

# **ACUTE CARE SURGERY WORKSHOP for VISCERAL AND GASTROINTESTINAL EMERGENCIES (OTHER THEN TRAUMA)**

**2<sup>nd</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2020**

**This course is endorsed by:**

- **European Association for Endoscopic Surgery (E.A.E.S)**
- **University of Medicine Linköping, Sweden**
- **Surgical Department from the University Hospital Linköping, Sweden**
- **Swedish Society for Innovation in Surgery (SIKT)**
- **Center for Catastrophes in Medicine (KMC), Linköping**

**This workshop is designed** to review state of the art information on the diagnosis and management of non-trauma GI & visceral emergencies. The symposium provides an ideal mix of the traditional standard of care principles with cutting edge, forward-moving practices. It explores issues related to resuscitation and surgical technique. The workshop runs theory in the morning sessions and hands-on sessions in the afternoon (5 intubated pigs, stations for laparoscopic exercises). The course provides in-depth and cutting-edge information in the field of gastrointestinal and visceral emergencies. The material presented will be exciting as well as readily assimilated and applied.

**The course aim** is to provide surgeons (in training or already board certified) with the information and skills needed for successful handling of nontraumatic visceral and GI emergencies from arrival in the emergency room through transfer for definitive treatment to the operating room, intensive care unit or ward, with detailed attention to the decision-making process as well as to relevant surgical skills and techniques.

**The following goals will be pursued:**

1. Confront surgeons with different controversial scenarios
2. Provide concrete answers and guidelines for questions emerging from these situations
3. Develop skills to manage complicated issues

**The course will be supported by an impressive international Faculty:**

**Univ. Prof. S. Uraneus**

Past President, International Association for Trauma Surgery and Intensive Care (IATSIC)

Professor and Head Section for Surgical Research

Clinical Division of General Surgery

Department of Surgery

Medical University of Graz

**Aberto Arezzo**

Prof. of Surgery, University of Torino, Italy

Chair of the Technology Committee, The European Association of Endoscopic Surgery (EAES)

**Marek Soltes, MD, Ph.D**

Chief of Department of Endoscopic Surgery

First Department of Surgery

University Hospital of L. Pasteur

Kosice, Slovak Republic

Both the theoretical presentations and the hands-on training will be held in the  
Katastrof Medicine Centrum (KMC) in Linköping

**Local Organizing Committee is represented by:**

**Dorin Eugen Popa MD PhD**

University Hospital Linköping

Chair of the Education & Training Committee, EAES

**Per Loftås MD, PhD**

Chair of the Acute Care Surgery Department, University Hospital Linköping

**Shahin Mokseni, MD, PhD**

Chair of the Acute Care Surgery Department, University Hospital Örebro

**David Ekholm, MD, PhD**

University Hospital Linköping

Course language is English.

**Registration fee:**

**Due to the fact that this workshop is endorsed by EAES, all EAES members have a 50 Euro discount from this original registration fee !!!**

Registrations will be accepted after receipt of payment on a first-come-first-served basis. There are only 15 places available because we would like to make teams of three doctors for every pig in the hands-on session.