

Registration and Information

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I want to register for the "2nd Course on Palate Surgery",
Maastricht, March 15th, 2018

Registration Fee

Cleft day only (Thu) € 750.-

In combination with Facial Aesthetic Course (Mar 16+17):

Course incl. cadaver dissections (Thu + Sat) € 1,600.-

For all participants from the EU

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2nd Course on

Palate Surgery – Principles in Cleft Surgery

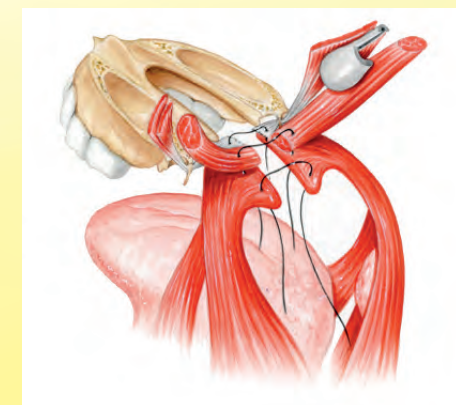
A pre-course

on occasion of the 9th Course on
Aesthetic and Reconstructive Surgery
of the Face

Maastricht / NL

March 15th, 2018

Fresh Frozen Cadaver Preparation



Dear Colleagues,

Cleft surgery, as almost no other discipline, definitively marks the functional and psychosocial development of an individual lifelong. The palate repair is the most challenging task in cleft surgery, since the result is almost irreversible.

We found that the preparation of the soft palate in the lab on fresh specimen is a reliable and reproducible approach that enhances the understanding of normality, a key issue, since cleft surgery is no more than correcting displaced tissue into a normal position.

Herewith we proudly invite you to participate in our second course on palate surgery. The palate will be prepared following principles in cleft surgery. The extended muscle dissection provides comprehensive information on muscle bone insertion, relationship to the eustachian tube and on the vector on muscular traction in relation to the nasopharynx. The preparation will be extended in order to perform a velopharyngoplasty. The palate repair follows again principles in cleft surgery.

Anatomists and cleft surgeons will mentor you providing a unique learning experience in cleft surgery. We are looking forward to welcoming you in Maastricht.

J. Camilo Roldán **Gwen Swennen** **Peter Kessler**

Course Topics

- Brief lectures on embryology and anatomy of the palate (normal & cleft)
- Surgery of the hard palate
- Surgery of soft palate (velum) – dissection
- Palate repair
- Velopharyngoplasty (preparation)

Course Directors and Organization



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University of Maastricht**

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Program

Thursday, March 15th, 2018

08:45 – 09:15 Registration (Van der Valk Hotel)

09:15 – 09:25	Introduction	Kessler
09:25 – 09:35	Thoughts about the need of education in cleft surgery	Roldán
09:35 – 10:00	Embryology of the palate – the cleft	Lataster, Herrler
10:00 – 10:30	Anatomy of the palate – the cleft	Lataster, Herrler

10:30 – 10:45 Coffee Break

10:45 – 11:00	Key stages in the evolution of palate surgery	Roldán
11:00 – 11:30	Principles in palate surgery – the goal	Swennen
11:30 – 12:00	Palate dissection step-by-step – instructions for the lab	Roldán

12:00 – 13:30 Lunch

13:30 – 17:00 Anatomy and Embryology, Faculty of Health, Medicine & Life Science, Maastricht University, Universiteitssingel 50, 6229 ER Maastricht

- Hands-on Course with exclusively fresh frozen specimen
- Limited attendance (one specimen for one participant)
- Demonstration of anatomy of the palate (specimen prepared by the anatomist)
- Dissection of the hard and soft palate as a true palatoplasty (prepared by the faculty)
- Step-by-Step preparation of the palate following principles of cleft surgery (dissection by the participant)
- Palate repair
- Velopharyngoplasty

19:00 Get-together with the faculty –