



CLINICAL
ROBOTIC
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ASSOCIATION

LET'S KEEP IN TOUCH TO IMPROVE OUR ROBOTIC CLINICAL PRACTICE

June 25-29, 2012
Grosseto, Italy



CRSA EUROPEAN CHAPTER UPPER GI – HPB – ENDOCRINE

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1st DAY: JUNE, 25 2012 (MONDAY)

UPPER GI

14.00 Welcome and Introduction
Prof. P.C. Giulianotti

THEORETICAL SESSION

14.30 Relevant Laparoscopic Anatomy for Robotic Upper GI Surgery
Prof. P.C. Giulianotti

15.00 Basic of Robotics and OR Setup for Upper GI Robotic Surgery
Dr. M. Anecchiarico

15.30 **Videoconference from UIC Chicago, USA**
Patient Selection and Positioning; Ports Placement, Exposure/Retraction
Dr. S. Ayloo

16.00 Interactive Discussion and Break

17.00 Robotic Upper GI: Indication and Techniques
Dr. G. Pernazza

17.30 Heller Miotomy: Technical Details
Dr. G. Caravaglios

18.00 Interactive Discussion

19.00 End of work



2nd DAY: JUNE, 26 2012 (TUESDAY)

UPPER GI

08.00 Clinical Cases Presentation
Meeting in Lab and Split into Groups

GROUP A: "LIVE OR VIRTUAL SURGERY"

Robotic Gastrectomy

Surgeons: Prof. P.C. Giulianotti, Dott. A. Coratti, Dr. C.N.Tang
Live Moderators: Dr. P. Bianchi

GROUP B: "WET LABORATORY"

Dr. E. Traverso, Veterinary Surgeon
Clinical Specialist, Ab medica (Intuitive)
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11.00 Strategies to Develop Upper GI Robotic Surgery
Dr. P. Bianchi

13.30 Tips and Triks for Upper GI Robotic Surgery
Prof. P.C. Giulianotti

14.15 Robotic Gastric Surgery: Update and Long Term Follow-up
Dr. A. Coratti

15.00 Meeting in Lab and Split into Groups:

GROUP B: "LIVE OR VIRTUAL SURGERY"

Robotic Heller Myotomy for Achalasia

Surgeons: Prof. P.C. Giulianotti, Dr. A. Coratti, Dr. C.N.Tang
Live Moderators: Prof. P.C. Giulianotti, Dr. P. Bianchi

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16.00 **Videoconference from UIC Chicago - Robotic Esophageal Surgery**
Dr. F. Elli

19.00 End of work

3rd DAY: JUNE, 27 2011 (WEDNESDAY)

HPB

- 08.00 Welcome and Introduction
Prof. P.C. Giulianotti
- 08.30 Relevant Laparoscopic Anatomy for Robotic HPB Surgery
Dr. C.N.Tang
- 09.00 Clinical Cases Presentation
Meeting in Lab and Split into Groups:

GROUP A: "LIVE OR VIRTUAL SURGERY"

Robotic Liver Resection

Surgeons: Prof. P.C. Giulianotti, Dr. A. Coratti, Dr. C.N.Tang
Live Moderators: Dr. A. Patrì, Dr. G. Pernazza, Prof. M. Malagò

GROUP B: "WET LABORATORY"

Dr. E. Traverso, Veterinary Surgeon
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- 15.00 **Videoconference from UIC Chicago, USA**
Advances in modern Liver surgery
Prof. E. Benedetti / Prof. M. Malagò
- 15.30 **Videoconference from Barcellona, Spain**
Robotic Biliary Surgery: Present and Future.
Role of In vivo Fluorescence
Dr. D. Calatayud
- 16.00 Robotic Liver Resections
Dr. L. Casciola
- 16.40 Advanced Hepatic Robotic Surgery / Tips and Tricks
Prof. P.C. Giulianotti
- 17.20 Robotic HPB Surgery: Experience of Grosseto and Hong Kong Teams
Dr. A. Coratti, Dr. C.N.Tang
- 18.00 Interactive Discussion
- 19.00 End of work
- 20.30 SOCIAL DINNER

4th DAY: JUNE 28 2012 (THURSDAY)

HPB

08.00 **Videoconference from Hong Kong China**
Robotics in Hepatobiliary Surgery: Personal Experience
Prof. M. Li

08.30 Clinical Cases Presentation
Meeting in Lab and Split into Groups:

GROUP B: "LIVE OR VIRTUAL SURGERY"

Robotic Whipple

Prof. P.C. Giulianotti; Dr. A. Coratti, Dr. C.N.Tang
Live Moderator: Dr. A. Patriiti, Prof. M. Malagò

GROUP A: "WET LABORATORY"

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14.00 **Videoconference from Minneapolis, USA**
Robotic Whipple: details of technique
Dr. S. MacKenzie

15.00 **Videoconference from UIC Chicago, USA**
Robotic Spleen Preserving Distal Pancreatectomy
Dr. F. Bianco

16.00 Pancreatic Surgery: comparative experiences
Prof. P.C. Giulianotti / Dr. C.N.Tang

17.00 Video: Distal Pancreatectomy with or without spleen-preservation
Dr. A. Coratti

18.00 Interactive Discussion

19.00 End of work

5th DAY: JUNE 29 2012 (FRIDAY)

ENDOCRINE

- 08.00 Welcome and Introduction
Prof. P.C. Giulianotti
- 08.15 Relevant anatomy for Robotic Thyroidectomy
Dr. M. Piccoli
- 08.45 Robotic Thyroideal Surgery:
the creation of the perfect tunnel / retraction / exposure
Prof. P.C. Giulianotti
- 09.15 **“LIVE OR VIRTUAL SURGERY”**
Robotic Transaxillary Thyroidectomy
Prof. P.C. Giulianotti; Dr. A. Coratti
Live Moderator: Dr. M. Piccoli, Dr. P. G. Ciabatti
- 12.00 **Videoconference from Nancy, FRANCE**
Robotic Adrenalectomy
Prof. L. Brunaud
- 12.30 Video Extended radical adrenalectomy for adrenal cancer
Prof. P.C. Giulianotti
- 13.15 Break
- 13.45 Robotic Thyroidectomy: Experience of Italian Teams
Dr. M. Piccoli / Dr. P. G. Ciabatti
- 14.30 Interactive Discussion and Videos Presentation
- 15.30 End of Course



GENERAL INFORMATION

Advanced Robotic Course: **UPPERGI – HPB – ENDOCRINE**
June, 25 -29, 2012

ANIMAL LAB TECHNICAL PROCEDURES

June 25 and 26 UPPER GI

- Nissen Fundoplication
- Distal Gastrectomy with hand-sewn anastomosis
- Completion Total Gastrectomy with esophago-jejunal anastomosis

June 27 and 28 HPB

- Cholecystectomy
 - Bile duct exploration and biliary anastomosis
 - Left Hepatectomy
 - Total Splenectomy
- GENERAL INFORMATION**
- during the course, participants will attend and participate in round to the minimally invasive robotic surgeries scheduled for the week;
 - in the robotic school classroom close to the “wet laboratory” will be screened the daily activity of the OR;
 - The course material will be given during the course.

COURSE VENUE

- International School of Robotic Surgery, Misericordia Hospital of Grosseto Via Senese, Grosseto, Italy

ECM

Italian ECM accreditation will be provided for the course

HOTEL RESERVATION

The organizing secretariat Ti.Gi. Congress is available to participants for individual hotel reservations. Guidances on suggested hotels and the costs can be easily retrieved in the “info and contacts >> General Information” page on the website of the school: www.roboticschool.it

CHANGES TO THE PROGRAM

The scientific and organizing secretariat reserve the right to make any changes to the program which are considered necessary for technical and/or scientific reasons

REGISTRATION

It will be possible to attend one, two or all modules of the course.
The registration to each module includes: Attendance to the course;
Certificate of participation; Multimedia educational material; Coffee breaks e lunches.

REGISTRATION FEES FOR ITALIAN SURGEONS OR ITALIAN PRIVATE COMPANIES

Upper GI (June 25 and 26)

EUR 1,800.00 + 21% VAT (EUR 2,178.00 VAT inclusive)

ACOI MEMBER: EUR 1,700.00 + 21% VAT (EUR 2,057.00 VAT inclusive)

HPB Course (June 27 and 28)

EUR 1,800.00 + 21% VAT (EUR 2,178.00 VAT inclusive)

ACOI MEMBER: EUR 1,700.00 + 21% VAT (EUR 2,057.00 VAT inclusive)

Endocrine Course (June 29)

EUR 700.00 + 21% VAT (EUR 847.00 VAT inclusive)

ACOI MEMBER: EUR 600.00 + 21% VAT (EUR 726.00 VAT inclusive)

UPPER GI+HPB+ENDOCRINE Courses (June, 25 -29, 2012)

EUR 3,300.00 + 21% VAT (Euro 3,993.00 VAT Inclusive)

ACOI MEMBER: EUR 3,200.00 + 21% VAT (EUR 3,872.00 VAT inclusive)

REGISTRATION FEES FOR FOREIGN SURGEONS OR ITALIAN HOSPITAL (NO VAT DUE)

Upper GI (June 25 and 26) EUR 1,801.81 ACOI MEMBER: EUR 1,701.81

HPB Course (June 27 and 28) EUR 1,801.81 ACOI MEMBER: EUR 1,701.81

Endocrine Course (June 29) EUR 701,81 ACOI MEMBER: EUR 601.81

UPPER GI+HPB+ENDOCRINE Courses (June, 25 -29, 2012)

EUR 3,301.81

ACOI MEMBER: EUR 3,201.81

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