

# Live Surgery Urogynecology Course <sup>4<sup>th</sup></sup> edition

Robotic Surgery, Prolapse, Neuromodulation  
& Advances in Onco-Urogynecology

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Scientific Programme



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## International Faculty



### Cassio Ricetto (BRAZIL)

Cassio Ricetto, M.D., M. Sci, Ph.D. He is currently Head the Female Urology Division at University of Campinas Faculty of Medical Sciences (UNICAMP) in Brazil. In addition, he is full professor of the Surgical Sciences Postgraduate Program at the same institution. He published more than 130 peer-reviewed articles in journals specialized in Urology and Gynecology and owned 26 national plus international awards for his researches on urinary incontinence and voiding dysfunction. In addition, he is the coordinator of Female Urology

Section of Brazilian Society of Urology and former general secretary of the Latin American Pelvic Floor Association.



### Cristiano Gomes (BRAZIL)

Professor of Urology at the Faculty of Medicine of the University of São Paulo (SUP), working in the areas of urinary incontinence, neurogenic bladder, reconstructive surgeries and benign prostatic hyperplasia. I am a member of the Neurourology Committee of the International Continence Society and Associate Editor of the journals Continence and International Brazilian Journal of Urology.



### Hugo Davila (USA)

A board-certified urologist and Clinical Assistant Professor at Florida State University, College of Medicine, Dr. Hugo Davila completed his surgery and urology training at University of South Florida and Moffitt Cancer Center. He currently practices at Florida Healthcare Specialists (an affiliate practice of Florida Cancer Specialists & Research Institute) and Cleveland Clinic Indian River Hospital.

Dr. Davila is a leading physician researcher, having previously completed clinical studies on fibrosis, aging and nitric oxide, which were published in prestigious journals, such as Biology of Reproduction, Cardiovascular Research, Urology and British Journal of Urology. In 2004-5, Dr. Davila was awarded a Pfizer research grant about the "Effects of long-term therapy with Sildenafil on the histological and functional alterations of the aged corporal tissue; implications for reversal of corporal veno-occlusive dysfunction."

His most recent investigations have included the evaluation of robotic surgical techniques and pelvic floor ultrasonography for the correction of pelvic organ prolapses, with several publications in the Urology gold journal, Journal of Robotic

Surgery and Journal of Obstetrics and Gynecology. Recently, Dr. Davila described a robotic and laparoscopic single site approach to apical prolapses using native tissue. He also presented a new robotic technique without mesh for pelvic organ prolapses at the European Association of Urology. He has described a new technique integrating intraoperative ultrasound during Robotic sacrocolpopexy improving outcomes and decreasing recurrence of pelvic organ prolapses. These publications in the Journal of Robotic Surgery and Urology Gold Journal describes a new approach using ultrasonography assisted robotic surgery with pubocervical fascia plication and the description of the pubocervical fascia injury with 3D endovaginal ultrasound.

An active member of the American Urology Association (AUA), European Association of Urology (EAU), Society of Robotic Surgery (SRS) and Latin-American Society of Pelvic Floor (ALAPP), he has a special interest in female pelvic medicine and reconstructive surgery. He has presented multiple videos, podium and posters at the AUA, EAU, SRS and many international meetings.



### **Isabel Níguez Sevilla** (SPAIN)

Isabel Níguez Sevilla, MD PhD – Specialist in gynecology and obstetrics. Work at Virgen de la Arrixaca University Clinical Hospital Murcia; Researcher at the Murcian Institute of Biomedical Research; Practice professor of the Master in Medical Surgical Pathology of the Pelvic Floor; Multiple scientific publications and communications.



### **Javier Cambronero** (SPAIN)

Dr. Javier Cambronero Santos (MD, PhD) – Professor of Medicine in Universidad Complutense of Madrid; Chief of Section in Hospital Infanta Leonor (Madrid); Chief of Incontinence and Pelvic floor disorders Unit; Chief of Urology Service in Hospital Quironsalud San José



### **Jorge Hidalgo** (SPAIN)

After completing the residency program in Urology at the Fundació Puigvert –Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, he completed a fellowship in Laparoscopic surgery at the Université Libre de Bruxelles- Hopital Erasme.

Since 2005, he has routinely performed laparoscopic surgery for the treatment of kidney and prostate cancer, as well as pelvic organ prolapse.

Since 2017, through Laparoscopic Pectopexy and Hysteropectopexy.

He has organized numerous workshops in Laparoscopic Pectopexy and has been a professor in the pelvic floor master's degree at the Miguel Hernández University of Alicante, teaching the technique of Laparoscopic Pectopexy and Hysteropectopexy.



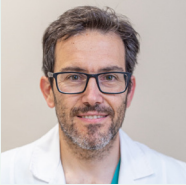
### **José Carlos Truzzi** (BRAZIL)

Master and Doctor in Urology from Escola Paulista de Medicina - Federal University of São Paulo; Director of the Department of Female Urology, Pelvic Floor and Urodynamics of the American Confederation of Urology (CAU); Head of the Infections Department of the Brazilian Society of Urology (SBU).



**Levin Martinez** (URUGUAY)

Prof. holder of the chair of Urology, hospital de clinicas; Facultad de Medicina, Montevideo, Uruguay; Mastery in Uro-Oncology; Diplomature in university teaching



**Luis Lopez-Fando** (SPAIN)

Functional Urology; Urology department. Hospital La Princesa. Madrid; CEO UROLF (urolf.com; IG/FB @clinicaurorof); ICS, SINUG, EAU, AEU member; Functional Urology is my main area of interest. Development of complex laparoscopic pelvic floor surgery such as sacrocolpopexy, neurolysis of pudendal nerve entrapment, female artificial urinary sphincter, enterocystoplasty, repair of vesicovaginal and ureterovaginal fistula, as well as laparoscopic oncological surgery; UROLF is a clinic and also a website platform focus on the diagnostic

functional urology and neurourology (urodynamics, videourodynamics, electronic bladder diary).



**Márcio Averbeck** (BRAZIL)

Master and PhD from the Federal University of Health Sciences of Porto Alegre, Brazil; EAU Clinical Fellowship in Neurourology, University of Innsbruck, Austria; Coordinator of Neurourology at Hospital Moinhos de Vento (Johns Hopkins Affiliated), Porto Alegre, Brazil; Preceptor of the Urology Residency at the Pontifical Catholic University (PUC) of Rio Grande do Sul.



**Rogério Fraga** (BRAZIL)

Associate Professor of Urology at the Federal University of Paraná; Vice Coordinator of the Postgraduate Program in Surgical Clinic at UFPR; Coordinator of the Functional Urology Service at CHC-UFPR; Founder of the Pelvic Floor 360 Virtual Reality Mentoring Program



**Vincent Tse** (AUSTRALIA)

Associate professor of Urology at Sydney University and Macquarie University. His special interests are in functional and female urology. He is the first urologist in Australia to perform robotic sacrocolpopexy and also more recently the first robotic female AUS. For his many years of services and dedication in surgery, education, and research both in Australia and Asia, he was awarded last year the Urological Society of Australia and New Zealand Medal, and also an honorary membership by the Urological Association of Asia.

## Faculty



Alexandra Henriques	Frederico Ferronha	Paulo Príncipe
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Alexandre Ambrósio	Gil Falcão	Paulo Vale
Alexandre Lourenço	Guida Gomes	Pedro Alves
Amália Martins	Hugo Pinheiro	Pedro Baltazar
Ana Bello	Inês Francisco Pereira	Pedro Galego
Ana Fatela	Isaac Braga	Pedro Martins
Ana Luísa Ribeirinho	Joana Faria	Pedro Nunes
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## SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

Friday, 17<sup>th</sup> May 2024

07:30h Opening of registration desk

08:30-08:45h **WELCOME SESSION**  
Frederico Ferronha and Luís Campos Pinheiro

08:45-10:00h **1<sup>st</sup> SESSION CAU SESSION – ANATOMY & PELVIC ORGAN PROLAPSES**  
Panel: Palma dos Reis, Frederico Ferronha, Amália Martins and Alexandra Henriques



**Functional anatomy of pelvic floor (15 m)**  
José Carlos Truzzi

**Physiopathology of pelvic organ prolapses (15 m)**  
Cassio Riccetto

**Pelvic anatomy and neuroanatomy in virtual reality (METAVERSE)  
– Immersive experience in dynamic virtual reality glasses (20 m)**  
Rogério Fraga

**What is the place for mesh surgery in 2024: The rise and fall of meshes  
for POP (15 m)**  
Márcio Averbeck

10:00-10:30h **2<sup>nd</sup> SESSION CONSERVATIVE TREATMENT OF PROLAPSES**  
Panel: Patena Forte, João Pina, Teresa Mascarenhas and Ana Bello

**Election of the patient and the ideal vaginal pessaries  
– What, when and how? (10 m)**  
Guida Gomes

**Laser in pelvic floor disfunctions – Where are we now? (10 m)**  
Mafalda Martinho Simões

10:30-10:45h **OPENING SESSION**  
Luís Campos Pinheiro, Frederico Ferronha, Ana Fatela, Miguel Ramos, Rosa Matos, Rui Alves and Carlos Cortes

10:45-11:30h Coffee break

11:30-13:20h **3<sup>rd</sup> SESSION SEMI-LIVE SURGERY: SURGICAL MANAGEMENT OF APICAL POP – HOW I DO IT**

Panel: Paulo Vale, João Marcelino, Bercina Candoso and Alexandre Ambrósio

**Apical correction with 4-arm mesh Callistar (10 m)**

Alexandre Lourenço

**Transvaginal repair with mesh Sure-Lift (10 m)**

Javier Cambroner

**Transvaginal repair with mesh BSC (10 m)**

Njila Amaral

**v-NOTES vaginal hysterectomy (10 m)**

Sofia Alegria

**Laparoscopic hysteropexy surgery according to the Dubuisson technique (Lateral Suspension) (10 m)**

Maria Luisa Sánchez Ferrer and Isabel Níguez Sevilla

**Laparoscopic pectopexy (10 m)**

Jorge Hidalgo

**Laparoscopic sacrocolpopexy (10 m)**

Frederico Ferronha

**Robotic sacrocolpopexy**

Luis Lopez-Fando (10 m) and Hugo Davila (10 m)

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13:20-14:30h Lunch

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14:30-15:50h **4<sup>th</sup> SESSION RECURRENT UTI & SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASES**

Panel: João Varregoso, Francisco Fernandes, Pedro Martins and Sara Rocha

**Recurrent urinary tract infection. Specific approach in the stages of the life of the woman: UTI in gestation & UTI in post menopause (15 m)**

Hugo Pinheiro

**Evidence for prophylaxis of recurrent UTI in women: Probiotics, immunotherapy, vaccines, and other options (15 m)**

Vanessa Vilas Boas

**UTI in patients with intermittent catheterization: How to manage it! (10 m)**

Mariana Medeiros

**Human papillomavirus (HPV): From prophylaxis to conservative treatment. What to do? (20 m)**

Patrícia Amaral

**Human papillomavirus (HPV) vaccination: From theory to clinical practice, how & when (10 m)**

Rita Torres





15:50-16:40h **5<sup>th</sup> SESSION CHRONIC PELVIC PAIN**

Panel: Luís Abranches Monteiro, Frederico Carmo Reis, Rui Miguel Viana, Geraldina Castro and Joana Faria

**Pharmacology therapy and botulin toxin of the CPP (10 m)**

Carlos Ferreira

**CPP in endometriose: Can surgery resolve it? (10 m)**

TBC

**Sacral neuromodulation in CPP (10 m)**

Ricardo Pereira e Silva

**The role of the radiologist in CPP (10 m)**

Pedro Alves

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16:40-17:00h Coffee break

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17:00-19:00h **6<sup>th</sup> SESSION ONCO-UROGYNECOLOGY**

Panel: Sónia Oliveira, António Quintela, Ricardo Leão, Paula Ambrósio and Fernando Calais

**Markers of metastatic disease in PSMA PET/CT imaging for prostate cancer (10 m)**

Rui Bernardino

**Controversies in active surveillance in prostate cancer**

– 15 years' experience (10 m)

Levin Martinez

**Metastatic hormone-sensitive prostate cancer – Therapeutic decision (20 m)**

Isaac Braga

**Current challenges in the treatment of mCRPC (20 m)**

João Gramaça

**Breast cancer treatment and implications on sexuality and QoL (20 m)**

Alexandra Montenegro

**Therapeutic landscape of advance/recurrent endometrial cancer (20 m)**

Filipa Silva

19:00h End of the 1<sup>st</sup> day

## Saturday, 18<sup>th</sup> May 2024

- 07:30h      Opening of registration desk
- 08:00-08:30h    **7<sup>th</sup> SESSION SURGICAL MANAGEMENT OF POP – ABDOMINAL APPROACH: SIMULTANEOUS TRANSMISSION**  
Panel: Luís Campos Pinheiro, Cardoso de Oliveira, Carlos Veríssimo and Geraldina Castro  
**Robotic sacrocolpexy**  
Frederico Ferronha  
**Laparoscopic pectopexy**  
Jorge Hidalgo and Antonio Rodriguez Casado
- 08:30-09:00h    **8<sup>th</sup> SESSION URODYNAMIC AND PELVIC HEALTH IN THE ELDERLY WOMAN**  
Panel: Vaz Santos, Tiago Rodrigues, João Colaço and Alexandra Henriques  
**Is urodynamics helpful in functional female Urology (10 m)**  
Vincent Tse  
**Urinary incontinence vs. emptying dysfunction in elderly women (10 m)**  
Cristiano Gomes
- 09:00-09:40h    **BACK TO LIVE SURGERY**  
**Simultaneous transmission: Robotic sacrocolpexy & laparoscopic pectopexy**
- 09:40-10:20h    **9<sup>th</sup> SESSION UNDERACTIVE BLADDER**  
Panel: Paulo Temido, Rui Sousa, Raquel Robalo and Liana Negrão  
**The enigma of the underactive bladder: Current and future therapeutic strategies of detrusor underactivity (10 m)**  
Tiago Antunes Lopes  
**Stress incontinence and underactive bladder... How can I manage it? (10 m)**  
José Carlos Truzzi  
**Hyperactive detrusor and hypoactive detrusor – How to treat? (10 m)**  
Márcio Averbeck
- 10:20-11:00h    **BACK TO LIVE SURGERY**  
**Simultaneous transmission: Robotic sacrocolpexy & laparoscopic pectopexy**
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- 11:00-11:30h    Coffee break
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- 11:30-11:50h **10<sup>th</sup> SESSION OVERACTIVE BLADDER**  
Panel: Belmiro Parada, Luís Severo, Susana Mineiro and Inês Francisco Pereira  
**Betmiga: 10 years of experience** (15 m)  
Tiago Antunes Lopes
- 11:50-12:10h **BACK TO LIVE SURGERY**  
Simultaneous transmission: Robotic sacrocolpexy & laparoscopic pectopexy
- 12:10-13:00h **11<sup>st</sup> SESSION SEMI-LIVE SURGERY: IS THERE SURGICAL TREATMENT FOR IDIOPATHIC OVERACTIVE BLADDER?**  
Panel: Miguel Ramos, Pedro Baltazar, André Correia, Sofia Alegria and Vanessa Andrade  
**CESA/VASA mesh** (10 m)  
Pedro Galego  
**Botulin toxin injection** (10 m)  
Rui Pinto  
**Management of OAB: Is the new era of neuromodulation?** (10 m)  
Manuel Oliveira  
**Enterocystoplasty and urinary diversions** (10 m)  
Rogério Fraga
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- 13:00-14:30h Lunch
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- 14:30-15:15h **12<sup>nd</sup> SESSION CURRENT STATE OF TREATMENT OF SUI WITH HIGH GRADE OF INTRINSIC SPHINCTER DEFICIENCY**  
Panel: Carlos Silva, Miguel Eliseu, Ana Luísa Ribeirinho and Vincent Tse  
**Adjustable slings** (10 m)  
Patrícia Amaral  
**Are bulking agents a good alternative?** (10 m)  
Catarina Gameiro  
**Is artificial urinary sphincter a good option in women?**  
**Laparoscopic/robotic approach** (15 m)  
Luis López-Fando



15:15-15:40h **13<sup>rd</sup> SESSION CROSS FIRE SESSION**

Panel: Pedro Nunes, Gil Falcão, Francisco Martins and Njila Amaral

**Idiopathic female urethral stricture vs. functional obstruction?  
Does Idiopathic female urethral stenosis exist? Or it is a functional  
obstruction? (20 m)**

Cristiano Gomes vs. Cassio Ricetto

15:40-16:50h **14<sup>nd</sup> SESSION CONTROVERSIES**

Panel: Paulo Príncipe, João Colaço and Cristina Nércio

**Clinical applicability of pelvic floor imaging: What is the evidence?  
From the diagnose in the office to the treatment in the operating theatre (15 m)**  
Hugo Davilla

**Use of virtual reality, augmented reality and artificial intelligence  
in urogynecology (15 m)**

Rogério Fraga

**Female urethral strictures – Management options (15 m)**

Francisco Martins

**Urogenital fistulas in women. Abdominal vs. vaginal route (15 m)**

Vincent Tse

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16:50-17:20h Coffee break

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17:10-18:20h **15<sup>th</sup> SESSION ABSTRACT SESSION: PODIUM PRESENTATIONS**

Panel: Avelino Fraga, Fortunato Barros, Carlos Silva, Cabrita Carneiro and Liana Negrão

**Moderated e-Poster**

Abstracts accepted as moderated electronic posters will be physically presented at the meeting. Each presenter will give 3 minutes of highlights, using their electronic posters (no slides are permitted). Moderators will address questions at their discretion, either after each presentation or at the end of the session.

Note: Presenting Authors of accepted abstracts must be registered

18:20-18:30h **CLOSING SESSION**

Luís Campos Pinheiro and Frederico Ferronha

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