

**THE CENTRAL ASSOCIATION OF  
OBSTETRICIANS AND GYNECOLOGISTS**



**76TH ANNUAL MEETING**  
**OCTOBER 25 – 28, 2009**  
(SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY)

**GRAND WAILEA RESORT**  
**WAILEA, MAUI, HAWAII**

**CONFERENCE INFORMATION AND REGISTRATION**



**Immerse Yourself in Paradise. ALOHA !**

## WELCOME TO MAUI, HAWAII – A SLICE OF PARADISE

If you only have time or travel funds for one great meeting in 2009, make the 76<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting of the Central Association of Obstetricians and Gynecologists at the Grand Wailea Resort your # 1 priority. In 1999 Maui was the site of the most successful CAOG Meeting ever. A decade later we hope to surpass it. We are excited that ACOG District VI has chosen to use the CAOG as a substitute for their 2009 Annual District Meeting. A world class tropical resort, great science and two compatible organizations: great ingredients for a spectacular event you won't want to miss. Make your reservations immediately for **October 25, 26, 27 & 28**. Bring your family and plan to relax a few extra days on the shores of this Pacific Ocean paradise. **ALOHA !**

Dennis J. Lutz, M.D. – President CAOG

**Getting to Hawaii:** Coming directly from the mainland or via Honolulu you will arrive at **Kahului Airport** on north Maui, about 30 minutes from Wailea. Flights fill up quickly so get your tickets as soon as possible.

**About Wailea:** The Grand Wailea Resort is truly one of the world's greatest venues. Now a Waldorf Astoria property that recently completed a \$50 million renovation, the Grand Wailea combines understated opulence against a background of lush tropical gardens, fountains and sweeping views that flaunt the Pacific Ocean. While Wailea has the highest hotel rates in Hawaii the CAOG has negotiated super low rates of \$200 - \$350 per night on a first come basis. Although the Grand Wailea has the largest spa in Hawaii, what's outside the hotel is just as impressive as what's inside. Enjoy the beach, water sports, hiking, tours of Maui and championship golf. What's wrong with perfection? It's been said that "If the Hawaiian islands are heaven, Wailea is paradise."

**Room Reservations:** The CAOG has reserved a block of rooms for the meeting starting at \$200 per night (plus applicable taxes.) To take advantage of this very favorable rate, please be certain to identify yourself with the **CAOG** when registering. You may contact the Grand Wailea reservation desk directly at **1-800-888-6100** with **Group Code GCOB**. Although we expect the room block to sell out, our contract requires a specific number of rooms that must be filled in order to avoid financial penalties. Please support the CAOG by attending your 2009 Annual Meeting. Call Rochelle at the CAOG office at 701-838-8323 for questions or problems.

**Fine Dining:** Besides the wonderful dining at the Grand Wailea, you are just a short walk or ride from an incredible variety of world class dining options. Maui means great cuisine: Classic seafood, traditional fare, Pacific Rim Asian dishes or other ethnic options that never disappoint. Several great island guides available at the airport when you arrive include "Maui Menus," "Wailea Dining, Art, and Shopping" and "Maui Maps."

**Entertainment:** You will not have enough time to enjoy the spectacular array of museums, art galleries, shopping and island tours that Maui features every day. You are on your own after the **CAOG Welcome Reception** Sunday October 25<sup>th</sup> as well as the evenings of Monday, October 26<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday, October 28<sup>th</sup>. Just keep Tuesday night free for the traditional **CAOG Gala Reception and Luau** near the Grand Wailea Beach. The scientific sessions will begin early Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, leaving afternoons free for R&R.

### Spouse/Guest Program

The traditional **Spouse and Guest Breakfast** is Monday morning. You will enjoy a guided hotel art tour hosted by Meryl Lutz, wife of CAOG President Dennis Lutz. All attendees are then invited to the **Monday Noon Luncheon** and intriguing talk to follow. Activities can be arranged through the Grand Wailea concierge. Consider a tour of old Lahaina, an unforgettable drive along "the road to Hana" or a trip up Mount Haleakala.

### Scientific Program

Original scientific research will be the focus of 19 oral presentations and always popular poster presentations. Hot topics, sunrise lectures and exciting invited guest speakers will further highlight an outstanding CAOG program. **Review the final program now.** The presidential theme is "The Time in Your Life: Use it Wisely" with emphasis on the future of women's health care and our specialty. You won't want to miss a single talk.

<b>2009 FINAL</b>		<b>SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2009</b>		<b>CAOG PROGRAM</b>
1:00 – 5:00 p.m.	<b>General Registration</b>	(also continues each morning of meeting days)		
6:00 – 9:00 p.m.	<b>Welcome Reception /Exhibit Hall Opens (all attendees invited)</b>			
<b>MONDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2009</b>				
6:15 – 6:30 a.m.	<b>Continental Breakfast – Scientific Posters/Exhibits</b>			
6:30 – 7:30 a.m.	<b>Sunrise Lecture</b>	<b>“Patient Safety: You’re Not as Current as You Thought” Thomas J. Benedetti, M.D. – Seattle, WA</b>		
7:30 – 9:00 a.m.	Opening Remarks and Original Research Paper Presentations			
9:00 – 9:45 a.m.	Break – Scientific Posters/Exhibits			
9:45 – 10:30 a.m.	<b>Hot Topic</b>	<b>“The Future of Women’s Health Care: Medical School Perspective” Joshua Wynne, M.D. – Acting Dean, University of North Dakota</b>		
10:30 – 11:30 a.m.	Original Research Paper Presentations			
11:30 a.m.– 12:30 p.m.	<b>Hot Topic</b>	<b>“The Future of Women’s Health Care: ACOG Perspective” Ralph W. Hale, M.D. – Executive V.P., Washington, D.C.</b>		
12:30 – 1:00 p.m.	<b>Luncheon</b>	All registrants (including guests) are invited		
1:00 – 2:00 p.m.	<b>Post Luncheon Lecture</b>	<b>“The History of Hawaiian Medicine” Ralph W. Hale, M.D. – Former Chair Ob-Gyn, University of Hawaii</b>		
<b>TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2009</b>				
6:15 – 6:30 a.m.	<b>Continental Breakfast – Scientific Posters/Exhibits</b>			
6:30 – 7:30 a.m.	<b>Sunrise Lecture</b>	<b>“Successful Strategies to Support Your OAB Patients” Stephen H. Cruikshank, M.D., MBA – Dayton, OH</b>		
7:30 – 9:00 a.m.	Original Research Paper Presentations			
9:00 – 10:15 a.m.	<b>Hot Topic</b>	<b>“Professional Liability: Protecting and Rebuilding Your Assets” Daniel J. McNeff , Provo, Utah</b>		
10:15 – 11:00 a.m.	Break – Scientific Posters/Exhibits			
11:00 – 11:30 a.m.	Original Research Paper Presentations			
11:30 am – 12:15 p.m.	<b>Keynote Address</b>	<b>“The Future of Women’s Health Care: I Once Was A Doctor” Norman F. Gant, Jr., M.D. – Dallas, TX</b>		
12:15 – 1:00 p.m.	<b>Presidential Address</b>	<b>“The Time In Your Life: Use It Wisely” Dennis J. Lutz, M.D. – Minot, ND</b>		
1:00 – 1:30 p.m.	Annual Business Meeting CAOG			
6:30 – 11:00 p.m.	Gala Reception/Dinner/Luau (all registrants, including guests, are invited)			
<b>WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2009</b>				
6:15 – 6:30 a.m.	<b>Continental Breakfast</b>			
6:30 – 7:30 a.m.	<b>Sunrise Lecture</b>	<b>“Office Genetics: Getting the Answer Immediately” Mark I. Evans, M.D. – New York, NY</b>		
7:30 – 9:00 a.m.	Original Research Paper Presentations			
9:00 – 9:30 a.m.	Break/Refreshments			
9:30 – 10:30 a.m.	<b>Hot Topic</b>	<b>“The Amazing Evolution of Reproductive Genetics” Mark R. Hughes, M.D., Ph.D. - Detroit, MI</b>		
10:30 – 11:30 a.m.	Original Research Paper Presentations			
11:30 a.m.	Adjourn			



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**The Grand Wailea Resort (D) is 30 minutes from Kahului Airport (A)**