

ESSO Advanced Course on Oncoplastic Breast Surgery

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Madrid, Spain

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PROGRAMME

Thursday 21 May

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| 13:30 – 13:45 | Introduction
<i>T. Kovacs, I. T. Rubio</i> |
| 13:45 – 14:00 | Training, certification, examination in breast surgical oncology
<i>T. Kovacs</i> |
| 14:00 – 14:20 | Oncoplastic anatomy of the breast
<i>N. Rocco</i> |
| 14:20 – 15:00 | Round block, grissoti and lateral mammoplasty
Indications, videos and clinical cases
<i>A. Esgueva, T. Kovacs</i> |
| 15:00 – 16:00 | Practical session with synthetic models - Grisotti/ Benelli/ Lateral mamoplasty
Group 1: I. T. Rubio, J Heiman, N. Rocco, S Douvetzemis
Group 2: T. Kovacs, A. Esgueva, M. Khatib, L. Wyld |

16:00 – 16:20 *Coffee break*

16:20 – 17:30 Nipple Sparing mastectomy session with videos

16:20 – 16:45: OPEN Nipple Sparing Mastectomy- video cases

I. T. Rubio

16:45 – 17:10: Minimally Invasive NSM (Clinical cases, video demonstration)

T. Kovacs, M. Khatib

17:10 – 17:30: Pre-pectoral implant-based breast reconstruction

A. Kothari

Friday 22 May

09:00 – 10:00 Video session and clinical case - Superior pedicle therapeutic mammoplasty
F. Reyal

10:00 – 11:30 Practical session with synthetic models – Superior Pedicle

Group 1: L. Wyld, F. Reyal, A. Esgueva, M. Khatib

Group 2: N. Rocco, J. Heiman, A. Kothari, S. Douvetzemis,

11:30 – 11:50 *Coffee break*

11:50 – 12:10 Complications and management in oncoplastic surgery
S. Douvetzemis

12:10 – 12:30 MDM Case discussions inferior and superior pedicle (2 cases)
All faculty (Chair: A. Kothari)

12:30 – 13:15 Video session – inferior pedicle
T. Kovacs

13:15 – 14:15 *Lunch*

14:15 – 15:45 Practical session with synthetic models – Inferior Pedicle

Group 1: T. Kovacs, F. Reyal, A. Esgueva, S. Douvetzemis

Group 2: A. Kothari, N. Rocco, J. Haiman, L. Wyld, M. Khatib

15:45 – 16:05 DCIS: Is it ready for no surgery?
L. Wyld

16:10 – 17:10 [Sponsored Workshop](#)

Saturday 23 May

08:30 – 09:30 [Sponsored Workshop](#)

09:30 – 10:30 MDM case discussion
I. T. Rubio, L. Pitoni

10:30 – 10:50 Chest wall perforator flaps for volume replacement
(Indications, localization)
J. Heiman

10:50 – 11:15 Coffee break

11:15 – 12:15 Video session - Chest wall perforator flap
(surgical markup, planning, techniques, reconstruction of donor site)
A Kothari, J Heiman

12:15 – 12:35 Margins in BCS after neoadjuvant systemic treatment: what do we do with the residual microcalcifications?
L. Wyld

12:35 – 12:40 Conclusion - Closure
I.T. Rubio, T. Kovacs