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Elliot L. Chaikof, M.D., Ph.D., is Chairman of the Roberta and Stephen R. Weiner Department of Surgery and Surgeon-in-Chief at the Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center and holds the Johnson & Johnson Professorship of Surgery at Harvard Medical School. Dr. Chaikof is a member of the Wyss Institute of Biologically Inspired Engineering of Harvard University, the Harvard Stem Cell Institute, and holds a faculty appointment in the Division of Health Sciences and Technology at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He has previously held faculty appointments in the Department of Surgery at Emory University, as well as in the Departments of Chemical and Biomedical Engineering at the Georgia Institute of Technology. Dr. Chaikof received his B.A. and M.D. from Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore and his Ph.D. in Chemical Engineering from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, where his research focused on polymer chemistry, biomaterials, and artificial organs. He completed his training in General Surgery at the Massachusetts General Hospital and in Vascular Surgery at Emory University.

Dr. Chaikof’s clinical interests focus on the treatment of vascular diseases of the aorta, carotid, and peripheral arteries. In 1994, he initiated one of the first programs for endovascular aortic aneurysm repair in the United States and was among the core group of principal investigators that conducted the first FDA approved clinical trials of stent-grafts for repair of abdominal and thoracic aortic aneurysms. He has been responsible for the formulation of national best practice guidelines for the treatment of aortic aneurysms. Dr. Chaikof is Editor of the Atlas of Vascular Surgery and Endovascular Therapy, which was published by Elsevier in 2014 with both Mandarin and Portuguese editions.

Dr. Chaikof’s translational research interests lie at the interface of medicine, chemistry, and engineering with a focus on drug discovery and tissue engineering. He has published more than 300 articles and holds approximately two dozen patents. Dr. Chaikof has served as the primary mentor for 16 PhD or MD-PhD students and over 50 postdoctoral research associates, many of whom currently hold faculty positions in Departments of Biomedical, Mechanical, and Chemical Engineering, as well as Chemistry and Surgery. Dr. Chaikof was the recipient of the 2013 Clemson Award for Applied Research from the Society for Biomaterials and was elected to the National Academy of Medicine (Institute of Medicine) of the National Academies in 2014.

**FRASER GURD SURGICAL RESEARCH FORUM MAY 25, 2017**

**7:30 - 8:00**
Breakfast, MGH Livingston Hall Lounge, L6-500

**8:00 - 8:45**
“Breaking Bad: Thrombosis and Bleeding in the Modern Era”
— Dr. Elliot Chaikof

Objectives:
• Understand the role of anti-platelet therapy and anticoagulation in the treatment of stroke and cardiovascular disease.
• Understand the complications of anti-platelet therapy and anticoagulation, including new oral anticoagulants.
• Understand the current state of new anti-thrombotics that limit the risk of bleeding complications.

**9:00 - 12:00**
Scientific Presentations

**12:00 - 13:00**
Lunch

**13:00 - 14:30**
Symposium on Surgical Innovation

**14:30 - 16:30**
Scientific Presentations

**18:00**
FRASER GURD BANQUET

All Surgeons, Scientists, and Residents of the Department of Surgery are cordially invited to the Fraser Gurd Banquet

COCKTAILS AT 18:00 – DINNER AT 19:00

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