

SKULL BASE 360°: ENDO/MICRO SKULL BASE COURSE December 11-14, 2023



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Objectives

- To provide an overview of the complex anatomy of the skull base
- To cover a broad spectrum of the skull base approaches and describe the technical steps of each specific approach
- To discuss indications of skull base approaches and surgical strategies
- To provide hands-on session on cadaveric specimens and improve skills
- To become more familiar with endoscopic endonasal approaches
- To understand the rationale and challenge of endoscopic endonasal approaches to the skull base
- To allow discussion between expert in the field of skull base surgery and trainees

Educational Methods

- Interactive theoretical and video sessions between faculty and course participants.
- Practical training on anatomical specimen

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Microscopic & Endoscopic Assisted

Day 1 – Monday, December 11th, 2023

MORNING

Shuttle-bus from the Hotel to IRCAD Taiwan

07.15 AM	Registration	
07.45 AM	Welcome to participants – introduction	TBA
08.00 AM	LECTURES SESSION: from FTOZ to Keyhole	
08.00-08.20	Orbito-zygomatic craniotomies	TBA
08.20-08.40	Keyhole principle, supraorbital and minipterinal	TBA
08.40-08.55	Clinoidectomy and additional drilling	TBA
08.55-09.10	Peeling the lateral wall and dealing with the CS	TBA
09.10-09.30	Coffee Break	

09.30 AM PRACTICAL SESSION IN EXPERIMENTAL LABORATORY

09.30-13.00 Dissection on anatomical specimens:

- Soft tissue dissection
- FTOZ approach
- Anterior clinoidectomy
- Peeling of the lateral wall
- Keyhole subfrontal and minipterinal

13.00-13.40 Lunch

AFTERNOON

13.40 PM LECTURES SESSION: Subtemporal

13.40-14.00	Petrous bone anatomy	TBA
14.00-14.20	Subtemporal approaches	TBA
14.20-15.00	Kawase approach	TBA
15.00-15.15	Coffee Break	

15.15 AM PRACTICAL SESSION IN EXPERIMENTAL LABORATORY

15.15-18.00 Dissection on anatomical specimens:

- Kawase approach

18.00 PM End of the session
Shuttle-bus from IRCAD to hotel

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Day 2 - Tuesday, December 12th, 2023

MORNING

Shuttle-bus from the Hotel to IRCAD Taiwan

08.00 AM LECTURE SESSION: Posterior transpetrosal and combined

08.00-08.20	Retrosigmoid approach and endoscopic assisted	TBA
08.20-08.40	Posterior petrosal approach	TBA
08.40-09.00	Translabyrinthine approach	TBA
09.00-09.20	Combined petrosectomy	TBA

09.20-09.30 Coffee Break

09.30 AM PRACTICAL SESSION IN EXPERIMENTAL LABORATORY

09.30-13.00 Dissection on anatomical specimens:

- Kawase approach
- Retrosigmoid approach
- Endoscopic assisted retrosigmoid
- Posterior petrosal approach
- Translabyrinthine
- Combined

13.00-13.40 Lunch

AFTERNOON

13.40 PM LECTURE SESSION: Far lateral, transcondylar, jugular foramen

13.40-14.00	Anatomy of the craniocervical junction and VA	TBA
14.00-14.20	Far Lateral – transcondylar approach	TBA
14.20-14.40	Transmastoid approach to the jugular foramen	TBA
14.40-15.00	Anterolateral approach	TBA

15.00-15.15 Coffee Break

15.15 PM PRACTICAL SESSION IN EXPERIMENTAL LABORATORY

15.15-18.00 Dissection on anatomical specimens:

- Far lateral approach
- Anterolateral approach
- Jugular foramen exposure

18.00 pm End of the session
Shuttle-bus from IRCAD to hotel

Endoscopic Endonasal

Day 3 - Wednesday, December 13th, 2023

MORNING

Shuttle-bus from the Hotel to IRCAD Taiwan

08.00 AM LECTURE SESSION: Ergonomics, sella, endonasal steps

08.00-08.20	How to get started: Instruments, ergonomics	TBA
08.20-08.40	Endoscopic anatomy of the nose and paranasal sinuses	TBA
08.40-09.00	Endoscopic approach to the sella for pituitary adenomas	TBA
09.00-09.20	Endonasal steps for extended approach	TBA
09.20-09.30	Coffee Break	

09.30 AM PRACTICAL SESSION IN EXPERIMENTAL LABORATORY

09.30-13.00 Dissection on anatomical specimens:

- Positioning, instrumentation, ergonomics
- One nostril approach to the sella
- Anterior and posterior ethmoidectomy
- Nasoseptal flap
- Transpterygoid approach

13.00-13.40 Lunch

AFTERNOON

13.40 PM LECTURE SESSION: Transplanum, transcribriform, draf

13.40-14.00	Transplanum- transtuberculum approach	TBA
14.00-14.20	Transcribriform approach	TBA
14.20-14.40	Draf procedures	TBA
14.40-15.00	Coffee Break	

15.00 PM PRACTICAL SESSION IN EXPERIMENTAL LABORATORY

15.00-18.00 Dissection on anatomical specimens:

- Transplanum-transtuberculum approach
- Transcribriform
- Crita galli resection
- Draf

18.00 pm End of the session
Shuttle-bus from IRCAD to hotel

Anterior Corridor, Endoscopic Endonasal

Day 4 - Thursday, December 14th, 2023

MORNING

Shuttle-bus from the Hotel to IRCAD Taiwan

08.00 AM LECTURE SESSION: Cavernous sinus, petrous apex, clivus

08.00-08.20	Endoscopic anatomy: ICA, cavernous sinus and orbit	TBA
08.20-08.40	Approach to the cavernous sinus/meckel's cave	TBA
08.40-09.00	Approach to the clivus and petrous apex	TBA
09.00-09.20	Coffee Break	

09.20 AM PRACTICAL SESSION IN EXPERIMENTAL LABORATORY

09.30-13.00	Dissection on anatomical specimens: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Cavernous sinus exposure and dissection ● Transclival approach ● Approach to the petrous apex 	
13.00-13.40	Lunch	

AFTERNOON

13.40 PM LECTURE SESSION: Craniocervical junction, infratemporal fossa

13.40-14.00	Endoscopic nasopharyngectomy	TBA
14.00-14.20	Endoscopic approach to the infratemporal fossa	TBA
14.20-14.40	Endoscopic approach to the cranio-cervical junction	TBA
14.40-15.00	Reconstruction technique	
15.00-15.15	Coffee Break	

15.15 PM PRACTICAL SESSION IN EXPERIMENTAL LABORATORY

15.15-18.00	Dissection on anatomical specimens: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Transplanum-transtuberculum approach ● Identification of the « palatini » muscle ● Eustachian tube resection ● Condyl and XII nerve exposure ● Medial maxillectomy type 3 ● Identification of muscular plane-lateral and medial pterygoid muscles ● Identification of lingual and inferior alveolar nerve on medial pterygoid muscle ● Resection of lateral pterygoid muscle and identification of V3 and Eustachian tube ● Identification of the parapharyngeal ICA 	
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18.00 pm End of the session
Shuttle-bus from IRCAD to Taichung HSR Station