



Block Course Urogynecology

Date: September 12, 2026

Time: 08:00–17:15

Venue: Sitem-Insel, Freiburgstrasse 3, 3010 Bern

08:00 Registration

08:15 Welcome and Course Introduction A. Fruscalzo, P. Dällenbach, F. Romito

08:30 Seminars Urinary Incontinence

- Physiology and Pathophysiology of Micturition and Urinary Incontinence (A. Fruscalzo)
- Clinical Assessment and Diagnostic Work-up (F. Romito)
- Conservative and Surgical Treatment Options (P. Dällenbach)

10:15 Coffee Break

10:30 Hands-on Training in– Session 1 (Rotating Stations)

- Diagnostic Cystoscopy
- Intravesical Botulinum Toxin Injection
- Periurethral Bulking Agent Injection
- TVT Sling Placement
- Robotic Docking & Robot-Assisted Laparoscopic Suturing Exercises

12:30 Lunch/ Snack

13:00 Seminars Pelvic Organ Prolapse

- Functional Anatomy of the Female Pelvis and Mechanisms of Pelvic Organ Prolapse (A. Fruscalzo)
- Vaginal Surgery for Pelvic Organ Prolapse (F. Romito)
- Abdominal Surgery for Pelvic Organ Prolapse (P. Dällenbach)

15:00 Coffee Break

15:15 Hands-on Training – Session 2 (Rotating Stations)

- Diagnostic Cystoscopy
- Intravesical Botulinum Toxin Injection
- Periurethral Bulking Agent Injection
- TVT Sling Placement
- Robotic Docking & Robot-Assisted Laparoscopic Suturing Exercises

17:00 Key Take-Home Messages, Course Evaluation and Certificate

A. Fruscalzo, P. Dällenbach, F. Romito

17:15 End of Course