



THE 18TH HELSINKI LIVE DEMONSTRATION COURSE IN OPERATIVE MICRONEUROLOGY

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HELSINKI UNIVERSITY CENTRAL HOSPITAL
Neurosurgery

Dear colleagues

On behalf of the course directors, the faculty and the Aesculap Academy, I would like to invite you to come to Helsinki to participate in our unique course about Microneurosurgery.

Professors Mika Niemelä (Helsinki), Aki Laakso (Helsinki), Ali F. Krisht (Little Rock, AR, USA), Rokuya Tanikawa (Sapporo, Japan), Luca Regli (Zurich, Switzerland), Peter Vajkoczy (Berlin, Germany) and Michael T. Lawton (Phoenix, AZ, USA) along with senior, junior and nursing staff will demonstrate and discuss different approaches and microsurgical techniques in live operations in various lesions (aneurysms, AVMs, cavernomas, extrinsic and intrinsic tumors and spine surgery). Helsinki Neurosurgery has close to 3500 surgical and endovascular procedures annually. More information about the department on www.hus.fi/neurosurgery.

During the course there will be 6-8 operations per day, i.e. 25-30 operations altogether in three ORs. Professors will discuss the cases and present microsurgical videos between and after the operations. The operative schedule runs every day from 8am to approximately 3pm followed by case discussions and lectures hosted by Martin Lehecka and Reza Dashti.

PREFACE

A USB stick containing the case presentations will be handed out to all participants. Publications on clinical experiences by the special guests and the Helsinki staff will also be handed out during the course. Selected papers by the participants can be presented during the course and the participants are encouraged to present their work. Please contact Professor Mika Niemelä (mika.niemela@hus.fi) in order to arrange a presentation.

We look forward to seeing you at this exciting course in Helsinki.

Best regards and a warm welcome



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Prof. Mika Niemelä operating in one of the five ORs in Helsinki



Course participants during the course

COURSE INFORMATION

PARTICIPATION FEE

■ 1600 EUR net plus VAT 24 % / person

The fee includes full course program, course manual, lunch, coffee and snacks during all course days and course dinner on Tuesday. An invoice will be sent to you after registration. Please transfer the participation fee after receipt of the invoice to the following account:

Nordea Bank Finland
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Please make sure all wire charges are paid. Your participation will be confirmed only after receiving full payment.

We do not accept cash or credit card payments.

CANCELLATION TERMS

If a participant cancels his/her registration 4 weeks or more prior to the beginning of the event, the participation fee will be reimbursed in full. After this time and up to 14 days before the course begins, we will charge a handling fee of 50 % of the course fee.

For cancellations made between 14 and 7 days before the course, we reserve the right to charge full participation fee. The full participation fee will be payable for cancellation after this period or for non-attendance.

COURSE VENUE

Helsinki University Hospital, Department of Neurosurgery
Topeliuksenkatu 5, 00260 Helsinki, Finland.

www.hus.fi/neurosurgery

SUNDAY, JUNE 3, 2018

The course starts on Sunday, June 3, 2018 at 2pm with lectures in the lecture hall 1 in Töölö Hospital. The lectures will finish around 7pm.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

Special room rates are available at hotel Crowne Plaza (address: Mannerheimintie 50, 00260 Helsinki).

128 EUR / standard single room / night (incl. VAT)
(2. -5.6. & 8. -9.6.)

178 EUR / standard single room / night (incl. VAT)
(5. -8.6.)

Please reserve your accommodation directly from the hotel's booking office by stating the booking code "Helsinki Course 2018".

Booking office: my.reservation@restel.fi
Tel. +358 (0)20 055 055 (0,17€ /call + 0,75 €/min)

Limited availability on special rate rooms. There are also other accommodation options locally. Please feel free to ask us if you need any advice or recommendations.

LUNCH AND COURSE DINNER

Lunch is served daily at the hospital staff restaurant. For those staying at apartments we have reserved additional breakfast coupons.

The course dinner takes place on Tuesday, June 5, 2018. Additional fees apply for non-participants.

PETRI HONKANEN FOUNDATION YOUNG NEUROSURGEON COURSE AWARD

Petri Honkanen foundation in cooperation with Aesculap Academy Finland grants yearly one award to Helsinki Live course. Eligible applicants are neurosurgical residents or young neurosurgeons (less than 40 years of age) who conduct basic, translational or clinical research on intracranial aneurysms. The award includes course fee, reasonable travel and accommodation expenses.

For details of application requirements and procedure, please visit <http://petrihonkasensaatio.fi>

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Please register online at:

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Deadline for course registration is April 13, 2018.

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