



1st Academic Meeting for the Founding Group of the International SCR Association



February 20-21, 2026

MacArthur Place, Sonoma, California



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Our Mission

Dedicated to developing and training surgeons in the principals and practice of Fascia Lata Superior Capsule Reconstruction and its successful variants.

Our Vision

Create a global centralized resource group of surgeons and ancillary providers to share experience with FL SCR and beyond to determine best surgical practices and study further the science of Superior Capsule and its role in reconstruction and rotator cuff repair.

Develop training programs for surgeons and support further research.

Our Venue

MacArthur Place

29 E MacArthur St, Sonoma, CA 95476

Website: www.macarthurplace.com

We have reserved a block of rooms for ISCRA attendees

- Booking Code: To be provided via email
- Room Rate: \$459
- Standard Check-in: 4:00 PM
- Early Check-in: Please contact Iya or the hotel if you will be arriving early.

Deadline to book / confirm: January 15, 2026

Transportation Information

San Francisco International Airport (SFO) to Sonoma (and vice versa)

- Uber/Lyft: ~\$130–\$180 USD (one-way, cost varies by time of day)
- Private Car Services: Options available upon request – contact Iya for recommendations
- Rental Cars: Readily available at SFO
- Group Shuttle Service: May be arranged based on interest – let us know if you'd like to join

Travel Information

Local transport options for your stay:

- Uber/Lyft: Easily available for short rides within town and to nearby wineries/hospital
- Hotel Shuttle: MacArthur Place may provide limited transport services to nearby sites – inquire at the front desk
- Local Taxi Services: Sonoma Cab Company – +1 (707) 938-8885
- Bike Rentals: Available via MacArthur Place Concierge or nearby vendors
- Car Rentals: Available through concierge if needed

Weather in Sonoma – February 2026

Expect cool mornings and mild afternoons during your stay.

- Average High: 61°F / 16°C; Average Low: 42°F / 5°C
- Typical Conditions: Partly cloudy with light morning fog, occasional showers possible
- What to Pack:
 - Layered outfits (light sweaters, a warm jacket)
 - Umbrella (provided by hotel) or raincoat (just in case)

International Traveler Tips

- Currency: US Dollar (USD)
- Power Supply: 110V – Plug types A/B (bring adapter if needed)
- Mobile Service: US SIM card or international roaming suggested
- Visa Info: Check travel.state.gov for entry requirements to the U.S.
- Health Insurance: International visitors should carry travel/health coverage

Travel Companion

If you are traveling with a spouse, significant other, or companion, kindly let the Meeting Coordinator know. We are currently developing a program specifically for accompanying guests.

Important Contacts

Meeting / Logistics Coordinator:

- Iya Agustin: IyaA@roachemd.com / 1 (628) 246 2295

Emergency:

- Local Emergency Services (U.S.): 911

Services:

- MacArthur Place Front Desk: 1 (707) 938-2929





Programme of Events

Friday, February 20th New SCR Surgeon Training in USA with Dr. Mihata

Classroom AM

Time	Topic	Presenter
9:00–9:15 AM	Introduction to Training	Paul B. Roache, MD
9:15–9:35 AM	Core Principles of SCR (FL)	Teruhisa Mihata, MD, PhD
9:35–10:00 AM	Review of SCR Manual	Paul B. Roache, MD
10:00–10:30 AM	Surgical Video #1 – Harvest	
10:30–10:40 AM	Discussion – Video with Faculty	
10:40–11:00 AM	Surgical Video #2 – Graft Prep	
11:00–11:10 AM	Discussion – Video with Faculty	
11:10–11:35 AM	Surgical Video #3 – Placement/Fixation	
11:35–11:50 AM	Discussion – Video with Faculty	
11:50–12:00 PM	Lab Instruction and Assignments	
12:00–1:00 PM	 Lunch	

Surgical Lab PM

1:00–1:10 PM	Dress for Lab
1:10–2:00 PM	Graft Harvest and Graft Site Closure
2:00–3:00 PM	Graft Preparation
3:00–4:30 PM	Graft Placement and Fixation

Reception

6:30:00–9:00 PM	Cocktail Reception / Hotel Check-in
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Saturday, February 21st - Academic Meeting

Morning Round Table Discussion of Core Topics / Shared Experience

Time	Topic	Presenter(s)
7:00-7:45	 Breakfast	
7:45-7:50 AM	Welcome	Paul B. Roache, MD
7:50-8:05 AM	History of FL SCR Development and Indications	Teruhisa Mihata, PhD, MD
8:05-8:20 AM	Biomechanics of FL SCR	Thay Q. Lee, PhD
8:20-8:35 AM	Biology of FL SCR (and RC healing to graft)	Teru's Team
8:35-8:45 AM	FL Harvest & Prep Techniques – Original	Teru's Team
8:45-8:55 AM	FL Harvest & Prep Techniques – Portugal	Ana Catarina Angelo, MD
8:55-9:05 AM	FL Harvest & Prep Techniques – Korea	In-Ho Jeon, MD
9:05-9:15 AM	FL Harvest & Prep Techniques – USA	Paul B. Roache, MD
9:15-9:30 AM	Discussion: Harvest and Prep Techniques	General Members
9:30-9:40 AM	FL Placement & Fixation – Original (Shoulder Prep Included)	Teru's Team
9:40-9:50 AM	FL Placement & Fixation – Portugal (Shoulder Prep Included)	Clara Azevedo, MD
9:50-10:00 AM	FL Placement & Fixation – USA	Paul B. Roache, MD
10:00-10:15 AM	Discussion: Graft Placement and Fixation	General Members
10:15-10:20 AM	Post-operative Care – Japan	Teru's Team
10:20-10:25 AM	Post-operative Care – Portugal	Ana / Clara's Team
10:25-10:30 AM	Post-operative Care – USA	Paul's Team
10:30-10:40 AM	Discussion: Post-operative Care	General Members
10:40-10:55 AM	 Coffee Break	
10:55-11:05 AM	Rehabilitation (Principles & Differences – Japan, Portugal, USA)	Noman Naqvi, DPT
11:05-11:15 AM	Discussion: Rehabilitation	General Members
11:15-11:25 AM	MRI Imaging	David Stoller, MD
11:25-11:30 AM	AHD Predictor of Success	In-Ho Jeon, MD / Erica Kholinne, MD
11:30-11:40 AM	Clinical Outcomes – Japan	Teru's Team
11:40-11:50 AM	Clinical Outcomes – Portugal	Clara / Ana's Team
11:50-12:00 PM	Clinical Outcomes – Other (USA, Global Regions)	



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Saturday, February 21st - Academic Meeting

Afternoon Discussion of Regional Experience and Future Directions

Time	Topic	Presenter(s)
12:00–1:00 PM	 Lunch	
1:00–1:10 PM	Regional Report – Argentina	Pablo Narbona, MD
1:10–1:20 PM	Regional Report – India	Dinshaw Pardiwala, MD
1:20–1:30 PM	Regional Report – Thailand	Bancha Chernchujit, MD
1:30–1:40 PM	Regional Report – South Korea	In-Ho Jeon, MD
1:40–1:50 PM	Regional Report – Hong Kong	Patrick Yung, MD
1:50–2:00 PM	UCSF Orthopedics Global Health Initiative	Ben Ma, MD
2:00–2:15 PM	FL Graft Developments – Suture Patch	Teruhisa Mihata, PhD, MD
2:15–2:30 PM	Graft Developments Future – Xenograft	Hiro Sugaya, MD
2:30–2:50 PM	 Coffee Break	
2:50–3:00 PM	SCR-R Indications	Teruhisa Mihata, PhD, MD
3:00–3:15 PM	Non-FL SCR Options for Failed ARCR	Buddy Savoie, MD
3:15–3:30 PM	Failed FL SCR Options – Case Review	Teruhisa Mihata and Board
3:30–3:40 PM	RSA to Revise Failed FL SCR	John Costouros, MD
3:40–4:00 PM	Case Presentations (Includes Abstracts)	Board Members / General Members
4:00–4:10 PM	Research Future Directions	Teruhisa Mihata, MD and Thay Q Lee, PhD
4:10–4:30 PM	FL SCR Advancement Discussion	General Members
4:30–4:50 PM	ISCRA Organization Status Report	Teruhisa Mihata PhD, MD, Paul B. Roache, MD
4:50–5:00 PM	Closing Remarks	Teruhisa Mihata, PhD, MD
6:30–9:00 PM	 Cocktails & Dinner	

Sponsorship Opportunities

The International SCR Association (ISCRA) is a group of expert surgeons in Rotator Cuff Disorders from around the world, led by the world-renowned Teruhisa Mihata, PhD, MD. They all perform the Superior Capsule Reconstruction for Irreparable Rotator Cuff Tears using the technique pioneered by Dr. Mihata.

The Founding Board and advisors include surgeons from 9 countries. We have editors and reviewers for the Journal of Shoulder and Elbow Surgeons, a past president of AAOS, AANA, and ASES, a future president of AANA, a president of the Japanese Orthopedic Society, a current chairman of an Orthopedic Department, and members of the Scientific Committees for ISAKOS and other societies. There are 200+ combined publications by the group on SCR and ARCR-related topics.

The ISCRA is dedicated to the study and advancement of the FL SCR, its successful variants, and the improvement of Rotator Cuff Surgery.

This is a global association that will be the foundation for creating regional centers of excellence around the globe for SCR Surgery and ARCR.

Sponsorship at this early stage provides a unique opportunity for companies to directly connect with global leaders in the SCR and ARCR surgical fields, to support the mission of studying and advancing FL SCR, its successful variants, and improving Rotator Cuff Surgery.

Industry and companies with products that can advance the mission are invited to financially support the success of the ISCRA.

The first of several planned meetings is now scheduled for February 20–21, 2026, in Sonoma, California. This is a closed meeting on location by invite only. There is also a virtual component that will stream the meeting agenda—live and on demand—through a dedicated meeting platform for invitees unable to make the trip. Onsite attendance will be 50 surgeons. Virtual attendance is expected to be 200 surgeons.

There are 2 sponsorship tracks available:

- A) Sponsors with substantial contributions to our endowment fund
- B) Sponsors with contributions for supporting our meeting and association.



Sponsorship Packages

Endowment Sponsors: \$35,000

- Permanent listing as endowment supporter
- Automatic invitations and admittance to all future meetings and events
- Ongoing recognition at all events and meetings
- Digital recognition on meeting platform and website
- Direct access all founding Board members
- Branding priority opportunities in meeting program and handouts at meeting

DIAMOND LEVEL: Exclusive – Limited to 1 per event (\$20,000)

- Opportunity to host a station of products at SCR Surgeon Training Lab (February 20, 2026)
- Draped table at February 21, 2026 meeting room (1st choice)
- 3 exhibitor badges for company representatives at the meeting
- 3 invitations for the Welcome Reception
- 3 invitations for Saturday Dinner event
- Recognition at the Saturday Dinner event
- Diamond Sponsor acknowledgment on meeting signage and welcome meeting slides
- Admittance to scientific sessions as silent observer
- Insert in meeting bag
- Branding priority opportunities in meeting program and handouts at meeting
- High Priority Digital badge on meeting digital platform
- Recognition as Lunch Sponsor
- Attendee list (name and address)

GOLD LEVEL: Limited to 2 per event (\$15,000)

- Opportunity to co-host a station of products at SCR Surgeon Training Lab (February 20, 2026)
- Draped table at February 21, 2026 meeting (2nd choice)
- 2 exhibitor badges for company representatives at the meeting
- 2 invitations for the Welcome Reception
- 2 invitations for Saturday Dinner event
- Gold Sponsor acknowledgment on meeting signage and welcome meeting slides
- Admittance to scientific sessions as silent observer
- Insert in meeting bag
- Branding opportunities in meeting program and handouts at meeting
- Priority Digital badge on meeting digital platform
- Recognition as Breakfast Sponsor
- Attendee list (name and address)

SILVER LEVEL: Limited to 3 per event (\$10,000)

- Draped table at February 21, 2026 meeting (3rd choice)
- 1 exhibitor badge for company representatives at the meeting
- 1 invitation for the Welcome Reception
- 1 invitation for Saturday Dinner event
- Silver Sponsor acknowledgment on meeting signage and welcome meeting slides
- Insert in meeting bag
- Branding opportunities in meeting program and handouts at meeting
- Digital badge on meeting digital platform
- Recognition as Coffee Break sponsor
- Attendee list (name and address)



Sponsorship Packages

Digital Platform Badges

