Please register online at: www.uniportalvats.de
Registration Deadline: May 2nd, 2018

Full course: 14. - 16.06.2018
Lectures, live surgery and wetlab
Course fee: 1,500,– € (only 20 places available)

Two-day course: 14. & 15.06.2018
Lectures and live surgery
Course fee: 400,– € (for medical residents 200,– €)

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RECOMMENDED TRAVEL & ACCOMMODATION

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Venue - Day 1 + 2
Villa Bergmann | Conference Center
Berliner Straße 62 | 14467 Potsdam

Venue - Day 3
Medizin im Grünen
Wendisch-Rietz - transfer included

Venue - Conference Center Villa Bergmann:

5th International Uniportal VATS Course - Live Surgery and Wetlab
“The past brings the future”
Department of Thoracic Surgery
Klinikum Ernst von Bergmann
Potsdam, Germany

COOPERATION PARTNERS

University Hospital Charité
Berlin, Germany

Shanghai Pulmonary Hospital,
Tongji University, Shanghai, China

VENUE

Coming soon
Welcome to the “5th International Uniportal VATS Course - Live Surgery and Wetlab”. This is a three-day masterclass symposium jointly organized by the Ernst von Bergmann Academic Hospital of the Humboldt-Universität Berlin Charité in Potsdam, Germany together with the University Hospital Charité in Berlin, Germany, the University Hospital in Coruña, Spain and the Shanghai Pulmonary Hospital, Tongji University Shanghai, China. The first masterclass course took place in the year 2014 and has become the traditional course where all experts in the field of uniportal VATS meet and exchange their experiences with participants from all over the world. The course is now well established and provides training at the highest level. Our goal is to promote a non-dogmatic learning environment that brings together people from different centers and schools of thoracic surgery from all around the globe. Whether you are an experienced surgeon or still in training, this course will deepen your knowledge in Uniportal VATS. This symposium will take place in Potsdam and will address the techniques and advances in Uniportal VATS through lectures, discussions and video sessions on the first day and live surgery of major pulmonary resections via Uniportal VATS on the second day. The third day of this symposium is a Hands-on class (Wetlab) for a limited group. We look forward to your participation!

Mahmoud Ismail
Course Director
Diego Gonzalez-Rivas
Course Director

June 14th, 2018 - UNIPORTAL VATS - Lectures
09:00-10:00 Session 1 - Uniportal VATS: new aspects
10:00-10:20 Coffee Break
10:20-11:20 Session 2 - Uniportal VATS: start from the basics
11:20-12:05 Session 3 - Complex cases: Be Calm And Think Uniportal
12:05-13:00 Lunch
13:00-14:00 Session 4 - Mediastinal Uniportal VATS
14:00-15:45 Session 5 - Uniportal VATS Video Session: Standard techniques
15:45-16:00 Coffee Break
16:00-17:00 Session 6 - Uniportal VATS: Different Techniques
17:00-17:45 Session 7 - Lymphadenectomy
17:45-18:45 Session 8 - Uniportal VATS Video session: Advanced techniques
19:00 - 22:00 Get-Together Dinner (included in course fee)

June 15th, 2018 - Live Surgery
08:30 - 17:00
Uniportal VATS Major Pulmonary Resections
Mahmoud Ismail
Diego Gonzalez Rivas

June 16th, 2018 - Wetlab (Sheep Model)
08:30 Introduction to Wetlab.
Heiko Ziervogel, Alberto Centeno Cortes, Diego Gonzalez Rivas, Mahmoud Ismail
08:45 Video: Left Upper Lobectomy (Animal Model)
Diego Gonzalez Rivas, Mahmoud Ismail

FACULTY/SPEAKERS
Firas Abu Akar, Shaare Zedek Medical Center, Jerusalem - Israel and Al-Makassed Charitable Hospital, East Jerusalem
Thomas A. D’Amico, Duke University Medical Center, Durham, NC, USA
Harun Badakhshi, Clinic for Radiooncology and Radiation Therapy, Brachytherapy, Klinikum Ernst von Bergmann, Academic Hospital of the Charité - Humboldt University Berlin, Potsdam, Germany
Luca Bertolaccini, Department of Thoracic Surgery, AUSL Bologna, Maggiore - Bellaria teaching hospitals, Bologna, Italy
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09:00 Practice in animal model
(Uniportal Left Upper Lobectomy)
All Faculty
12:00 Coffee Break
12:15 Video: Left Lower Lobectomy
Animal Model
All Faculty
13:00 Practice in Animal Model
(Uniportal Left Lower Lobectomy)
All Faculty
14:00 Lunch
15:00 Video: Right Upper and Lower Lobectomy
Animal Model
All Faculty
15:15 Practice in Animal Model
(Uniportal Right Upper Lobectomy)
All Faculty
17:30 Coffee Break
All Faculty
19:00 Closing Remarks