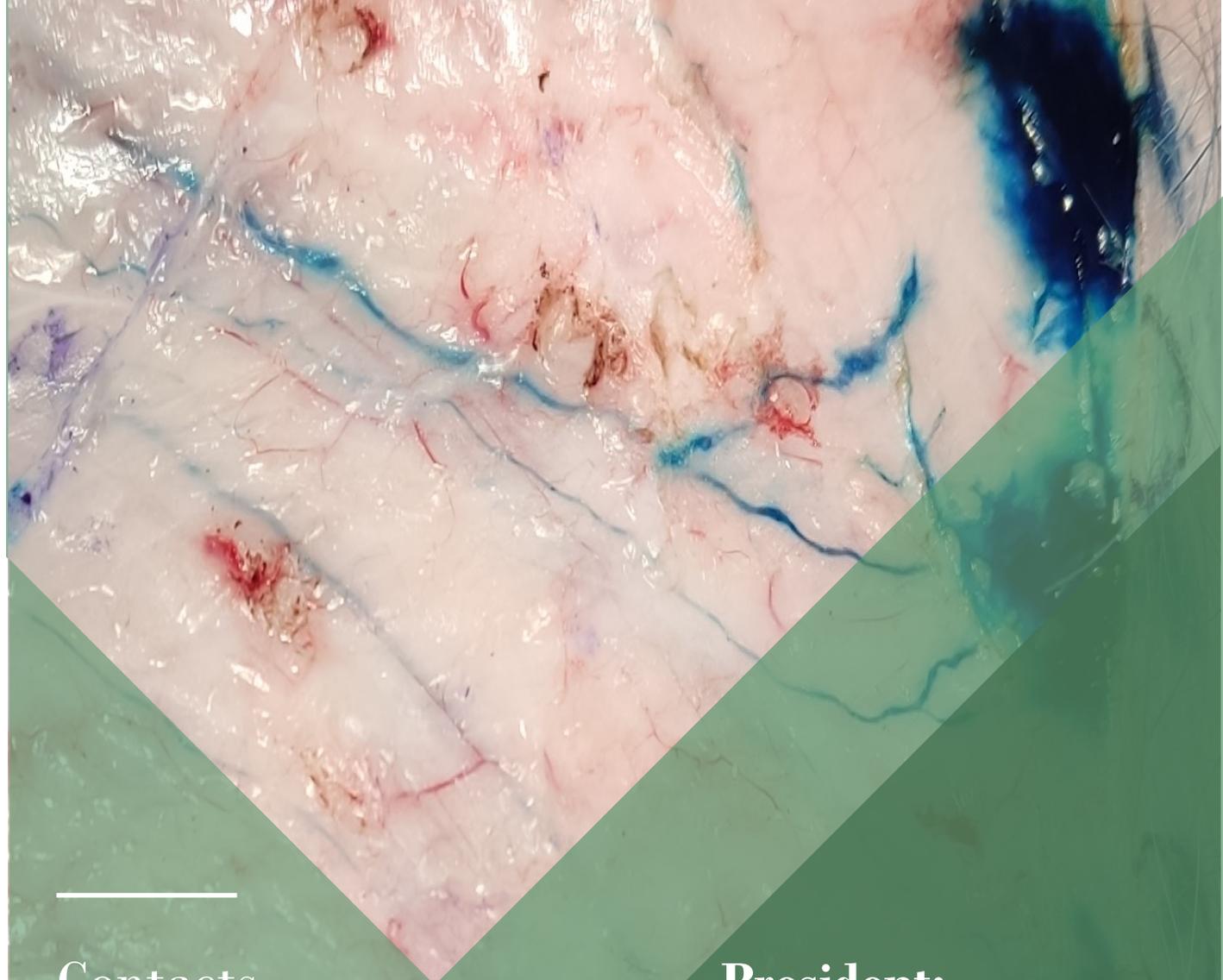


# I LYMPHATIC COURSE ON LIVE MODEL

MILAN

6-7 NOVEMBER 2023



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## AIMS Academy-SPIGC

The Italian Polyspecialist Society of Young Surgeons (**S.P.I.G.C.**) has been active since 1987 with the aim of bringing together Italian surgeons under 40, regardless of their specialist branches. The primary aim of the Society is surgical training with proposals and tools that are complementary to those provided by the institutional academic systems, through sharing the experience of its members, promoting scientific research and organising single-topic meetings and theoretical-practical training courses.

For ten years now, **AIMS Academy** has been promoting, organising and hosting training courses using state-of-the-art technological equipment and a Faculty that has contributed over the years to making AIMS one of the centres of excellence in Italy and Europe for the various surgical disciplines.

The commonality of intent has enabled AIMS Academy and SPIGC to ally themselves to find sustainable solutions for the training of young surgeons.

## Description

The course aims to provide the theoretical and practical knowledge required to understand the anatomy of the lymphatic system as well as to learn the current methods for pre and intraoperative visualisation of lymphatics. In addition, it focuses on modern lymphatic microsurgery techniques. All through hands-on dissection sessions on a living model (pig), with two trainees per operating table supported step-by-step by experienced tutors.



# Monday 6 November 2023

15:45 - 16:00: **Participants Registration**

16:00 - 16:15: **Introduction of the course**

Maruccia Michele

16:15 - 18:00: **THEORETICAL SESSION**

**Lymphedema State of Art**

Marzia Salgarello

**The use of Ultrasound technology for the visualization of the lymphatic system**

Visconti Giuseppe

**Lymphatic venular anastomosis (LVA):  
Indications and Technical Evolution**

Corrado Campisi

**Lymph node transfer: Evolution during the time**

Michele Maruccia

**Lymphatic Training Model**

Lucian Jiga

**Lymphatic living models**

Lucian Jiga, Alberto Bolletta, Rossella Elia

18:00 - 18:30: **Questions & Answers**

# Tuesday 7 November 2023

8:00 - 13:00: **PRACTICAL SESSION 1**

**LYMPHATICS MAPPING:**

**Ultrasound, Blu Patent, Indocyanine Green (ICG)**

**LYMPHATICS DISSECTION:**

**Neck, Groin and Axilla**

**MICROSURGICAL LYMPHATICO-VENULAR  
ANASTOMOSIS**

13:00 - 13:30: LUNCH BREAK

13:30 - 18:00: **PRACTICAL SESSION 2**

**MULTIPLE LVA ANASTOMOSIS**

**GROIN LYMPH NODE FLAP HARVEST**

**OMENTUM FLAP HARVEST**

**IMPLANT BioBridge® Collagen Matrix**

18:00- 18:30: DISCUSSION

**20:30 Social Dinner**

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# Faculty

**Alberto Bolletta (Pisa, Italy)**

**Corrado Campisi (Genova, Italy)**

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**Giuseppe Visconti (Rome, Italy)**

**Mario Scaglioni (Luzern, Switzerland)**

**Endorsed by:**



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# Information

The course is reserved to 14 medical doctors

It is recommended that each participant bring their own kit of dedicated instruments (e.g. Stevens scissors, delicate forceps, micro and supermicrosurgical kit) and their own loupes.

# Registration

- Euro 1000 VAT excluded (SPIGC or sponsoring societies members)
- Euro 1400 VAT excluded

For registration, please send your application to the following e-mail address:  
[segreteria@aimsacademy.org](mailto:segreteria@aimsacademy.org)

The registration fee includes:

- Basic surgical instruments and disposable material
- Microscope every 2 participants
- 1 living model under general anaesthesia (every 2 participants)
- Certificate of attendance