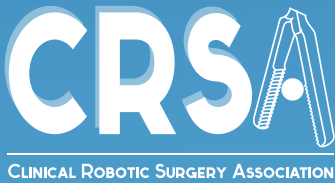




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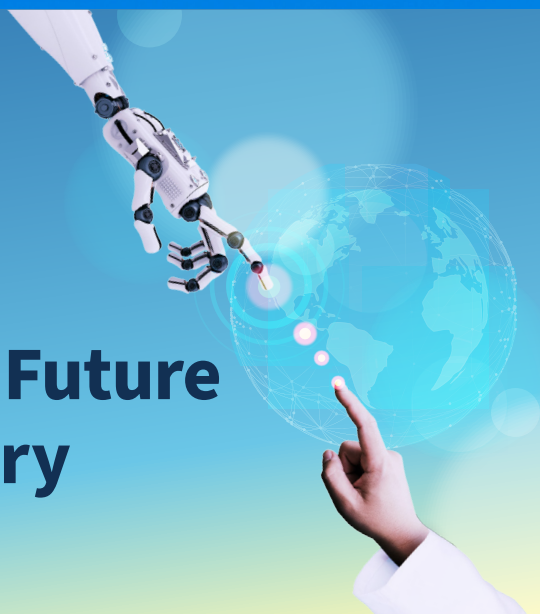
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- Leading-edge Research in the Field of Robotic Surgery and Technological Innovations
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CONFERENCE VENUE AND LAYOUT

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WELCOME

DEAR FRIENDS AND COLLEAGUES,

On behalf of the Clinical Robotic Surgery Association (CRSA) and the City of Hope Department of Surgery, it is my great honor to welcome you to the CRSA 16th Worldwide Congress. This meeting, themed as “*The Present and Future of Robotic Surgery*”, brings International Experts on Clinical Robotics and Surgical Innovation to the breathtaking coastal setting of Huntington Beach, California, U.S. on November 20-22, 2025.

CRSA represents the voice of the worldwide community of minimally invasive surgeons using robotic systems in General Surgery and its related sub-specialties: Upper GI, HPB, Colorectal, Transplantation, ENT, Endocrine, Oncology, Bariatric, Thoracic, Breast, Vascular, Pediatrics, and Acute Care.

The 2025 Congress has been designed to provide a comprehensive overview of the latest technological developments in robotic surgery as well as other related innovative platforms within general surgery and its associated specialties.

It will be comprised of exciting presentations on current robotic surgical practice, innovation, and complex surgeries. Panel discussions and social sessions will allow for meaningful interactions with the top international leaders in surgical robotics from many specialties. We are also honored to feature world-renowned Keynote Lecture speakers.

This meeting offers a high-quality scientific program of interest to practicing surgeons, residents, and fellows, as well as allied health professionals.

I look forward to sharing this historic meeting with all of you!

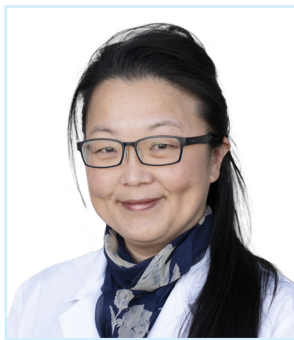
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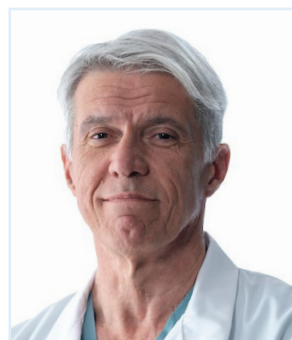
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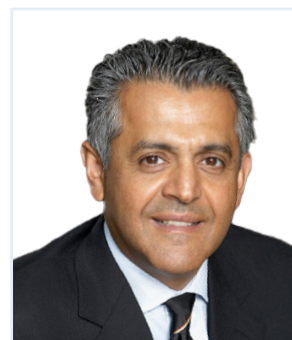
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CONFERENCE AT A GLANCE

DAY ONE THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2025					
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8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.	Upper GI	Biliary	Hernia	Training Education	Abstracts
	Coffee Break/Exhibits in Coastal Ballroom				
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2 to 2:30 p.m.	Keynote Lecture				
2:30 to 6:30 p.m.	Colorectal	Transplant	Single Port	Frontiers in Robotics	Abstracts
	Coffee Break/Exhibits in Coastal Ballroom				
				Design	
6:30 to 7:30 p.m.	MEET THE FACULTY RECEPTION Huntington Pool				

DAY TWO FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2025						
	Breakwater Ballroom General Session (1)	Whitewater A Breakout (2)	Whitewater B Breakout (3)	Whitewater C Breakout (4)	Cliffs Breakout (5)	Wedge Breakout (6)
6:30 a.m.	Breakfast/Exhibits in Vista Lawns/Coastal Ballroom					
7:30 to 8 a.m.	Keynote Lecture					
8 a.m. to 12 p.m.	Pancreas	Thoracic	Breast	Industrial Session	Abstracts	Abstracts
	Coffee Break/Exhibits in Coastal Ballroom					
			Acute Care			
12 to 1:30 p.m.	Lunch/Exhibits in Vista Lawns/Coastal Ballroom					
1:30 to 2 p.m.	Keynote Lecture					
2 to 6 p.m.	Liver	Bariatric	Endocrine	Research	Abstracts	Abstracts
	Coffee Break/Exhibits in Coastal Ballroom					
				Disasters & Rescue		
8 to 10:30 p.m.	CONGRESS SOCIAL DINNER <i>(Business Attire)</i> Breakwater Ballroom					

DAY THREE SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2025	
	Whitewater Ballroom
6:30 a.m.	Breakfast in Whitewater Courtyard
7:20 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.	Technology Innovation
12:30 to 1 p.m.	Business Meeting

Please note the room change

	GI/Thoracic Tract
	HPB Tract
	Soft Tissue/Hernia Tract
	Training & Innovation Tract

MEETING MATERIALS

Check in at the registration desk to receive conference materials and a name badge.

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CONFERENCE LOCATION

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EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS

General Session:
November 20-21, 2025 | Breakwater Ballroom
November 22, 2025 | Whitewater Ballroom
Breakout Sessions:
November 20-21, 2025 | Breakwater Ballroom/
Whitewater A/Whitewater B/Whitewater C/Cliffs/Wedge

REGISTRATION DESK — HOURS OF OPERATION

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
Thursday, November 20, 2025	6:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.	Breakwater Pre-Function
Friday, November 21, 2025	6:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.	Breakwater Pre-Function
Saturday, November 22, 2025	6:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.	Whitewater Pre-Function

CONFERENCE MEALS

DATE	DESCRIPTION	TIME	LOCATION
Thursday, November 20, 2025	Breakfast/Exhibits	6:30 to 7:40 a.m.	Vista Lawns/Coastal Ballroom
Thursday, November 20, 2025	Lunch/Exhibits	12:30 to 2 p.m.	Vista Lawns/Coastal Ballroom
Thursday, November 20, 2025	Meet the Faculty Reception	6:30 to 7:30 p.m.	Huntington Pool
Friday, November 21, 2025	Breakfast/Exhibits	6:30 to 7:30 a.m.	Vista Lawns/Coastal Ballroom
Friday, November 21, 2025	Lunch/Exhibits	12 to 1:30 p.m.	Vista Lawns/Coastal Ballroom
Friday, November 21, 2025	Congress Social Dinner	8 to 10:30 p.m.	Breakwater Ballroom
Saturday, November 22, 2025	Breakfast	6:30 to 7:20 a.m.	Whitewater Courtyard

EXHIBIT HALL HOURS

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
Thursday, November 20, 2025	6:30 to 7:40 a.m.; 10 to 11 a.m.; 12:30 to 2 p.m.; 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.	Coastal Ballroom
Friday, November 21, 2025	6:30 to 7:30 a.m.; 10 to 10:30 a.m.; 12 to 1:30 p.m.; 3:15 to 4 p.m.	Coastal Ballroom

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Access the 2025 CRSA Conference Abstracts by visiting the following link:
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SOCIAL GATHERINGS

We look forward to attendees participating in the CRSA 16th Worldwide Congress social gatherings, where participants will be able to network, connect with colleagues and create new opportunities for collaboration.

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Thursday, November 20, 2025

MEET THE FACULTY RECEPTION
6:30 to 7:30 p.m.
Huntington Pool

Friday, November 21, 2025

CRSA SOCIAL DINNER
8 to 10:30 p.m.
Breakwater Ballroom
(Business Attire)



DON'T MISS OUT

THE FARID GHARAGOZLOO LECTURESHIP

Thursday, November 20, 2025 9 to 9:30 a.m. General Session	History of Robotic Surgery for Esophageal Cancer: Where We Have Been, Where We Are, and Where We Are Going Jelle Ruurda, MD, PhD <i>Utrecht, The Netherlands</i>
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BACKGROUND

The Farid Gharagozloo lectureship was established by the Institute for Advanced Thoracic Surgery and The University of Central Florida to recognize the pioneering efforts of Dr. Gharagozloo in the field of Robotic Thoracic and Esophageal Surgery. Each year the lectureship will invite another pioneer in the field in order to recognize the role of these leaders in the field of robotic surgery and to highlight the continuing advances that are shaping the future of surgery. The inaugural lecturer will be Dr. Jelle Ruurda.

GUEST SPEAKER



Jelle Ruurda, MD, PhD
Professor of Minimally Invasive and Robot-assisted Surgery
Department of Surgery
UMC Utrecht

Dr. Jelle Ruurda attended medical school in Amsterdam, the Netherlands. After finishing, in 2000, he joined the surgical department he University Medical Center Utrecht, to perform research on the first experiences with robot-assisted surgery. In 2003 he received his PhD, the first PhD on robotic surgery worldwide. Hereafter, he started his residency and was registered as general surgeon in 2010. In 2010-2011, he worked as a fellow in digestive surgery in the Academic Medical Center in Amsterdam. He was appointed as staff surgeon at the University Medical Center Utrecht in 2011. From 2019 he is a full professor with his chair in robot-assisted and minimally invasive surgery. His clinical interest is upper gastrointestinal tract surgery and he is the clinical lead for malignancies of the upper gastro-intestinal tract. Jelle Ruurda started with robotic surgery already in 2000 and since his return in Utrecht fully focusses on robot-assisted minimally invasive esophagectomy and gastrectomy. Research is focused on minimally invasive and robotic surgery, but also surgical imaging and innovations are topics of research. The current focus is on artificial intelligence and augmented reality, in close collaboration with the faculty of computer sciences of Utrecht University and Technical University Eindhoven. His research efforts are dedicated to defining the patient groups that benefit most from surgical treatment and making that surgical treatment possible with a minimum of side effects. He has authored and co-authored over 25 chapters in textbooks and over 400 articles in international peer-reviewed journals.

He is a past board member of the Dutch Society for gastrointestinal surgery, founder and chair of the Dutch Robotic surgery working group and also founded the working group for surgical innovation of the Dutch Surgical Society. He is a board member of the Dutch Federation of Medical Specialists, where he chairs the committee for science, innovation and healthcare evaluation. He also is the chairman of the scientific committee, and member of the educational committee of the Upper GI International Robotic Association (UGIRA)?

THE PIER C. GIULIANOTTI LECTURESHIP

Friday, November 21, 2025 9:15 to 9:45 a.m. General Session	Vascular Resection and Reconstruction in Robotic Pancreatectomy Ugo Boggi, MD <i>Pisa, Italy</i>
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BACKGROUND

The Pier C. Giulianotti Lectureship was established by the Institute for Advanced Thoracic Surgery and the University of Central Florida to recognize the pioneering work of Dr Giulianotti. He was one of the Leading figures in the first developments of Robotic Surgery in the early 2000s. Dr. Giulianotti performed many robotic worldwide “first” operations, including the first Robotic Whipple, the first major hepatectomy, and the first esophagectomy. He founded the first robotic Association MIRA and later the CRSA. Dr. Giulianotti has proctored and inspired hundreds of surgeons around the world, and is still active at the University of Illinois Chicago, contributing to the continuous development and innovation in this field.

GUEST SPEAKER



Ugo Boggi, MD
Professor of Surgery
Director, Division of General and Transplant Surgery
University of Pisa

Dr. Ugo Boggi is a renowned gastrointestinal and transplant surgeon with extensive expertise in the surgical treatment of hepato-biliary and pancreatic cancers, as well as in pancreas and renal transplantation. He is a pioneer in robotic surgery, having performed the world’s first robotic pancreas transplant, the first robotic distal selective spleno-renal shunt for severe portal hypertension, and the first European robotic renal transplantation. Dr. Boggi has one of the world’s largest experiences in robotic pancreatic surgery, including robotic pancreatoduodenectomy and extended pancreatectomies with resection of peripancreatic vessels, with over 2,300 pancreatic resections to his credit. He also recently crossed the milestone of over 1,300 vascular resections performed in pancreatectomy procedures.

Dr. Boggi has published over 550 peer-reviewed articles, more than 80 book chapters, and three books. He is the Editor-in-Chief of Updates in Surgery and the founding Editor of the European Journal of Transplantation. He is a past president of the Italian Society for Organ and Tissue Transplantation and currently serves as the President of the Italian Chapter of the IHPBA. He organized the first world consensus conference on pancreas transplantation (Pisa, Italy, October 17-19, 2019) and the REDISCOVER international consensus meeting on perioperative care of patients with borderline resectable and locally advanced pancreatic cancer (Pisa, Italy, September 17-18, 2023). Dr. Boggi is the founding chairman of the Italian Registry for Minimally Invasive Pancreatic Surgery (IGOMIPS), a founding member of the European Consortium on Minimally Invasive Pancreatic Surgery (E-MIPS), and a founding member of the International Consortium on Minimally Invasive Pancreatic Surgery (I-MIPS).

CME-ACCREDITED KEYNOTE LECTURES



Henri R. Ford, MD, MHA | Miami FL, USA
*Dean and Chief Academic Officer
University of Miami - Miller School of Medicine
Past-president, American College of Surgeons*

Educating and Training the Next Generation of Surgeons: A Paradigm Shift
Thursday, November 20, 2025 | 7:50 a.m. in Breakwater Ballroom



Baiyong Shen, MD, PhD | Shanghai, China
*Vice president of Ruijin Hospital
Director of Pancreatic Disease Institute of Shanghai
Executive Director of Institute of Translational
Medicine of Shanghai Jiao Tong University*

Current Status of Robotic Pancreatic Surgery
Thursday, November 20, 2025 | 8:10 a.m. in Breakwater Ballroom



Julio Garcia-Aguilar, MD, PhD | New York NY, USA
*Benno C. Schmidt Chair in Surgical Oncology
Chief, Colorectal Service, Department of Surgery
Director, Colorectal Cancer Research Center
Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center
Professor of Surgery, Weill Cornell Medical College*

Evolution of MIS Colorectal Surgery to Robotics
Thursday, November 20, 2025 | 2 p.m. in Breakwater Ballroom



Barbara Seeliger, MD, PhD | Strasbourg, France
*Surgeon Scientist
IHU Strasbourg Institute of Image-Guided Surgery*

The Intelligent Surgeon’s Toolbox: Merging Image-Guided Precision, Robotics and AI for Patient-centered Care
Friday, November 21, 2025 | 7:30 a.m. in Breakwater Ballroom



Go Wakabayashi, MD, PhD | Saitama, Japan
*Director, Center for Advanced Treatment of Hepatobiliary Pancreatic Diseases
Chief, Surgical Services & Deputy Director
Ageo Central General Hospital*

Current Status of MIS Liver Resection: Evolution to Robotic
Friday, November 21, 2025 | 1:30 p.m. in Breakwater Ballroom



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DAY ONE AT A GLANCE

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DAY ONE | THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2025 | LOCATION: BREAKWATER BALLROOM

Room 1

All sessions in Breakwater Ballroom (General Session Room) unless otherwise noted.

6:30 a.m.	Breakfast/Visit Exhibit Hall
8 a.m.	Welcome and Opening Yuman Fong, Pier Cristoforo Giulianotti
7:50 to 8:30 a.m.	OPENING PLENARY SESSION (CME-accredited Lectures) MODERATORS: Yuman Fong, Pier Cristoforo Giulianotti
7:50 a.m.	Keynote Lecture Educating and Training the Next Generation of Surgeons: A Paradigm Shift Henri R. Ford, Miami FL, USA Dean and Chief, Academic Officer University of Miami - Miller School of Medicine Past-president, American College of Surgeons
8:10 a.m.	Keynote Lecture Current Status of Robotic Pancreatic Surgery Baiyong Shen, Shanghai, China Vice President of Ruijin Hospital Director of Pancreatic Disease Institute of Shanghai Executive Director of Institute of Translational Medicine of Shanghai Jiao Tong University
8:30 to 9 a.m.	CME Compliance Break (for general session only)

9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.	UPPER GI FOCUS MODERATORS: Farid Gharagozloo, Jelle Ruurda, Woo Jin Hyung
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9:30 a.m.	Robotic Esophagectomy is Daily Practice Gijs van Boxel, Portsmouth, UK
9:45 a.m.	Setting Up a Program in South America Using a Combination of Onsite and Remote Proctoring Alejandro Nieponice, Buenos Aires, Argentina
10 a.m.	Robotic Diaphragmatic Hernia Repair Michal (Misho) Hubka, Seattle WA, USA
10:15 to 10:30 a.m.	Coffee Break in Exhibit Hall

MODERATORS: Jelle Ruurda, Woo Jin Hyung, Yanghee Woo

10:30 a.m.	Gastric Anastomotic Techniques in Robotic Gastrectomy Andrés Navarrete, Santiago, Chile
10:45 a.m.	Improving Lymph Node Dissection with Robotics Yoo Min Kim, Seoul, Korea
11 a.m.	Robotic Gastrectomy for Highly Advanced Gastric Cancer Kazutaka Obama, Kyoto, Japan
11:15 a.m.	Optimization Strategies of Robotic Gastrectomy for Gastric Cancer Jae Hun Chung, Pusan, Korea

DAY ONE | THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2025 | LOCATION: BREAKWATER BALLROOM

(cont.) Room 1

11:30 a.m.	Improving Results Through Registries Cezanne Kooij, Utrecht, Netherlands
11:45 a.m.	Robotic Gastrectomy with D2 LND after Neoadjuvant Therapy Yanghee Woo, Duarte CA, USA
12 p.m.	Achalasia Micaela Piccoli, Modena, Italy
12:15 p.m.	Q&A
12:30 to 2 p.m.	Lunch and Visit Exhibit Hall
2 p.m.	Keynote Lecture (CME-accredited Lecture) Evolution of MIS Colorectal Surgery to Robotics Julio Garcia-Aguilar, New York, NY USA Benno C. Schmidt Chair in Surgical Oncology Chief, Colorectal Service, Department of Surgery Director, Colorectal Cancer Research Center Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center Professor of Surgery, Weill Cornell Medical College
2:30 to 3 p.m.	CME Compliance Break (for general session only)
3 to 6:30 p.m.	COLORECTAL FOCUS

MODERATORS: Paolo Pietro Bianchi, Rahila Essani, Andreas M. Kaiser

3 p.m.	Colorectal Surgery Robotic vs Laparoscopic Colorectal Surgeries: Comparing a Car with 4 Wheels to Two Bicycles Andreas M. Kaiser, Duarte CA, USA
3:15 p.m.	Same-day Discharge after Colorectal Surgery Hueylan Chern, San Francisco CA, USA
3:30 p.m.	Natural Orifice Colectomies Rahila Essani, Orlando FL, USA

3:45 p.m.	Rectal Surgery International Rectal Cancer SP Registry John Marks, Wynnewood PA, USA
4 to 4:15 p.m.	Coffee Break in Exhibit Hall

4:15 p.m.	Other Issues Robotic Multivisceral Resection in Colorectal Cancer Jim Khan, Portsmouth, UK
4:30 p.m.	Total Practice in Robotic Colorectal Surgery Paolo Pietro Bianchi, Milan, Italy
4:45 p.m.	Q&A (All Speakers)

5 to 5:30 p.m.	Plenary Abstracts (7 min + 2 min Q&A + 1 min turnover each)
5 p.m.	23 Robotic TEM for T2N0M0 Rectal Cancer-Time to Move to Organ-sparing Surgery? Jerzy Draus

5:10 p.m.	11 Early Discharges for Robotic Colectomies and Similar Readmission Rates Compared to Standard Discharges Angel Guan , So Un Kim, Kendall Vignaroli, Kevin Perez, Harpreet Gill, Gunjan Bhat, Ngoc Patrick Van Nguyen, Robert Yuhan, Joseph Ruan
5:20 p.m.	54 Robotic Set-up for Ventral Mesh Rectopexy with the CMR Versius Platform: Insights from Clinical Practice Giorgio La Greca , Francesca Lecchi, Carlotta La Raja, Paola Cellerino, Angelo Stuto
5:30 p.m.	Panel Discussion: Is There Still a Role for Laparoscopy in 2025 in Colorectal Surgery? John Marks, Andreas M. Kaiser, Hueylan Chern, Julio Garcia Aguilar, Paolo Pietro Bianchi
6:30 p.m.	End of Session



The Present and Future of Robotic Surgery

All sessions in Whitewater A unless otherwise noted.	
8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.	BILIARY FOCUS
MODERATORS: John B. Martinie, Christoph Tschuor	
8:30 a.m.	Opening Remarks John B. Martinie
Management of Choledocholithiasis: Primary Management (Acute vs Subacute), Special Situations, and after RYGB	
8:45 a.m.	Perspective of an MIS General Surgeon Irving Jorge, Scottsdale AZ, USA
9 a.m.	Perspective of an Advanced GI Endoscopist Barham Abu Dayyeh, Los Angeles CA, USA
9:15 a.m.	Perspective of a Robotic HPB Surgeon John B. Martinie, Charlotte NC, USA
9:30 a.m.	Perspective of an Interventional Radiologist Jonathan Kessler, Duarte CA, USA
9:45 a.m.	Panel Discussion: Irving Jorge, Barham Abu Dayyeh, John B. Martinie, Jonathan Kessler
10 to 10:30 a.m.	Coffee Break in Exhibit Hall
Management of CBDI – Different Subtypes	
10:30 a.m.	Perspective of Robotic HPB Surgeons (each 15 minutes) Pier Cristoforo Giulianotti, Chicago IL, USA Adolfo Cuendis, Mexico City, Mexico
11 a.m.	Perspective of an Advanced GI Endoscopist Barham Abu Dayyeh, Los Angeles CA, USA
11:10 a.m.	Perspective of an Interventional Radiologist Jonathan Kessler, Duarte CA, USA
11:20 a.m.	Panel Discussion Pier Cristoforo Giulianotti, Adolfo Cuendis, Christoph Tschuor, Barham Abu Dayyeh, John B. Martinie, Jonathan Kessler
Management of Choledochal Cysts – Pediatric, Adult	
11:45 a.m.	Perspective of a Pediatric Surgeon Hyunhee Kwon, Seoul, Korea
12 p.m.	Perspective of an Adult Surgeon Vito De Blasi, Luxembourg, Luxembourg
12:15 p.m.	Perspective of an Advanced GI Endoscopist Barham Abu Dayyeh, Los Angeles CA, USA
12:30 to 2 p.m.	Lunch and Visit Exhibits
2 to 2:30 p.m.	All convene in General Session for Keynote Lecture
2:30 p.m.	Reconvene in Whitewater A
2:30 to 6:30 p.m.	ROBOTIC TRANSPLANT FOCUS
MODERATORS: Dieter Broering, Dimitri A. Raptis	
2:30 p.m.	Opening Remarks: Overview of the Current Landscape of Robotic Transplantation Dieter Broering, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

Organ-specific Robotic Procedures	
2:45 p.m.	Robotic Living Donor Nephrectomy & Kidney Transplantation Phillipe Abreu, Aurora CO, USA
3 p.m.	Robotic Donor Hepatectomy & Recipient Liver Transplantation Dieter Broering, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
3:15 p.m.	Robotic Pancreas Transplantation Mario Spaggiari, Chicago IL, USA
3:30 p.m.	Q&A
3:45 to 4:15 p.m. Coffee Break in Exhibit Hall	
4:15 p.m.	Robotic Lung Transplantation Albert Jauregui, Barcelona, Spain
4:30 p.m.	Robotic Uterus Retrieval & Transplantation Liza Johannesson, Dallas TX, USA
4:45 p.m.	Q&A
5 to 5:45 p.m. Plenary Abstracts (7 min + 2 min Q&A + 1 min turnover each)	
5 p.m.	67 Robotic vs. Open Right Living Donor Hepatectomy: Matched Cohort Comparison of Early and Long-term Outcomes in 2 pioneering North American Living Donor Liver Transplantation (LDLT) Centers Yifan Wang, Yee Lee Cheah, Ashish Saharia, Caroline J. Simon, M. Anne Tellier, Ashton Connor, Constance Mobley, Osama Gaber, Mark Ghobrial, Mohamed Akoad
5:10 p.m.	134 Robotic Recipient Liver Transplantation: A Systematic Review and Individual Data Meta-Analysis of Techniques, Outcomes, Perceptions, and Future Directions Dimitri A. Raptis, Yasser Elsheikh, Yasir Alnemary, Elizabeth A. Pomfret, Dieter Broering
5:20 p.m.	135 Global Outcomes of Open vs. Laparoscopic Versus Robotic Donor Hepatectomy: A Prospective Study from the International LDLT Registry (LDLTregistry.org) Dimitri A. Raptis, LDLTregistry.org Collaborative
5:30 p.m.	52 Advancing Robotic Liver Transplantation: Outcomes of 40 Robotic Donor Hepatectomies and the First Total Robotic Living Donor Liver Transplant in North America Seung Duk Lee
5:45 p.m.	Robotic Transplant Surgery: Current Evidence and Future Directions Dimitri A. Raptis, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
6 p.m.	Closing Remarks Priorities for Robotic Innovation and Collaboration Dieter Broering, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
6:15 p.m.	Discussion
6:30 p.m.	End of Session

All sessions in Whitewater B unless otherwise noted.	
8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. HERNIA FOCUS MODERATORS: Yusef Kudsi, Jaana Vironen, Aaron Lewis	
8:30 a.m.	Revisiting the Anatomy of Abdominal Wall Ulrich A. Dietz, Olten, Switzerland
8:45 a.m.	Surgical Technique in Neurectomy David Chen, Los Angeles CA, USA
9 a.m.	The Role of SP in Abdominal Wall Surgery Francesco Bianco, Chicago IL, USA
9:15 a.m.	Optimizing High-risk Patients for Robotic AWR Vahagn Nikolian, New York NY, USA
9:30 a.m.	From Robotic IPOM+ to Robotic LIRA Micaela Piccoli, Modena, Italy
9:45 a.m.	Robotic Lateral Hernia Repair: Is there Hope? Yusef Kudsi, Boston MA, USA
10 to 10:30 a.m.	Coffee Break in Exhibit Hall
10:30 a.m.	Robotic Anatomy of Inguinal Region David Lourié, Pasadena CA, USA
10:45 a.m.	TEP Updates in Ventral Hernia Repair Vivek Bindal, Delhi, India
11 a.m.	Emergency Robotic Hernia Repair: When and How Andrea Pakula, Los Angeles CA, USA
11:15 a.m.	Panel Discussion: Obesity & AWR, Drawing a Line in the Sand Jaana Vironen, Micaela Piccoli, Yusef Kudsi, Ulrich A. Dietz
11:45 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Plenary Abstracts (7 min + 2 min Q&A + 1 min turnover each)	
11:45 a.m.	126 Robotic Bottom-Up p-TEP Repair of Umbilical Hernia with Rectus Diastasis Using the New Hugo™ RAS Surgical System: A Case Report Riccardo Caruso, Emilio Vicente, Yolanda Quijano, Valentina Ferri, Eduardo Diaz Reques, Hipolito Duran, Isabel Fabra, Luis Malave, Pablo Ruiz Quijano, Alessandro Sirotti, Alessandro Broglio, Gabriel Garabote, Gianvito Varvaro, Sara Martinez Falero, Clara Briand
11:55 a.m.	155 From Technique to Training: Defining US Hernia Repair Standards with the Hugo™ RAS System Francesco Bianco, David Chen, Flavio Malcher, Jacob Greenberg
12:05 p.m.	156 A Prospective, Multi-center Study of the Medtronic Hugo™ Robotic-assisted Surgery System in Inguinal and Ventral Hernia Repair: Enable Hernia Repair Francesco Bianco, Ajay Panchal, David Chen, Flavio Malcher, Clayton Petro, Steven Hopson, Salvatore Docimo, Erik B. Wilson, Pier Cristoforo Giulianotti, Michael Rosen, Jeffrey Berndtson, Lucas Beffa, Chris Irwin, Ruben Larue, Jacob Greenberg
12:15 p.m.	144 Hugo™ System Robotic eTEP Technique for Ventral Hernia Repair: A Step by Step Medial Bottom–up Approach Valentina Ferri, Emilio Vicente, Yolanda Quijano, Hipolito Duran, Eduardo Diaz, Isabel Fabra, Luis Malave, Pablo Ruiz, Gabriel Garabote, Sara Martinez Falero, Riccardo Caruso

12:30 to 2 p.m.	Lunch and Visit Exhibits
2 to 2:30 p.m.	All convene in General Session for Keynote Lecture
2:30 p.m.	Reconvene in Whitewater B
2:30 to 6:30 p.m.	SINGLE PORT SURGERY <i>One Port, Many Possibilities: Technical Advances in SP Robotic Surgeries</i> MODERATORS: Hyun Koo Kim, Bertram Yuh
2:30 p.m.	SP Robotic Thoracic Surgery Using Extrathoracic Approach Hyun Koo Kim, Seoul, Korea
2:45 p.m.	Innovations in SP Robotic Gynecologic Surgery: Early Experience and Future Directions Jamal Mourad, Scottsdale AZ, USA
3 p.m.	Optimizing Outcomes in Robotic Urologic Surgery: Is Single Port the Future? Bertram Yuh, Duarte CA, USA
3:15 p.m.	Clinical Experience and Innovations in SP Robotic Thyroid Surgery Kee Hyun Nam, Seoul, Korea
3:30 to 4:15 p.m.	Coffee Break in Exhibit Hall
4:15 p.m.	Single Port Robotic Colorectal Surgery: Pushing the Limits of Minimally Invasive Techniques Garrett Friedman, Las Vegas NV, USA
4:30 p.m.	Pushing the Boundaries: SP Robotic Surgery in Hepatobiliary Oncology Young Dong Yu, Seoul, Korea
4:45 p.m.	MIRA as a Smaller Single Access Platform Michael A. Jobst, Lincoln NE, USA
5 p.m.	General Surgery Focus of SP Francesco Bianco, Chicago IL, USA
5:15 to 5:45 p.m.	Plenary Abstracts (7 min + 2 min Q&A + 1 min turnover each)
5:15 p.m.	133 Single-Port Robotic Surgery in Acute Care: Early Experience with the da Vinci SP Platform Andrea Gianmario Di Santo Albini, Alvaro Ducas, Francesco Celotto, Yevhen Pavelko, Francesco Bianco
5:25 p.m.	139 Preliminary Experience with the Da Vinci Single Port (SP) Robotic System in General Surgery: First Report from Spain Emilio Vicente, Hipolito Duran, Eduardo Diaz, Isabel Fabra, Riccardo Caruso, Valentina Ferri, Luis Malave, Pablo Ruiz, Alessandro Broglio, Yolanda Quijano
5:35 p.m.	161 Single-Port Robotic Extended Totally Extraperitoneal (eTEP) Repair for Ventral and Umbilical Hernia with Rectus Diastasis: Preliminary Experience Yevhen Pavelko, Andrea Gianmario Di Santo Albini, Alvaro Ducas, Francesco Bianco
5:45 to 6:30 p.m.	Round Table Discussion Innovation vs. Indication: Where Should We Draw the Line with SP Robotic Surgery?
6:30 p.m.	End of Session

All sessions in Whitewater C unless otherwise noted.

8:30 to 10:30 a.m. TRAINING AND EDUCATION FOCUS

MODERATORS: R. Matthew Walsh, Dennis Fowler

8:30 a.m.	Training and Teaching Robotic Surgery: Current State and What is Next Chelsea (Xiaoxi) Feng, Cleveland OH, USA
8:45 a.m.	Introduction of Robotics Unique to the Indian Subcontinent Vivek Bindal, Delhi, India
9 a.m.	Navigating the Learning Curve in Robotic Pancreatoduodenectomy Ugo Boggi, Pisa, Italy
9:15 a.m.	Lessons Learned from Starting a Robotic Simulation Center Valentina Valle, Chicago IL, USA
9:30 a.m.	Medtronic Credentialing and Transition Between Robotic Platforms James Porter, Medtronic
9:45 a.m.	Q&A/Discussion
10:30 to 11 a.m.	Coffee Break in Exhibit Hall

11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. BEST VIDEO ABSTRACTS OF THE MEETING

MODERATORS: Emilio Vicente, R. Matthew Walsh

11 a.m.	136 First Spanish Experience of Inguinoscrotal Hernia Repair Using the Da Vinci Single Port Robotic System Valentina Ferri,Emilio Vicente, Hipolito Duran, Eduardo Diaz, Isabel Fabra, Riccardo Caruso, Luis Malave, Pablo Ruiz, Alessandro Sirotti, Yolanda Quijano
11:10 a.m.	74 Delayed Appendiceal Interposition in the Management of Ureteric Injury During Vascular Bypass Surgery Abdulrahman Almazeedi, Saad Aldousari, Basmah Bahbahani, Ahmad Almarzouq, Luke Shumaker, Ahmed Shahin, Daniel Eun
11:20 a.m.	2 Anatomical Robotic Left Trisectionectomy Using Glissonean Pedicle Control: A Minimally Invasive Strategy for Complex Liver Resection Benedetto Ielpo
11:30 a.m.	105 Robotic IVC Leiomyosarcoma Resection Jiping Wang, Mohamad Hussain
11:40 a.m.	26 Robotic Roux-en-y Reconstruction of the Left Hepatic Duct: Overcoming Complex Hepatic Ductal Obstruction Hashim Ahmed, David Gutierrez Blanco, Erin Baker, John B. Martinie
11:50 a.m.	151 Novel Minimally Invasive Hybrid Approach for Simultaneous Pancreas-Kidney Transplantation Elif Kortan, Jimena Alaniz, Luke Atia, Jorge Almario-Alvarez, Pierpaolo Di Cocco, Ivo G. Tzvetanov, Enrico Benedetti, Mario Spaggiari
12 p.m.	102 Single-Port Transthoracic Lobectomy on the Da Vinci SP Platform: Early Clinical Experience Alberto Antonicelli, Pierluigi Novellis, Piergiorgio Muriana, Stefano Viscardi, Carlo Di Giovannantonio, Francesca Misceo, Karesly Corona, Giulia Veronesi
12:10 p.m.	30 Initial Experience of Single-Port Transaxillary Robotic Radical Neck Dissection (STAR-RND) via 3cm Jin Kyong Kim, Sungkeun Kang, Eun Jin Kim, Sang-Wook Kang, Jong Ju Jeong, Woong Youn Chung, Kee-Hyun Nam

12:20 p.m.	69 Robotic Living Donor Right Hepatectomy with Type 3 Portal Vein Anatomy and Type 3a Biliary Anatomy Yifan Wang, Ashish Saharia, Caroline J. Simon, Constance Mobley, Ashton Connor, R. Mark Ghobrial, Yee Lee Cheah
12:30 to 2 p.m.	Lunch and Visit Exhibits
2 to 2:30 p.m.	All convene in General Session for Keynote Lecture
2:30 p.m.	Reconvene in Whitewater C

2:30 to 6:30 p.m. FRONTIERS IN RESEARCH ROBOTICS

MODERATORS: Mehran Anvari, Paolo Fiorini, Barbara Seeliger

Integration of AI with Robot

2:30 p.m.	Integration of AI into Robotics for Space Exploration John Lymer, Chief Architect MDA Space, Toronto, Ontario
2:45 p.m.	Integrating AI into Surgical Robot, Challenges and Opportunities Mostafa Toloui, NVIDIA
3 p.m.	Integration of AI into Image-guided Robots Mehran Anvari, Ontario, Canada
3:15 p.m.	Use of AI in Clinical Robotic Esophagectomy Jelle Ruurda, Utrecht, The Netherlands
3:30 p.m.	AI and Surgical Planning Andrew J. Hung, Los Angeles CA, USA
3:45 to 4:15 p.m.	Coffee Break in Exhibit Hall

Innovative Surgical Robot Design

4:15 p.m.	Personal Journey into Surgical Robot Design Pablo Garcia Kilroy, Laza Medical, Campbell CA, USA
4:45 p.m.	Surgeon's View of Different Robotic Design Features Barbara Seeliger, IRCAD, Strasbourg, France
5 p.m.	Miniaturizing Surgical Robots Elizabeth R. Raskin, Newport Beach CA, USA
5:15 p.m.	Integration of Navigation Systems with Robotics Yoo Min Kim, Seoul, Korea
5:30 p.m.	Q&A/Panel Discussion

Other Considerations

5:45 p.m.	Kinematics and Surgeon Performance Daniel S. Oh, Irvine CA, USA
6 p.m.	Technical Considerations in Performing Complex Remote Robotic Surgery Xiao Liang, Zhejiang, China
6:15 p.m.	Robotics for Vascular Surgery Petr Stadler, Praha, Czech Republic
6:30 p.m.	End of Session

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Abstract Focus Sessions: Colorectal, Transplant, Single Port, New Study Proposal, Biliary, Upper GI

8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. **ABSTRACTS** (7 min + 2 min Q&A + 1 min turnover each)

MODERATORS: John Marks, Bertram Yuh

COLORECTAL FOCUS ABSTRACTS

8:30 a.m.	45 Robotic J-Colpo-Perineo-Rectopexy with Titanized Polypropylene Mesh Addressing Perineal Descent in Posterior Compartment Prolapse Carlotta La Raja, Francesca Lecchi , Sandro Carino, Chiara Casiraghi, Paola Cellerino, Alberto Giori, Giorgio La Greca, Federica Marazzi, Pietro Dante Augusto Muselli, Pierpaolo Prestianni, Angelo Stuto
8:40 a.m.	49 Robotic J-Colpo-Perineo-Rectopexy: Short Term Outcomes of A Single-center Retrospective Study Francesca Lecchi , Carlotta La Raja, Giorgio La Greca, Pietro Muselli, Francesca Aiello, Sandro Carnio, Chiara Casiraghi, Paola Cellerino, Alberto Giori, Federica Marazzi, Pierpaolo Prestianni, Angelo Stuto
8:50 a.m.	59 Application of the Da Vinci Multi-Port Robotic System in Transanal Total Mesorectal Excision (taTME): A Retrospective Study Evaluating Safety and Efficacy Shuangling Luo , Liang Kang
9 a.m.	66 Tumor Distance Drives Operative Demands, Not Complications or Oncologic Adequacy, in Robotic Colorectal Surgery for Rectal Cancer Sean Hormozian , Angel Guan, Elias Wassel, So Un Kim, Michelle Lee, Ngoc Nguyen, Robert Yuhan, Joseph Ruan
9:10 a.m.	124 Robotic Bottom-up Approach with Suprapubic Access for Right and Transverse Colectomy: A Versatile Setup for Any Resection Francesco Guerra, Eleonora Andreucci, Giuseppe Giuliani , Andrea Coratti
9:20 a.m.	129 Emergent Splenic Flexure Resection for Locally Advanced Colonic Cancer with Sealed-off Abdominal Wall Perforation Laura Benuzzi, Giampaolo Formisano, Bianca Colangelo , Riccardo Masserano, Simona Giuratrabocchetta, Ada Salaj, Paolo Pietro Bianchi
9:30 a.m.	145 Robotic Management of Lower Abdominal Metastases in Recurrent Colorectal Cancer: A Video-based Case Series Ryan Lamm , Mustafa Raoof

10 to 10:30 a.m. **Coffee Break in Exhibit Hall**

TRANSPLANT FOCUS ABSTRACTS

10:30 a.m.	120 Living Donor Liver Transplantation: A Case of Robotic Right Lobe Implantation in a Cirrhotic Patient with History of Recurrent Cholangitis and Cholecystogastrostomy Luigi Rescigno , Yasir Alnemary, Yasser Elsheikh, Massimo Malagò, Dieter Broering
10:40 a.m.	143 Robotic Lymphadenectomy for Staging of Perihilar Cholangiocarcinoma Prior to Living Donor Liver Transplantation: A Video Case Jimena Alaniz , Elif Kortan, Luke Atia, Jorge Almario-Alvarez, Pierpaolo Di Cocco, Ivo Tzvetanov, Enrico Benedetti, Mario Spaggiari

SINGLE PORT FOCUS ABSTRACTS

10:50 a.m.	142 Single-Port Subxiphoid Radical Thymectomy on the Da Vinci (SP) Platform: Early Clinical Experience Alberto Antonicelli , Pierluigi Novellis, Piergiorgio Muriana, Stefano Viscardi, Carlo Di Giovannantonio, Francesca Misceo, Karesly Corona, Giulia Veronesi
11 a.m.	140 Distal Pancreatectomy with the Da Vinci Single Port (SP) Robotic System Yolanda Quijano, Hipolito Duran, Eduardo Diaz, Isabel Fabra, Riccardo Caruso , Valentina Ferri, Luis Malave, Pablo Ruiz, Sara Martinez-Falero, Gabriel Garabote, Emilio Vicente

11:10 a.m.	153 Single-Port Robotic Management of an Intraoperatively Detected Cholecystoduodenal Fistula: A Case Report Yolanda Quijano, Eduardo Diaz, Hipolito Duran, Isabel Fabra, Riccardo Caruso , Valentina Ferri, Luis Malave, Pablo Ruiz, Gabriel Garabote, Alessandro Sirotti, Emilio Vicente
11:20 a.m.	101 Prospective Evaluation of Da Vinci SP Robotic Surgery in Gynecologic Procedures Vinita Popat , Ernest Han, Mihae Song, Thanh Dellinger, Mehdi Kebria
11:30 a.m.	141 Robot-assisted Nissen Fundoplication Using the Da Vinci Single Port System to Treat Gastroesophageal Reflux: First Report in Spain Emilio Vicente, Hipolito Duran, Eduardo Diaz, Isabel Fabra, Riccardo Caruso, Valentina Ferri , Gianvito Varvaro, Luis Malave, Pablo Ruiz, Yolanda Quijano
11:40 a.m.	158 Robotic Single-Port Cholecystectomy: How I Do It Yevhen Pavelko, Alvaro Ducas , Andrea Gianmario Di Santo Albini, Chandra Hassan, Francesco Bianco

NEW STUDY PROPOSAL FOCUS ABSTRACTS

11:50 a.m.	138 Launch of the International Robotic Transplant Registry – IRTregistry.org Dieter Broering , Adeel Khan, Enrico Benedetti, Dimitri A. Raptis
12 p.m.	157 Robotic vs. Laparoscopic Approaches for Pancreatic Resection After Neoadjuvant Treatment: Proposal of An International Multicenter Retrospective Study Giuseppe Giuliani , Francesco Guerra, Fabio Ausania, Luca Morelli, Andrea Coratti
12:10 p.m.	60 A Prospective, Randomized, Parallel-Controlled, Superiority Clinical Study Comparing Transanal Total Mesorectal Excision (taTME) and Robot-assisted Total Mesorectal Excision (RTME) in the Treatment of Low Rectal Cancer Shuangling Luo , Liang Kang
12:20 p.m.	7 Surgical Techniques: Robotic vs. Conventional Laparoscopic Cholecystectomy in Benign Gallbladder Disease: A Randomized Controlled, Open, Parallel, Non-inferiority, Single-Center Trial (STaRLING Trial) Cezanne Kooij , Jennifer Straatman, Stuart Mercer, Philip Pucher, Michael Glaysher, Nicholas Jenkins, Vanessa Tucker, Nick Carter, Gijs van Boxel
12:30 to 2 p.m.	Lunch and Visit Exhibits
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2:30 to 6:30 p.m. **ABSTRACTS** (7 min + 2 min Q&A + 1 min turnover each)

MODERATORS: Jason Hawksworth, Yanghee Woo

BILIARY FOCUS ABSTRACTS

2:30 p.m.	160 Management of Bile Duct Injuries: Single Center Perioperative and Long-term Outcomes Alvaro Ducas , Jessica Cassiani, Valentina Valle, Andrea Gianmario Di Santo Albini, Pier Cristoforo Giulianotti
2:40 p.m.	127 Robotic Management of Cholecystitis and Biliary Duct Stones Complicated By Mirizzi’s Syndrome Type II in a Patient with Patent Foramen Ovale (PFO) Giuseppe Giuliani , Gianluca Saccucci, Vincenzo Pennestri, Luigi Valentino, Maria Cristina Urbano, Francesco Guerra, Andrea Coratti
2:50 p.m.	113 Introduction of Robotic SP to HPB Surgery - Initial Experience Long R. Jiao, Joseph Davids
3 p.m.	119 Single-Port vs. Multi-port Robotic Cholecystectomy in HPB Surgery: A Patient-level Cohort with Repeated-Measures Pain Outcomes and Adjusted Marginal Inference Joseph Davids , Bradley Russell, Long Jiao
3:10 p.m.	22 Robotic-assisted Hepatopancreatoduodenectomy for Hilar Cholangiocarcinoma Type IIIB: Case Report Decai Yu , Jin Peng, Yunfei Duan, Cailing Xue

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3:20 p.m.	150 Robotic Repair of Iatrogenic Biliary Duct Injury with Roux-en-Y Reconstruction of the Right Duct Stump Elif Kortan , Jimena Alaniz, Luke Atia, Jorge Almario-Alvarez, Pierpaolo Di Cocco, Ivo G. Tzvetanov, Enrico Benedetti, Mario Spaggiari
3:30 p.m.	78 Clinical Safety and Effectiveness of the Hugo™ RAS System for Cholecystectomy: Real-world Evidence from Global Post-market Study Yoav Mintz , Judith Camps, Maria Isabel Garcia Domingo, Ashish Sadana, Megan Smith, Francesco Bianco
3:40 p.m.	111 Quantifying the Financial Impact of Complication-related Readmissions After Minimally Invasive Cholecystectomy Cezanne Kooij , Jennifer Straatman, Gijs van Boxel
3:50 p.m.	55 Robotic Surgery for a Todani's Type I Choledochal Cyst Federica Maffei , Paolo Ubiali
4 to 4:20 p.m.	Coffee Break and Visit Exhibit Hall

UPPER GI FOCUS ABSTRACTS

4:20 p.m.	79 Robot-assisted Resection of Gastric GISTs: A Single-Center Experience Annalisa Comandatore , Niccoló Furbetta, Simone Guadagni, Niccoló Ramacciotti, Bianca Bechini, Matteo Pezzotti, Chiara Veracini, Gregorio Di Franco, Luca Morelli
4:30 p.m.	32 Understanding Paraconduit Hernia Following Esophagectomy: Impact of Operative Technique on its Incidence and Recurrence Agustina Pontecorvo, Jorge Cornejo, Tamar Tsenteradze, Mathew Thomas, Steven Bowers, Enrique F. Elli
4:40 p.m.	35 Robotic-assisted Diaphragmatic Hernia Repair Post Ivor-Lewis Esophagectomy Agustina Pontecorvo, Jorge Cornejo, Tamar Tsenteradze, Enrique F. Elli
4:50 p.m.	9 Esophagectomia Completamente Robotica di Ivor Lewis: Innovazione Tecnologica e Benefici Clinici Chiara Morreale , Antonio Biondi, Michele Milazzo, Riccardo Morici
5 p.m.	53 Laparoscopic Versus Robotic Hiatal Hernia Repairs: Safety and Efficacy Claire Caplan , John Hobbs, John Paul Bustamante, Veltri John, Gregory Crisafulli, Sayali Kulkarni, Toghrul Talis
5:10 p.m.	17 Totally Intracorporeal Reconstruction in Robotic Total Gastrectomy: A Surgical Technique Video Demonstration Dajana Glavas , Andrea Caudo, Bianca Maria Sollazzo, Emilio Morpurgo
5:20 p.m.	56 Robotic-assisted Repair of Median Arcuate Ligament Syndrome Fotios Antonakopoulos , Panagiotis Athanasopoulos, Argyrios Ioannidis, Ioannis Mintziras, Dimitrios Tsonis, Konstantinos M. Konstantinidis
5:30 p.m.	159 From Chronic Medication to Surgical Cure: Nissen Fundoplication for Long-standing Refractory Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease Patricia Ruiz Cota , Alvaro Ducas, Chandra Hassan, Francesco Bianco, Yevhen Pavelko
5:40 p.m.	164 Robotic Large Splenic Cyst Excision Jaydeep Palep
5:50 p.m.	165 Robotic Nissen Fundoplication for a Large Paraesophageal Hernia Presenting with Recurrent Pneumonia Jaydeep Palep
6 p.m.	116 Robotic Ultrasound-guided Stapler-free Resection of Gastric GISTs: Safety and Long-term Outcomes Francesco Guerra, Francesco Matarazzo, Giuseppe Giuliani , Ubaldo Marra, Andrea Coratti
6:10 p.m.	131 Robotic Total Gastrectomy with “π”-shaped Esophago-jejunal Anastomosis Ryan Lamm , Aaron Lewis

DAY TWO AT A GLANCE

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	Breakwater Ballroom General Session (1)	Whitewater A Breakout (2)	Whitewater B Breakout (3)	Whitewater C Breakout (4)	Cliffs Breakout (5)	Wedge Breakout (6)
6:30 a.m.	Breakfast/Exhibits in Vista Lawns/Coastal Ballroom					
7:30 to 8 a.m.	Keynote Lecture					
8 a.m. to 12 p.m.	Pancreas	Thoracic	Breast	Industrial Session	Abstracts	Abstracts
	Coffee Break/Exhibits in Coastal Ballroom					
			Acute Care			
12 to 1:30 p.m.	Lunch/Exhibits in Vista Lawns/Coastal Ballroom					
1:30 to 2 p.m.	Keynote Lecture					
	Liver	Bariatric	Endocrine	Research	Abstracts	Abstracts
2 to 6 p.m.	Coffee Break/Exhibits in Coastal Ballroom					
				Disasters & Rescue		
8 to 10:30 p.m.	CONGRESS SOCIAL DINNER (Business Attire) Breakwater Ballroom					

- GI/Thoracic Tract
- HPB Tract
- Soft Tissue/Hernia Tract
- Training & Innovation Tract

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Room 1

All sessions in Breakwater Ballroom (General Session Room) unless otherwise noted.

6:30 a.m.	Breakfast/Visit Exhibit Hall
7:30 a.m.	Keynote Lecture <i>(CME-accredited Lecture)</i> The Intelligent Surgeon’s Toolbox: Merging Image-Guided Precision, Robotics and AI for Patient-Centered Care Barbara Seeliger, MD, PhD Strasbourg, France <i>Surgeon Scientist</i> <i>IHU Strasbourg Institute of Image-Guided Surgery</i>
8 to 8:30 a.m.	CME Compliance Break <i>(for general session only)</i>

8:30 a.m. to 12 p.m.	PANCREAS FOCUS <i>MODERATORS: Jin He, Melissa Hogg, Laleh G. Melstrom</i>
8:30 a.m.	Introduction: Status of Robotic Pancreatic Surgery Melissa Hogg, Evanston IL, USA
8:45 a.m.	Precision Vascular Anatomy During Robotic Pancreatectomy Yosuke Inoue, Tokyo, Japan
9 a.m.	Organ Preserving Approach During Robotic Pancreatectomy for Non-malignant Disease Jiabin Jin, Shanghai, China
9:15 a.m.	The Pier C. Giulianotti Lectureship Vascular Resection and Reconstruction in Robotic Pancreatectomy Ugo Boggi, Pisa, Italy
9:45 a.m.	Robotic Necrosectomy for Pancreatitis: Are We Better than Endoscopists? John B. Martinie, Charlotte NC, USA
10 a.m.	Data Supporting Robotic Pancreatectomy: Do We Need More RCTs? Roeland F. de Wilde, Rotterdam, Netherlands
10:15 to 10:30 a.m.	Coffee Break in Exhibit Hall

10:30 a.m.	Long-term Outcomes of Robotic Pancreatectomy Pier Cristoforo Giulianotti, Chicago IL, USA
10:45 to 11:15 a.m.	Plenary Abstracts <i>(7 min + 2 min Q&A + 1 min turnover each)</i>
10:45 a.m.	8 Is Microsurgical Technique of Robotic PJ Improving Outcomes of Postoperative Pancreatic Fistula (POPF) Rates in R-Whipple? Jessica Cassiani , Alvaro Ducas, Andrea Gianmario Di Santo Albini, Valentina Valle, Pier Cristoforo Giulianotti
10:55 a.m.	28 Robotic vs. Open Pancreaticoduodenectomy in the Elderly: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis Ahmad Mahamid , Danhui Heo, José Vitor Xavier, Mariana Del Col, Agata Grochowska, Leonardo Reischoffer, Eitan Dines
11:05 a.m.	25 Short- and Long-term Outcomes of Robot-assisted Pancreatectomy Among the Juveniles Ningzhen Fu, Jiabin Jin
11:15 a.m.	Debate: RPD, Do We Need the Bedside Surgeon? <i>15 minutes per person</i> Jiabin Jin (PRO) vs John B. Martinie (CON)
12 p.m.	End of Session

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Room 1

12 to 1:30 p.m.	Lunch and Visit Exhibits
1:30 p.m.	Keynote Lecture <i>(CME-accredited Lecture)</i> Current Status of MIS Liver Resection: Evolution to Robotic Go Wakabayashi, Saitama, Japan <i>Director, Center for Advanced Treatment of Hepatobiliary Pancreatic Diseases</i> <i>Chief, Surgical Services & Deputy Director</i> <i>Ageo Central General Hospital</i>
2 to 2:30 p.m.	CME Compliance Break <i>(for general session only)</i>

2:30 to 6 p.m.	LIVER FOCUS <i>MODERATORS: Iswanto Sucandy, Felipe Mello, Go Wakabayashi</i>
	Current State and Advances in Robotic Liver Surgery
2:30 p.m.	Complex Robotic Hepatobiliary Resection Requiring Biliary Reconstruction: Do We Still Need Open Surgery in the Near Future? Jason Hawksworth, New York NY, USA
2:45 p.m.	Robotic Liver Surgery in a High-volume Transplant Center: Bridging Complex Resections and the Future in Robotic Liver Transplantation Felipe Mello, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
3 p.m.	How do I Get Out of Parenchymal Bleeding During Robotic Hepatectomy Yee Lee Cheah, Houston TX, USA
3:15 p.m.	Techniques and Options for Managing IVC Bleed During Robotic Liver Surgery Juan P. Rocca, New York NY, USA
3:30 p.m.	Outpatient Robotic Liver Resection James O. Park, New York NY, USA
3:45 to 4 p.m.	Coffee Break in Exhibit Hall

	Robotic Liver Surgery for Benign Tumors
4 p.m.	Robotic Liver Surgery for Intrahepatic Papillary Biliary Neoplasm (IPBM) Alexandre P. Resende, Belo Horizonte, Brazil
4:15 p.m.	Application and Clinical Outcomes of Robotic Liver Surgery for Large Hemangioma Jihoon Kim, Seoul, Korea
4:30 p.m.	Robotic Liver Surgery for Hepatic Adenoma - Indications and Technique Francesca Ratti, Milan, Italy
4:45 p.m.	Q&A (Panel Discussion)
	Debate
5 p.m.	Robotic Take Back is Best for Postoperative Complications after Robotic Surgery James O. Park, New York NY, USA
5:15 p.m.	Open Take Back Is Best for Postoperative Complications after Robotic Surgery Charles Lin, Changhua, Taiwan
5:30 p.m.	Discussion and Rebuttal
6 p.m.	End of Session

All sessions in Whitewater A unless otherwise noted.

8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. **THORACIC SURGERY FOCUS**
MODERATORS: Jens C. Rückert, Bryan M. Burt, Jae Y. Kim

Mediastinal Operations

8 a.m. Posterior Mediastinal Lesions
 Taryne Imai, Honolulu HI, USA

8:10 a.m. Robotic Superselective Operation for Hyperhidrosis
 Jens C. Rückert, Berlin, Germany

8:20 a.m. Development and Refinements of Robotic Surgery for Thoracic Outlet Syndrome
 Bryan M. Burt, Los Angeles CA, USA

Debate: Approach for Thymectomy

8:30 a.m. Transthoracic Multiportal Thymectomy
 Jens C. Rückert, Berlin, Germany

8:40 a.m. Uniportal Subxiphoid Thymectomy
 Robert E. Merritt, Columbus OH, USA

8:50 a.m. Q&A (Mediastinal Panel Discussion)

Lung Resections

9 a.m. Uniportal Robotic Lobectomy
 Hyun Koo Kim, Seoul, Korea

9:15 a.m. Wedge vs. Segmentectomy and Lymphadenectomy
 Giulia Veronesi, Milan, Italy

9:30 a.m. Preoperative Imaging Techniques for Segmentectomy
 Elliot Servais, Boston MA, USA

9:45 a.m. Bronchoplastic Operations
 Abbas E. Abbas, Providence RI, USA

10 to 10:30 a.m. Coffee Break in Exhibit Hall

10:30 a.m. Pulmonary Artery Plasty
 Michael Zervos, New York NY, USA

10:45 a.m. Robotic Lung Resection after Neoadjuvant Therapy
 David Rice, Houston TX, USA

11 a.m. Is “One-Stop-Shop” the Future?
 Andrew R. Brownlee, Los Angeles CA, USA

11:15 a.m. Q&A (Lung Panel Discussion)

Special Aspects

11:30 a.m. Robotic Tracheobronchoplasty for Excessive Central Airway Collapse
 Jen Wilson, Boston MA, USA

11:45 a.m. Robotic Decortication for Empyema
 Binh N. Trinh, San Francisco CA, USA

12 p.m. Advantages of DV5 Compared to the Xi for Thoracic Robotic Surgery
 Elliot Servais, Boston MA, USA

12:15 to 1:30 p.m. Lunch and Visit Exhibits

1:30 to 2 p.m. All convene in General Session for Keynote Lecture

2 p.m. Reconvene in Whitewater A

2 to 6 p.m. **BARIATRIC FOCUS**
MODERATORS: Enrique F. Elli, Konstantinos M. Konstantinidis

2 p.m. Robotic Bariatric Surgery: 25 Years in the Making
 Erik B. Wilson, Houston TX, USA

2:15 p.m. Management of the Difficult Gastric Bypass (High BMI, Hepatomegaly, Excess Intraabdominal Adiposity)
 Vivek Bindal, Delhi, India

2:30 p.m. Robotic Management of Bariatric Emergencies
 Ben R. Veenstra, Jacksonville FL, USA

2:45 p.m. Robotic vs. Laparoscopic Stapling for Sleeve Gastrectomy: Technical and Cost Considerations
 Mario A. Masrur, Chicago IL, USA

3 p.m. Robotic Revisional Bariatric Surgery –
 Enrique F. Elli, Jacksonville FL, USA

3:15 p.m. Q&A (Panel Discussion)

3:30 to 4 p.m. Coffee Break in Exhibit Hall

4 to 5 p.m. Plenary Abstracts (7 min + 2 min Q&A + 1 min turnover each)

4 p.m. 163 | Robotic Transit Bipartition (Single Anastomosis Sleeve Jejunostomy-SASJ) Technique & Early Metabolic Outcomes
 Jaydeep Palep

4:10 p.m. 86 | Jumping into a Totally Robotic Practice: From Laparoscopy to High-volume Robotic Surgery in 15 Months
 Sasindran Ramar, Kyriakos Bananis, Pushpak Chaudhari, Emmanuel Obale, Pooja Jageer

4:20 p.m. 87 | Outcomes of Robotic Bariatric & Metabolic Surgery: A Single Surgeon Experience of 138 Cases
 Sasindran Ramar, Kyriakos Bananis, Pushpak Chaudhari, Emmanuel Obale

4:30 p.m. 93 | Patient-reported Outcomes in Robotic-assisted Bariatric Surgery: Insights from a Cohort of Sleeve Gastrectomy and Gastric Bypass Patients
 Sasindran Ramar, Kyriakos Bananis, Emmanuel Obale, Kasthoory Kandiah

4:40 p.m. 37 | Surgical Management of Malnutrition after Multiple Bariatric Procedures: Reversal of Distalization of Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass
 Agustina Pontecorvo, Jorge Cornejo, Tamar Tsenteradze, **Enrique F. Elli**

4:50 p.m. 46 | Single Center Experience: 10 Years of Robotic Approach for Primary Gastric Bypass
 Alvaro Ducas, Emiliano Gabriel Manueli Laos, Julia Xie, Francesco Bianco, Chandra Hassan, Lisa Yuko Shimotake, Mario A. Masrur

5 p.m. Robotic Assisted Magnetic Bariatric Surgery
 Andre Teixeira, Orlando FL, USA

5:15 p.m.	Initial Experience with OTTAWA Surgical Robot (Ethicon) Erik B. Wilson, Houston TX, USA
5:30 p.m.	Q&A (Panel Discussion)
6 p.m.	End of Session

The Present and Future of Robotic Surgery

All sessions in Whitewater B unless otherwise noted.	
8 to 10 a.m.	BREAST SURGERY FOCUS
MODERATORS: Francesca Magnoni, Jennifer Tseng, Jamie Rand	
8 a.m.	Current Data Regarding Robotic Mastectomy Arnold Hill, Beaumont, Ireland
8:15 a.m.	Differences Between Robotic Mastectomy with Xi and SP Jee Ye Kim, Seoul, Korea
8:30 a.m.	Lecture on Initial Experience: Advantages and Limitations Francesca Magnoni, Milan, Italy
8:45 a.m.	Organizing a Multicenter Trial in Robotic Mastectomy - Challenges and Promise Katherine Kopkash, Evanston IL, USA
9 a.m.	Video Presentation on the Single-Port Technique Arnold Hill, Beaumont, Ireland
9:30 a.m.	Video Presentation on the Single-Port Technique II Jee Ye Kim, Seoul, South Korea
9:45 a.m.	The Other Side of the Coin: Presenting Robitic Reconstructive Microsurgery Philip Brazio, Los Angeles CA, USA
10 a.m.	End of Session
10 to 10:30 a.m.	Coffee Break in Exhibit Hall
10:30 a.m. to 12 p.m.	ACUTE CARE SURGERY FOCUS
MODERATORS: Sherry M. Wren, Fausto Catena, Yusef Kudsi	
10:30 a.m.	Introduction Sherry M. Wren, Palo Alto CA, USA
10:45 a.m.	Robotics and Acute Care Surgery – Framing the Issue Raymond A. Jean, Ann Arbor MI, USA
11 a.m.	WJES Position Paper and ROEM Study Fausto Catena, Bologna, Italy
11:15 a.m.	Urgent/Emergent Cholecystectomy Stephanie Joyce, New Haven CT, USA
11:30 a.m.	Emergent/Urgent Diverticulitis Leon Naar, Mountain View CA, USA
11:45 a.m.	Upper GI Emergencies Micaela Piccoli, Modena, Italy
12 p.m.	Robotics and Acute Care Hernia Disease Yusef Kudsi, Boston MA, USA
12:15 to 1:30 p.m.	Lunch and Visit Exhibits
1:30 to 2 p.m.	All convene in General Session for Keynote Lecture
2 p.m.	Reconvene in Whitewater B

2 to 6 p.m.	ENDOCRINE SURGERY FOCUS
Thyroid and Parathyroid	
MODERATORS: Micaela Piccoli, Eren Berber, Krupal Patel	
2 p.m.	Evolution of Da Vinci SP Robotic Areolar (SPRA) Thyroid Surgery Jin Wook Yi, Incheon, Korea
2:15 p.m.	Transoral Robotic Thyroidectomy (TORT): The Updates Towards State-of-the-Art Hoon Yub Kim, Seoul, Korea
2:30 p.m.	Is There a Need for Remote Access Robotic Thyroid Surgery with the Advent of Thyroid RFA? A European View Micaela Piccoli, Modena, Italy
2:45 p.m.	Is There a Role for Robotics in the Surgical Management of Hyperparathyroidism? June Young Choi, Seoul, Korea
3 p.m.	Patient Selection for Remote Access Parathyroid Surgery and Trans Axillary Approach for Parathyroidectomy Nisar Zaidi, Duluth MN, USA
3:15 p.m.	Technical Tips for Robotic Parathyroidectomy Barbara Mullineris, Modena, Italy
3:30 to 4 p.m.	Coffee Break in Exhibit Hall
Adrenal	
MODERATORS: Eren Berber, Nisar Zaidi	
4 p.m.	How to Establish a Robotic Adrenalectomy Practice Majd A. Kabbani, Tulsa OK, USA
4:15 p.m.	Technical Tips for Robotic Posterior and Lateral Adrenalectomy Eren Berber, Cleveland OH, USA
4:30 p.m.	Robotic vs. Laparoscopic Adrenalectomy for Adrenal Tumors Barbara Mullineris, Modena, Italy
4:45 p.m.	Changes in Robotic Management of Pheochromocytoma Robert Caiazzo, Lille, France
Invited Videos	
5 p.m.	Robotic Modified Radical Neck Dissection Technique Ra-Yeong Song, Seoul, Korea
5:10 p.m.	“Vein-First” Approach for Robotic Adrenalectomy Eren Berber, Cleveland OH, USA
5:20 p.m.	“Vein-Last” Approach for Robotic Adrenalectomy Nisar Zaidi, Duluth MN, USA
5:30 p.m.	Use of ICG in Robotic Adrenalectomy Rafael Humberto Pérez-Soto, Mexico City, Mexico
5:40 p.m.	Q&A (Panel Discussion)
6 p.m.	End of Session

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Room 4

All sessions in Whitewater C unless otherwise noted.

8 a.m. to 12 p.m.	INDUSTRIAL SESSION
MODERATORS: Francesco Bianco, Yanghee Woo	
8 a.m.	INTUITIVE Evolving as a Sugeon Through Da Vinci Innovation Andrea Pakula, Los Angeles CA, USA
8:30 a.m.	Innovating for Less Invasive Care Anthony McGrogan, Intuitive
8:45 a.m.	MEDTRONIC Introduction: Hugo™ RAS System in Clinical Practice Rajit Kamal, Medtronic
8:55 a.m.	Surgical Insights: Hugo™ RAS System in Clinical Practice Yoav Mintz, Jerusalem, Israel Robert Caiazzo, Lille, France
9:25 a.m.	Q&A
9:30 a.m.	CMR SURGICAL Introduction: Our Surgical Journey with Versius Chris O’Hara, CMR Surgical
9:35 a.m.	0-100 Cases in 365 Days: Our Surgical Journey with Versius Giorgio La Greca, Milan, Italy Francesca Lecchi, Milan, Italy
10:05 a.m.	Q&A Session
10:15 to 10:25 a.m.	Break

10:25 a.m.	LIVSMED, INC LivsMed, Inc: Tech Overview Stephen Jarrells, LivsMed, Inc
10:40 a.m.	VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS Non-Opioid Option for Moderate to Severe Pain Lori Reiman & Rob Austin, Vertex Pharmaceuticals
10:50 a.m.	Application of Remote Robotic Surgery in Hepatobiliary and Pancreatic Procedures Xiaoyu Yin, First Affiliated Hospital of Sun Yat-sen University
11:05 a.m.	Surgical Innovation and Training Laboratory (SITL) SITL: A Vision in the Future of Robotic Training Valentina Valle, Chicago IL, USA
11:20 a.m.	SOVATO Telesurgery: The Surgeon vs. The Administration Dennis Fowler & Cynthia Perazzo, Sovato
11:30 a.m.	ASENSUS SURGICAL Pioneering Practical Applications of Digital Solutions with Performance-guided Surgery™ Francesco Bianco, Chicago IL, USA
11:40 a.m.	VICARIUS The Benefits of Single Port Surgery: Vicarious Surgical Barry S. Greene, Vicarious Surgical, Inc
11:50 a.m.	Q&A

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Room 4

12 to 1:30 p.m.	Lunch and Visit Exhibits
1:30 to 2 p.m.	All convene in General Session for Keynote Lecture
2 p.m.	Reconvene in Whitewater C
2 to 3:15 p.m.	RESEARCH COMMITTEE PRESENTATION ONGOING AND FUTURE RESEARCH PROJECTS
MODERATORS: Benedetto Ielpo, Marco Milone, Luca Morelli	
2 p.m.	Robotic Surgery for Diverticular Disease Giuseppe Giuliani, Grosseto, Italy
2:10 p.m.	Robotic Pancreatoduodectomy in Elderly and Obese Patients Benedetto Ielpo, Barcelona, Spain
2:20 p.m.	Robotic Distal Pancreatectomy in Elderly Patients Valentina Valle, Chicago IL, USA
2:30 p.m.	A CRSA Survey of the Robotic Distal Pancreatectomy Landscape Annalisa Comandatore, Pisa, Italy
2:40 p.m.	Robotic Emergency Surgery Marco Milone, Naples, Italy
2:50 p.m.	Robotic Enucleation of a Deep Pancreatic Head Insulinoma with GDA Resection and Extensive Pancreatorrhaphy: A Complex Case Luca Morelli, Pisa, Italy
3 p.m.	Round Table Discussion: What About Future Projects? Francesco Bianco, Cezanne Kooij, Yusef Kudsi
3:15 p.m.	End of Session
3:15 to 3:30 p.m.	Coffee Break in Exhibit Hall

3:30 to 6 p.m.	PREPARING FOR DISASTERS AND SURGICAL RESCUES
MODERATORS: Vivek Bindal, Zhi Ven Fong	
3:30 p.m.	Anastomotic Disasters: How to Handle – Enrique F. Elli, Jacksonville FL, USA
3:45 p.m.	Rapid Conversion Techniques/Coding in Robotic OR Antonio Gangemi, Bologna, Italy
4 p.m.	Ways of Getting Vascular Control Dimitri A. Raptis, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
4:15 p.m.	Robotic Pancreatic Surgery Complications Zhi Ven Fong, Phoenix AZ, USA
4:30 p.m.	Q&A
5 p.m.	Preparing for Disaster Panel Discussion – with Video Examples Panelists: Francesco Bianco, Yusef Kudsi, Vivek Bindal, Jaydeep Palep
6 p.m.	End of Session

All sessions in Cliffs unless otherwise noted.

Abstract Focus Sessions: Bariatric, Endocrine, Miscellaneous, Liver, Pancreas

8 a.m. to 12 p.m. **ABSTRACTS** (7 min + 2 min Q&A + 1 min turnover each)

MODERATORS: Eren Berber, Mustafa Raoof

BARIATRIC FOCUS ABSTRACTS

8 a.m.	88 Climbing the Curve: Leveraging the Intuitive App in Robotic Bariatric and Metabolic Surgery - A Single-surgeon Perspective Sasindran Ramar , Kyriakos Bananis, Pushpak Chaudhari, Emmanuel Obale, Pooja Jageer
8:10 a.m.	89 Kite Stitch: A Simple Way to Create an Efficient and Effective Jejunojejunal Anastomosis in Robotic RYGB Sasindran Ramar , Kyriakos Bananis
8:20 a.m.	34 Double Bubble in the Chest: Morgagni Hernia Repair and Sleeve Herniation Converted to RYGB Agustina Pontecorvo, Jorge Cornejo, Tamar Tsenteradze, Enrique F. Elli
8:30 a.m.	36 Robotic-assisted Reversal of Gastric Bypass in a Patient with Severe Postprandial Hypoglycemia Agustina Pontecorvo, Jorge Cornejo, Tamar Tsenteradze, Enrique F. Elli
8:40 a.m.	148 Complex Foregut and Bariatric Revision: Management of Failed Childhood Nissen with Hiatal Hernia and Obesity via Gastric Bypass Alvaro Ducas , Patricia Ruiz Cota, Chandra Hassan, Francesco Bianco, Yevhen Pavelko

ENDOCRINE FOCUS ABSTRACTS

8:50 a.m.	166 Surgical Outcomes of Robotic Thyroidectomies for Thyroid Tumours: A Single Surgeon’s Experience with over 100 Robotic Procedures in India Gyan Chand , Kumari Madhu, Aakriti Yadav
9 a.m.	16 Impact of Body Mass Index on Outcomes of Single-Port Transaxillary Robotic Thyroidectomy [A1] Using the Da Vinci SP System Sungkeun Kang , Eunjin Kim, Jinkyoun Kim, Sang-Wook Kang, Jongju Jeong, Kee-Hyun Nam, WoongYoun Chung

MISCELLANEOUS ABSTRACTS

9:10 a.m.	76 Port Configuration for Simultaneous Upper and Lower Robotic Urologic Surgery for Patients with Dual Pathologies Abdulrahman Almazeedi , Saad Aldousari, Basmah Bahbahani, Talal Alenezi, Abdulrahman Alharbi, Brian Chao, Daniel Eun
9:20 a.m.	43 Gastroenteric Robotic Anastomosis Safe Study – Grass Trial Lorenzo Maria Fatucchi , Eugenia Lavorini, Alessandro Francia, Alessia Biancafarina, Barbara Frezza, Federica Tofani, Giulia Grassi, Giuseppe Antonino Pellicanò, Manlio Maria Perna, Marta Scricciolo, Monica Pelli, Rezart Sulce, Valentina Mariottini, Vincenzo Ricchiuti, Riccardo Malatesti, Marco De Prizio
9:30 a.m.	137 First 100 General Surgery Cases with the Hugo™ Robotic-assisted Surgery (RAS) System: A Single-Center Experience in Spain Riccardo Caruso, Yolanda Quijano, Hipolito Duran, Eduardo Diaz, Isabel Fabra, Luis Malave, Pablo Ruiz, Valentina Ferri , Alessandro Broglio, Emilio Vicente
10 to 10:30 a.m.	Coffee Break in Exhibit Hall

LIVER FOCUS ABSTRACTS

10:30 a.m.	6 Exploring Every Route of the Robotic Glissonean Approach in Liver Surgery: A Personal Perspective Benedetto Ielpo
10:40 a.m.	122 Fully Robotic Assisted sVII Segmentectomy for Liver Metastasis: Importance of Intraoperative US and Advanced Energy Devices Simone Berardi, Giuseppe Giuliani , Francesco Guerra, Andrea Coratti
10:50 a.m.	21 Comparison of Short-and Long-term Outcomes Between Robotic and Laparoscopic Operation in Hilar Cholangiocarcinoma Patients: A Case Control Study Decai Yu , Jin Peng, Yunfei Duan, Zhiheng Zhang
11a.m.	149 Robotic Transection of Caudate Nodule and Robotic Cholecystectomy Elif Kortan , Jimena Alaniz, Luke Atia, Jorge Almario Alvarez, Pierpaolo Di Cocco, Ivo G. Tzvetanov, Enrico Benedetti, Mario Spaggiari
11:10 a.m.	108 Robotic Hepatic Artery Infusion Pump Placement Ryan Lamm , Laleh G. Melstrom
11:20 a.m.	End of Morning Abstract Sessions – <i>proceed to join desired sessions in other breakout rooms.</i>
12 to 1:30 p.m.	Lunch and Visit Exhibits
1:30 to 2 p.m.	All convene in General Session for Keynote Lecture
2 p.m.	Reconvene in Cliffs

2 to 6 p.m. **ABSTRACTS** (7 min + 2 min Q&A + 1 min turnover each)

MODERATORS: Jeroen Hagendoorn, Aaron Lewis

PANCREAS FOCUS ABSTRACTS I

2 p.m.	100 Robotic Whipple with Trans-mesenteric Resection and Superior Mesenteric Vein/Portal Vein Reconstruction Aaron Lewis , Fairouz Chibane, Jae Y. Kim, Laleh G. Melstrom
2:10 p.m.	65 Robotic Splenectomy for Massive Splenomegaly and Hypersplenism in the Setting of Myelofibrosis Ashley Hafer , Mustafa Raoof
2:20 p.m.	63 Anatomical Challenges and Robotic Solutions: A Case of Mixed-type IPMN with Unusual Vascular Anatomy Carolina Bianco , Ludovico Contiero, Daniele Celi, Stefano Berti, Giovanni Ferrari
2:30 p.m.	14 Safety and Oncologic Efficacy of Robotic Surgery Compared to Open Surgery after Neoadjuvant Therapy for Pancreatic Cancer Menghua Dai , Pengyu Li, Hui Zhang, Juan Li, Peng Zhang, Qiang Xu, Wenjing Liu, Haomin Chen, Weijie Chen, Mingfei Wang, Huadan Xue, Zhiyong Liang
2:40 p.m.	154 Robotic Distal Pancreatectomy with Celiac Trunk Resection for Locally Advanced Pancreatic Adenocarcinoma Emilio Vicente, Pablo Ruiz, Valentina Ferri , Hipolito Duran, Eduardo Diaz, Isabel Fabra, Luis Malave, Riccardo Caruso, Gabriel Garabote, Yolanda Quijano
2:50 p.m.	61 Robotic-assisted vs. Open Pancreatoduodenectomy for Non-pancreatic Periapullary Malignancies: Comparisons of Short-and Long-Term Outcomes Using Inverse Probability of Treatment Weighting Xiaoyu Yin , Yu-Qing Zhong, Zun-Long Liu, Xi-Tai Huang, Chen-Song Huang, Wei Chen, Jia-Ming Lai, Li-Jian Liang, Qiong-Cong Xu
3 p.m.	146 Pancreaticoduodenectomy for Mucinous Cystic Neoplasm with SMA and SMV Abutment Yi Du , Frances McCarron
3:10 p.m.	41 Robotic-assisted Pancreaticoduodenectomy for Pancreatic Cancer: From the Ten-step Technique to the Mesenteric Approach Yuanchi Weng , Jiabin Jin, Baiyong Shen

3:20 p.m.	19 Precision Microsurgery to Decrease the Risk of Pancreatic Leaks after Robotic Pancreaticojejunostomy Andrea Gianmario Di Santo Albini , Alvaro Ducas, Jessica Cassiani, Valentina Valle, Pier Cristoforo Giulianotti
3:30 to 4 p.m.	Coffee Break in Exhibit Hall

PANCREAS FOCUS ABSTRACTS II

4 p.m.	72 Comparative Case-control Study of the First 100 Robotic Pancreatoduodenectomy Cases vs. Conventional Open Surgery in a High-volume Center Annalisa Comandatore , Niccoló Furbetta, Simone Guadagni, Matteo Pezzotti, Niccoló Ramacciotti, Chiara Veracini, Gregorio Di Franco, Luca Morelli
4:10 p.m.	80 Robot-assisted Surgery for Pancreatic Neuroendocrine Tumors: A Video-based Experience with the Da Vinci System Annalisa Comandatore , Niccoló Furbetta, Simone Guadagni, Ornela Ujka, Niccoló Ramacciotti, Matteo Pezzotti, Chiara Veracini, Gregorio Di Franco, Luca Morelli
4:20 p.m.	3 Robotic Central Pancreatectomy with Radiofrequency-assisted Stump Closure: A Novel Parenchyma-sparing Strategy Benedetto Ielpo
4:30 p.m.	4 Optimizing Robotic Spleen-preserving Distal Pancreatectomy: Strategies and Innovations from Personal Experience Benedetto Ielpo
4:40 p.m.	5 Mitigation Strategies for High Risk Pancreateatoduodenectomy Patients Benedetto Ielpo
4:50 p.m.	115 Robotic Distal Splenopancreatectomy with Spleno-portal Confluence Resection for Pancreatic Ductal Adenocarcinoma: A Case Report Francesco Matarazzo, Giuseppe Giuliani , Francesco Guerra, Lorenzo Giacinto DeFranco, Maria Pia Dorma, Andrea Coratti
5 p.m.	123 Robotic Kimura Spleen-preserving Distal Pancreatectomy for RCC Metastasis: Technical Feasibility with a Low-cost Instrument Strategy Nicol Ferioli, Ubaldo Marra, Lucia Salvischiani, Lorenzo De Franco, Maria Pia Federica Dorma, Giuseppe Giuliani , Francesco Guerra, Andrea Coratti
5:10 p.m.	27 Standardization of a Novel Serosal Patching Technique with Glubran®2 in Robot-assisted Distal Pancreatectomy: Operative Technique and Initial Outcomes Ahmad Mahamid , Nabih Essami, Riad Haddad
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8:10 a.m.	162 The Robotic Console of the Future: From Telemanipulation to Integrated Cockpit Andreas Vogler , Pier Cristoforo Giulianotti
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9:20 a.m.	73 Telesurgery in Urology: 10 Successful Transcontinental Human Procedures with Short-term Follow-up Abdulrahman Almazeedi , Saad Aldousari, Ahmad Almarzouq, Abdulkareem Hasan, Ahmed Shahin, Wang Jiayin, Saud AlHelal, Saleh Bubishate, Basma Bahbahani
9:30 a.m.	132 Advanced Tele-robotic Surgery for Combat Casualty Care Francesco Bianco, Alvaro Ducas , Andrea Gianmario Di Santo Albini, Pier Cristoforo Giulianotti, Enrico Benedetti, Steve Bartlett
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COMPLEX CASE FOCUS ABSTRACTS	
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10:40 a.m.	107 Complex Robot-assisted Repair of a Giant Recurrent Incisional Hernia in a Post-Kidney Transplant Patient Andrea Gianmario Di Santo Albini , Jessica Cassiani, Alvaro Ducas, Valentina Valle, Pier Cristoforo Giulianotti
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1:30 to 2 p.m.	All convene in General Session for Keynote Lecture
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2:10 p.m.	114 One Day, One Team, One Cure: Robotic Bronchoscopy and Same-day Resection of a Pulmonary Nodule Andres Fontaine Nicola , Emiliano Gabriel Manuelli Laos, Mario A. Masrur, Khaled Abdelhady
2:20 p.m.	96 Leveraging the CHA2DS2-VASc Score for Cardiovascular and Renal Risk Stratification in Robotic-assisted Pulmonary Lobectomy Austin Erickson , Atif Islam, Brandon Dyer, Carla Moodie, Joseph Garrett, Diana De La Cruz, Lindsay Power, Jenna Tew, Jobelle Joyce-Anne Baldonado, Jacques Fontaine, Samuel Freyaldenhoven, Eric Toloza
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2:50 p.m.	168 Robotic Transthoracic First Rib Resection for Neurogenic Thoracic Outlet Syndrome Mark Meyer, Farid Gharagozloo
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3:10 p.m.	112 Anastomotic Outcomes of a Reinforced Hand-sewn Technique in Robotic Ivor-Lewis Esophagectomy: Consecutive Series Analysis Nikolaos Pachos , Michael Zervos, Camille Yongue, Costas Bizekis

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DAY THREE AT A GLANCE

DAY THREE | SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2025

	Whitewater Ballroom General Session (1)
6:30 a.m.	Breakfast in Whitewater Courtyard
7:20 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.	Technology Innovation
12:30 to 1 p.m.	Business Meeting

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Training & Innovation Tract

DAY THREE | SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2025 | LOCATION: WHITEWATER BALLROOM

(No Concurrent Sessions)		New General Session Location
6:30 a.m.	Breakfast in Whitewater Courtyard	
7:20 a.m.	Keynote Lecture Transforming Healthcare Together Jason Hart Senior Vice President Global Marketing, Communication and Enablement Intuitive	
7:45 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. BRAINSTORMING SESSION ON INNOVATION MODERATORS: Pier Cristoforo Giulianotti, Yuman Fong, Barbara Seeliger		
<i>The Robotic Leader’s Vision of Robotics In 10 Years</i>		
7:45 a.m.	Surgery for All. Precise. Predictable. Personalized. Mike Marinaro, Medtronic	
<i>Enhanced Visions and AI Guidance</i>		
8 a.m.	Advanced Workflow Visualization Caitlin Clark, Stryker	
8:15 a.m.	Advances in AI for Surgery Neil Getty, Argonne National LAB	
<i>Remote Operations</i>		
8:30 a.m.	Remote Robotic Surgery: Challenges and Solutions Yulun Wang, Sovato	
8:45 a.m.	The Use Case and Experience for Remote Robotic Surgery in China Zheyong Li, Zhejiang, China	
9 a.m.	The Use Case and Experience for Remote Robotic Surgery for Kuwait Saad Aldousari, Kuwait City, Kuwait	
9:15 a.m.	Summary Report on the CRSA Consensus Guidelines Dimitri A. Raptis, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia	
9:30 a.m.	Q&A (Panel Discussion)	
<i>Autonomous Robotic Applications</i>		
9:45 a.m.	Large Language Models in Robotic-assisted Surgery: Methodologies and Unresolved Technical Challenges Leonardo Borgioli, SITL	
10 a.m.	Automated Surgery Ji Woong (Brian) Kim, Stanford University	
10:15 a.m.	From Industry to OR: The Future of Surgical Robotics François Boucher, Kinova	
10:30 a.m.	Q&A (Panel Discussion)	
<i>Miniaturization, New Instruments, New Platforms</i>		
10:45 a.m.	Moon Surgical Robot and Big Data Collection David Noonan, Moon Surgical	
11 a.m.	Flexible Single Port Robot Robert J. Webster III, Vanderbilt University	

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11:15 a.m.	Perspectives of Robotics in Flexible Endoscopy Silvana Perretta, IRCAD
11:30 a.m.	Q&A (Panel Discussion)
OR Architecture for the Robot (Thinking Out of the Box)	
11:45 a.m.	Architectural Implications for the Operating Room in the Age of Robotic Surgery Carlos L. Amato, Principal, CANNON Design
12 p.m.	Beyond the ROBOT: Building an Integrated Ecosystem for the Future Surgery Environment/OR Andreas Vogler, Architect, CELSUS
12:15 p.m.	Q&A (Panel Discussion)
12:30 p.m.	End of Congress
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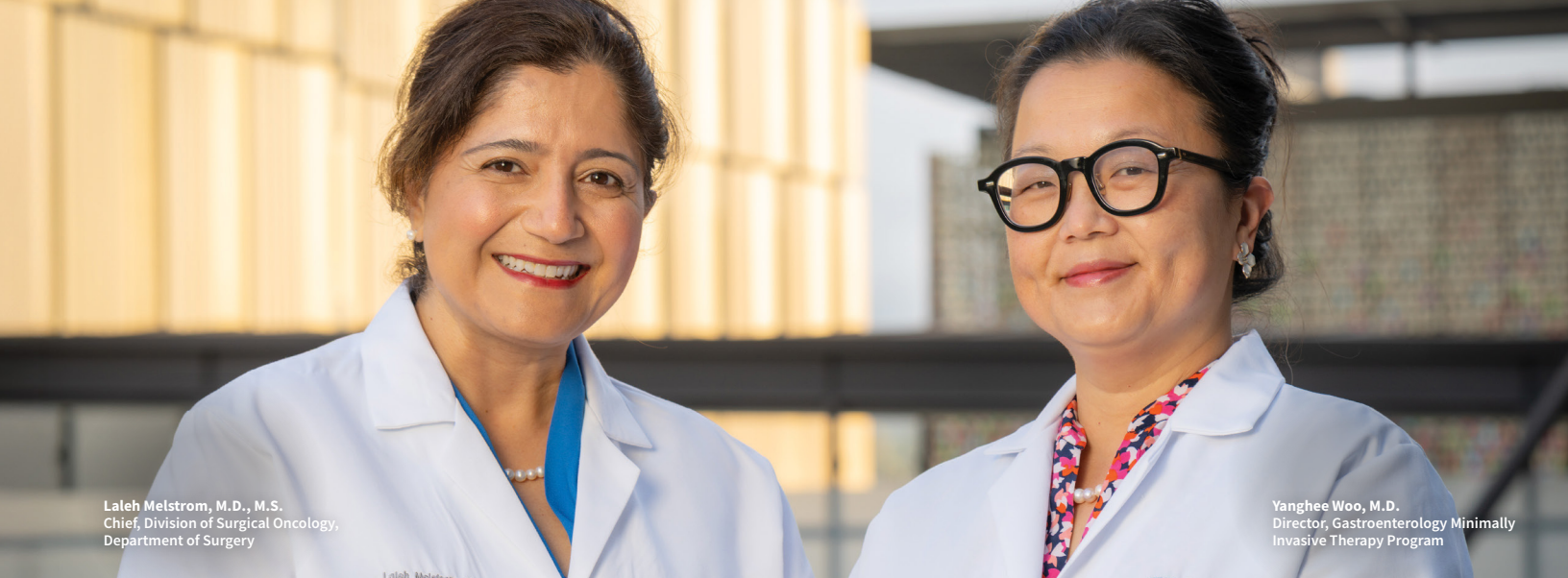


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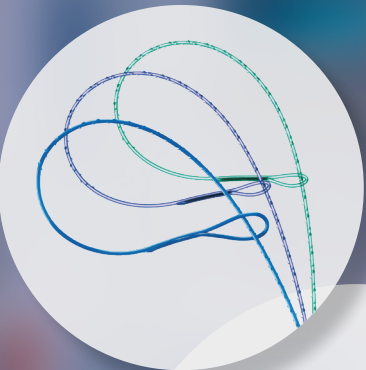
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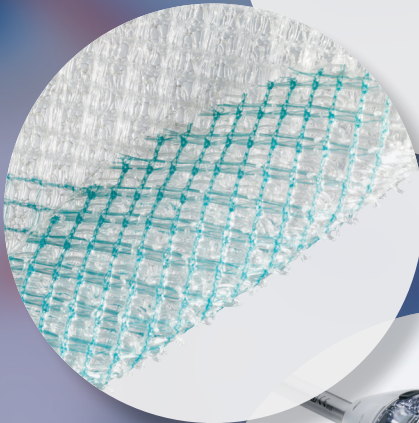
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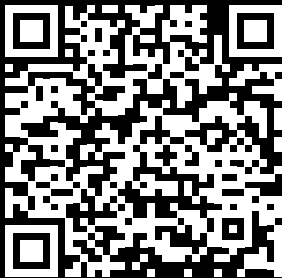
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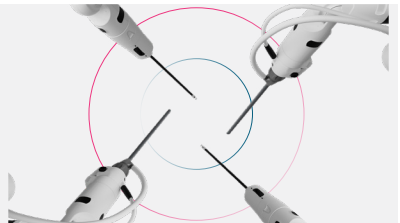
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