



ESSO Hands-on Course on Oncological Standards in Minimally Invasive Colorectal Cancer Surgery

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Program

Thursday, 8th May 2025

13.30 - 14.00	Welcome and Introduction <i>G. Beets, M. Inama</i>
RIGHT & TRASVERSUS	How to videos
14:00 – 14:15	Right hemicolectomy with PEG mechanical bowel preparation surgical anatomy and techniques <i>A. Balduzzi</i>
14:15 – 14:30	Intra-abdominal anastomosis <i>R. Bao</i>
14:30 – 14:45	Difficult cases & postoperative complications <i>M. Inama</i>



14:45 – 15:00	How to approach the transverse colon <i>G. Beets</i>
15:00 – 15:10	Discussion
Lectures	
15:10 – 15:30	ICG in Colorectal surgery: where when & why it is worth? <i>L. Boni</i>
15:30 – 15:50	AI Tools in Colorectal-Surgery: Fundamentals and Applications <i>A. Gumbs</i>
15:50 – 16:10	Green surgical innovation and research <i>M. Inama</i>
16:10 – 16:30	Organ preservation in rectal cancer – Total Neoadjuvant therap <i>G. Turri</i>
16:30 – 16:40	Discussion
16:40 – 17:10	Coffee break
LEFT & RECTUM	
17:10 – 17:25	How to videos Low Anterior Resection – surgical anatomy and technique <i>P. Delrio</i>
17:25 – 17:40	Principles of left flexure mobilization <i>G. Moretto</i>
17:40 – 17:55	Difficult cases & postoperative complications <i>G. Beets</i>
17:55 – 18:10	MdM - Operative Planning for rectal cancer <i>A. Balduzzi</i>
18:10 – 18:20	Discussion
Friday, 9th May 2025	
08.00 – 08.30	Welcome and Briefing <i>G.Beets, M. Inama</i>
08:30 – 12:00	Hands on workshop rectum– <u>Low anterior Resection</u> with mobilization of splenic flexure, end to end anastomosis <i>Tutors: all surgeons</i>
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch



13:00 – 17:00

Hands on workshops colon – Right colectomy: approach and dissection with side-to-side stapled anastomosis terminal ileum/transverse colon
Tutors: all surgeons

17.30

Conclusions
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