

# MIG/MIE Course

“Two-day *Minimally Invasive Gastrectomy and Esophagectomy Course*”



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## Program Day 1 (Thursday 7 March 2024): Minimally Invasive Gastrectomy (MIG)

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### Morning Program: Presentations on gastric cancer treatment

Location: Auditorium (Q.01.226)

08:00 – 08:30	Registration and coffee
08:30 – 08:40	Opening <i>Richard van Hillegersberg</i>
08:40 – 09:00	Introduction to the Surgical Anatomy of the Stomach <i>Ronald Bleys</i>
09:00 – 09:20	Laparoscopic versus Open Gastrectomy <i>Domenico D'Ugo</i>
09:20 – 09:40	General discussion
09:40 – 10:15	Coffee
10:15 – 10:30	Anastomotic techniques in MIG <i>Misha Luyer</i>
10:30 – 10:45	MIG: step by step <i>Andres Navarrete</i>
10:45 – 11:00	Robot-assisted Minimally Invasive Gastrectomy: Technical Tips, Tricks, & Pitfalls <i>Franco Roviello</i>
11:00 – 11:05	Introduction to hands on practical training session <i>Lianne Triemstra</i>
11:05 – 11:30	General discussion

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### Lunch Break

11:30 – 12:15	Lunch
12:15 – 12:30	Transfer to the Department of Anatomy

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### Afternoon Program: Hands-on practical training

Location: Department of Anatomy

Instructors: van Boxel, D'Ugo,, Navarrete, Luyer, Roviello, Ruurda/Van Hillegersberg (robot)

12:30 – 14:30	Minimally Invasive Gastrectomy: dissection
14:30 – 15:00	Coffee break
15:00 – 17:00	Minimally Invasive Gastrectomy: reconstruction

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### Evening Program: Diner

17:30 – 18:00	Transfer to the city center (Janskerkhof)
19:00 – onward	Course diner

## Program Day 2 (Friday 8 March 2024): Minimally Invasive Esophagectomy (MIE)

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### Morning Program: Presentations on esophageal cancer treatment

Location: Auditorium (Q.01.226)

08:15 – 08:30	Coffee
08:30 – 08:35	Opening <i>Richard van Hilleegersberg</i>
08:35 – 08:50	Introduction to the Surgical Anatomy of the Esophagus <i>Ronald Bleys</i>
08:50 – 09:05	Lymphadenectomy during MIE: the more the better? <i>Suzanne Gisbertz</i>
09:05 – 09:20	The current status of MIE and RAMIE <i>Peter Grimminger</i>
09:20 – 09:35	How to set up a MIE program <i>Alejandro Nieponice</i>
09:35 – 10:10	General discussion
10:10 – 10:30	Coffee
10:30 – 10:45	Enhanced Recovery after Esophagectomy <i>Ed Cheong</i>
10:45 – 11:00	Anastomotic techniques for (robot-assisted) MIE <i>Pieter van der Sluis</i>
11:00 – 11:15	Robot-assisted Minimally Invasive Esophagectomy (RAMIE): step by step, tips, tricks and pitfalls <i>Richard van Hilleegersberg</i>
11:15 – 11:25	Introduction to hands on practical training session <i>Cezanne Kooij</i>
11:25 – 11:45	General discussion

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### Lunch Break

11:45 – 12:30	Lunch & Transfer to the Department of Anatomy
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### Afternoon Program: Hands-on practical training

Location: Department of Anatomy

Instructors: van Boxel, Cheong, Cuesta, Gisbertz, Grimminger, van der Sluis, Ruurda/Van Hilleegersberg (robot)

12:30 – 14:30	Minimally Invasive Esophagectomy: 1 <sup>st</sup> hands-on session
14:30 – 15:00	Coffee break
15:00 – 17:00	Minimally Invasive Esophagectomy: 2 <sup>nd</sup> hands on session
17:00 – 18:30	Drinks