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## ACS GENERAL SURGERY REVIEW COURSE HUMANITARIAN SURGERY

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Catanzaro University Magna Graecia

**CATANZARO 3-4 June, 2025**  
Auditorium Università  
degli Studi Magna Graecia



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The course provides a concise review of the essential content areas of general surgery, including abdomen, gastrointestinal tract, trauma, critical care, breast, endocrine, vascular and perioperative care.

The international faculty uses an interactive format of discussion questions and answers with participants based on the presentations given. This system allows learners to have a constant participation with an in-depth update of the topics covered.

## Program **Tuesday June 3, 2025**

Chair: **Biagio Ravo** M.D. FACS, Roma Italy

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**Andrea Mingoli** M.D. FACS, Rome Italy

8:30 Registration

### **Session I: Benign Abdomen**

9:00-9:20 Hepatobiliary  
**Biagio Ravo** M.D. FACS, Roma  
**Vijay Khatri** M.D. FACS, California

9:20-9:40 Bowel Obstruction  
**Dario Tartaglia** M.D. FACS, Pisa

9:40-10:00 Hernia  
**P. Dalila Greco** M.D. FACS, Milano

10:00-10:20 Esophagus  
**Alessandro Paganini** M.D. FACS, Roma

10:20-10:40 Pancreas  
**Luca Morelli** M.D. FACS, Pisa

10:50-11:00 Break

### **Session II: Malignant Abdomen**

11:00-11:20 Esophagogastric  
**Luca Morelli** M.D. FACS, Pisa

11:25-11:45 Gastrointestinal Stromal  
Tumors (GIST) and Carcinoid  
**Marco Caricato** M.D. FACS, Roma

11:50-12:10 Hepatobiliary Malignancies  
**Nader Hanna** M.D. FACS, Philadelphia USA

12:15-12:35 Colorectal Malignancies  
**Marco Caricato** M.D. FACS, Roma

12:40-13:00 Pancreatic Malignancies  
**Marie Hanna** M.D. FACS, Philadelphia USA

13:00 13:55 Lunch Break

### Session III: Breast

- 13:55-14:30 Benign Breast Disease and Genetic Ris  
**Meeghan Lautner** M.D FACS Wisconsin USA
- 14:30-15:10 Breast Cancer  
**Meeghan Lautner Wilke** M.D FACS Wisconsin USA

### Session IV: Endocrine

- 15:10-15:40 Thyroid and Parathyroid  
**Gabriele Materazzi** M.D., Pisa
- 15:40-16:00 Break

### Session V: Vascular

- 16:00-16:15 Arteriovenous (AV) Access  
**Jose Parra** M.D. FACS, Wisconsin USA
- 16:15-16:30 Mesenteric  
**Massimo Chiarugi** M.D. FACS, Pisa
- 16:30-16:45 Acute Limb Ischemia  
**Jose Parra** M.D. FACS, Wisconsin USA
- 16:45-17:00 Vascular Trauma  
**Jose Parra** M.D. FACS, Wisconsin USA
- 17:00-19:15 Discussion
- 19:15 End of the day's work

## Program **Wednesday June 4, 2025**

- Chair: **Biagio Ravo** M.D. FACS, Roma Italy
- CoChair: **Nader Hanna** M.D. FACS, Philadelphia USA  
**Juan Asensio** M.D. FACS, Chicago USA
- 8:30 Registration

### Session VI: Trauma

- 9:00-9:15 Disaster Preparedness  
**Oswaldo Chiara** MD FACS, Milano

- 9:15-9:50 Resuscitation, Blood Products, Neurotrauma  
**Massimo Chiarugi** M.FACS, Pisa
- 9:50-10:25 Neck and Chest Trauma  
**Juan Asensio** M.D. FACS, Chicago USA
- 10:25-10:50 Pelvis, and Extremity Trauma  
**Juan Asensio** M.D. FACS, Chicago USA
- 10:50-11:10 Abdominal Trauma  
**Andrea Mingoli** M.D. FACS, Rome Italy

### Session VII: Critical Care

- 11:10-11:35 Respiratory Critical care  
**Stephanie Savage** M.D.FACS, Wisconsin USA
- 11:35-12:00 Cardiac Critical Care  
**Marie Hanna** MD, MEHP Baltimore USA
- 12:00-12:30 Infectious Disease  
**Gabriele Sganga** M.D. FACS, Roma
- 12:30-13:00 Nutrition  
**Stephanie Savage** M.D.FACS, Wisconsin USA
- 13:00-14:00 Light Lunch

### Session VIII: Perioperative Care

- 14:00-14:30 Gastrointestinal Issues and Prophylaxis  
**Ben L. Zarzaur** M.D.FACS, Wisconsin USA
- 14:30-15:00 Venous Thromboembolic Disease Novel Anticoagulant  
**Oswaldo Chiara** M.D. FACS, Milano
- 15:00-15:30 Antibiotic Use  
**Gabriele Sganga** M.D.FACS, Roma
- 15:30-16:00 Wound Care  
**Emanuele Cigna** M.D.FACS Pisa
- 16:00-16:30 Pain Management  
**Marie Hanna** MD, MEH Baltimore USA
- 16:30-17:00 Medical Ethics  
**Marco Caricato** M.D., FACS, Roma
- Inauguration National  
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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### COURSE LOCATION

Auditorium Magna Graecia University  
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Loc. Germaneto - Catanzaro

### ENROLLMENTS

To enroll, please fill in the registration form and send it to the organizational secretariat by e-mail to [info@promodea.it](mailto:info@promodea.it) BY may 25th  
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Enrollments by telephone will not be accepted.

### REGISTRATION FEE

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Payment by bank transfer to PROMO dea  
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### OFFICIAL LANGUAGE OF THE CONFERENCE

The works will be held entirely in English. It will be possible to follow the simultaneous translation

### CME ACCREDITATION

The conference has been accredited on the Italian National Agency for Regional Healthcare Services (AGENAS) ID 858-428730.

No. 18 CME credits will be awarded to the following professional figures:

Surgeon all specialisations and without specialisation

The issue of CME credits will take place as per regulation and is conditional on 100% attendance at the conference and 75% of the questions in the CME questionnaire being passed. The questionnaire will be distributed half an hour before the end of the conference.

### VARIATIONS

The Scientific Secretariat and Organisational Secretariat reserve the right to make any changes to the programme which may be necessary for technical and/or scientific reasons.

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