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Theoretical &
hands-on course

Paediatric Minimally Invasive Surgery and Urology Course

LAPAROSCOPY

Geneva, Switzerland, 5-6 April 2019

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Welcome

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Dear Colleagues,

After a big success last year, the SWISS Foundation for Innovation and Training in Surgery (SFITS) organizes for the second time the course on Laparoscopic and paediatric surgery.

The minimally invasive approach is becoming the standard for a growing number of procedures in all fields of paediatric surgery. But where can we start getting into them?

By being introduced to the specific theory, by being exposed to standardized operations in a simulative real-time setting, by being guided by experts in the field, by having a safety-belt during our first steps!

We are delighted to offer this two-day course in the unique facilities provided by the SFITS, allowing surgeons of all levels to benefit from this formal theoretical teaching, but also and most importantly to have the opportunity to exercise on a wide range of carefully selected models, while exchanging and discussing operative techniques with internationally recognized experts.

Welcome to the Paediatric Minimally Invasive Surgery and Urology course!

Prof. Barbara Wildhaber
Paediatric Surgeon

Course description

Theoretical & hands-on course, aimed at junior and senior trainees

Date

5-6 April 2019

Day 1

- is aimed at junior trainees, offering up to date teaching by experts on the physiological particularities of laparoscopy in children, pain management, but also technical aspects covering from the fine tunings of the stack to the basics of laparoscopy ergonomics. This theoretical introduction will be followed by a whole half-day of hands-on exercices with a view to improving laparoscopic knotting, suturing and dissection, with the help of animal models.

Day 2

- The following day is a laparoscopy technique masterclass for senior trainees and will entail two half-days of hands-on practice on animal models, with short video presentations, and high tutor-participant ratio.

- Two day hands-on course for pediatric surgeons on cadaveric animal models
- Full equipment in brand new surgical training center
- Multimedia-learning with training videos during hands-on practice

Participation fees

- including lunches and diner

Day 1:	CHF 400 - BASIC
Day 2:	CHF 500 - ADVANCED
Day 1 + Day 2:	**CHF 880**

Registration is to be sent to inscription@sfits.ch with the following

Please indicate the following information:

- Title of the course:
  Pediatric surgery 5-6 April 19
- name, phone, title, hospital

Once we confirm your registration, you will have a few days to transfer the fee to the below SFITS account:

Beneficiary:	SWISS Foundation for Innovation and Training in Surgery
Bank name:	Crédit Suisse (Suisse) SA
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Mention:	Pediatric surgery 5-6 April 2019

Please note the number of places is limited and registration will be taken in order of receipt.

More info:

SFITS - SWISS Foundation for Innovation and Training in Surgery - Geneva

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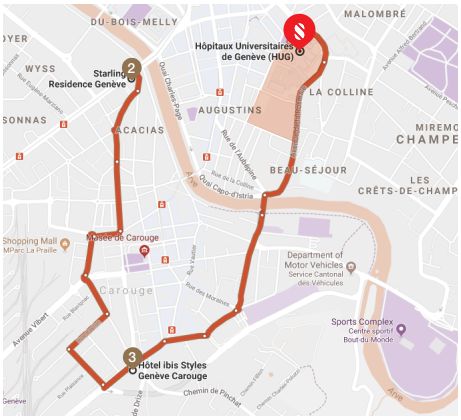

Hotel - 2 propositions

- not included in the course fees

2 **Starling Residence Genève**

Route des Acacias 4, 1227 Geneva
www.shresidence.ch

- Room price: CHF 145
  Breakfast + CHF 15

This special offer can be applied with the following code: SFI1227

3 **ibis Styles Genève Carouge Hotel**

Route De Saint Julien 3, 1227 Carouge

- Room price: CHF 149 - single
- CHF 169 - double occupancy
  (Breakfast included for both)

This special offer can be applied with the following codes: **Company name:** SFITS, **Company code:** SCP1710594, **Access code:** SF327CH797.

Day 1 - Basic course

09:30 - 10:00	**Welcome** coffee with presentation of sponsors	
10:00 - 12:30	**Theoretical session**	
Time	Lecturer	Title
10:00 - 10:20	Pr. A. Saxena	Instruments and equipment
10:20 - 10:40	Pr. A. Saxena	Ergonomics in endoscopic surgery
10:40 - 11:00	Pr. A. Saxena	Laparoscopy and thoracoscopy
11:00 - 11:20	Pr. A. Saxena	Trouble shooting and checklist
11:20 - 11:40	Mr. Chandran	Retroperitoneoscopy
11:40 - 12:00	Pr. Vutskits	Peri-operative management
12:00 - 13:15	**Lunch break**	
13:30 - 18:30	**Hands-on session**	
13:30 - 15:30	▪ Pelvitrainer: Suturing model	
15:30 - 16:00	▪ Coffee break	
16:00 - 18:30	▪ Chicken model (dissection, pneumoperitoneum, small space, energy device, intestinal anastomosis, cholecystectomy, “diaphragmatic hernia” repair with patch)	
18:30 - 19:30	**Interactive session and course evaluation**	
	Course dinner	

Day 2 - Master class

09:00 - 13:00	**Hands-on** (Pelvitrainer / POP-Trainer with animal organs)
09:00 - 10:45	▪ Cholecystectomy / Pyloromyotomy, Fundoplication, Splenectomy
10:45 - 11:15	▪ Coffee break
11:15 - 13:00	▪ Cholecystectomy / Pyloromyotomy, Fundoplication, Splenectomy
13:00 - 14:00	**Lunch break**
14:00 - 18:00	**Hands-on** (Pelvitrainer with animal organs)
14:00 - 15:30	▪ Pyeloplasty
15:30 - 16:00	▪ Coffee break
16:00 - 18:00	▪ Pyeloplasty
18:00 - 19:00	**Interactive session and course evaluation**

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Accreditation

SFITS minimally invasive paediatric surgery and urology course, Geneva, Switzerland, 15/06/18 - 16/06/18 has been granted 14 European CME credits (ECMEC®s) by the European Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (EACCME®). The demand for this 2019 course is still in progress.

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