

WFNS Education and Training Committee

WFNS Education Symposia # 16
WFNS Education & Training Committee
Management of Degenerative Spinal Disorders



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Wilco C. Peul (Netherlands)
Ali I. Ökten-Mehmet Zileli (Türkiye)

Moderators: Salman Sharif, Sandeep Vaishya

WFNS Education Symposia # 15
WFNS Education & Training Committee
Management of Craniopharyngiomas



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Moderators: Sabino Luzzi, Regunath Kandasamy

December 21, 2024

WFNS Education Symposia # 17
WFNS Education & Training Committee
Management of Vestibular Schwannomas



Maximiliano Nufez (Argentina)
Luciano Mastrorardi (Italy)
Alfredo Conti (Italy)
Mustafa Baskaya (USA)
Keki Türel (India)

Moderators: Roberto Leal Da Silveira, Sabino Luzzi

WFNS Education Symposia # 18
WFNS Education & Training Committee
Cervical Disc Disease: Arthroplasty vs Fusion?



Oscar L. Alves (Portugal)
Nikolay Peev (United Kingdom)
Joachim Dertel (Germany)


Moderators: Sandeep Vaishya, Sérgio F. Salvador

January 18, 2025



Update of Spine Surgery # 15
International Academy of Spine & Middle East Spine Society & WFNS Education Committee

Congenital Scoliosis



Yahya Güvenç (Türkiye)
Max Aebi (Switzerland)
Muharrem Yazıcı (Türkiye)
Michael Faloon (USA)

Moderator: Max Aebi, Corinna Zygourakis
January 22, 2025

ACNS 2024: A Successful Event in Cairo, Egypt 18-20th December

The Asian Congress of Neurological Surgeons (ACNS) 2024 was held from **December 18-20, 2024**, in **Cairo, Egypt**. The event was led by **Prof. Nasser El Ghandour**, Congress President, and **Prof. Yoko Kato**, President of the Asian Congress of Neurological Surgeons. It was organized with the support of **Prof. Salman Sharif**, WFNS Committee Coordinator, and **Prof. Mehmet Zileli**, Chairman of the WFNS Training and Educational Committee.

The congress included **9 workshops** covering a variety of topics, such as **neuroanatomy, microvascular surgery, and minimally invasive techniques**, giving participants valuable opportunities to improve their skills and knowledge.

With **159 faculty members from all over the world**, the event brought together experts and attendees to share ideas and learn from each other. ACNS 2024 was a well-attended and successful event, highlighting the importance of collaboration in advancing neurosurgery.

WFNS EDUCATIONAL DAY 18 DEC 2024 GRAND NILE TOWER

MICROVASCULAR ANASTOMOSIS WORKSHOP (HANDS-ON)

FACULTY

CHIEF INSTRUCTOR: SALMAN SHARIF
 FACULTY: YOKO KATO, AHMED HASSAN, SATOBUKI YOSHIMASA, SAUTAJALA ANEKA, YOSHIDA TOSHIKI, AHMED EL-SAYED, MOHAMED EL-SAYED, HASSAN AHMED, MOHAMED EL-SAYED, MOHAMED EL-SAYED, MOHAMED EL-SAYED, MOHAMED EL-SAYED

IN CONJUNCTION WITH ASIAN2024 CONGRESS 2024 OF Neurological Surgeons 18-20 December Grand Nile Tower Hotel Cairo, Egypt. PLEASE REGISTER TO THE COURSE THROUGH OUR WEBSITE ACNS2024.ORG

WFNS EDUCATIONAL DAY 19 DEC 2024 GRAND NILE TOWER HOTEL

3D CAMBRIDGE NEUROANATOMY COURSE (RHOTON PROJECTOR) AND SURGICAL ANATOMY OF BRAIN AND SKULL BASE

FACULTY **COORDINATOR**

TOSHIBA SANGHVI, ISSA SOUSA, AHMED KARANAN, SELVA MANJUPRASADH, ABDELRAHMAN ABDELRAHMAN, AHMED ADIL

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ENDOSCOPIC SKULL BASE SURGERY HANDS ON

FACULTY

SAUTAJALA ANEKA, SAUTAJALA ANEKA, YERHAN BALEGHINE, AMR MOHAMMED, COORDINATOR AHMED SOGAM, COORDINATOR MOHAMED EL-SAYED, AHMED EL-SAYED, SELVA KANAL, HAZEM ABOLMAGAR, AMR EL-SAYED, COORDINATOR HASSAN AHMED

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VENTRICULAR ENDOSCOPY WORKSHOP (HANDS-ON)

FACULTY

YOKO KATO, AHMED KARANAN, JOACHIM DEBIS, ALBERTO BUCALA, ANDRE BROTONS, AMR ABOLMAGAR, HASSAN AHMED, AHMED EL-SAYED, HASSAN AHMED, OMAR HANNA, SAMIR LOFFY, COORDINATOR AHMED MARI

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NEW CONCEPTS IN MINIMALLY INVASIVE SPINE SURGERY (HANDS-ON)

FACULTY

SALMAN SHARIF MUHAMMAD ABDELBAR AMIT AMIT HUSSEIN ELMAGHRABY MANUEL ENCARNACION

COORDINATOR HUSSEIN ZILU COORDINATOR AHMED HOSSAM

IN CONJUNCTION ASIAN20 CONGRESS 24 of Neurological Surgeons 18-20 December Grand Nile Tower Hotel Cairo, Egypt. PLEASE REGISTER TO THE COURSE THROUGH OUR WEBSITE ACNS2024.ORG

25 YEARS OF WFNS

WFNS EDUCATIONAL DAY 19 DEC 2024 GRAND NILE TOWER HOTEL

CRANIO-CERVICAL SURGERY: WHAT TO DO AND HOW TO DO?

FACULTY COORDINATOR

MARO ANESSAT CRISTIAN DEAGHANIELLO EKAB EDEA YASSER EL BARRA ALI ABU MADANI WAEL NAZEM MOHAMED SAAD

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WFNS EDUCATIONAL DAY 20 DEC 2024 GRAND NILE TOWER HOTEL

ENDOSCOPIC SPINE SURGERY (HANDS ON)

FACULTY

SALMAN SHARIF HUSSEIN ZILU CHIDOM WUNACU SALIM SEWUEK MUHAMMAD ABDELBAR EKAB EDEAN

ABDELKATAM SAKHO IMAB HOSEY COORDINATOR SOHAM MOSTAFA COORDINATOR AHMED HUSSEIN

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WFNS EDUCATIONAL DAY 20 DEC 2024 GRAND NILE TOWER HOTEL

FUNCTIONAL NEUROSURGERY WORKSHOP (HANDS-ON)

FACULTY

AMR ELKAWI FUSTHA ABDELRAHMAN COORDINATOR MUSTAFA HANNA COORDINATOR SALMAN SHARIF

ABDELKATAM SAKHO AMR MOHAMED AMR ELKAWI ALAA BAKHAR AMRAB ELGHASBY EKAB EDEAN

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WFNS EDUCATIONAL DAY 20 DECEMBER 2024 GRAND NILE TOWER HOTEL

MICROSCOPIC SKULL BASE SURGERY HANDS ON (CADAVERIC)

FACULTY

TYPE CHERIAN SANJEEVA JEVARETHA HESHAM BASSIOUNI AMR MOHAMMED COORDINATOR AHMED HOSSAM COORDINATOR AHMED MAMOUN

AMR SAFWAT KHALED ELBAHY MOHAMMED ELSHAZLY ESSAM GABR

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WFNS PERIPHERAL NERVE COMMITTEE



Over the last two months, our committee has continued its work with participation in conferences and educational courses and webinars. Our tireless and enthusiastic Dr Hesham Eldesobky organized another course on peripheral nerve surgery in Egypt, Dr Debora Garozzo ran a course on brachial plexus surgery in Bandung, Indonesia during World Spine 10. They both had the pleasure to catch up in person during the 14th ACNS conference organized in Cairo by Professor Nasser El Gandour. Another significant event was also Dr Debora Garozzo's presence in the CAANS conference in Kinshasa, trying to promote the development of our subspecialty in Africa.

Dr Mohammedreza Emamhadi has given his precious lecture on nerve transfers in a conference in Thailand at the end of November.

Our collaboration with the other WFNS has also continued with two webinars in collaboration with the WFNS neuroanatomy committee and one webinar with the WFNS Education and Training committee and the WFNS Functional Neurosurgery Committee.

We are now looking forward to the WFNS educational course that will take place in Karachi from 23rd to 26th January 2025!

WORLD SPINE 10 2024

PERIPHERAL NERVE
Brachial Plexus Reconstructive Surgery

COURSE DIRECTOR
Savitri Estahita (Indonesia)

INSTRUCTORS
Ferry Sengul (Indonesia), Debora Garza (Chile), Sandra Kralova (Czechia), Fik Yuzman (Indonesia)

Workshop 2
Hands on Cadaveric

DECEMBER 10, 2024
WET LAB PADJAJARAN UNIVERSITY
JATINANGOR - WEST JAVA
INDONESIA

Room 2 : 08.00 - 18.00

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WFNS NEUROANATOMY & PERIPHERAL NERVE COMMITTEE

WFNS RHOTON ANATOMY DAY PERIPHERAL NERVE

SPEAKER
Dr. Fernando Martinez Benia
Assistant and Neurosurgeon,
Universidad de la Republica
Montevideo, Uruguay

MODERATOR
Dr. Carlos A. Rodriguez Aceves
Neurosurgeon, Peripheral Nerve Surgery
Peripheral Nerve Clinical Coordinator,
ABC Neurological Center, Mexico

"Anatomy of the Sciatic Nerve and Its Surgical Approach"

LIVE: Friday, 6th December 2024
11:00 AM (GMT)
04:00 PM (PAK +5)

ZOOM MEETING ID
969 1953 3834

WFNS SKULL BASE COMMITTEE

Endoscopic Skull Base Surgery Cadaveric Course AIIMS, Jodhpur

13-14th January 2025



The WFNS Skull Base Surgery Committee organized a highly successful **Endoscopic Skull Base Surgery Cadaveric Course** at the prestigious All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), Jodhpur, from **January 13-14, 2025**.

The event was graced by the esteemed presence of **Prof. Daniel Prevedello**, Chairman of the WFNS Skull Base Surgery Committee, and **Doo-Sik Kong**, Co-Chair of the Committee. Their expert guidance and insightful sessions provided a valuable learning experience for the attendees.

This hands-on cadaveric course offered participants the opportunity to refine their skills in advanced endoscopic techniques, enhancing their expertise in skull base surgery. The event witnessed an enthusiastic response from participants, reaffirming the commitment of WFNS to promoting surgical excellence and education globally.

The organizers and participants expressed their gratitude for the collaboration and look forward to more such impactful initiatives by the WFNS Skull Base Surgery Committee.

**WFNS CEREBROVASCULAR COMMITTEE
UPCOMING WEBINAR**



**WFNS
Cerebrovascular Surgery
Committee**

**Monthly Webinar Series:
“AVM Surgery: Tips and Tricks”
Saturday January 25th at 7AM EST (12 PM GMT)**

Speakers:



**Giuseppe Lanzino
(USA)**



**Michel Bojanowski
(Canada)**

Meeting ID 927 3388 1777



WORLD FEDERATION OF NEUROSURGICAL SOCIETIES

NEUROENDOSCOPY COMMITTEE Webinar Series

December 14th 2024

“Avant Garde of
Endoscopic Transorbital
Surgery”



Prof. Doo-Sik Kong, MD, PhD
Samsung Medical Center
Sungkyunkwan University
South Korea

“Features of
Craniopharyngioma
Recurrence”



Prof. Yong Hwy Kim, MD, PhD
Seoul National University
College of Medicine
South Korea



[Click HERE to register](#)

05:00 San Francisco 14:00 Vienna
08:00 Ottawa 18:30 New Delhi
10:00 Brasilia 22:00 Seoul
14:00 Lagos 00:00* Canberra
*December 15th

WFNS EDUCATIONAL COURSE KARACHI 2025

23-26th January

Convention Center, Liaquat National Hospital & Medical College, Karachi



HANDS ON SPINE/ DEFORMITY WORKSHOP

PERIPHERAL NERVE SURGERY WORKSHOP

MICROANASTOMOSES WORKSHOP

Workshop Director:
► Francesco Coatta (Italy)
► Mehmet Zeki (Turkey)

Workshop Director:
► Debora Dantas (USA)
► Aliq Ahmad Khan (Pakistan)

Workshop Director:
► Bin Yu (China)
► Mehmet Sabri Ozbuc (Turkey)

Course Director ► **Salman Sharif (PAK)**

For Registration, Contact: Dr Mehak Hafiz 0333-3039904/ Mr Imad Ullah 0346-366305

Last Date of Registration: **31st December, 2024**



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23-26th January

Convention Center, Liaquat National Hospital & Medical College, Karachi

Course Directors



Workshop Directors \ Coordinators



Faculty



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