



Agenda | October 20-21, 2017

1st Greek Thoracic Expert Meeting VATS Surgery

Civitel Olympic Hotel, Leof. Kifisias 2 - Marousi
HYGEIA Hospital, Athens

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Welcome

The Thoracic Expert meeting is designed to elevate the confidence and ability level of experienced Thoracic Surgeons and thus enable them to successfully perform advanced VATS procedures. This meeting will take a holistic approach and review the critical success factors at different stages of the surgical intervention.

The agenda covers in-depth theoretical discussion; half day training on VATS simulators and the participants will have the opportunity to gain hands-on experience via observation of live cases at the HYGEIA Hospital. There will be plenty of opportunities to interact with the faculty so please prepare any specific questions you have in advance.

We wish you a very instructive course!

Yours sincerely,

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Day 1 Civitel Olympic Hotel

October 20, 2017

09:45	Welcome	K. Iliadis
10:00	VATS vs Open Lobectomy	K. Iliadis A. Lioulias
10:15	Video-Assisted Thoracoscopic Surgery (VATS)	
	Oncologic approach	I. Gakidis
	Principles	K.Konstantinidis
	Patient selection	L. Zellos
	The benefits of VATS on postoperative recover/ survival	K. Athanasiadi
	Surgical instruments: Endocutters vs Clips	P.Tomos / K. Kostopanagiotou
	Energy devices in Thoracic Surgery	K. Vachlas
11:15	Cost effectiveness of VATS lobectomy in lung cancer	A. Krasas
11:30	How to establish a VATS resection program	N. Barbetakis
Break		
12:30	VATS lobectomy: Technical Issues Perioperative Management Lymph node dissection	T. Štupnik
13:15	Complications' Management	T. Štupnik

Break

14:30	Uniportal VATS	K. Soultanis
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15:00	Minor Procedures	
	Segmentectomy	D. Mallios
	Awake VATS	A. Krasas
	Anaesthesia in Awake VATS	A. Lola
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15:15	Major Procedures	L. Toufektzian
	Pneumonectomy	
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15:30	Local practices	
	Sotiria Hospital	L. Toufektzian
	Evangelismos Hospital	K. Athanasiadi
	Hygeia Hospital	D. Mallios
	Theageneio Hospital	N. Barbetakis
	InterBalcan Medical Center Hospital	D. Fillipou
	Greek experience- Open discussion	ALL
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Hands-on training on Stupnik VATS models

15:00	Group 1	Moderated by
16:30	Group 2	Tomaž Štupnik
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18:00	Close of day 1	
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Day 2 Hygeia Hospital 6th floor

October 21, 2017

10:00 Welcome - Previous day overview

K. Iliadis

10:30 Live Surgery - Case 1

T. Štupnik
K. Iliadis

Tips and Tricks

T. Štupnik

Break

13:00 Live Surgery - Case 2

T. Štupnik
K. Iliadis

16:30 Wrap-up & Closure remarks
