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SURGERY IN
UPPER GI DISORDERS





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Dr. Subhash Aggarwal President IAGES

The Fellowship in Advcanced Laproscopic Surgery FALS UGI 2024 under the aegis of the Indian Association of Gastrointestinal Endo Surgeons (IAGES) will be held from 10-12 May 2024. at Hotel Hyatt, Vastrapur, Ahmedabad. IAGES is a 11,000 member strong academic body of Minimally Invasive Surgeons. The association strives to disseminate knowledge and technology transfer of cutting-edge minimally invasive procedures. The FALS program will have an intensive teaching program for three days, followed by an exam an certification.

Minimally invasive foregut surgery has grown leaps and bounds and has improved outcomes for patients with upper gastrointestinal disorders. The science of benign and malignant foregut surgery has evolved into a fine niche of highly skill-demanding surgical specialty. It is pertinent for us to be updated with the best of knowledge from the masters of foregut surgery across the globe.

This field is rapidly improving, and the outcome will be Consistent once standardized therapy guidelines are implemented. The entire gamut of the upper gastrointestinal surgery will be covered over three days with masters in the specialty. The fellowship academics cover the basics, translational science, stadard techniques, current direction, and future course of development in Upper GI Surgery.

National and International Sessions will cover diverse topics of Upper GI Surgery. Robotic Surgery is transforming the treatment of complex upper GI problems. A live demonstration of cuting-edge minimally invasive procedures will be an integral part of the program.

The course will have the best hosting services. The organizing team welcomes you to the city of bon vivants-heritage, peace, delicious food and memories in store just for you. We assure you of the best hospitality in Ahmedabad.

We welcome you to this intensive academic program and the Fellowship in Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery in Upper GI Surgery Domain.



WELCOME MESSAGE





Prof Dr Sunil D Popat Org Chairman

Greetings from FALS UGI 2024 organizing team!

It is great pleasure to inform you that the Fellowship course in Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery in Upper GI Disorders (FALS UGI 2024) in Upper GI Surgery 2024 is Organized by Nidhi Hospital and Ahmedabad Surgeons Association from 10-12 May 2024 under the aegis of the Indian Association of Gastrointestinal Endo Surgeons (IAGES).

As per IAGES vision, this course is designed to enhance skills and understand the principles to manage complex upper gastrointestinal disorders.

The FALS Upper GI course features didactic lectures, debates, panel discussions, interesting video presentations aimed to

- Describe strategies to minimize morbidity
- Optimize the evaluation and management of simple as well as complex upper gastrointestinal problems
- Provide a birds eye view of the fundamental and basic sciences of the Upper GI tract. An exhaustive review of various approaches to functional and motility disorders
- Describe Complications and safe exit options in challenging situations. Way out in difficult post operative problems in foregut surgery
- Discuss the newest procedures in the offering. Debate the various contentious issues
- Describe advanced foregut therapeutic endoscopy techniques Deliberate the benefits of interdisciplinary management of foregut cancer
- Present innovative tools to improve outcomes

The course is aimed at fine-tuning the laparoscopic surgical skills of the practicing Laparoscopic, General and GI surgeons

You can also register for the course without going for Fellowship and update your knowledge in the specialty

We invite you for the best of academics, gourmet and networking. Reserve your dates to join the most important academic event of the year.



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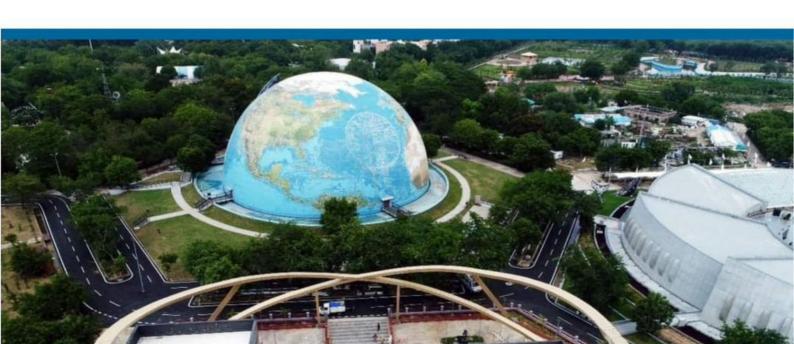
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FALS - FELLOWSHIP IN ADVANCED LAPAROSCOPIC SURGERY OF UPPER GI SURGERY



IAGES ADVACED FELLOWSHIP (FALS)

IAGES will conduct a 3 days certification Fellowship course organized by the Dept. of Surgical Gastroenterology, Ahmedabad, Gujarat, from 10th - 12th May, 2024. This course will focus on all the basics and advanced techniques for managing upper gastointestinal disorders. The course will be a balanced mix of didactic lectures by eminent faculties with ample time for discussion, video presentations, open house session symposia and direct informal interaction of groups with renowned faculties.

Lap mentor, Lap endo trainer and robotic endo trainer may be available for live simulated hands-on surgical experience of advanced laparoscopy and robotics. The course will have many unique features to make it more valuable and memorable for you.

LIVE WORKSHOP ON LAPAROSCOPIC SURGERY

A live operating workshop will be held on 12th May 2024. Commonly practised advanced laparoscopic and robotic Upper GI procedures will be shown by eminent faculties who are masters in their field, emphasizing the current guidelines. The workshop shall be an open house interactive session with the delegate as the center point.

ASSESSMENT FOR CERTIFICATION

All the Candidates will be assessed for the certification after attending all the sessions. The method of assessment will depend on whether the candidates are in the Examination category or Non-Examination Category.



Eligibility for FALS Course



IAGES MEMBERSHIP IS MANDATORY

If you are not an IAGES member, You need to apply for the IAGES membership at www.iages.in and give the required details & Pay online

EXAMINATION CATEGORY

All surgeons with at least three years of experience in Laparoscopic Upper GI Surgery after post-graduation can apply in this category. The applicant should have performed over 25 Laparoscopic Upper GI procedures jointly or independently. Attendance is mandatory on all three days of the course for all the candidates. The fellow should have an experience certificate from the Head of the Department (HOD), employer, or self if Owning; Written Examination will be conducted on 11 May and Viva will be on 11 & 12 May.

The written examination will comprise 100 MCQs with a total mark of 100, and Passing marks will be 50 marks. VIVA will be for 100 marks, and passing marks will be 50 marks.

NON EXAMINATION CATEGORY

Surgeons who have been doing Laparoscopic Upper GI Surgery for 10 or more years are eligible for Non-Examination Category. Candidates should have performed over 100 Laparoscopic Upper GI surgeries and must submit a logbook to substantiate the claim.

Attendance is mandatory on all three days for all the candidates. The fellow should have an experience certificate from the Head of the Department (HOD), employer, or self (if owning a hospital). The IAGES board will interview all the candidates for final assessment before awarding the fellowship.

INSTRUCTIONS TO COURSE PARTICIPANTS

- Attendance is compulsory on all 3 days
- Participants are requested to sign in and sign out four times a day (in & out pre-lunch and in & out post lunch). Attending all sessions and staying in the hall until the proceedings are over is mandatory.
- Participants are requested to reach Ahmedabad on 10th May morning before 8.00 am without fail. Registration will be open on the 10th May morning 7.30 am





DAY 1 | 10th May, 2024, Friday Time: 09:00 am - 07:00 pm

IME	ТОРІС	Moderator Panellist	Speaker Chairperson
07:30 am onwards	REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST		
09:00 am - 09:10 am	WELCOME ADDRESS		
09:10 am - 09:30 am	Basic Sciences - 1		
	The Surgical anatomy of GE Junction & Esophagus - An MIS Perspective		
09:30 am - 09:50 am	Benign Esophageal Disorders 1		
	Boerhaave Syndrome		
09:50 am - 10:10 am	Functional Assessment Session		
	The Functional assessment of the esophagus disorders		
10:10 am - 10:30 am	The Functional Esophageal Disorders - 1		
	Antireflux Surgery for GERD- Laparoscopic		
10:30 am - 10:50 am	The Functional Esophageal Disorders - 2		
	Surgical Management of Achalasia Cardia		
10:50 am - 11:20 am	TEA / COFFEE BREAK		
11:20 am - 11:40 am	The Functional Esophageal Disorders - 3		
	Revision Surgery following Hellers Myotomy		
11:40 am - 12:00 pm	The Functional Esophageal Disorders - 4		
	Revision Surgery following Fundoplication		
12:00 pm - 12:20 pm	The Functional Esophageal Disorders - 5		
	Role of Robotics in Functional Esophageal Disorders		
12:20 pm - 12:40 pm	The Functional Esophageal Disorders - 6		
	Endoscopy for Benign Esophageal Dissorders - Achalasia & GERD		
12:40 pm - 01:20 pm	Complications		
	PANEL - Perioperative Complications and Management during		
	Oesophageal Surgery (Video Based)		



DAY 1 | 10th May, 2024, Friday

Time: 09:00 am - 07:00 pm

TIME	TOPIC	Moderator Panellist	Speaker Chairperson
01:20 pm - 02:15 pm	LUNCHBREAK		
02:20 pm - 02:40 pm	Diaphragmatic Defect 1	A	
	Diaphragmatic Hernias		
02:40 pm - 03:00 pm	Malignant Esophageal Surgery 1		
	Transthoracic Esophagectomy & Ivor Lewis - Evidence + Video		
03:00 pm - 03:20 pm	Malignant Esophageal Surgery 2		
	Robotic Esophagectomy		
	Malignant Esophageal Surgery 3		
	Transhiatal Esophagectomy - Evidence + Video		
03:20 pm - 03:40 pm	Enteral Feeding 1		
	Laparoscopic Feeding Tubes - Video Based		
03:40 pm - 04:00 pm	Enteral Feeding 2		
	Enteral Feeding - PEG		
04:00 pm - 04:20 pm	Palliation Session 1		
	Stents in Foregut Disorders		
04:20 pm - 04:45 pm	TEA/COFFEE BREAK		
04:45 pm - 05:45 pm	INAUGURATION		
05:45 pm - 06:05 pm	Benign Tumours 2		
	Benign Esophageal Tumour & Esophageal Diverticula		
06:05 pm - 06:25 pm	The Functional Esophageal Disorders		
	MIS for Complex Paraesophageal Hernia		
06:25 pm - 06:45 pm	Bariatric Surgery		
	Safety in Bariatric Surgery		
06:45 pm - 07:05 pm	Benign Gastric Surgery		
	Surgery for Peptic Ulcer Disease (Truncal Vagotomy +GJ, HSV)		
07:15 pm onwards	INAUGURAL DINNER		





DAY 2 | 11th May, 2024, Saturday Time: 09:00 am - 07:30 pm

TIME	ТОРІС	Moderator Panellist	Speaker Chairperson
07:30 am onwards	REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST		
09:00 am - 09:20 am	Gastric Surgery		
	Surgical Anatomy of Stomach- MIS Prospective		
09:20 am - 09:40 am	Radiology		
	Imaging in Upper GI Disorders		
09:40 am - 10:00 am	Endoscopy		
	Indications and Role of EUS in UGI		
10:00 am - 10:20 am	Benign Gastric Surgery 2		
	MIS For Benign Perforations in Stomach and Duodenum		
10:20 am - 10:40 am	Benign Gastric Surgery 1		
	Surgical Management of GIST of Stomach		
10:40 am - 11:00 am	Duodenal MIS 1		
	MIS for Duodenal NET + MIS for Duodenal cancer		
11:00 am - 11:30 am	TEA / COFFEE BREAK		
11:30 am - 11:50 am	Malignant Gastric Surgery 1		
	MIS Total D2 Gastrectomy		
11:50 am - 12:10 pm	Medical Oncology		
	Neoadjuvant Therapy in Upper GI Cancers		
12:10 pm - 12:30 pm	Radiation Oncology		
	Role of Radiation in UGI Cancers		
12:30 pm - 01:15 pm	Difficult Situation Session 3		
	PANEL on Complications following Gastric Surgeries		



DAY 2 | 11th May, 2024, Saturday Time: 09:00 am - 07:30 pm

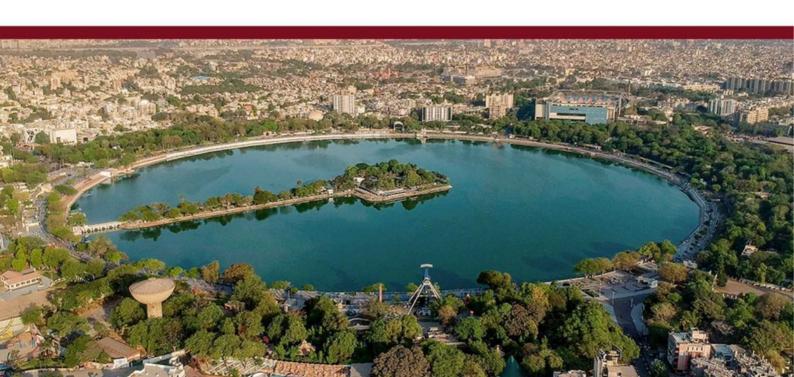
TIME	ТОРІС	Moderator Panellist	Speaker Chairperson
01:15 pm - 02:15 pm	LUNCH BREAK		
02:15 pm - 02:35 pm	Bariatric Session 1		
	Setting up of a Bariatric Unit		\
02:35 pm - 02:55 pm	Bariatric Session 2		
	Which Procedure When? Evidence based.		
02:55 pm - 03:15 pm	Bariatric Session 3		
	Sleeve Gastrectomy		
03:15 pm - 03:35 pm	Bariatric Session 4		
	One Anastomoses Gastric Bypass		
03:35 pm - 03:55 pm	Bariatric Session 5		
	RYGB		
03:55 pm - 04:15 pm	Bariatric Session 6		
	Endoscopic Sleeve Gastroplasty		
04:15 pm - 04:35 pm	Bariatric Session 7		
	Metabolic Surgery in 2024		
04:35 pm - 05:15 pm	Bariatric Session 8		
	PANEL - Preventing Complications in Bariatric Surgery		
05:15 pm - 05:30 pm	TEA/COFFEE BREAK		
05:30 pm - 07:30 pm	Examination		
	MCQ & VIVA		
07:30 pm onwards	GALA DINNER		





DAY 3 | 12th May, 2024, Sunday Time: 09:00 am - 05:00 pm

TIME	ТОРІС	Moderator	Speaker
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	LIVE OPERATIVE SESSION - Upper GI and Bariatric procedures		
07:30 am onwards	REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST		
09:00 am - 05:00 pm	Laparoscopic Hiatus Hernia Repair with		
	Laparoscopic Fundoplication		
	Laparoscopic Sleeve Gastrectomy		
	Laparoscopic Hellers Cardiomyotomy with Fundoplication		
	Laparoscopic Gastric GIST		
	Laparoscopic RYGB		
	POEM, Endoscopic Sleeve Gastroplasty		
	Robotic Fundoplication		
	Robotic Malignancy UGI		
09:00 am - 01:00 pm	Examination - VIVA		
01:00 pm - 02:00 pm	LUNCH BREAK		
02:00 pm onwards	Live Workshop		



Registration Details



(A) NON RESIDENTIAL REGISTRATION

Particular	Fees
FALS UGI COURSE (Exam & Non Exam)	INR 29,500
CME + Workshop without Fellowship - IAGES Member	INR 8,260
CME + Workshop without Fellowship - Non Member	INR 10,620
CME + Workshop without Fellowship - PG Student	INR 5,900

Notes:

- · Above Fees are including of 18% GST
- No REFUND on Cancellation
- If you are applying for course request to select Exam/Non Exam Category and also upload required documents

PAYMENT DETAILS

Bank Details (NEFT Available)

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Account No. : 0969002100022160

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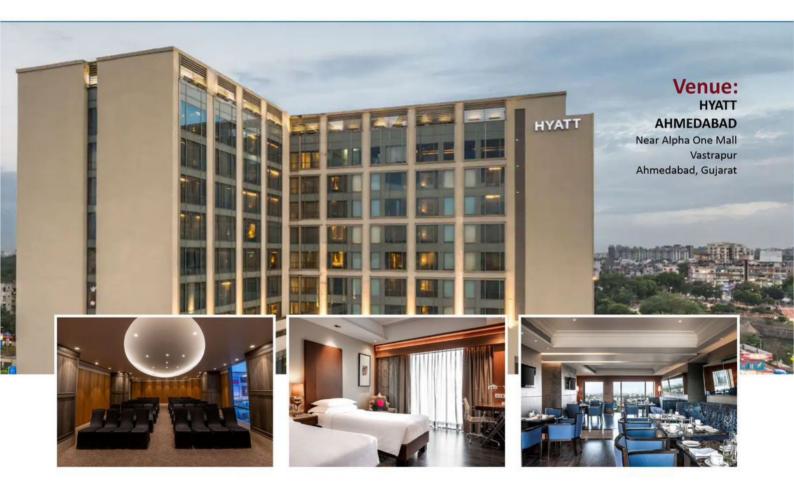


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