

Global Health Lecture Series

**Education and Training of Surgeons
in Rwanda:**

COSECSA and WISA Experience

featuring

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Noon

ACB 110

Zoom: <https://ttuhsc.zoom.us/j/9798966879>

Dr. Hollands is a pediatric surgeon practicing at Covenant Children's Hospital and is the immediate past president of the Association of Women Surgeons. Clinical interests include advanced minimally invasive surgery.

COSECSA is the College of Surgeons of East, Central and Southern Africa and is responsible for the education and training of surgeons for that region. WISA is the Women in Surgery Africa and the society supports and advocates for the women surgeons in Africa. In many countries the women surgeons are the first and only woman surgeon in their specialty. This talk will cover some aspects of the education and training of surgeons in Rwanda and the successes of WISA in supporting women to become surgeons in these areas.

Free lunch will be provided to the first 50 attendees (*Lubbock campus only*).

This event is free & open to the public. No RSVP is necessary.

For more information about the Global Health Lecture Series, contact the Office of Global Health at 806-743-2901 or globalhealth@ttuhsc.edu.

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