

Advanced Endometriosis Surgery: Laparoscopic and Robotic Approaches with cadaveric dissection

Place: **Sitem Insel, Berne, Switzerland**

Date: **10-11 September 2026**

Organising Committee: Dr S Imboden, Prof. MD Mueller, Prof. A. Feki, Prof. A Fruscalzo

Thursday, September 10th, 2026

07:45 - 08:15 Registration & Welcome Coffee

08:15 – 08:30 Opening Remarks
Prof. A Feki, Dr S Imboden

08:30 – 10:30 Live Surgery Session: Laparoscopic and Robotic Approach
Prof. M Mueller (Laparoscopy), Prof. G Moawad (Robotic)

10:30 – 10:45 Coffee Break

10:45-12:15 Perioperative Management

- Modern Diagnostic Pathways and Imaging in Endometriosis
Prof. M Acien
- Pre- and Postoperative Medical Therapy in Deep Endometriosis: Evidence-Based Algorithms
Prof. C Tomassetti
- Pelvic Floor Management perioperative, Physiotherapy
Dr R De Jong

12:15 – 13:15 Lunch

13:15 – 14:15 Hot Topics in Endometriosis Surgery

- Endometriosis-Associated Cancer: Risk Assessment and Surgical Implications
Prof. Mueller
- Fertility Preservation: Timing, Techniques and Decision-Making
Dr. Vidal.
- Choosing Between Laparoscopic and Robotic Approaches in Complex Deep Endometriosis:
Patient Selection, Technique and Complications
TBC
- Unilabs Sponsored Presentation: Pathology
Dr Bongiovanni

14:15 – 14:30 Coffee Break

14:30 – 17:30 Dissection Workshop on Models, Focus DIE surgery, Bowel and Bladder

- Fundamental Principles of Laparoscopic and Robotic Endometriosis Surgery

19h Course Dinner with Faculty

Friday, September 11th, 2026

08:00 – 08:30 Welcome Coffee

08:30 - 9:45 DIE Surgery

- Pelvic Compartments and Surgical Landmarks for Deep Infiltrating Endometriosis
TBC
- Bowel Endometriosis: From Shaving to Segmental Resection – How to Choose the Right
Strategy
Dr Bokor
- Urinary Tract Endometriosis: Diagnosis, Staging and Stepwise Surgical Management
Prof. H Ferreira

09:45 - 10:00 Change to CATR

10:00-12:00 First Block Cadaver Dissection, laparoscopic and robotic stations

- Dissection of pelvic compartments and retroperitoneal spaces
- Ureter dissection and urinary tract involvement

12:15 – 13:00 Lunch

13:00-14:00 Outer Edges of Endometriosis Surgery

- Diaphragmatic and Extra-Pelvic Endometriosis: Indications, Techniques and Pitfalls
Prof. G Moawad
- Nerve Pathways and Nerve-Sparing Techniques in Deep Endometriosis Surgery
Prof. MD Mueller

14:00- 14:15 Change to CATR

14:15 – 16:00 Second Block Cadaveric Pelvic Dissection, laparoscopic and robotic stations

- Intestinal shaving and suturing
- Identification of deep pelvic and sciatic nerves and nerve-sparing techniques
- Diaphragmatic surgery

16:00- 16:15 Coffee break

16:15- 16:30 Wrap-up, certificate, evaluation

16:30 End of the course