistant Members**,

The time is drawing nearer to our Annual Meeting in August. The Assistants Committee has been working on a more scientific but yet meaningful program. Our format remains basically the

same with a few tweaks here and there.

Each day will begin with breakfast and socializing, followed by some wonderful speakers who will address such topics as:

- ★ Post-op Care of Artificial Hair Fibers
- ★ Microscopes—Necessary or Not
- \* How Consults Are Presented in Our Office
- \* Men Are from Mars & Women Are from Venus



I urge you to come and participate.

**Betsy Shea**, Saratoga Springs, New York Surgical Assistants Program Chair

**Doctors!** Please bring your Assistants to the meeting. Your clinic will reap many benefits from attending a meeting together.

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LAST CALL! We are still accepting nominations for the "2004 Distinguished Assistant Award."

Submit nominations to: ISHRS Surgical Assistants Award Committee • Fax: 630-262-1520 • E-mail: info@ishrs.org

## A Call to Surgical Assistants...

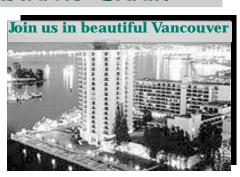
## **We Welcome Your Contributions.**

Surgical Assistatnts: This is your Corner. Let's hear from you!

of their practice along with a photo of the doctor(s) and the assistants, plus any helpful tips you would like to share with others in the transplant field. We no longer have a formal editor for this section of the *Forum*, but want you to know that such articles are welcome anytime and will be printed, as space allows for such. We wish to thank the staffs of those practices who have contributed in the past. —MLB/WMP

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# Upcoming Events

Following is a guide to upcoming meetings and workshops related to hair restoration. For more information, contact the appropriate sponsoring organization at the number listed. Meeting organizers are reminded that it is their responsibility to provide the *Forum* Editors with advance notice of meeting dates.

Date(s)	Venue	Sponsoring Organization(s)	Contact Information
June 3–5, 2004	9 <sup>th</sup> ISHR International Congress <i>Torino, Italy</i>	Italian Society for Hair Restoration www.actacongress.com or www.ishr.it	Organizational Bureau Tel: 39-011-591871 Fax: 39-011-590833 E-mail: acta@actacongress.com
June 16–19, 2004	First Brazilian Meeting and Second Live Surgery Workshop <i>Recife, northern Brazil</i>	Brazilian Society of Hair Restoration Surgery	Fernando T. Basto, MD: fbasto@fernandobasto.com.br Tel: (55 81) 3427-9000
June 26–27, 2004	Hair Restoration for the Cosmetic Surgeon & Cosmetic Surgery for the Hair Restoration Surgeon Workshop Seattle, Washington	American Society of Hair Restoration Surgery & American Academy of Cosmetic Surgery www.cosmeticsurgery.org	Tel: 312-981-6760 Fax: 312-981-6787 info@cosmeticsurgery.org
August 11–15, 2004	12 <sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the ISHRS <i>Vancouver, BC, Canada</i>	International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery www.ishrs.org	Tel: 630-262-5399; 800-444-2737 Fax: 630-262-1520
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October 3–8, 2004	2004 Aegean Masters FUE Meeting Oct. 3 Live Surgery Oct. 4–8 Aegean Cruise The Aegean Islands, Greece	The DHI Clinic www.aegeanmasters.com	Carolina or Olympia Tel: 30-210-9245297 Fax: 30-210-9249378 E-mail: info@dhi.gr

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