

# INTENSIVE COURSE IN MINIMAL ACCESS SURGERY

5-day intensive course with optional strasbourg university diploma



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# DAY 01

| Time     | Topic                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
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| 08:00 am | <b>Registration and Welcoming of Participants</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| 08:30 am | <b>Equipment</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Operating theatre / Choice of equipment / The laparoscopy unit</li><li>● Conventional laparoscopic instrumentation and micro-instruments</li><li>● Electrosurgery and ultrasonic dissections</li></ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| 09:30 am | <b>Tea/Coffee break</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| 10:00 am | <b>Basic Principles</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Conventional access:</b></li><li>● <b>Positioning of trocars:</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>↗ Transperitoneal access</li><li>↗ Retroperitoneal access</li></ul></li><li>● <b>Knots</b></li><li>● <b>Operative room organisation</b></li></ul> <b>Acute Abdomen:</b>                                                                                                                         |
| 11:40 am | Acute appendicitis                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| 12:00 pm | Perforated peptic ulcer                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| 12:25 pm | Colonic diverticulitis                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| 12:40 pm | Discussion/ Questions                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 01:00 pm | <b>Lunch</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| 02:00 pm | <b>Pre-Lab Session:</b> Animal anatomy & procedures to be done                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| 02:15 pm | <b>EXPERIMENTAL LABORATORY – Live Tissue</b><br><b>Objective:</b> Basic Principles and Techniques <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Accesses, Insufflation and positioning of Trocars</li><li>● Exposure, Dissection, Stitching, Tissue Approximation, Knot Tying &amp; Stapling</li></ul> <b>Training Procedures</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Small Bowel Resection and Anastomoses</li><li>● Gastrojejunostomy</li><li>● Cholecystectomy</li></ul> |
| 06:30 pm | <b>End of session</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |

# DAY 02

| Time     | Topic                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
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| 07:50 am | <b>Evaluation of the previous day's sessions</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| 08:00 am | <b>Live Surgery</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• TAPP   TEP   Robotic TAPP</li></ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| 09:30 am | <b>HERNIA REPAIR</b> Inguinal Hernia Repair - Rationale of the laparoscopic approach and surgical techniques: TAPP vs TEP                                                                                                                                                                               |
| 10:00 am | <b>Tea/Coffee break</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
|          | <b>Didactic Lectures:</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| 10:30 am | <b>Rationale of Lap Hernia</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| 10:45 am | <b>Ventral/Incisional Hernia</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| 11:15 am | <b>Cholecystectomy &amp; Biliary tree</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Basic rules of safe chole</li><li>• The difficult gall bladder</li><li>• Bile duct injuries – recognition/ Management</li><li>• Panel on legal aspects of bile duct injuries - moderators</li></ul>                   |
| 01:00 pm | <b>Imaging, robotics, and artificial intelligence:</b> The future of minimally invasive Surgery                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| 01:30 pm | <b>Lunch</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| 02:00 pm | <b>Pre Lab Session:</b> Definition of the procedures to be done                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| 02:15 pm | <b>EXPERIMENTAL LABORATORY:</b> Live Tissue<br><b>Training Procedures</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• TAPP Inguinal Hernia Repair</li><li>• Dissection of the Common Bile Duct</li><li>• Splenectomy</li><li>• Stapled Gastrojejunostomy</li><li>• Roux-En-Y Choledocojejunostomy</li></ul> |
| 06:30 pm | <b>End of session</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |

This course may be subject to modification

# DAY 03

| Time     | Topic                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
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| 07:50 am | <b>Evaluation of the previous day's sessions</b>                                                                                                                                                                    |
| 08:00 am | <b>Live Surgery</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Robotic Gastrectomy for Cancer</li></ul>                                                                                                                |
| 09:30 am | <b>Tea/Coffee break</b>                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| 10:00 am | <b>Live Surgery</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Right or left colectomy</li></ul>                                                                                                                       |
| 12:00 pm | <b>Live Surgery</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Giant Hiatal Hernia</li></ul>                                                                                                                           |
| 01:00 pm | <b>Lunch</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| 01:30 pm | <b>Live Surgery</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Colorectal surgery</li></ul>                                                                                                                            |
| 02:45 pm | <b>Pre lab session</b> : Definition of the procedures to be done                                                                                                                                                    |
| 03:00 pm | <b>EXPERIMENTAL LABORATORY:</b> Live Tissue <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Ileocecal dissection and anastomoses</li><li>● Sigmoidectomy</li><li>● Splenectomy</li><li>● Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass</li></ul> |
| 06:30 pm | <b>End of session</b>                                                                                                                                                                                               |

# DAY 04

| Time     | Topic                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
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| 07:50 am | <b>Evaluation of the previous day's sessions</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| 08:00 am | <b>Digestive surgery:</b><br><br><b>Didactic Lectures</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Achalasia vardia</li><li>● Splenectomy</li></ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| 08:45 am | <b>Colorectal surgery:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Right and Left Colectomy</li><li>● TAMIS and Other Novel Techniques</li><li>● Prevention and Complications/Bowel Polyp</li></ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| 10:10 am | <b>Tea/Coffee break</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| 10:30 am | <b>Live Surgery</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● TME for Rectal Cancer</li></ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| 12:00 pm | <b>Didactic lectures</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Technique</b> - Tips and tricks for:</li><li>● <b>Right Colectomy</b><br/>↗ Right Colectomy   ↗ Left Colectomy</li><li>● How to prevent and manage complications</li><li>● New trends in rectal cancer</li></ul>                                                                                                                                                |
| 01:15 pm | <b>Lunch</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| 02:00 pm | <b>Pre Lab session:</b> Definition of the procedures to be done                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 02:15 pm | <b>EXPERIMENTAL LABORATORY:</b> Live Tissue<br><b>Proficiency test:</b><br><b>University Diploma validating procedure:</b> small bowel resection / anastomoses<br><br><b>Training Procedures</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Ileocecal Dissection and Anastomoses</li><li>● Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass</li><li>● Partial/Total Gastrectomy</li><li>● Fundoplication</li><li>● Dissection of the Hepatic Pedicle</li></ul> |
| 06:30 pm | <b>End of session</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |

# DAY 05

| Time     | Topic                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
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| 07:50 am | <b>Evaluation of the previous day's sessions</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| 08:00 am | <b>Bariatric surgery</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Tailored approach:</b> Gastric banding, sleeve gastrectomy &amp; gastric bypass</li><li>● Management of common and difficult complications</li><li>● Bariatric Endoscopy and its future</li></ul> |
| 09:00 am | <b>Live Surgery</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Sleeve gastrectomy</li><li>● RYGB</li><li>● OAGB</li></ul>                                                                                                                                                |
| 10:30 am | <b>Tea/Coffee break</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| 11:00 am | <b>Endocrine surgery</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Minimally invasive, robotic, and transoral thyroidectomy and parathyroidectomy</li><li>● Right and left adrenalectomy using transperitoneal approach</li></ul>                                       |
| 12:30 pm | <b>Lunch</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| 01:30 pm | <b>Live Surgery</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Case to be confirmed</li></ul>                                                                                                                                                                            |
| 03:00 pm | <b>Didactic Lecture:</b> Robotic surgery <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● New trends in Robotic surgery</li></ul>                                                                                                                                              |
| 03:30 pm | <b>End of course   Presentation of Certificates of Attendance</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 03:45 pm | <b>University diploma proficiency test</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| 04:45 pm | <b>End of Course</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |

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## REGISTRATION CHARGES

► COURSE FEES:

► INR 1,80,000 +18% GST

► USD 2900

### INCLUDES:

- 4 half-days of hands-on sessions on live tissue
- Live or pre-recorded operative demonstrations
- Theoretical sessions
- Coffee breaks, lunches at IRCAD
- One evening gala dinner at IICC, Indore

### EXCLUDES:

- Travel & Local Transportation
- Dinners & Accommodation
- Strasbourg University Diploma in Laparoscopic Surgery (Additional 500 USD to be paid on spot for University Diploma)

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