



- 8:15 am ◇ EVALUATION OF THE PREVIOUS DAY'S SESSIONS
- 8:30 am ◆ **THEORETICAL SESSION**
Safe access to the abdominal cavity
- Anatomy of the abdominal wall and its vascular network
 - Abdominal entry: several techniques
 - Recall of major vascular anatomy of the abdomen and pelvis
 - How to prevent liver and spleen injury
 - Proper use of different energy sources
 - How to avoid pulmonary embolism
 - Safe exposure of the surgical field
- 10:30 am ◆ **HANDS-ON TRAINING ON LIVE TISSUE (MINI-PIGS)**
Safe entry, suturing, hemostatic techniques
- Trocar placement
 - Control of liver and spleen injuries: several hemostatic agents
 - Splenectomy
- 12:30 pm ◇ LUNCH AT THE INSTITUTE
- 2:00 pm ◆ **HANDS-ON SESSION ON LIVE TISSUE (MINI-PIGS)**
Dissection of major vascular structures and control of severe bleeding
- Aorta
 - Iliac arteries
 - Vena cava
 - Portal vein
- 5:30 pm ◇ END OF SESSION
EVENING FREE

- 8:15 am ◇ *EVALUATION OF THE PREVIOUS DAY'S SESSIONS*
- 8:00 am ◆ **THEORETICAL SESSION**
- How to prevent and repair bowel injury
 - Prevent common bile duct injuries
 - Repair common bile duct injuries
 - Prevent ureteral and bladder injuries
 - Repair ureteral and bladder injuries; ureter reimplantation
- 10:30 am ◆ **HANDS-ON TRAINING ON LIVE TISSUE (MINI-PIGS)**
- Different techniques of suture and anastomosis of:
 - Small bowel
 - Colon
 - Stomach
 - Common bile duct repair:
 - T-tube
 - Biliodigestive anastomosis
- 12:30 pm ◇ *LUNCH AT THE INSTITUTE*
- 1:30 pm ◆ **HANDS-ON SESSION ON LIVE TISSUE (MINI-PIGS)**
- Bladder repair
 - Ureter reimplantation
- 3:30 pm ◇ *END OF THE COURSE
DELIVERY OF CERTIFICATES OF ATTENDANCE*