

SURGICAL LYMPHEDEMA TREATMENT COURSE: FROM THEORY TO HANDS-ON PRACTICE

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MONDAY 20 SEPTEMBER 2021

08:30 -10:30 **Introduction to surgical treatment of lymphedema**
Chairs: TBA

- Why we have lymphedema? **Alexander Pissas**
- Surgical Treatment: When and why? **Michael Bernas**
- Surgical Anatomy: How anatomy can help to find the proper surgical solution **Miguel Amore**
- Lympha Technique: State of the art and future perspectives **Boccardo Francesco**
- Lympha Technique in skin melanoma treatment **Sara Dessalvi**
- **Discussion**

10:30 -11:30 **Liposuction Technique**
Chairs: TBA

- Liposuction: State of the art and future perspectives **Hakan Brorson**
- Liposuction technique in Genoa **Campisi Corrado**
- **Discussion**

TUESDAY 21 SEPTEMBER 2021

08:30 -10:30 **Microsurgical - Surgical Treatment Techniques [I]**

Chairs: TBA

- Combined surgical techniques to treat most advanced lymphedemas **Campisi Corrado**
- Supermicrosurgery: State of the art and future perspectives **Isao Koshima**
- Surgical treatment of huge lymphedemas: State of the art and future perspectives
Gurusamy Manokaran
- Lymphatic surgery in breast reconstruction **Masia Jaume**
- Immediate Lymphatic Reconstruction **Singhal Dhruv**
- **Discussion**

10:30 -12:00 **Microsurgical - Surgical Treatment Techniques [II]**

Chairs: TBA

- Pediatric surgery in lymphatic malformations **Cristobal Papendieck**
- Vicariant lymphatic pathways: How to reduce lymphatic complications in surgical oncology **Alexander Pissas**
- Surgical procedures in genital lymphedema **Martin Wald**
- **Discussion**

WEDNESDAY 22 SEPTEMBER

08:30-10:30 **Lymphovenous anastomosis techniques**

Chairs: TBA

- Multiple one-site lymphatic-venous anastomosis: State of the art and future perspectives **Corradino Campisi**
- Different ways to perform lymphaticovenular microanastomosis **Takumi Yamamoto**
- Functional lymphaticovenular peripheral microanastomosis **Seki Yukio**
- **Discussion**

10:30-12:30 **Transportation of lymphatic vessels - Lymph Nodes**

Chairs: TBA

- Lymphatic vessel transplantation - From history to current indications **Ruediger Baumeister**
- Lymph Node Transfer Technique: State of the art and future perspectives **Corinne Becker**
- The use of nanofibrillar collagen scaffolds in treating lymphedema **Dimitrios Dionysiou**
- Donor site morbidity and complications after vascularized lymph node harvest: Pearls and pitfalls **Pedro Ciudad**
- **Discussion**

12:30-13:00 **Surgical Lymphedema Treatment Course: Conclusions - Q & A**

Chairs: **Georgios Zografos, Francesco Boccardo**

Commentary: **Corrado Campisi, Hakan Brorson, Corinne Becker, Ioannis Karaitianos, Dimitrios Dionysiou**