

Surgery in Pelvic Recurrences

14th–17th November 2011

The course is aimed at gynaecologists, urologists, and general surgeons

Dear Friend,

Next November we are going to close the first Esagon Biennial Course of our School with the fourth theory and live surgery week. Last year the main topic was ovarian cancer. This year we have dedicated a week to cervical cancer and we are now going to talk about pelvic recurrences, an extremely complicated topic.

As tradition, one day will be open to a wider audience, not only to the Biennial Course participants. The goal is to discuss in depth the anatomy, the surgical difficulties, the diagnosis, and the treatment modalities of pelvic recurrences. Difficult surgery, with many complications and surgical risks, where both the skill of surgeon and the support of a multidisciplinary team/institution do make the difference in the patient's outcome. We can learn treatment indications, suggestions, and techniques from well experienced surgeons and, in particular, we will learn clinical evaluation. There is no other operation that is so mutilating as pelvic exenteration, no other surgery can be so devastating for the female body image.

We have to know how to prepare our patients both physically and psychologically. Not only do we have to know the demolitive aspects but also how to restore what the surgeon has removed. If we want to perform this type of surgery, we necessarily have to familiarize with continent and incontinent reservoirs, neovagina, myocutaneous flaps, and so on. Last but not least, we must be able to deal with all possible complications.

Fortunately, we will have a renowned international panel of speakers to tackle this crucial topic, so don't miss this unique opportunity!

The Monday course is open to all pelvic surgeons: gynaecologists, urologists, and general surgeons.

Do join us in Milan! The registration fee covers the Monday course and a password to access the whole program on demand.

Should you not be able to attend, you can follow the Monday course online plus the whole program on demand after the meeting. Be connected and interactive with us so that you can be part of the Esagon network!

Obviously, we all know that pelvic exenteration is not for all surgeons, but during the course we are going to talk about anatomy of the pelvic floor, the anatomy of the side pelvic wall, how to treat neurological, vascular, urinary and bowel injuries, and many other surgical principles applicable also to other surgical approaches.

This is a great opportunity to learn more about a very difficult and intimidating subject, **make sure you don't miss it!**

Angelo Maggioni Roberto Biffi C Paul Morrow
Esagon directors

Monday, 14th November

OPEN ATTENDANCE *plus* ONLINE & ON DEMAND

9–9.10	Welcome remarks and introduction
9.10–9.40	History of the surgical treatment of pelvic recurrences <i>K Podratz</i>
9.40–10.40	Anatomic key points in the pelvic wall <i>M Höckel</i>
10.40–11	<i>Coffee break</i>
11–12	Surgery: tips & tricks <i>K Podratz</i>
12–13	How radical can we be? <i>M Höckel</i>
13–14	<i>Lunch</i>
14–15	Urinary reconstruction after PE <i>C Woodhouse</i>
15–17	Management of iatrogenic pelvic injuries: Vascular injuries <i>L Dainese</i> Nerve injuries <i>G Broggi</i> Bladder and urethral injuries <i>C Woodhouse</i>

Each presentation will be followed by a guided discussion

Tuesday, 15th November

ON DEMAND ONLY

9–10	Mechanism of metastasis <i>S Pece</i>
10–11	Follow-up in gynaecologic malignancies <i>P Zola</i>
11–12	Classification of recurrent pelvic disease <i>M Höckel</i>

12–13	Imaging evaluation <i>L Funicelli</i>
13–14	<i>Lunch</i>
14–15	Recurrence in cervical cancer <i>F Landoni, N Colombo, A Colombo</i>
15–16	Recurrence in endometrial cancer <i>K Podratz, N Colombo, A Vavassori</i>
16–17	Recurrence in vulvar cancer <i>V Zanagnolo, R Lazzari</i>

Each presentation will be followed by a guided discussion

Wednesday, 16th November

ON DEMAND ONLY

8.30–8.45	Clinical case presentation
8.45–13	Live surgery – Pelvic recurrence
13–14	<i>Lunch</i>
14–15	Pelvic exenteration: indications, contra-indications and techniques <i>CP Morrow</i>
15–16	Management of patients undergoing PE <i>G Susini</i>
16–17	When pelvic exenteration procedure becomes inevitable: psychological distress management <i>F Didier</i>

Each presentation will be followed by a guided discussion

Thursday, 17th November

ON DEMAND ONLY

8.30–8.45	Clinical case presentation
8.45–13	Live surgery – Pelvic recurrence
13–14	<i>Lunch</i>
13.30–14.30	Urinary diversions <i>DV Matei</i>

- 14.30–15.30 Early and late urological complications
DV Matei
- 15.30–16.30 Bowel reconstruction and complications
R Biffi
- 16.30–17.30 Reconstructive pelvic surgery
A Manconi/M Rietjens

Each presentation will be followed by a guided discussion

The official language of the course is English

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- Attendance (14th November) & On Demand (14th-17th November)**

€200,00 (excluding 21% VAT for a total of €242,00)

- Online (14th November) & On Demand (14th-17th November)**

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online and on demand**

Participants will need a reliable internet access and a PC computer (even laptop/notebook or netbook) or a Macintosh with the latest version of a web browser. In addition, you will need a soundcard and loudspeakers, and Adobe Flash 9.0 or higher.

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