7th WSES Congress
World Society of Emergency Surgery
Milan (Italy)
November 16-19, 2020
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**Pre-Congress Courses**

8.00-11.00
**FIAT Course: SW Scientific Writing Course** (in collaboration with WJES)
- Getting started: generating research questions, ethics of medical writing, statistics
- Focus on Metanalysis
- Focus on Multicenter Trials
- Focus on RCT
- Focus on Retrospective studies
- What does the editor expect?
- Focus on Referees and Reviewers
- Tricks and Tips
- Choosing the right journal
- Writing your first paper
- Discussion

11.00-13.00
**FIAT Course: ICE course Intensive Care for Emergency Surgeons (part 1)**
- Airways management
- Respiratory failure: invasive and non-invasive mechanical ventilation
- Circulatory failure: monitoring and management (vasopressors)
- Damage control resuscitation
- Hemostatic resuscitation
- Brain and spinal cord trauma
- Discussion

13.00-14.00 Lunch session

14.00-16.00
**FIAT Course: ICE course Intensive Care for Emergency Surgeons (part 2)**
- Kidney failure: overview and focus on rhabdomyolysis
- Fluid therapy in adults
- Management of bombing injuries
- Infections in ICU
- How to set a ventilator
- ICU: acute care surgeon - anesthesiologist relationship
- Discussion

16.00-19.00
**REBOA Course**
- Physiopathology
- Indications
- Techniques
- Criticalities
- Future applications
- Discussion
- Hands on

14.00-19.00
**ESN Emergency Surgery Nurses Course** (Italian Language)
- Resuscitation
- REBOA
- Resuscitative thoracotomy
- Antibiotic therapy
- Risk Management in OR
- High Dependency management
- DVT prevention
- Emergency laparoscopy
- Open abdomen
- Discussion
November 17, 2020
Congress Plenary Sessions

**Morning**
8.00-9.00  
**Vascular Trauma Consensus**

9.00-10.00  
**Mass civilian casualties emergencies**
- Preparedness to MCI
- Athens course

10.00-11.00  
**Fluid therapy in critical patients**
- Pathophysiology of fluids in trauma patient. Just a matter of loss?
- Pathophysiology of fluids in septic patient
- Thanks God, I've an A-line in... Something else?
- The brain and the bucket

11.00-12.00  
**Thoracic trauma consensus**

12.00-13.00  
**Emergency medicine and emergency surgery**
- Which patients for emergency surgery ward?
- Pregnancy traps
- Point of care ultrasound

13.00-14.00  
**Lunch session**

**Afternoon**
14.00-15.00  
**Brain and spinal cord trauma**
- ASAP Survey
- Solid organ injury and TBI, just a matter of blood pressure?
- REBOA and brain trauma

15.00-16.00  
**Quality indicators in emergency general surgery and trauma**
- WSES international consensus conference
- Key performance indicators
- Patient safety indicators

16.00-17.00  
**Black Box and Achilles Heel Prize: big errors collection**

17.00-18.00  
**Use of fluorescence in emergency surgery (WJES position paper)**
- Which use is in emergency surgery?
- Laparoscopy and fluorescence in emergency colonic resection: possibility or necessity?

November 18, 2020
Congress Plenary Sessions

**Morning**
8.00-9.00  
**Severe intrabdominal infections**
- Classification
- Biomarkers’ role
- Antibiotic: when and how
- Source control

9.00-10.00  
**Consensus on iatrogenic biliary duct Injury**

10.00-11.00  
**Coagulation and thrombosis in Trauma and Emergency Surgery**
- Coagulation disorders in trauma
- Evidence based use of topical haemostatics
- Coagulation disorders in emergency general surgery
- DVT prevention in acute care surgery

11.00-12.00  
**Open abdomen**
- IROA registry
- COOL Trial
- A new device for primary closure

12.00-13.00  
**New technologies**
- Use of radiofrequency and ultrasonic devices in emergency surgery
- REBOA miracles and failures

13.00-14.00  
**Lunch session**
November 19, 2020

Post-Congress Sessions

8.00-09.00
WSES General Assembly

9.00-17.00
EASC Course

9.00-12.00
NURSE ROLE Session (English language)
- Robotic technologies
- Mass Casualties
- Triage
- Limited resources setting
- Research
- Operating table
- Endoscopy
- US Autonomous role
- Australian CME

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