

Program



# The 13th Helsinki Live Demonstration Course in Operative Microneurosurgery

June 2-7, 2013  
Helsinki | Finland

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The course starts on Sunday, June 2, 2013 at 2pm with lectures in the lecture hall 1 in Töölö Hospital. The lectures will finish around 6pm.

During the course there will be 6-8 operations per day, i.e. 25-30 operations altogether in three ORs. Professors will discuss the cases and present microsurgical videos between and after the operations. The operative schedule runs every day from 8am to approximately 6pm.

A CD containing the case presentations will be handed out to all participants. Publications on clinical experiences by the special guests and the Helsinki staff will also be handed out during the course. Selected papers by the participants can be presented during the course and the participants are encouraged to present their work. Please contact scientific chairman, Associate Professor Mika Niemelä ([mika.niemela@hus.fi](mailto:mika.niemela@hus.fi)) in order to arrange a presentation.

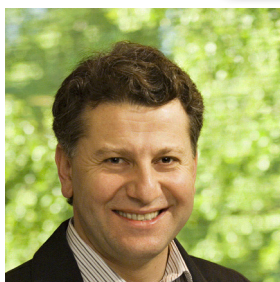


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## Helsinki Faculty

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## Visiting Faculty

### Neurosurgery

Reza Dashti MD PhD, Chicago, USA  
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Jouke van Popta MD, Zaragoza, Spain

### Fellows

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Hugo Andrade, MD, Venezuela  
Ranjan Kumar Jena, MD, India  
Ferzat Hijazy, MD, Syria



Prof. Mika Niemelä operating in one of the four ORs in Helsinki



Course participants during the course in 2010

### Participation fee

#### 1 700 EUR (incl. VAT 24 %)

The fee includes full course program, course manual, lunch, coffee and snacks during all course days and course dinner on Tuesday. Please transfer the participation fee after receipt of the invoice to the following account:

Nordea Bank Finland  
Address: Liesitori 1, 00020 Nordea

IBAN FI14 1583 3000 0438 25  
BIC/SWIFT NDEAFIHH  
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**Please make sure all wire charges are paid.  
Your participation will be confirmed only after receiving full payment.**

**We do not accept cash or credit card payments.**

### Cancellation terms

If a participant cancels his/her registration 4 weeks or more prior to the beginning of the event, the participation fee will be reimbursed in full. After this time and up to 14 days before the course begins, we will charge a handling fee of 50 % of the course fee.

For cancellations made between 14 and 7 days before the course, we reserve the right to charge full participation fee. The full participation fee will be payable for cancellation after this period or for non-attendance.

### Course venue

Helsinki University Hospital, Department of Neurosurgery  
Topeliuksenkatu 5, 00260 Helsinki, Finland.  
[www.hus.fi/neurosurgery](http://www.hus.fi/neurosurgery)

### Hotel accommodation

Hotel accommodation at Crowne Plaza Helsinki (address: Mannerheimintie 50, FI-00260 Helsinki).

149 EUR / standard single room (Mon-Fri) / night (incl. VAT)

169 EUR / standard double room (Mon-Fri) / night (incl. VAT)

Please reserve your accommodation directly from the hotel's booking office by stating the booking code '**Helsinki Course 2013**'.

Crowne Plaza booking office: [helsinki.cph@restel.fi](mailto:helsinki.cph@restel.fi)  
Tel. +358 9 2521 0000

Please reserve your accommodation by May 8, 2013. After this the room quota will be released.

### Lunch and course dinner

Lunch is served at the hospital staff restaurant daily. For those staying at apartments we have reserved additional breakfast coupons.

The course dinner takes place on Tuesday, June 4, 2013 at restaurant Kulosaaren Casino. Additional fees apply for non-participants. Please see section "Course registration".

[www.royalravintolat.com/kulosaari](http://www.royalravintolat.com/kulosaari)

### Helsinki sightseeing tour by bus

The participants have a chance to attend a sightseeing tour in Helsinki with an English speaking guide on Monday, June 3, 2013. Departure at 7pm from Töölö hospital. The duration of the tour is approximately 2 hours.

### Course organization and registration

**Aesculap Academy / B. Braun Medical Oy**

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I would like to register for the 13th Helsinki Live Demonstration Course in Operative Microneurosurgery,  
June 2 - 7, 2013, Helsinki, Finland

Please fill out all the fields marked with an asterisk (\*) in clear handwriting. Please note that registration will not be processed without the following information.

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\*Name, Surname

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Hospital, Division / Function

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\*Invoice address (street, number)

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\*Zip-Code, City, Country

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone

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\*E-mail

\_\_\_\_\_  
\*Special diet

\_\_\_\_\_  
\*Date, Signature

\*I will attend the course dinner on Tuesday, June 4, 2013.      Yes     No

\*I need extra course dinner tickets for non-participants, 100 EUR/person. Yes     No   
Number of tickets \_\_\_\_\_

\*I will attend the Helsinki sightseeing tour on Monday, June 3, 2013.      Yes     No

Forty (40) neurosurgeons and/or neurosurgery residents can be accommodated for the course.  
Participants are accepted in order of registration.

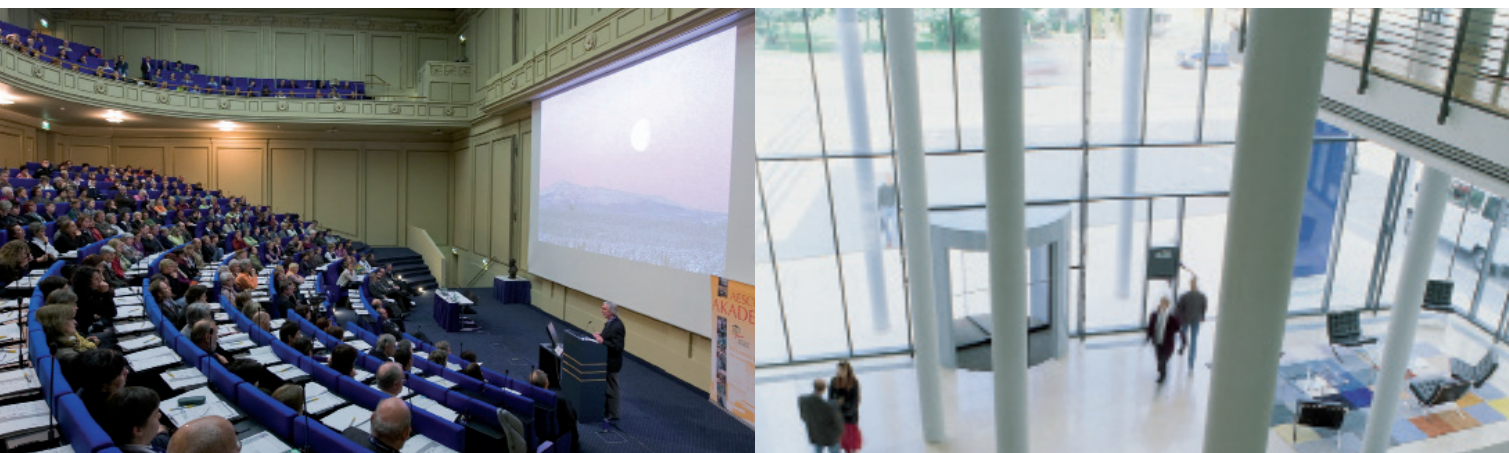
Deadline for course registration is April 5, 2013.

Please fill out and email or send this form for each individual participant.

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