

BOLOGNA ENDOUROLOGY MASTERCLASS (BEM)

FOCUS ON PCNL AND BPH - 2nd Edition

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Bologna, Royal Hotel Carlton

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PROGRAMMA PRELIMINARE

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1

09.00-09.15

WELCOMING ADDRESS AND INTRODUCTION TO THE MASTERCLASS

Roberta De Stefano (Bologna), Santo Lupo (Bologna)

09.15-09.30

TBD

Carlo Introini (Galliera) Presidente AURO

ENDOUROLOGY SESSION

Moderators: Maurizio Simone (Ferrara), Marco Garofalo (Imola), Boris Di Pasquale (L'Aquila)

9.30-9.45

THE ROLE OF SUCTION DEVICES IN ENHANCING OUTCOMES IN ENDOUROLOGY PROCEDURES

Stefania Ferretti (Baggiovarena)

9.45-10.00

MINIATURIZATION OF FLEXIBLE URETEROSCOPES AND PRESSURE CONTROLLING DURING RIRS

Marco Giampaoli (Rozzano)

10.00-12.50

PCNL LIVE SURGERY

Moderators from the Operating rooms: Francesco Andrei (Bologna), Umberto Salomone (Bologna)

Operators: Ioannis Goumas (Vigevano), S. Lupo (Bologna), V. Beatrici (Pesaro)

- PCNL with 3D fusion ultrasound access
- Mini-ECIRS

12.50-13.00

X SCATTERING IN THE OPERATING ROOM: SIMULATION AND PROTECTION - *sponsored presentation*

Matteo Cevenini (Bologna)

13.00-14.00 Lunch

BPH SESSION

Moderator: Riccardo Schiavina (Bologna)

14.00-19.00

BPH LIVE SURGERY

Moderators from the Operating rooms: Matteo Cevenini (Bologna), Manola Marini (Bologna)

Operators: Davide Perri (Como), Federico Mineo Bianchi (Bologna)

- Waterjet ablation
- Thulep ibrido
- Holep

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2

08.30-09.00

WELCOMING ADDRESS AND INTRODUCTION

Roberta De Stefano (Bologna), Santo Lupo (Bologna)

Moderator: Daniel Martens (Fidenza)

9.00-9.15

SHOULD MIST BE AS THE FIRST LINE THERAPY FOR BPH?

S. Lupo (Bologna)

9.15-9.30

WATER VAPOR THERMAL THERAPY: SEMI-LIVE SURGERY AND RESULTS

TBD

9.30-9.45

PROSTATIC URETHRAL LIFT: SEMI-LIVE SURGERY AND RESULTS

Giuseppe Mirabella (Brescia)

9.45-10.00

TEMPORARY IMPLANTABLE NITINOL DEVICES: SEMI-LIVE SURGERY AND RESULTS

David Piccolotti (Monselice)

10.00-10.15

TRANSPERINEAL LASER ABLATION OF THE PROSTATE: SEMI-LIVE SURGERY AND RESULTS

Francesco Sessa (Firenze)

10.15-10.30

PROSTATIC ARTERY EMBOLISATION: SEMI-LIVE SURGERY AND RESULTS

Antonio Vizzuso (Forli)

10.30-10.45

IS AQUABLATION THE FUTURE TREATMENT FOR BPH?

Davide Perri (Como)

10.45-11.00

MEDICAL THERAPY FOR BPH

Enrico Molinaroli (Bologna)

11.00-11.15

THE ROLE OF ROBOTIC SIMPLE PROSTATECTOMY IN THE TREATMENT OF LARGE BPH

Umberto Barbaresi (Bologna)

11.15-11.30

ROBOTIC STONE SURGERY: CURRENT STATUS AND FUTURE PERSPECTIVES

Roberta De Stefano (Bologna)

11.30-13.00

WRAP OF THE MASTERCLASS AND FINAL REMARKS