

Official Language 

English (with simultaneous translation into Italian)

Places available

Option A: 28 places

Live surgery + Theoretical Session + Hands on training

Option B: 42 places

Live surgery + Theoretical Session

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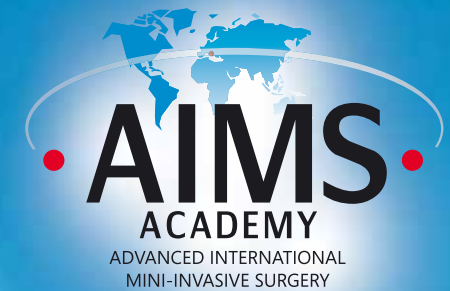
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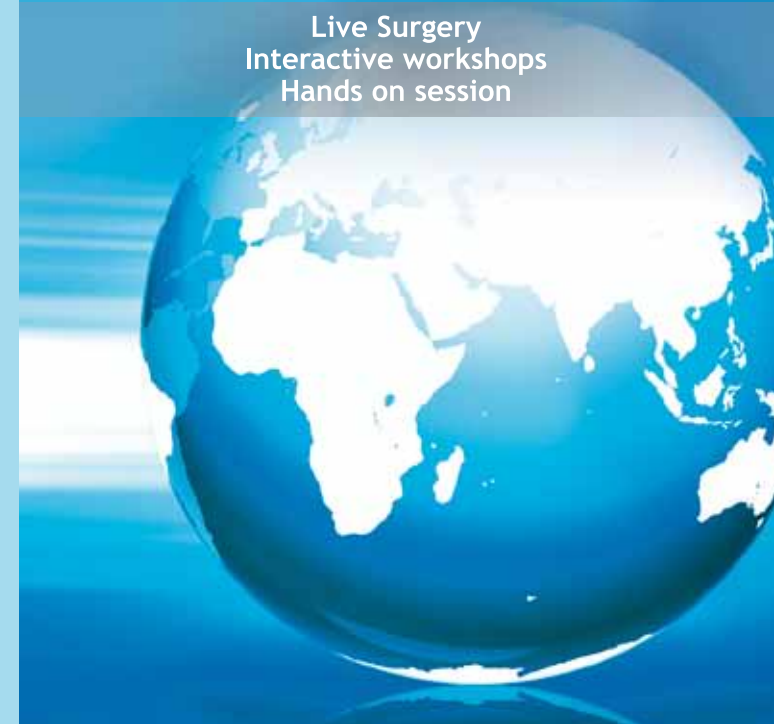
Mini-Invasive Endocrine Surgery Course

Live Surgery
Interactive workshops
Hands on session

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08.15 Registration of participants
08.45 Welcome - Raffaele Pugliese

**09.00
13.00** Morning session ► LIVE SURGERY
for Option A and B

- Mini-invasive thyroidectomy
- Mini-invasive para thyroidectomy
- Laparoscopic distal pancreatectomy

13.00 14.00 - Lunch at the institute

**14.00
18.00** Afternoon session ► Hands on training
for Option A
Expert Tutors:
all the faculty

**14.00
14.30** Introduction to lab facilities and demonstration of
the training surgical techniques
Antonello Forgiome and Francesco Carù

**14.30
18.00** Training lab session

Wet lab session for 14 participants
Laparoscopic adrenalectomy, distal pancreatectomy,
nephrectomy, videoassisted thyroidectomy

- 2 participants per table
- 1 Expert tutor each two table

**Dry lab session for 14 participants: laparoscopic
suture techniques (hand sewn, endostapler)**

- 2 participants per table
- 1 Expert tutor each two table



Please note that this program may be subjected to changes according to experts and patients availability

**09.00
13.00** Morning session ► LIVE SURGERY
for Option A and B

- Retroperitoneal mini-invasive approach to the Adrenal gland
- Laparoscopic approach to the Adrenal gland
- Retroperitoneal mini-invasive Adrenal Sparing surgery

13.00 14.00 - Lunch at the institute

**14.00
14.30** Workshop ▼
"Advancing in Endocrine surgery:
it's time for the new conversation"
(Johnson&Johnson)

FOR OPTION A

**14.30
18.00** Afternoon session ► Hands on training
Expert Tutors:
all the faculty

Training lab session
Wet and Dry Lab session for 28 participants
Program: as the previous day

FOR OPTION B

**14.30
16.30** Afternoon session ► Workshop with experts
"SURGICAL TIPS AND TRICKS"
VIDEOS COMMENTED BY THE FACULTY
Discussion around short presentations of difficult or
particular cases, pitfalls and technical details of Mini-Invasiv
Endocrine Surgery through pre-recorded operative
demonstrations

**08.30
12.30** Theoretical session
for Option A and B

INTERACTIVE WORKSHOP WITH THE EXPERTS

**MINIMAL INVASIVE THYROID AND PARATHYROID
SURGERY**

- Indication and limits of the Minimal invasive approach to the neck
- The technology that helps in minimal invasive neck surgery: ultrasonic dissection, advanced bipolar system, 3D imaging

MINIMAL INVASIVE APPROACH TO ADRENAL GLAND

- Transperitoneal adrenalectomy: patient and trocar positioning, transperitoneal technique mobilizing the colon vs transmesocolic approach
- Retroperitoneal adrenalectomy: operatory room set up, patient and trocar positioning, anatomical landmark
- Which is the best approach for bilateral adrenal gland diseases?
- Partial adrenalectomy: when and how
- Does it exist a limit for the minimal invasive approach to the adrenal gland?

**MINIMAL INVASIVE APPROACH FOR
NEUROENDOCRINE PANCREATIC TUMORS**

- Preoperative and intraoperative localization of the PNET
- Pancreatic tail resection with spleen preservation: tips and tricks
- Which is the role of local excision or ablative techniques in PNET

NEW TRENDS in minimal invasive Endocrine Surgery

- Single Access surgery
- Synchronous retroperitoneal adrenalectomy
- Natural Orifice Specimen Extraction (N.O.S.E) and NOTES : facts or fiction?
- Robotics: does it really help in minimal invasive endocrine surgery?

► **GUEST CLOSING LECTURE**

End of the course

Delivery of the certificates of attendance