

Advanced reconstructive surgery: Surgical oncology applied to skin and subcutaneous tumors

June 30th: Lectures and discussions

08:30-09:00 Course Introduction

Morning session: Tumour biology relevant to the oncologic surgeon

09:00-10:30 Mast cell tumours: deal with them like a specialist

10:30-11:00 Break

11:00-12:30 Soft tissue sarcomas: current knowledge and recommendations

12:30-13:00 Discussion

13:00-14:00 Lunch break

Afternoon session: Beyond simple reconstruction techniques

14:00-15:00 Subdermal flaps: make the most of them, think outside the box!

15:00-16:00 Axial pattern flaps: beyond the caudal superficial epigastric.

16:00-16:30 Break

16:30-18:00 Clinical cases, interactive session
(participants are welcome to bring their own cases to be discussed as a group)

19:00: Social Dinner

July 1st: Wet-labs

Wet labs will consist of practicing reconstruction techniques discussed the previous day and simulating clinical situations. Emphasis will be placed on transferring practical skills, including problem-solving and the ability to design flaps wherever they are available.

July 2nd: Lectures and wet-labs

Tumour biology relevant to the oncologic surgeon

08:30-10:00 Other skin tumours: squamous cell carcinoma, melanoma and more

Beyond the usual reconstruction techniques

10:00-10:30 Skin grafting: optimising uses and outcomes

10:30-11:00 Break

Beyond the usual reconstruction techniques

11:00-12:00: Overcoming the challenges of facial reconstruction: nose, lips, eyelids

12:00-13:00: Discussion

13:00-14:00 Lunch break

Wet labs on advanced reconstruction

14:00- 18:00: Wet lab

18:00-...: Debriefing and farewell

The course program is subject to last minute slight changes

