UNIVERSITY AFFILIATION:
University of Alabama at Birmingham, Division of Otolaryngology-Head & Neck Surgery, Clinical Assistant Professor

LICENSING REQUIREMENT:
Alabama State Medical License

APPOINTMENT LEVEL:

OPERATING PRIVILEGES:
The fellow will have operating privileges at the Rousso Facial Plastic Surgery Clinic; Health South Medical Center; Outpatient Care Center; Eye Foundation Hospital; Brookwood Medical Center; Saint Vincent’s Hospital; all in Birmingham.

OPERATIVE EXPERIENCE:
The practice is in a private, state of the art plastic surgery clinic. Dr. Rousso’s practice is limited to facial plastic surgery and is primarily cosmetic in nature (90%). There is a blend of cosmetic procedures such as rhytidectomy, blepharoplasty, rhinoplasty, laser skin resurfacing, dermabrasion, chemical peeling, hair replacement, otoplasty and reconstructive procedures such as scar revision and Mohs’ defects. There is no primary trauma call. The practice is quite busy, with Dr. Rousso performing over 400-500 cases per year. The fellow is expected to assist Dr. Rousso and has the opportunity to assist other physicians in the community. During the latter part of the fellowship, the Fellow has the opportunity to function as surgeon with cases provided through special arrangements (for those patients with limited budgets).

RESEARCH:
Research is encouraged and supported. One clinical paper is required.

TEACHING RESPONSIBILITIES:
Dr. Rousso gives lectures to the UAB Residents on a monthly basis, and the Fellow is expected to be involved.
CASE LOAD:
Approximately 400-500 cases as first assistant and 30 cases as surgeon. Operates 3 full days a week and in clinic 2 days a week.

CALL RESPONSIBILITIES:
The fellow is expected to take primary call. There is no emergency room call.

BENEFITS:
* Health: Provided for the fellow and his/her family.
* Stipend: $24,000 per year.
* Malpractice: Provided
* Tail Coverage: Provided
* Other: Two weeks vacation per year

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:
Dr. Rousso is also a Fellowship Director and past President of the International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery (ISHRS). The fellow will also receive credit for a one-year fellowship in the ISHRS during the AAFPRS Fellowship year.

Birmingham is a city gifted with an outstanding medical community. The fellow will have the opportunity to spend time with other facial plastic surgeons, plastic surgeons, oculoplastic surgeons, Moh’s surgeons and oral/maxillofacial surgeons in the community. The Fellow has the opportunity to interact with multiple surgeons with different practices. The ability to interact with a diverse group of specialists focusing on aesthetic medicine and surgery provides a unique setting in which one can maximize experience in aesthetic and reconstructive facial plastic surgery.

THIS PROGRAM DOES NOT ACCEPT INTERNATIONAL MEDICAL GRADUATES FOR TRAINING.