



Memorial CANTORE

6th edition

April 21st-23rd, 2022
Pozzilli (IS) - Italy



1st Neuromed SKULL BASE HANDS-ON COURSE

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The “Memorial Cantore” comes back after the difficulties related to Covid pandemic.

The event, usually dedicated to young neurosurgeons, will be the opportunity to officially inaugurate our new Anatomical Dissection Laboratory.

This activity, fundamental for the acquisition of scientific knowledge on the human body, practiced by Renaissance Genius such as Leonardo da Vinci and Andrea Vesalio, is the base for the preparation and training of neurosurgeons and the study of new surgical techniques.

The course will include cadaver dissection activity to teach complex techniques for Skull Base Surgery to young neurosurgeons.

The Faculty will include young colleagues, both Italian and foreign, with some exceptions for the welcome presence of internationally recognized experts.

Short introductory lectures and prolonged anatomical-surgical practice sessions are previewed.

We hope that the initiative, which continues to follow the path traced by our Master, will have a favourable reception and responds to the training needs of our Specialty.

Welcome to Neuromed!

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Antonio Bernardo, MD



Antonio Bernardo is a highly distinguished, award winning neurosurgeon, who pioneered the use of 3D technology in neurosurgery. After finishing neurosurgical residency, Dr. Bernardo completed a fellowship in Skull Base Surgery at the Barrow Neurological Institute, under Dr. Robert Spetzler where developed a 3D surgical simulator to teach surgeons the visual-spatial skills required to perform skull base surgical approaches. Dr. Bernardo currently serves as neurosurgical consultant in many countries and he is an Associate Professor of Neurological Surgery and Director of the Surgical Innovations Laboratory for Skull Base Microneurosurgery in the Department of Neurological Surgery at Weill Cornell Medical College (New York City). He is recognized as an expert in the understanding of microsurgical anatomy and he has trained more than 4,000 neurosurgeons through his skull base surgery courses and more than 100 dedicated fellows since he has joined the Department of Neurological Surgery at Weill Cornell.

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Sebastien Froelich, MD



Sebastien Froelich is Professor and “Chef de Service” of Neurosurgical Department at Lariboisière University Hospital in Paris. Since 2010, he is director of the Skull Base Course in Strasbourg (IRCAD), where he spent his residency. Dr. Froelich’s area of expertise goes from complex skull base approaches (petrous region and CVJ) to extended endoscopic approaches for clival chordomas.

Dragan Savic, MD



Dragan Savic is a vascular and skull base neurosurgeon. He worked in Belgrade (Serbia) for almost 20 years. He is recognized as one of the developer of neurosurgery in his Country. In 2012 was fellow in Endoscopic Endonasal Surgery at University “Federico II” of Naples with Prof. P. Cappabianca.

So far, he performed more than 6000 surgical procedures.

Since June 2018, he joined the Department of Neurosurgery Ibn Sina Hospital of Kuwait City as expert for complex tumors and cerebrovascular surgery.

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