Advanced Training Course in Robotic Colorectal Surgery

IRCAD Taiwan x Fujita Health University Hospital Hands-on Workshop

February 2-3, 2026





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COURSE OBJECTIVES

- To acquire comprehensive knowledge of robotic-assisted gastrectomy and colorectal procedures, including procedure-specific setup and reconstruction techniques.
- To identify and understand key steps, technical tips, and potential pitfalls in robotic-assisted distal/proximal gastrectomy and robotic-assisted anterior/right hemicolectomy.
- To engage in real-time discussions and interactive exchanges with faculty during theoretical sessions and case observations, fostering critical thinking and clinical decision-making skills.
- > To practice and develop essential robotic surgical techniques in gastrectomy and colorectal procedures through cadaver-based hands-on training under expert guidance.
- > To integrate anatomical knowledge, operative strategies, and the appropriate use of energy devices into evidence-based surgical practice.
- To strengthen participants' ability to apply robotic procedures safely and effectively in clinical practice, with optional discussions comparing different robotic platforms (SP, Hugo, Hinotori) through lectures and interactive sessions.
 - * Please note that participants may have the opportunity to experience the Hugo system in a dry-box environment or via VR simulation modules, pending ongoing discussions with Medtronic. *

February 2nd - 3rd, 2026 - Colorectal COURSE FACULTY

- Peter Chien-Chih CHEN Deputy Chief of Department of Surgery, Attending Physician of Colorectal Surgery
- Koki Otsuka Professor, Chief of Colorectal Surgery, Department of Advanced Robotic and Endoscopic Surgery
- Tsutomu Kumamoto Senior Assistant Professor, Department of Surgery
- Yusuke Omura Senior Assistant Professor, Department of Surgery
- Gaku Inaguma Senior Assistant Professor, Department of Surgery



17.00



Kumamoto

February 2 nd – Colorectal Day 1			
		<u>Speaker</u>	
08.00 am	Introduction Didactics 1 – Setup and Port Positioning	Koki Otsuka	
08.30-11.30	Case presentation & Observation in the OR		
11.30-12.30	Lunch Break		
12.30-13.00	Didactics 2 – Intracorporeal Anastomosis in Robotic Assisted Surgery	Peter Chien-Chih CHEN	
13.00-16.00	Case Observation in the OR		
16.00-17.00	Didactics 3 – Robotic Right Hemicolectomy & Discussion	Tsutomu	

18:00 Networking Dinner & Group Photo

End of Session

February 3 rd – Colorectal Day 2			
		<u>Speaker</u>	
08.00 am	Introduction Ethics Education	TBD	
08.30-11.30	PRACTICAL SESSION IN EXPERIMENTAL LABORATORY Cadaver Model using Da Vinci Xi System with task description		
11.30-12.30	Lunch Break & Lecture		
11.30-12.00	Shaping Surgical Intelligence in the Era of Robotic Surgery	Koichi Suda	
12.00-12.30	 Mastering the Double Bipolar Technique in Robotic Surgery 	Ichiro Uyama	
12.30-13.00	Didactics 4 – Robotic Anterior Resection	Gaku Inaguma	
13.00-16.30	PRACTICAL SESSION IN EXPERIMENTAL LABORATORY		
	Cadaver Model using Da Vinci Xi System with task description		
17.00	End of the Course		