



VIANA DO CASTELO, PORTUGAL – 1st and 2nd October 2026

Faculty:

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Day 1 – 2026, 1 st October	
07:15 - 07:45	<i>Registration</i>
07:45 - 08:00	<i>Introduction – Carlos Mesquita</i>
08:00 - 08:25	<i>Abdominal sepsis – Paulo Sousa</i>
08:30 - 08:55	<i>Bowel obstruction – António Oliveira</i>
09:00 - 09:30	<i>Case presentation 1 – Maria João Köch / Isidro Martinez</i>
09:30 - 09:55	<i>Colorectal emergencies – Miguel Fernandes</i>
10:00 - 11:00	<i>Coffee, Tea & Snacks - Visit to the Ship Museum 'Gil Eannes'</i>
11:00 - 11:30	<i>Case presentation 2 – Maria Pelloni / Hayato Kurihara</i>
11:30 - 11:55	<i>Mesenteric ischemia – Jorge Pereira</i>
12:00 - 12:30	<i>Case presentation 3 – Olga Blasco / Luís Filipe Pinheiro</i>
12:30 - 12:55	<i>Open abdomen – Isidro Martinez</i>
13:00 - 14:00	<i>Lunch</i>

Each primary topic talk will be followed by 5 minutes of discussion



14:00 - 14:25	<i>Pancreatitis – Carlos Ferreira</i>
14:30 - 14:55	<i>Peptic ulcer disease – Miguel Fernandes</i>
15:00 - 15:30	<i>Case presentation 4 – Rafael Fernandes / Fernando Mozos</i>
15:30 - 15:45	<i>Coffee, Tea & Snacks</i>
15:45 - 16:10	<i>Acute cholecystitis – António Oliveira</i>
16:15 - 16:45	<i>Case presentation 5 – Maria João Köch / Isidro Martinez</i>
16:45 - 17:10	<i>GI bleeding – Paulo Sousa</i>
17:15 - 17:45	<i>Case presentation 6 – Maria Pelloni / Hayato Kurihara</i>
17:45 – 18:00	<i>Debriefing</i>

Day 2 – 2026, 2 nd October	
08:00 - 08:25	<i>Appendicitis – Carlos Ferreira</i>
08:30 - 09:00	<i>Case presentation 7 – Olga Blasco / Luís Filipe Pinheiro</i>
09:00 - 09:25	<i>Postoperative complications – Jorge Pereira</i>
09:30 - 09:55	<i>Spontaneous hemoperitoneum – Luís Filipe Pinheiro</i>
10:00 - 10:15	<i>Coffee, Tea & Snacks</i>
10:15 - 10:40	<i>Esophageal perforations and tears – Carlos Mesquita</i>
10:45 - 11:15	<i>Case presentation 8 – Rafael Fernandes / Fernando Mozos</i>
11:15 - 11:40	<i>Necrotising soft tissue infections – Isidro Martinez</i>
11:45 - 12:10	<i>Operative Videos – Hayato Kurihara</i>
12:15 - 13:00	<i>Course test and review – all candidates / all faculty</i>
13:00 – 13:15	<i>Closing remarks</i>
13:15 – 14:15	<i>Lunch</i>

14:15 – 15:00	<i>Faculty Meeting</i>
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