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**SYMPOSIUM ON MINIMALLY
INVASIVE GYNECOLOGIC
SURGERY WITH BASIC AND
ADVANCED PG COURSE**
with international participation



Mostar, 27 - 29 June 2024.
Hotel MEPAS

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BASIC AND ADVANCED COURSE ON GYNECOLOGIC
ENDOSCOPIC SURGERY
27-29 June 2024.



MAIN PROGRAM

- Live Video Transmission
- Planned operations
- Laparoscopic Myomectomy
- Laparoscopic Hysterectomy
- Hysteroscopic Myomectomy
- Resection of Deep Infiltrating Endometriosis
- Surgeons: dr. Alagić and dr. Pašić

Course Director
Rešad Paya Pašić /USA/

Scientific Program Chairs

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Dear colleagues and friends,

This course is designed for gynecologists who desire to advance their laparoscopic and hysteroscopic skills. This extensive two-day course will expose the participants to the knowledge and expertise of experienced laparoscopic surgeons, who will guide them through didactics and hands-on laparoscopic suturing.

Each participant will have the opportunity to optimize their learning experience and laparoscopic suturing technique. The course will focus on demonstration of retroperitoneal anatomy, electrosurgery and common laparoscopic procedures such as adnexal surgery and laparoscopic hysterectomy. We will also focus on diagnostic and operative hysteroscopy.

Course Objectives

At the conclusion of this activity, the participant will be able to:

- 1) Appraise skills learned to relevant pelvic anatomy, laparoscopic suturing and apply them to surgery including laparoscopic adnexal surgery and hysterectomy;
- 2) explain the ergonomics, theory, and rationale for reproducible laparoscopic suturing;
- 3) identify risk factors for laparoscopic complications and manage treatment of such.
- 4) we will also hold a special session for the Operating room personal and scrub nurses. The operating room personnel and scrub nurses are the integral part of the team and they make our surgical procedures safer and smoother.

Rešad Paya Pašić

Only the mother is the one who gives divine significance to a woman! *

TARCHETTI

Dear colleagues and friends,

It is our great pleasure to invite you to participate at the „SYMPOSIUM ON MINIMALLY INVASIVE GYNECOLOGIC SURGERY WITH BASIC AND ADVANCED PG COURSE” that is taking place in Mostar Bosnia and Herzegovina on June 27-29. This course is organized in partnership with the **Association of Gynecologists in Bosnia and Herzegovina** and **Association for Gynecological Endoscopy of Bosnia and Herzegovina**

Join us in Mostar and get to know our faculty who are established laparoscopic surgeons from our region and join us in discussions; where we are and where we are going in the field of Minimally Invasive Gynecologic Surgery? *No less important than the symposium program itself is the opportunity to renew old friendships and make new ones, to share experiences and to get new ideas and practical advice in an inspiring atmosphere.*

We expect that in the beautiful surroundings of the Old Town on the beautiful Neretva and other interesting places in Mostar and the surrounding area, you will see for yourself the hospitality of the people of Mostar, spend wonderful moments and expand professional and personal contacts, and contribute to the success of the symposium with your personal participation.

Bathed in the sunlight, like an old giant made of ancient stone, with its narrow cobbled streets, small squares and historic architecture, and the modern city's lively shopping streets, Mostar is sure to inspire you.

We look forward to welcoming you!

On behalf of the Organizing Committee,



Prof. dr. sci. Rešad Paya Pašić dr med



Prof. dr. sci. Edin Alagić dr med.



Prim. mr. sci. Senad Sarić dr med



Prim. mr. sci. Alma Vila Humačkić dr med.

Mostar

Mostar is the cultural, political and financial centre of the Herzegovina region. Your first encounter with the city will make you feel the diversity that makes it stand out. Its charm lies in the fact that its streets are woven with the spirit of different civilisations that lived here. This spirit is felt among the young, hospitable people and in the city's architecture. Mostar, as the city with two universities, has always been the city of bridges and the city of young people.

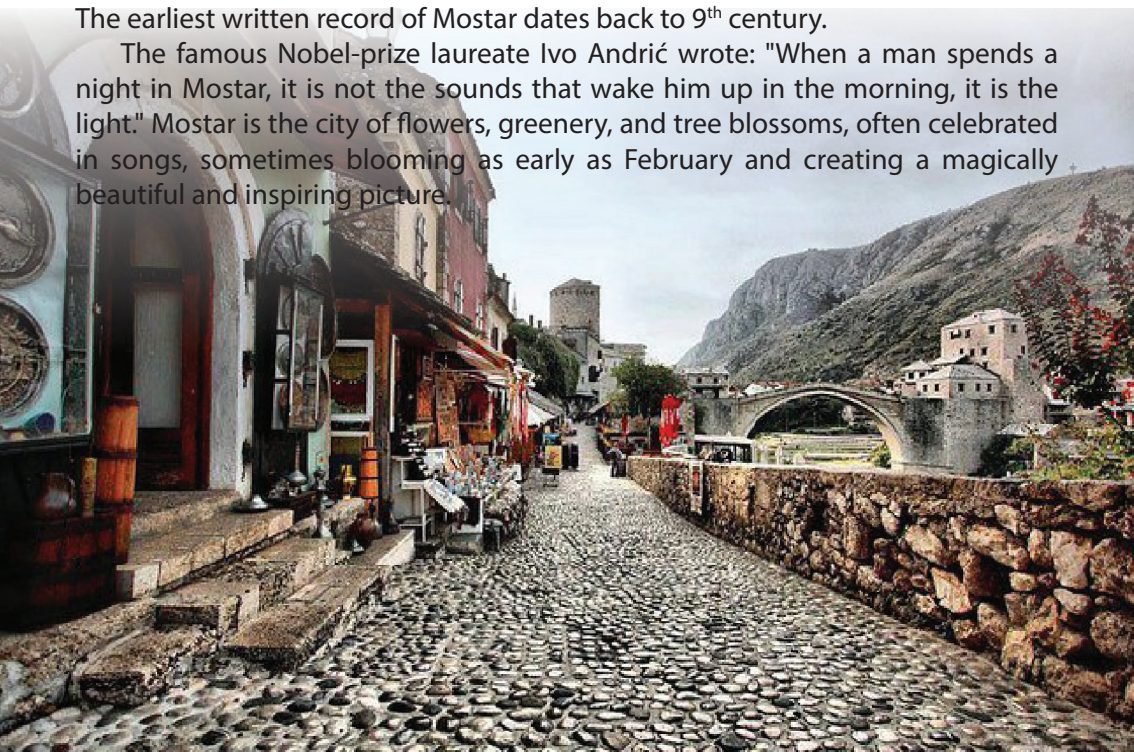
Unique cultural and historic heritage sites are located in and around the city, including the Old Town and the symbol of the city, the Old Bridge, which connects the two banks of the jewel of Herzegovina - the Neretva River.

The Old Town is known for its narrow streets teeming with life. It has a number of establishments and craft shops offering traditional products, while the Old Bridge is its crown jewel.

Symbol of the city of Mostar, the Old Bridge, that beautiful and elegant connection between the banks of the Neretva River, was built in 1566, and was inscribed on the UNESCO World Heritage List in 2005. As you set your foot on the Old Bridge, you get to enjoy the unforgettable view of the Neretva River and the old buildings surrounding you. In Mostar, there are also many cultural-historical and religious buildings such as the Crooked Bridge, Karađozbeg Mosque, Turbe, Hammam, city bathhouse, old Orthodox church, synagogue, etc.

Historic artefacts confirm continuous habitation in the area since antiquity. The earliest written record of Mostar dates back to 9th century.

The famous Nobel-prize laureate Ivo Andrić wrote: "When a man spends a night in Mostar, it is not the sounds that wake him up in the morning, it is the light." Mostar is the city of flowers, greenery, and tree blossoms, often celebrated in songs, sometimes blooming as early as February and creating a magically beautiful and inspiring picture.



Organizing committee:

Rešad Paya Pašić /USA/ - president

Edin Alagić /Nor/

Senad Sarić /BH/

Alma Vila Humačkić /BH/

LECTURERS:

Alagić Edin (Nor)

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Džanić, Dževad (BH)

Espen Berner (Nor)

Golić Mustafa (BH)

Kopjar Miroslav (Cro)

Langebrekke Anton (Nor)

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Omerović Mirza (BH)

Pašić Rešad Paya (USA)

Pempelfort Sara Dunja (A)

Reljić Milan (Slo)

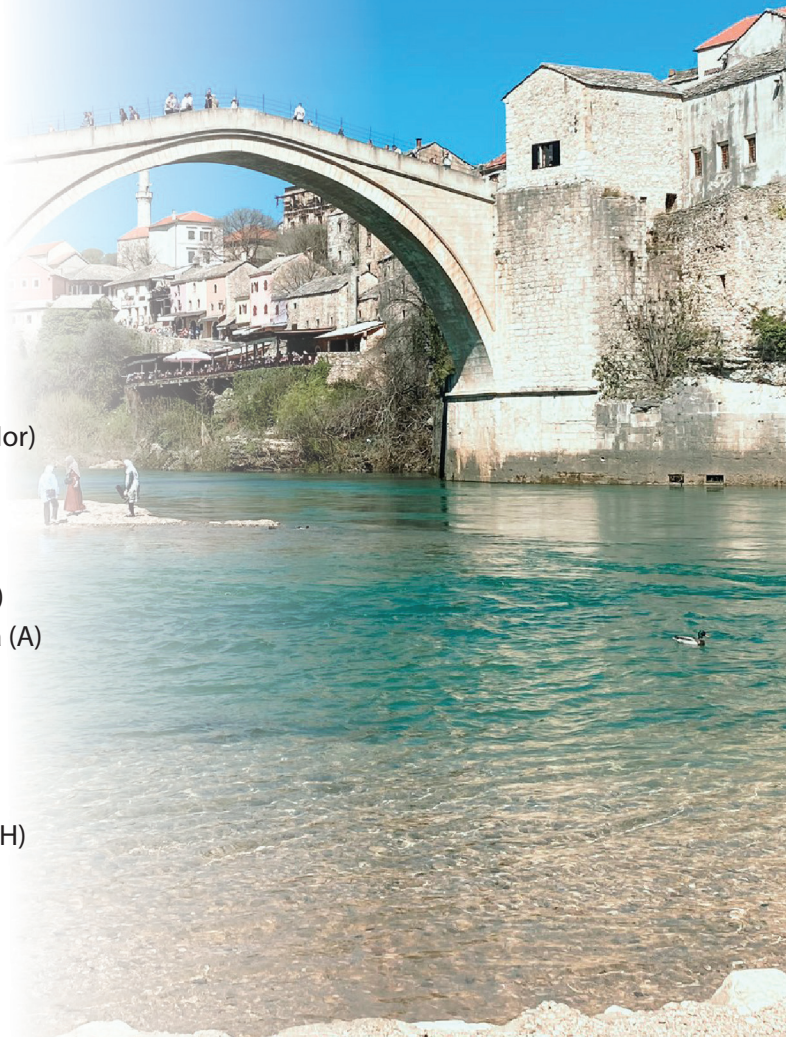
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PRECONGRES COURSE: BASIC AND ADVANCED PG COURSE IN MINIMALLY INVASIVE GYNECOLOGICAL SURGERY

Day 1. Thursday June 27. 2024 PG COURSE ON LAPAROSCOPY

| Time: | Topic | Lecturer |
|----------------------|--|--|
| 8:00 - 8:30 | REGISTRATION | |
| 8:30 – 8:40 | Opening Session: Introduction | Senad Sarić/Rešad Pašić |
| 8:40 – 9:00 | Laparoscopic Instruments, Operating Room & Patient Positioning | Alma Vila Humačkić (BH) |
| 9:00 – 9:30 | Techniques of Establishment of Pneumoperitoneum | Senad Sarić (BH) |
| 9:30 – 9:50 | Energy Modalities in Laparoscopic Surgery | Rešad Pašić (USA) |
| 9:50 – 10:20 | Laparoscopic Pelvic Anatomy. | Rešad Pašić (USA) |
| 10:20 – 10:30 | Questions & Discussion | |
| 10:30 – 10:45 | Coffee Break | |
| 10:45 – 11:15 | Laparoscopic Suturing | Langebrekke (Nor) |
| 11:15 – 11:35 | Laparoscopic Treatment of Ectopic Pregnancy | Edin Alagić (Nor) |
| 11:35 – 12:00 | Total Laparoscopic Hysterectomy | Sara Dunja Pempelfort (A) |
| 12:00 – 12:30 | Laparoscopic Myomectomy | Espen Barner (Nor) |
| 12:30 – 12:45 | Questions & Discussion | |
| 12:45 – 13:30 | Lunch | |
| 13:30 – 14:00 | Diagnostic Hysteroscopy. Fluid Management | Senad Sarić (BH) |
| 14:00 – 14:30 | Operative Hysteroscopy; Polypectomy, Myomectomy, Septum Removal | Azra Sadikovic (USA) |
| 14:30 – 15:00 | Laparoscopic Treatment of Endometriosis | Edin Alagić (Nor) |
| 15:00 – 15:30 | TLH – Difficult Hysterectomy; Big Uterus, Obese Patients, Patients with Previous Surgeries | Rešad Pašić (USA) |
| 15:30 – 18:00 | Group 1. Hands-on Session on Pelvic Trainers | Group 2. Surgical videos Group 3. Operating room personnel and scrub nurses |

20:00 Opening ceremony

Cultural Center, Old Town Mostar:

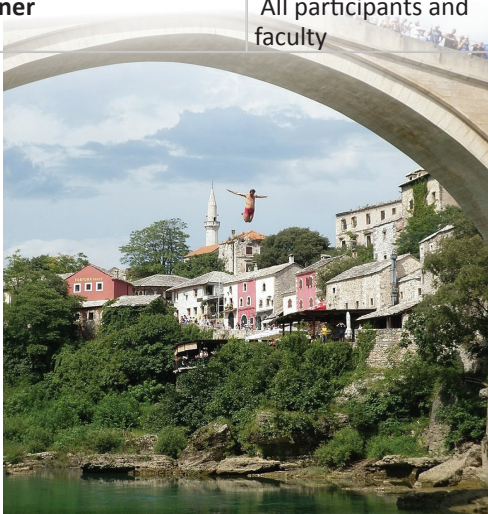
Cocktail

Cultural program

Ceremonial jumps from the Old Bridge

Day 2. Friday June 28. 2024 Hysteroscopy PG Course & Live Surgery

| Time | Topic | Lecturer |
|---------------|---|---|
| 8:30 – 10:30 | Live surgery TLH | Alagić/Pašić |
| 10:30 – 11:0 | Laparoscopic Treatment of Adnexal Masses | Sara Dunja Pempelfort (A) |
| 11 – 12:30 | Live Surgery Hysteroscopy | Alagić/Pašić |
| 12:30 – 13:30 | LUNCH | |
| 13:30 – 14:00 | Laparoscopic Treatment of Pelvic Floor Disorders | Juraj Letko USA |
| 14:00 – 16:30 | Group 1. Hands-on Session on Pelvic Trainers | Group 2. Surgical videos |
| 16:30 – 17:00 | Coffee Break Opening of the MIGS Symposium | |
| 17:00 – 17:40 | Evaluation of female genital organs before medical assisted fertilization <ul style="list-style-type: none">Place of laparoscopy before ART. (S.Sarić)Hysteroscopic inspection of the uterus before ART- yes or no? (D. Balić)Resection of the intrauterine septum before ART (M.Reljić).Hysteroscopic lesion of the endometrium before embriotransfer.(M.Milić) | Panelisti: S. Sarić, M.Reljić, D. Balić M. Milić, E. Alagić |
| 17:40 – 18:10 | Robotic Surgery in Gynecology | Dr. Azra Sadikovic (USA) |
| 20.00 | Gala dinner | All participants and faculty |



Day 3. Saturday June 29. 2024

| Time | Topic | Lecturer |
|---------------|--|---|
| 8:30 – 8:50 | Office Hysteroscopy | Delveta Balić (BH) |
| 8:50 – 9:10 | Hysteroscopic treatment of cervical ectopic pregnancy | Rastko Maglić (Ser) |
| 9:10 – 9:30 | Endoscopic Repair of Cesarean Scar Isthmocele. | Milan Reljić (Slo) |
| 9:30 – 9:50 | Advancements in Hysteroscopic Myomectomy: A case presentation and Bolnica Jelena's statistical overview from 2018 to 2023 | Milovan Milić (BH) |
| 9:50 – 10:10 | 30 Years of TLH | Miroslav Kopjar (Cro) |
| 10:10 – 10:20 | Questions & Discussion | |
| 10:20 – 10:45 | Coffee Break | |
| 10:45 – 11:15 | Laparoscopic Surgery in GYN Oncology | Omer Devaja (England) |
| 11:15 - 12:00 | Mistakes and Complications in MIGS – How to Recognize “Disaster” and How do Deal with it | Rešad Pašić (USA) |
| 12:00 – 12:50 | Lunch | |
| 12:50 – 13:05 | Anesthesia for laparoscopic surgery | Mustafa Golić (BH) |
| 13:05 – 13:20 | Optimal prepare of patients with high cardiovascular risk for laparoscopic procedures | Grit Kirsten Sarć (BH) |
| 13:20 – 13:40 | Minimally Invasive Gynecologic Surgery; potentials and limitations | Milan Dokić (Ser) |
| 13:40 – 14:00 | Review of rare types of ectopic pregnancies on USK | Dževad Džanić (BH) |
| 14:00 – 14:20 | Hysteroscopy and Endometrial Cancer | Rajko Fureš (Cro) |
| 14:20 – 15:25 | Robotic assisted urogynecology and robotically assisted ureter surgery Laparoscopic colposuspension according to Burch in stress urinary incontinence Minimally Invasive Surgical Treatment of Pelvic Organ Prolapse | Panelisti: Vahudin Zugor (Ger) Mirza Omerović (BH) Juraj Letko (USA) |
| 15:15 | Final Discussion Panel and Closing | All Faculty |

BASIC INFORMATION

TECHNICAL ORGANIZATION:

Clinic "IVF Centar Arbor vitae dr. Sarić" Mostar

RMC Hospital „ Dr Safet Mujić “ departament of gynecology Mostar

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VENUE: HOTEL MEPAS, Kneza Višeslava, Mostar

SOCIAL EVENTS: Opening ceremony – CENTAR ZA KLUTURU, Rade Bitange 13, Mostar

DATE: June 27 - 29, 2024

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE: B/H/S/C /Eng

The Official language: Bosnian, Croatian, Serbian, Montenegrin or English depending on the presenters.

OFFICIAL SYMPOSIUM WEBSITE: <http://www.reproduktivna-medicina.com/>

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REGISTRATION FEES:

fee for doctors

Course Only 490 BAM/250 Euro

Symposium 295 BAM/150 Euro

Course + symposium 590 BAM/300 Euro

OR personal and nurses fee

Course Only 195 BAM/100 Euro

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