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·STRASBOURG UNIVERSITY·

**CURRENT TECHNIQUES  
IN THE TREATMENT  
OF SEVERE  
ENDOMETRIOSIS**

**2019**

ADVANCED COURSE

**SEPTEMBER 16-18**

COURSE DIRECTOR

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**COURSE OBJECTIVES**

- To review different options for pathophysiology
- To understand the different classifications and their limits
- To be able to refer the patients who need bowel resection
- To know the guidelines for ablation of severe endometriosis
- To understand the complications, their management and prevention
- To know the prognosis and the postoperative management

**EDUCATIONAL METHODS**

- Interactive theoretical and video sessions between Faculty and course participants
- Live operative demonstrations
- Practical training on live tissue (mini-pigs) for option B only

## GYNECOLOGICAL SURGERY

MONDAY  
SEPTEMBER 16

**8:15 AM**

For **OPTION A** and **OPTION B**  
Registration and welcoming  
of participants

**8:30 AM**

### THEORETICAL SESSION

- Anatomy
- General diagnostic strategies
  - Ultrasonography
  - MRI
  - Contrast enema
  - New diagnostic tools
- Preoperative strategies
  - Medical therapy
  - Patient preparation
  - Field organization

**1:00 PM**

Lunch at the Institute

**2:00 PM**

For **OPTION A**

### “SURGICAL TIPS AND TRICKS”: VIDEOS COMMENTED BY THE FACULTY

- Discussion around short presentations of difficult or particular cases, pitfalls and technical details in gynecological surgery through pre-recorded operative demonstrations

**4:00 PM**

End of session

For **OPTION B**

### TRAINING ON LIVE TISSUE (MINI-PIGS)

- Basic principles of laparoscopy
- Dissection of retroperitoneal spaces
- Vascular dissection, experimental injuries and repair

**6:15 PM**

End of session

**8:00 PM**

Dinner in honor of participants

TUESDAY  
SEPTEMBER 17

**8:15 AM**

For **OPTION A** and **OPTION B**  
Evaluation of the previous day

**8:30 AM**

### KEYNOTE LECTURE

- Strategies in ovarian endometriosis
  - Techniques for endometriomas
  - Surgery and ovarian reserve
  - Prevention of postoperative adhesions
  - Postoperative treatment and role of IVF

**9:30 AM**

### LIVE OPERATIVE DEMONSTRATIONS

**1:00 PM**

Lunch at the Institute

**2:00 PM**

For **OPTION A**

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**4:00 PM**

End of session  
Evening free

For **OPTION B**

### TRAINING ON LIVE TISSUE (MINI-PIGS)

- Dissection of retroperitoneal spaces
- Nephrectomy and vascular dissection
- Ureter dissection, division and re-anastomosis

**6:15 PM**

End of session  
Evening free

WEDNESDAY  
SEPTEMBER 18

**8:15 AM**

For **OPTION A** and **OPTION B**  
Evaluation of the previous day

**8:30 AM**

### THEORETICAL SESSION

- Fertility preservation
- Strategies in deep endometriosis
  - Experiences from different experts

**11:00 AM**

### LIVE OPERATIVE DEMONSTRATIONS

**1:00 PM**

Lunch at the Institute

**2:00 PM**

### THEORETICAL SESSION

- Outcomes and complications
  - Complications of endometriosis surgery
  - Urinary complications
  - Surgical complications
- Debates
  - Infertility and endometriosis: medical therapy versus surgery
  - Bowel resection: yes or no & when?
  - Ureter endometriosis:
    - Extra or Intra
    - Re-anastomosis or re-implantation

**4:00 PM**

End of course  
Delivery of certificates of attendance

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to modifications.*

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