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# FIAAGES

## CHENNAI

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2024

SRM MEDICAL COLLEGE HOSPITAL  
& RESEARCH CENTRE  
DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SURGERY

in association with

INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF GASTROINTESTINAL ENDO  
SURGEONS (IAGES)

SRM Nagar, Kattankulathur, Chennai - 603203.





## **PRESIDENT MESSAGE**

Dear Friends

Greetings from IAGES Central Office

IAGES has now become one of the largest academic forums on the global stage of Minimal Access Surgery with more than 10000 members.

Thanks to Prof Dr. Thinakaran HOD, Prof Dr. Tharun Ganapathy .C and their team at SRM Medical College Hospital & Research in Chennai, we are pleased to bring FIAGES under the Course, Conference, and Convocation format.

FIAGES is a 3-day fellowship course in Essential Laparoscopic Surgery with lecture modules, hands-on lap suturing sessions, live operative sessions, and meet-the professor sessions to learn the tricks of the trade from the masters. This will be followed by an assessment module with 100 questions MCQ, Viva, and a practical session on lap trainer suturing. Please note that IAGES membership is prerequisite to obtaining fellowship certification.

We look forward to welcoming you to the beautiful coastal city of Chennai for this academic feast and festival

Our heartfelt appreciation and best wishes to team SRM Medical College Hospital & Research for a memorable and successful scientific event

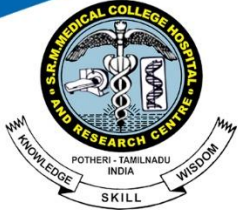
Vanakkam Chennai !

Affectionately yours

**DR. SUBHASH AGGARWAL**

President IAGES





## WELCOME MESSAGE FROM THE ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

Dear Colleagues and Friends,

It is our great privilege to announce the FIAGES 2024 course to be held in Chennai from June 6<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup>

Basic laparoscopy is the foundation for many sub specialties and super specialties related to General Surgery. The IAGES has been the forerunner of surgical education for the same, incorporating the FIAGES course as a benchmark of excellence in basic keyhole surgery.

This carefully curated course will have a well done potpourri of online and offline lectures, video demonstrations, expert panel deliberations and live Surgery from doyens in the field.

The FIAGES course will encompass basic principles, difficult situations, bailout strategies, and safety guidelines to ensure that successful candidates will be confident minimal access surgeons in the future.

We are honoured and pleased to invite you to our esteemed institution to be part of this momentous course.

Looking forward

Regards



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## **FIAGES – FELLOWSHIP OF INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF GASTROINTESTINAL ENDO SURGEONS**

### **IAGES - BASIC FELLOWSHIP COURSE (FIAGES)**

The IAGES will conduct a FIAGES course at SRM Medical College Hospital and Research Centre Chennai – 603203 from the 6<sup>th</sup> June 2024 to 8<sup>th</sup> June 2024. This course will focus on all the basics of laparoscopy. The course will be a balanced mix of didactic lectures by eminent faculty with ample time for discussions, video presentations, open house session, symposium, panel discussion and direct informal interactions of groups with eminent faculty. There will be many unique features in the course to make it more useful, convenient and memorable for you.

### **LIVE WORKSHOP AND LAPAROSCOPIC SURGERY:**

A live operating workshop will be held on Hospital Seminar Hall SRM Hospital Chennai. Commonly practiced basic and advanced laparoscopic procedures will be demonstrated by eminent faculties who have mastered in their fields with emphasis on the current guidelines. The workshop shall be an open house interactive session with the delegates and fellows as the centre 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 FIAGES COURSE:**

IAGES membership is mandatory. (If you are not an IAGES Member, you may apply for the same at [www.iages.in](http://www.iages.in) and give the required details to pay online for IAGES registration. Please pay 8260 (Registration Fees ₹7000 + 18% GST) as membership fees. After submitting the form, you will be directed with Payment gateway and on successful completion, your registration will be automatically accepted. Membership numbers will be given to members after successful completion of payment and it will be given in 2 weeks from the Honorary Secretary’s office.

### **NON EXAMINATION CATEGORY:**

Surgeons who have been doing basic laparoscopic surgery for 10 or more years are eligible for the non-examination category. Candidates should have performed more than 100 basic laparoscopic surgeries and need to submit a logbook to substantiate the claim. Attendance is mandatory. For all the candidate fellows should have an experience certificate from the head of the department (HOD), employer or self (If owning a hospital). All the candidates will have a viva assessment by the ESboard of examiners on June 7<sup>th</sup> at SRM Medical College Hospital, Chennai before awarding fellowship.

## EXAMINATION CATEGORY

All surgeons with a post graduate degree in surgery is mandatory with a minimum of two years' experience in laparoscopic surgery (includes experience in laparoscopy as a resident) can apply in this category. The applicant should have performed over 25 laparoscopic procedures either jointly or independently. Full attendance is mandatory on all three days of the course for all the candidates. Fellow should have an experience certificate from the head of the department (HOD), employee or self (if owning a hospital) as supportive documents. Written examination and viva assessment will be conducted on June 7th at SRM Medical College Hospital, Chennai. The written examination will comprise of 100 MCQS with a total mark of 100 and passing marks will be 50 marks. Viva will be 100 Marks and passing marks will be 50 marks.

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR COURSE PARTICIPANTS:

Attendance is compulsory on all three days.

The grand convocation will take place on later date and venue where all the fellows will be facilitated with a degree.

Participants are requested to reach the venue in Chennai on or before 08:00 hrs on 6<sup>th</sup> June.

Registrations will be open on 6<sup>th</sup> June 2024 from 07:00hrs at SRM Medical College Hospital, Chennai.

All candidates are requested to bring a copy of their MBBS certificate, MS/DNB Degree Certificate and MCI registration at the time of registration.

All candidates must bring a copy of their log books attested by their HOD or an experience certificate from the head of the department (HOD), employee or self (if owning a hospital) as supportive documents.

Participants in the non-examination category will appear for a viva assessment on 7<sup>th</sup> June 2024 at SRM Medical College Hospital, Chennai.

All exam category participants are requested to be present for MCQ's and viva assessment at the announced time on June 7<sup>th</sup> 2024 at SRM Medical College Hospital, Chennai.

The last sign out is on Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2024 after 14:00 hrs.

## AWARD OF FELLOWSHIP CERTIFICATE:

Fellowship certificate will be given only in person with successful completion in both the categories at a Grand Convocation ceremony

Delegates registering for the conference are requested to participate in the convocation.





## LECTURE MODULES

### DAY 1

### DAY 2

- Introduction to FIAGES Course
- Overview On Endo Vision & Equipments
- Sterilization And Maintenance Of Equipments
- Electrosurgery & Newer Energy Sources
- Ergonomics for Laparoscopic Surgeon
- Principles Of Safe Peritoneal Access
- Basics of Suturing and Knotting
- Lap Appendectomy
- Lap In Acute Abdomen
- Standard Lap Cholecystectomy
- Difficult Lap Cholecystectomy
- Lap CBD Stone Management
- Endoscopy for Surgeons
- Complications Of LC-Panel Discussion

- Endoscopic Anatomy Of Groin And Abdominal Wall
- TAPP - Inguinal Hernia: Step by Step
- TEP - Inguinal Hernia: Step by Step
- Ventral Hernia: IPOM and IPOM Plus
- AWR/ Newer procedures for Ventral Hernia
- Lap Hiatal Surgery: Nissen's Fundoplication
- Lap Hellers Cardiomyotomy
- Rectal Prolapse: Lap Rectopexy
- Lap management of Hydatid Cyst Liver
- Complications of Lap Hernia Repair: Panel Discussion
- Bariatric Surgery: Overview of different procedures
- Overview on Robotic Surgery: Present Status And Future Prospects



## REGISTRATION DETAILS

### CATEGORY

### EARLY BIRD

### REGULAR

**FIAGES  
Fellowship**

**Rs. 15,000/- + GST@18%  
(Rs. 17,700/-)**

**Rs. 17,000/- + GST@18%  
(Rs. 20,060/-)**

**PG**

**Rs. 5,000/- + GST@18%  
(Rs. 5,900/-)**

**Rs. 6,000/- + GST@18%  
(Rs. 7,800/-)**

**Early Bird Extended till 15th May 2024**

**PG Students should submit a certificate regarding bonafide status of the students issued from the HOD of the  
Respective college/ Institution**

**To obtain fellowship – IAGES Membership in mandatory\* | To Become A IAGES Member Log on to [www.iages.in](http://www.iages.in)**





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