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Dr. Mars is the creative force, owner and medical director of Venus By Mars Cosmetic Surgery and La Paloma Surgery Center, an office, med spa and private state certified surgery center that she built and opened in 2012. Her focus for 27 years has been aesthetic surgery, and she specializes in body, breast and facial surgery. She has a special interest in complex re-operative cosmetic breast surgery and emerging technology. Besides her practice, she is passionate about and actively involved at the national level to promote, mentor and encourage young plastic surgeons in training. She is an active speaker and on numerous committees for ASPS and is currently the co-chair of the WPS forum. Dr. Mars is a member of the American Society of Plastic Surgeons, The Aesthetic Society, The Arizona Society of Plastic Surgeons, and the Tucson Plastic Surgery Society.