

ESSO Course On Minimally Invasive ESOPHAGECTOMY and Gastrectomy

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Program

Thursday 7th October

Minimally Invasive Gastrectomy (MIG)

- 08.30 – 08.40 Opening
R. van Hillegersberg
- 08.40 – 09.00 Introduction to the surgical anatomy of the stomach
R. Bleys
- 09.00 – 09.20 Minimally invasive gastrectomy: less is more?
D. D'Ugo
- 09.20 – 09.40 General discussion
- 09.45 – 10.15** **Coffee break**
- 10:15 – 10.30 Anastomotic techniques for MIG
J. Stoot
- 10.30 – 10.45 MIG: step by step
J. Ruurda
- 10.45 – 11.00 Robot-assisted MIG: technical tips, tricks and pitfalls
F. Roviello, R. Van Hillegersberg
- 11.00 – 11.05 Introduction to hands on practical session
E. de Groot
- 11.05 – 11.30 General discussion
- 11.30 – 12.15** **Lunch**
- 12:15-12.30 Transfer to the department of Anatomy
- Hands on practical session**
Instructors: D. D'Ugo, F. Roviello, J. Stoot, J. Ruurda/R. Van Hillegersberg (Robot)
- 12.30 – 14.30 Minimally invasive gastrectomy: dissection
- 14:30 – 15:00** **Coffee break**
- 15.00 – 17.00: Minimally invasive gastrectomy: reconstruction

Friday 8th October

Minimally Invasive Esophagectomy (MIE)

- 08:30-08:35 Opening
R. van Hillegersberg
- 08:35-08:50 Introduction to the surgical anatomy of the esophagus
R. Bleys
- 08:50-09:05 Cervical view of the surgical anatomy of the esophagus
J. H. Egberts
- 09:05-09:20 The current status of MIE and RAMIE
P. Grimminger
- 09:30-09:35 *How to set up a MIE program: the value of the UGIRA (fellowship
Gijs van Boxel)*
- 9:35-10:10 General discussion
- 10:10-10:30** **Coffee break**
- 10:30-10:45 *Enhanced recovery after esophagectomy*
E. Cheong
- 10:45-11:00 Anastomotic techniques for (robot-assisted) MIE
M. Luyer
- 11:00-11:15 Robot-assisted Minimally Invasive Esophagectomy (RAMIE): step by
step, tips, tricks and pitfalls
R. van Hillegersberg & J. Ruurda
- 11:20 -11:25 Introduction to hands on practical training session
I. Defize
- 11:25 – 11:45 General discussion
- 11:45 – 12:30 Lunch and transfer to the department of Anatomy
- Hands on practical training**
*Instructors: E. Cheong, J. H. Egberts, M. Luyer, R. Van
Hillegersberg/J. Ruurda*
- 12:30 – 14:30 Minimally invasive esophagectomy: 1st hands on session
- 14:30 – 15:00** **Coffee break**
- 15:00 – 17:00 Minimally invasive esophagectomy: 2nd hands on session