



Course program

AOTrauma Masters Seminar— Proximal Femur

April 26–27, 2013 Barcelona, Spain



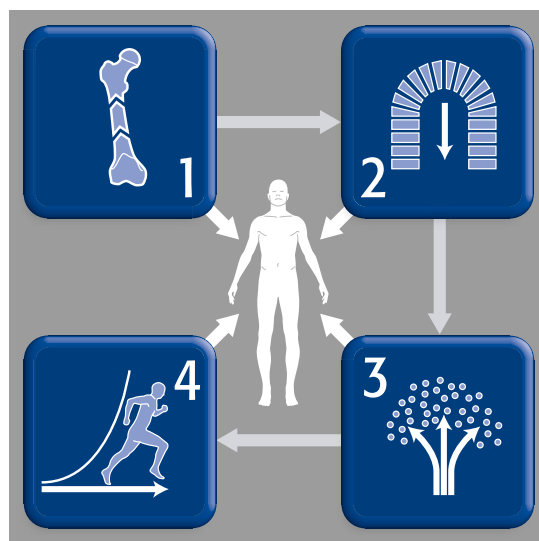
Value statement

AOTrauma is committed to improve patient care outcomes through the highest quality education. We strive to combine the right knowledge and surgical skills that empower the orthopaedic and trauma surgeons to put theory into practice and to improve fracture management for the benefit of the patient.

The AO principles of fracture management

Fracture reduction and fixation to restore anatomical relationships.

Early and safe mobilization and rehabilitation of the injured part and the patient as a whole.



Fracture fixation providing absolute or relative stability, as required by the “personality” of the fracture, the patient, and the injury.

Preservation of the blood supply to soft tissues and bone by gentle reduction techniques and careful handling.

The first AO Course was held in Davos in 1960—these early courses pioneered psychomotor techniques by teaching practical skills of AO Techniques. Since those early days over 250,000 surgeons and 135,000 ORP staff from over 110 countries have attended AO Courses—we now launch AOTrauma to move our education to the next level.

Dear AOTrauma course participant,

We have the honor to welcome you to the AOTrauma Europe Regional Masters Seminar—Proximal Femur run by the AOTrauma Specialty! We hope you will enjoy your course and the entire experience.

What is AOTrauma? We are the “clinical division”—a community for Trauma and Orthopaedics within the AO Foundation. As an AO Specialty we aim to integrate and align applied and clinical research, education, and community development functions into one direction—AOTrauma for the benefit of our members, stakeholders, and patients.

How AOTrauma benefits you? By working as a single team we will focus and better leverage our resources, expertise, and skills to create and deliver new and greater value to our members.

What does this mean in education? AOTrauma is committed to providing you the best possible educational experience by continuously embracing and introducing new educational techniques to help you learn and more effectively implement your knowledge for the benefit of your patients.

Why join AOTrauma? Joining AOTrauma means you are part of the “Trauma & Orthopaedic” community within the AO. AOTrauma will help you develop lifelong friendships and relationships; we will help you access our “knowledge network” and get involved in new opportunities that advance trauma care.

Yours sincerely,



Kōdī Kojima
Chairperson AOTrauma
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Goal of the course

This seminar is aimed at the experienced surgeon who is willing to share and express his/her experiences with other participants and specialists in the field. Past experience in the field of musculoskeletal trauma is mandatory. This seminar includes open group discussions that are led by experts in the field providing an overview of current subject knowledge. Personal preferences will be expressed and treatment methods for particular problems presented and discussed.

Course description

AOTrauma Masters Seminars teach current concepts and techniques at the highest level for experienced learners in orthopedic trauma. The latest techniques in operative fracture management dealing with the toughest orthopedic trauma problems are presented. Best evidence is presented with cases including content dedicated to open discussions. The open group discussions are led by experts in the field providing an overview of current subject knowledge. Personal preferences will be expressed and treatment methods for particular problems presented and discussed.

All participants are invited to bring cases, open or closed, for the audience discussion sessions.

Target participants

Participants should have completed the AOTrauma Courses—Principles in Operative Fracture Management and Advances in Operative Fracture Management. Past experience in the field of musculoskeletal trauma is mandatory. Participants taking this seminar will have many years of personal experience in orthopedic trauma surgery. They should be specialists in orthopedics and traumatology with experience in treating these types of fractures and discussing various treatment solutions.

In order to make the course a valuable learning experience, English knowledge is a prerequisite.

Course objectives

Upon completion of this course, participants will be better able to:

- Explain and direct management of fractures of the proximal femur based on patient age, fracture location and type
- Treat proximal femur fractures using the latest principles and techniques in internal fixation and arthroplasty
- Prevent, identify, and treat complications associated with fractures of the proximal femur
- Recognize and adapt treatment according to differences between fractures in elderly patients and younger adults
- Initiate and comanage patient care with those involved in the healthcare team

Chairpersons



Eduard Norberto Bayona
Barcelona, Spain



Matej Cimerman
Ljubljana, Slovenia

Faculty

Berlusconi	Marco	Milan	Italy
Caba Doussoux	Pedro	Madrid	Spain
Kastelec	Matej	Ljubljana	Slovenia
Keel	Marius	Bern	Switzerland
McFadyen	Iain	Brighton	United Kingdom
Schaser	Klaus-Dieter	Berlin	Germany
Velkes	Steven	Petah Tikva	Israel

Friday, April 26, 2013

TIME	AGENDA ITEM	WHO
13:00–14:00	Registration and lunch	
14:00–14:15	Welcome	E Norberto/M Cimerman
14:15–14:45	Applied surgical anatomy	M Keel
Module 1	31-A fractures	E Norberto
14:45–15:00	Stable and unstable fractures	M Berlusconi
15:00–15:30	Case discussion 1	M Berlusconi
15:30–15:45	What is the best implant?	M Keel
15:45–16:30	COFFEE BREAK	
Module 2	31-B fractures	M Keel
16:30–16:45	Treatment dilemmas	M Cimerman
16:45–17:45	Case discussion 2	M Cimerman
17:45–18:00	Final remarks	E Norberto/M Cimerman
18:00	End of day 1	
19:00	COURSE DINNER	

Saturday, April 27, 2013

TIME	AGENDA ITEM	WHO
Module 3	Subtrochanteric fractures	S Velkes
09:00–09:15	Nailing	I McFadyen
09:15–09:45	Case discussion 3	I McFadyen
09:45–10:00	Plating	E Norberto
10:00–10:30	Case discussion 4	E Norberto
10:30–11:00	COFFEE BREAK	
11:00–11:15	Why can the treatment fail?	M Cimerman
11:15–11:45	Case discussion 5—roundtable discussion	I McFadyen/E Norberto
Module 4	31-C fractures	I McFadyen
11:45–12:00	Pipkin fractures—description and treatment	KD Schaser
12:00–13:00	Case discussion 6—audience discussion session	I McFadyen
13:00–14:00	LUNCH BREAK	
Module 5	Special cases	M Cimerman
14:00–14:15	Combined fractures	P Caba Doussoux
14:15–14:30	Periprosthetic fractures	S Velkes
14:30–14:45	Proximal femoral fractures in children	M Kastelec
14:45–15:45	Case discussion 7	P Caba Doussoux/ M Kastelec/S Velkes
15:45–16:00	COFFEE BREAK	
16:00–16:15	Pseudoarthrosis	KD Schaser
16:15–16:30	Infection	S Velkes
16:30–17:45	Case discussion 8—audience discussion session	S Velkes
17:45–18:00	Closing remarks, distribution of certificates	E Norberto/M Cimerman
18:00	End of seminar	

Course organization

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Course information

Course fee

AOTrauma Masters Seminar–Proximal Femur: EUR 400.00. Included in course fee are conference bag with documentation, coffee breaks, course dinner and course certificate.

Accompanying persons

A fee of EUR 100.00 will be charged, which includes coffee breaks, lunches, and the course dinner, without access to lecture and workshop rooms.

Registration

www.aotrauma.org/coursedirectory.aspx

Accreditation

AOTrauma Courses are accredited for continuing medical education (CME) programs. The number of credit points or hours varies from country to country. The final information and number of credit points will be distributed with the course certificate.

Evaluation guidelines

All AOTrauma courses apply the same evaluation process, either Audience Response System (ARS) or paper and pencil questionnaires. This will help AOTrauma to ensure that we continue to meet your training needs. In some regions, CME accreditation is dependent on the participant's evaluation results.

Security

Security check at the entrance of the building. Wearing of a name tag is compulsory during lectures, workshops, and group discussions.

Intellectual property

Course materials, presentations, and case studies are the intellectual property of the course faculty. All rights are reserved. Check hazards and legal restrictions on www.aotrauma.org/legal.

Course logistics

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Recording, photographing, or copying of lectures, practical exercises, case discussions, or any course materials is absolutely forbidden.



The AO Foundation reserves the right to film, photograph, and audio record during their events. Participants must understand that in this context they may appear in these recorded materials. The AO Foundation assumes participants agree that these recorded materials may be used for AO marketing and other purposes, and made available to the public.

No insurance

The course organization does not take out insurance to cover any individual against accidents, thefts or other risks.

Mobile phone use

Mobile phone use is not allowed in the lecture halls and in other rooms during educational activities. Please be considerate of others by turning off your mobile phone.

Dress code

Casual

Course language

English

Hotel accommodation for participants

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for participants

Double room for single use: € 120.00/night

Double room: € 130.00/night

Breakfast included

Above rates are quoted per room per night and include 10% VAT.

Tourism taxes of €1.21 are not included. A quota of rooms have been blocked until 25 March 2013. After this date, room reservation and room rate depend upon availability.

For reservation please use the hotel reservation form (download www.aotrauma.org) and email or fax it directly to b.manso@barcelo.com/Fax.: +34 93 531 60 90.

Upcoming courses

DATE	EVENT	PLACE
12–14 May, 2013	AOTrauma Europe Masters Workshop with Anatomical Specimens – Shoulder	Lucerne, Switzerland
27–28 May, 2013	AOTrauma Europe Masters Seminar – Fragility Fractures and Orthogeriatrics	Stockholm, Sweden
04–05 July, 2013	AOTrauma Europe Masters Seminar – Bone Reconstruction	Milan, Italy
2–3 September, 2013	AOTrauma Europe Masters Workshop with Anatomical Specimens – Foot and Ankle	Innsbruck, Austria
4–5 September, 2013	AOTrauma Europe Masters Workshop with Anatomical Specimens – Knee Fractures	Innsbruck, Austria
17–19 September, 2013	AOTrauma Europe Masters Workshop with Anatomical Specimens – Pelvic and Acetabular Fractures	London, UK
7–8 November, 2013	AOTrauma Europe Masters Seminar – Pediatric Fracture Management	Birmingham, UK
17–18 January, 2014	AOTrauma Europe Masters Seminar – Osteotomies around the Knee	Lyon, France

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