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Presents its 1th

Flexible endoscopy for surgeons

Workshop

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Purpose of the course

The surgical world is evolving towards less invasive alternatives, which increasingly includes flexible endoscopic techniques alternative to surgical approaches. In the future surgeons will find themselves increasingly cut out of disease treatments if they do not adopt interventional endoscopic approaches. In recognition of this need, the BGES proposes this hands on flexible endoscopy course for surgeons in an effort to teach surgeons the fundamentals of flexible endoscopy.

With this course we aim

- To demonstrate set up and care of endoscopes
- To provide a basic technical understanding of flexible endoscopes and basic instruments
- To teach safe and effective navigation of the esophagus, stomach, duodenum and colon with the endoscope.
- To provide the knowledge required for basic diagnostic and easy interventional procedures (biopsy, haemostasis)
- To recognize and manage basic abnormal findings of the GI tract.
- To recognize and treat surgical and endoscopic complications.

During this training, faculty members will present a recent update on different aspects of flexible endoscopy through interactive theoretical sessions, followed by a hands-on training session on both simulators and tissue under the guidance of expert teachers.

Program

- 8.00 – 8.30: Welcome and Coffee
8.30 – 8.40: Aims and objectives of the course
8.40 – 10.00: Presentation:
1. Technical aspects of the endoscope:
Olympus
 2. Why surgeons should (or not) be endoscopist:
Dr Heyman
 3. Basic instruments for flexible endoscopy:
Apollo / Boston
 4. Tips and tricks for starters:
Dr Hindryckx
- 10.00 – 10.30: Break
10.30 – 12.30: hands on training
12.30 – 13.30: Lunch
13.30 – 16.30: Hands on training
17.00: Questions and answers

Faculty

Dr. Heyman Stijn, ZNA, Antwerpen
Dr. Hindryckx Pieter, UZ Gent, Gent
Dr. Kempeneers Ivo, Sint-Maria ziekenhuis, Halle
Dr. Herman Dominique, Hôpital de Libramont, Libramont
Dr. Van Daele Elke, UZ Gent, Gent, Course director

Registration

Registration fee: Surgeon: 300 euro
For a 1 day course including breakfast, lunch, theoretical and hands on sessions
Transport and hotel **not** included

Participants must be member of the BGES and surgeons or surgical residents

Registration will be done on “first in, first served” base
Definitive registration will be confirmed after payment of the registration fee

Registration can **only** be done through the BGES website www.BGES.net

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