

# Yvan Silva, MD

**MARCH 2018**



Time to  
Spring Ahead  
Sunday, March 11<sup>th</sup>

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National Doctor's Day  
March 30th

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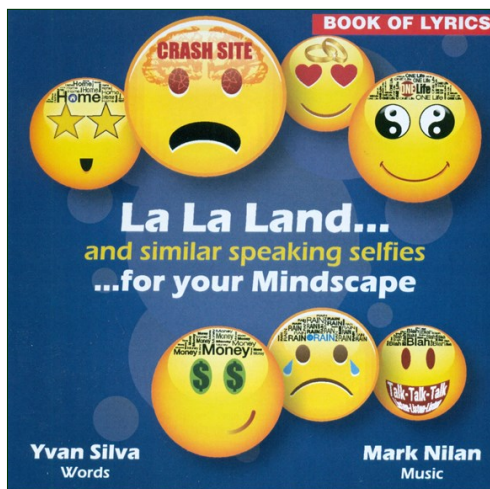
Dr. Yvan Silva continues to be productive in his "retirement." Dr. Silva, during his faculty years from 1967 through 1993, was a busy general surgeon involved with trauma and critical care and transplantation, including being one of the first to do islet cell transplantation following pancreatotomy in patients with severe pancreatitis and insulin dependent diabetes. During these years, he was a favorite of students and, three times, won the "Staff Award" for his teaching efforts. After he left WSU, he became the Residency Program Director at North Oakland Medical Center, where he was influential in the teaching of many surgical residents. Yvan was also known as "The Singing Surgeon" because of the many records he produced, and he was always a very popular entertainer at all of the regional surgical meetings.



Dr. Yvan Silva

Following his retirement as a program director and busy surgeon at North Oakland, he continues in his nonsurgical creativity by writing poems, creating music, and being a contributor to all sorts of fine arts in Southeast Michigan.

Yvan's most recent contribution, "La La Land...", presents a combination of philosophical thoughts put into music in a very innovative and entertaining manner. He provides the words while his friend, Mark Nilan, plays the background music. The following is his first performance in this new project entitled "Money Money Money – Easy Come – Easy Go."



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# Yvan Silva, MD, cont..

*Money Money Money*

*Makes the world go round*

*It's all about the money*

*Credit you're up debit you're down*

*The gover'mint mints the money*

*Brand new money crisp and flat*

*People count and pass the money*

*Make it crumpled to make it fat*

*Equal work for equal pay*

*So all can meet the light of day*

*Your boss says your wages beat the minimum*

*But the boss of bosses has no maximum*

*Some hide it from the IRS*

*Short changing on their taxes*

*Loopholes and legal shenanigans*

*They cheat their fellow citizens*

*They hid a lot of dough offshore*

*So they can keep keep keep*

*more and more and more*

*Stashed in secret hideaways*

*When they get hacked—it's pay for play*

*Trading on the inside*

*Laughing on the outside*

*Many people who they bought*

*Will pimp them out when they get caught*

*Their capers make the papers*

*Their lawyers plead their cases*

*They minimize their sentences*

*Public faces in locked-up spaces*

*So rare it was to make a million*

*But nowadays they talk in billions*

*Count your money fast or slow*

*When it comes easy it's easy go*

*Save your money for a rainy day*

*That's when lenders come get their pay*

*Unfriended banks—sorry you're in bankruptcy*

*It's only about the money—don't you see*

*Sooner or later there'll be no cash money*

*Gazillions in metadata stashed in banks*

*Clicks and transfers on all the deals*

*No hiding cash no counterfeit bills*

*You Know:*

*I had some money I had a friend*

*I lent some money to my friend*

*I lost that money*

*And I lost my friend*

*Money Money Money—Money Money Money*

*Makes the world go round*

*And round and round*

*And round 'n round 'n round*



"The Singing Surgeon"

Further contributions by this creative genius will be seen in the subsequent monthly email reports.

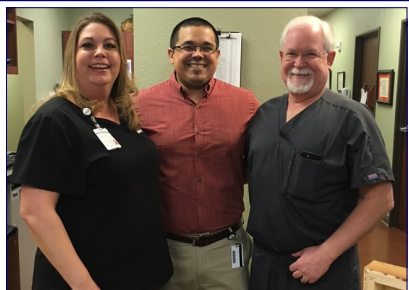


## REPORTS FROM THE OUTFIELD



### Dr. Jorge Carmona

The editor had to appear in court for two weeks and, with the expert testimony of Dr. Jorge Carmona (WSUGS 2017), was found to be innocent of any deviation from the normal standard of surgical practice. Thank you, Jorge!



Stacie Holbrook, RN, Dr. Jorge Carmona, and one of his partners, Dr. Frederick A. Dorroh

Dr. Carmona has been doing great and is thankful that the monthly report summarizes the great presentations made at the Annual Trauma Symposium. Dr. Carmona recommends that Dr. Larry Diebel (WSU/GS 1980/86) create videos, along with a PowerPoint, of the Trauma Symposium and offer it for a modest fee to all of the graduates out in practice. Dr. Carmona thinks that the quality of the presentations is such that the former residents out in the practice world would love to see and hear these presentations rather than just getting a summary of them in the monthly report.

### Dr. Terra Pearson



The editor had to appear in court for two weeks and, with the expert testimony of Dr. Terra Pearson (WSUGS 2014), was found to be innocent of any deviation from the normal standard of surgical practice. Thank you, Terra!

Dr. Terra Pearson has been very productive since completing her general surgical residency. Prior to completing her residency, she became certified in surgical critical care and, after completing her residency, she did a fellowship in transplantation in the great state of Washington. Dr. Pearson is now on the faculty at the Medical College of Wisconsin, where she is actively involved, along with her seven partners, in all sorts of organ transplantation. She is totally caught up in academic surgery, putting together abstracts for surgical meetings and being involved in the teaching of the medical students and residents.

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## REPORTS FROM THE OUTFIELD

### Dr. Terra Pearson, cont...

The following is one of their abstracts submitted for a national presentation.

#### Staged Biliary Reconstruction After Liver Transplantation Reduces Post-Transplant Biliary Complications in High-Acuity Patients

Terra Pearson, Micheal A Zimmerman, Joohyun Kim, Patrick Palines, Melissa Wong, Calvin Erickson and Johnny Hong. <sup>1</sup>Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI, United States.

**Body:** Biliary complications (BC) after liver transplantation (LT) are strongly associated with inferior patient outcomes and increased healthcare cost. High-acuity LT patients are at increased risk for BC. While a staged operative strategy in complex hepatobiliary surgery has improved post-operative outcomes, data on staged biliary reconstruction after LT (SBRALT) is limited. We sought to analyze the utility and outcomes of SBRALT in high-risk adult transplant recipients.

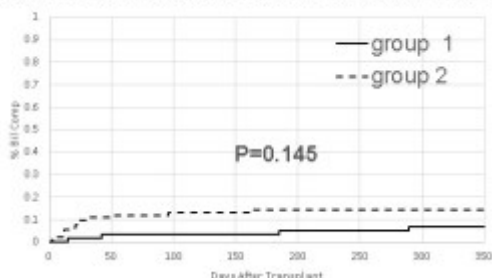
**Methods:** We conducted an analysis from our prospective database of 149 adult LTs at our center from January 2012 through June 2017. We compared Group I: single-stage LT with biliary anastomosis at the time of transplantation (n=58) vs Group II: two-stage LT with delayed biliary reconstruction (n=91).

**Results:** Comparing Groups I and II: median age (53.3 vs 54.9 years), mean MELD scores (31.3 vs 34.7, P=0.002), MELD  $\geq$  30 (57.7% vs 75.8%, P=0.021), patients requiring pre-transplant ICU (29.3% vs 54.9%, P=0.022), intraoperative renal replacement therapy (15.5% vs 48.4%, P<0.001), mean cold ischemia time (342.3 min vs 354.7 min), estimated blood loss (2879 mL vs 5989 mL, P<0.001), packed RBC transfusion (7.7 U vs 18.8 U, P<0.001), cryoprecipitate transfusion (1.8 U vs 7.0 U, P<0.001). Roux-en-Y hepaticojejunostomy was performed in 8.6% (Group I) and 25.3% (Group II), P=0.011. Compared to Group I, Group II had a significantly lesser amount of intraoperative blood loss (946 vs. 342 mL, P<0.001) and blood product transfusion (4.35 vs. 2.1 units, P<0.001) during the period of biliary reconstruction. For Groups I and II, one-year survival rates for graft (89.7% vs 88.2%, P=0.845) and patient (89.7% vs 88.2%, P=0.841) were comparable. Cumulative incidence of biliary complications for both groups were similar (Figure 1).

**Conclusion:** Our study shows a clear clinical benefit to staged biliary reconstruction after LT in high-risk transplant recipients. Two-stage LT with delayed biliary reconstruction is an acceptable operative strategy and can be applied to optimize outcomes in complex LT.



Figure 1. Cumulative Incidence of Biliary Complications by Group.



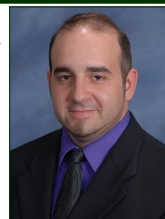
Dr. Terra Pearson (second from the right) with her colleagues



# REPORTS FROM THE OUTFIELD

## PRODUCTIVITY

**Dr. Matthew Mayuiers** (WSUGS 2019) will be presenting a poster session at the SAGES/CAGS meeting on Thursday, April 12, in Seattle, Washington. The title of Dr. Mayuiers' paper is "Simultaneous Endoscopic Gastrostomy Closure and PEG Replacement After Early Accident Removal." He is sponsored in this paper by Dr. Choichi Sugawa. We all look forward to their subsequent manuscript publication.



Dr. Matthew Mayuiers

**Dr. Jose Wilson Mesquita** (WSUGS 2022) will be presenting a paper at the Central Surgical Association meeting on Thursday, March 15, in Columbus, Ohio. The title of Dr. Mesquita's paper is "Failure of Gastric Prophylaxis Against Stress Bleeding (SD) Reflects Inadequate PH Control." He is sponsored in this paper by Dr. Charles E. Lucas (WSU/GS 1962/67). We all look forward to their subsequent manuscript publication.



DR. J Wilson Mesquita

**More Productivity:** Below are photos taken from the ABSITE weekend, showing a calm and jovial atmosphere amongst the residents—even with the in-training exam just minutes ahead of them!



Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup>



Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup>





Wayne State Surgical Society  
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Charles Lucas, MD  
Department of Surgery  
Detroit Receiving Hospital, Room 2V  
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**MARK YOUR CALENDARS**

*75<sup>th</sup> Annual Central Surgical Association*

*March 15-17, 2018*

*Hilton Columbus Downtown*

*Columbus, Ohio*

*138<sup>th</sup> Annual American Surgical Association*

*April 19-21, 2018*

*FW Marriott Phoenix Desert Ridge*

*Phoenix, Arizona*

*65<sup>th</sup> Annual Michigan Chapter/ACS*

*May 16-18, 2018*

*Grand Traverse Resort & Spa*

*Traverse City, MI*

*Midwest Surgical Association*

*August 5-7, 2018*

*Grand Hotel*

*Mackinac Island*



*Please Update Your Information*

The WSUSOM Department of Surgery wants to stay in touch. Please email Charles Lucas at [clucas@med.wayne.edu](mailto:clucas@med.wayne.edu) to update your contact information.



**WSU MONTHLY CONFERENCES  
2018**

**Death & Complications Conference**  
Every Wednesday from 7-8



**Didactic Lectures—8 am**  
**Kresge Auditorium**



**Wednesday, March 7**

**Selwan D. Barbat, MD**

Death & Complications Conference

WSU Mike & Marian Ilitch Department of Surgery

**Wednesday, March 14**

**Aftab Jafri, MD**

Death & Complications Conference

WSU Mike & Marian Ilitch Department of Surgery

**Wednesday, March 21**

**Maurice Nahabedian, MD**

National Center for Plastic Surgery

McLean, Virginia

**Wednesday, March 28**

**Stop the Bleed Program: Organization and Implementation—Key to Success**

**Andrew B. Peitzman, MD**

Chief, Section of Trauma & Surgical Critical Care

University of Pittsburgh, School of Medicine





## Missing Emails

Over the years the WSU Department of Surgery has lost touch with many of its alumni. If you know the email, address, or phone number of the following WSU Department of Surgery Residency Program graduates please email us at [clucas@med.wayne.edu](mailto:clucas@med.wayne.edu) with their information so that we can get them on the distribution list for the WSU Department of Surgery Alumni Monthly Email Report.

Ram Agrawal (1974)

Mohammad Ali (1973)

David B. Allen (1992)

Tayful R. Ayalp (1979)

Robert C. Birks (1970)

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Kuan-Cheng Chen (1976)

Elizabeth Colaiuta (2001)

Fernando I. Colon (1991)

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Teoman Demir (1996)

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Raghuram Gorti (2002)

Karin Haji (1973)

Morteza Hariri (1970)

Abdul A. Hassan (1971)

S. Amjad Hussain (1970)

Rose L. Jumah (2006)

R. Kambhampati (2003)

Aftab Khan (1973)

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Y. Park (1972)

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Ami Raafat (1998)

Kevin Radecki (2001)

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Edgar Roman (1971)

Renato G. Ruggiero (1994)

Parvid Sadjadi (1971)

Samson P. Samuel (1996)

Knavery D. Scaff (2003)

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Anand G. Shah (2005)

Anil Shetty (2008)

Chanderdeep Singh (2002)

D. Sukumaran (1972)

David G. Tse (1997)

Christopher N. Vashi (2007)

Larry A. Wolk (1984)

Peter Y. Wong (2002)

Shane Yamane (2005)

Chungie Yang (2005)

Hossein A. Yazdy (1970)

Lester S. Young (2008)

Lawrence S. Zachary (1985)

Paul Zidel (1986)



St. Patrick's Day, March 17<sup>th</sup>

## Wayne State Surgical Society

*The Wayne State Surgical Society (WSSS) was established during the tenure of Dr. Walt as the chairman of the Department of Surgery. WSSS was designed to create closer contact between the current faculty and residents with the former resident members in order to create a living family of all of the WSU Department of Surgery. The WSSS also supports department activities. Charter/Life Membership in the WSSS is attained by a donation of \$1,000 per year for ten years or \$10,000 prior to ten years. Annual membership is attained by a donation of \$200 per year. WSSS supports a visiting lecturer each fall and co-sponsors the annual reception of the department at the annual meeting of the American College of Surgeons. Dr. Randall W. Smith (WSU/GS 1981/86) passed the baton of presidency to Dr. Brian Shapiro (WSU/GS 1988/93) at the WSSS Gathering during the 3.0 American College of Surgeons meeting in October 2016. Members of the WSSS are listed on the next page. Dr. Shapiro continues in the hope that all former residents will become lifetime members of the WSSS and participate in the annual sponsored lectureship and the annual reunion at the American College of Surgeons meeting.*





*Members of the Wayne State Surgical Society  
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*Operation-A-Year  
January 1—December 31, 2017*



The WSU department of Surgery has instituted a new group of alumni who are remembering their training by donating the proceeds of one operation a year to the department. Those who join this new effort will be recognized herein as annual contributors. We hope that all of you will remember the department by donating one operation, regardless of difficulty or reimbursement, to the department to help train your replacements. Please send you donation to the Wayne State Surgical Society in care of Dr. Charles E. Lucas at Detroit Receiving Hospital, 4201 St. Antoine Street (Room 2V), Detroit, MI, 48201.

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