



## ENDOMETRIOSIS SURGERY: FROM A TO Z

2025

ADVANCED COURSE

DATE

*September 15 - 17*

COURSE DIRECTOR

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8:15 am ◇ REGISTRATION AND WELCOMING OF THE PARTICIPANTS

8:30 am ◆ THEORETICAL SESSION

- Anatomy
- General diagnostic strategies
  - Ultrasonography
  - MRI
  - Contrast enema
  - New diagnostic tools
- Preoperative strategies
  - Medical therapy
  - Patient preparation
  - Field organization

1:00 pm ◇ LUNCH AT THE INSTITUTE

1:45 pm ◆ HANDS-ON SESSION ON LIVE TISSUE (MINI-PIGS)

- Basic principles of laparoscopy
- Dissection of retroperitoneal spaces
- Vascular dissection, experimental injuries and repair

6:00 pm ◇ END OF SESSION

8:00 pm ◇ DINNER IN HONOR OF THE PARTICIPANTS

8:15 am ◇ EVALUATION OF THE PREVIOUS DAY'S SESSIONS

8:30 am ◆ KEYNOTE LECTURE

- Strategies in ovarian endometriosis
- Techniques for endometriomas
- Surgery and ovarian reserve
- Prevention of postoperative adhesions
- Postoperative treatment and role of IVF

9:30 am ◆ LIVE OR PRE-RECORDED OPERATIVE DEMONSTRATIONS

1:00 pm ◇ LUNCH AT THE INSTITUTE

1:45 pm ◆ HANDS-ON SESSION ON LIVE TISSUE (MINI-PIGS)

- Dissection of retroperitoneal spaces
- Nephrectomy and vascular dissection
- Ureter dissection, division, and reanastomosis

6:00 pm ◇ END OF SESSION EVENING FREE

- 8:15 am ◇ *EVALUATION OF THE PREVIOUS DAY'S SESSIONS*
- 8:30 am ◆ *THEORETICAL SESSION*
- Fertility preservation
  - Strategies in deep endometriosis
  - Experiences from different experts
- 10:00 am ◆ *LIVE OR PRE-RECORDED OPERATIVE DEMONSTRATIONS*
- 1:00 pm ◇ *LUNCH AT THE INSTITUTE*
- 2:00 pm ◆ *THEORETICAL SESSION*
- Outcomes and complications
    - Complications of endometriosis surgery
    - Urinary complications
    - Surgical complications
  - Debates
    - Infertility and endometriosis: medical therapy versus surgery
    - Bowel resection: yes or no & when?
    - Ureteral endometriosis:
      - Reanastomosis or re-implantation
- 4:00 pm ◇ *END OF SESSION*  
*DELIVERY OF CERTIFICATES OF ATTENDANCE*



## **COURSE OBJECTIVES**

- ◇ Review different options for pathophysiology
- ◇ Understand the different classifications and their limits
- ◇ Be able to refer the patients who need bowel resection
- ◇ Know the guidelines for ablation of severe endometriosis
- ◇ Understand the complications, their management and prevention
- ◇ Know the prognosis and the postoperative management

## **EDUCATIONAL METHODS**

- ◇ Interactive theoretical and video sessions between Faculty and course participants
- ◇ Live or pre-recorded operative demonstrations
- ◇ Hands-on sessions on live tissue (mini-pigs)

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