



International Conference on Gynaecological Endoscopy
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PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS Sunday 23rd August, 2015

HOW BETTER KNOWLEDGE OF ENERGY SOURCES CAN IMPROVE OUR SKILL IN LAPAROSCOPIC & HYSTEROSCOPIC SURGERY

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Venue :	Royal Orchid Azure Hotel, Nairobi	
Sponsor :	Olympus	
Participants :	25 pax	
Course Objectives :	At the end of the course, the trainees will be able to understand how easy it is to become a better Laparoscopic surgeon and avoid complications.	
Course Description :	Endoscopic Surgery requires a deep knowledge of the energy sources for safe electrosurgery. This course will give the trainees a few simple rules that are applied to their daily practice so as to improve their surgical performance. The course will give a wider outlook of all the energy sources available in Endoscopic Surgery and will guide the surgeon to learn how to choose and apply each instrument. Several tips and tricks will be highlighted. The course will focus also on complications related to the use of the energy sources and how best to avoid them. A practical demonstration on animal tissues will be available.	
Program :		
08.30 - 09.30 am	Basis of Electrosurgery : Monopolar Current, Bipolar Current, Bipolar Cutting Current	ROSSETTI Alfonso
09.30 - 10.00 am	Complications of Hysteroscopic Surgery : Does Bipolar energy really help?	ZURAWIN Robert
10.00 - 11.00 am	Vessel Sealing Systems : Basic principles and different systems (Ultrasonic energy, Hybrid Instruments & Vessel Sealers)	CUTTNER Alfred
Coffee / Tea Break		
11.30 - 12.30 noon	Hands on Exercises	
12.30 - 13.00 pm	How Electrosurgery will make our Hysterectomy easier and safer.	EIRNASSON Jon
Lunch		
14.00 - 14.30 pm	Myomectomy technique : Which Energy source and the best way to approach adhesiolysis	EIRNASSON Jon
14.30 - 15.15 pm	Surgical strategies and energies for Endometriosis : advantages and risks	ROSSETTI Alfonso
15.15 - 15.45 pm	Early and late complications of Electrosurgery : How to avoid, recognize and manage them	ZURAWIN Robert
15.45 - 16.00 pm	Evaluation Test	
16.00 - 17.00 pm	Hands on Exercises	