

Welcome to eXIsa 2nd edition!

The 2nd edition of eXIsa, eXtreme live surgery arena will be held in Varese, Italy, March 17-18, 2016. The project eXIsa started in February 2014. Participants did greatly admire the outstanding operative skills of the five operating surgeons and their bravery in entering the sands of the extremely demanding arena of revision rhinoplasty, septal perforation surgery, cosmetic rhinoplasty and complex ear and nose reconstruction. An incredible number of different techniques and approaches took the attendees glued to their seats from 7:30 am till 7:00 pm. The feedback from the attendees was outstanding regarding content, organization and varied live-surgery demonstrations.

So, we will "push the envelop" again in 2016. This 2nd edition will feature most demanding surgical cases in the field of endoscopic surgery of the sinuses, skull base and orbit. The successful formula remains unchanged: only live surgery on the most technically challenging cases, no standard lectures, no frills.

During this two day race, live surgery will be performed by a dual team of rhinoneuroendoscopists and neurosurgeons (Paolo Castelnovo and Davide Locatelli from University Hospital of Varese; Ricardo Carrau and Daniel Prevedello from Ohio State University Medical Center in Columbus).

The main aim of combining extreme cases in an arena is to improve patient care. The gathering of top experts to solve demanding surgical problems will provide new insights into these complex issues, and provide the patient with a unique opportunity to receive the best care on a world-class level.

eXIsa has been specifically designed to provide participants with a top-notch, intensive learning experience: through a constant interaction with the operating surgeons, participants will witness the finest details of pre-operative analysis and game plan, the intra-operative decision-making process, and the surgical solutions for those specific cases.

eXIsa 2016 will also give the attendees the opportunity to visit the World Heritage Sites in Varese, and take trips to the stunning Lakes Como and Maggiore, and one of the most shining pearls of Italy, the glamorous city of Milan.

We look forward to having you in Varese for a truly innovative and highly thrilling educational event

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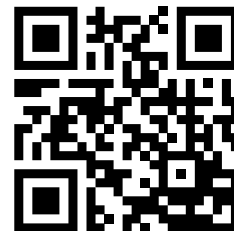
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Programme at-a-glance

THURSDAY, MARCH 17

7:30 am - Welcome and introduction. Rationale of eXlsa.

8:00 am - Today's cases.
Pre-op work up & decision making.
Points of difficulty and sources of possible mistakes. Game plan.

8:30 am - 6:30 pm **LIVE SURGERY SESSION***

7:00 pm - The day in review / Adjour

FRIDAY, MARCH 18

7:30 am - Today's cases.
Pre-op work up & decision making.
Points of difficulty and sources of possible mistakes. Game plan.

8:30 am - 6:30 pm **LIVE SURGERY SESSION***

7:00 pm - Take home messages.
What have we all learnt from eXlsa 2016? - Closure

*The live-surgery programme may be changed depending on the availability of cases.

- After each case, the audience will have the opportunity to ask questions directly from the surgeon(s).
- Participants are encouraged to submit difficult cases of their own practice to be discussed with the experts.
- Interactive discussion on surgical techniques and video-presentations are scheduled in-between the live-surgery cases.
- A coffee station (including finger-food and beverages) will be open in mid-morning and mid-afternoon hours
- Lunch will be served after 1:00 pm

Registration Form



COMPLETE IN BLOCK CAPITALS AND FAX OR EMAIL TO:
E-mail: extremesurgery@mzcongressi.com / Fax: +39026686699

Family Name _____

First Name _____

Vat Number (only for European attendees, when available) _____

Specialty _____

Zip Code / City / Country _____

Street _____ E-mail _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

PLEASE ISSUE THE INVOICE TO (to be filled in case of different address from the one above indicated)

- **Regular rate** Euros 750,00 (614,75 + 22% vat)
 - **Member Italian Academy of Rhinology** Euros 600,00 (491,80 + 22% vat)
 - **Young Physician** Euros 450,00 (368,85 + 22% vat)
- (under 35 years) (copy of ID to be provided when registering)

The on-site registrations will be subject to a supplement of Euros 100,00

PAYMENT MODALITIES

a) **CREDIT CARD** (we accept VISA, MASTERCARD, AMEX)

Cardholder's Name Signature

Card Number: _____

Expiration date: / Amount to be charged: Euro

b) BANK TRANSFER

Account name: MZ Congressi s.r.l.
Bank name: Banca Intesa San Paolo
IBAN: IT 47 V 03069 09474 000011960146
BIC (Swift): BCITITMMXXX
Reference: "Family Name/First Name of the participant – eXlsa 2016"

- Personal cheques are not accepted.
- All bank expenses are to be paid by the forwarder. Unpaid bank charges must be paid cash at the registration desk.
- A photocopy of your bank transfer together with the Registration Form has to be faxed (+39026686699) or Emailed to extremesurgery@mzcongressi.com. A confirmation will be sent after the fees have been cashed. In order to facilitate on site-management, participants are kindly requested to bring the confirmation letter to the registration desk.

REGISTRATION FEE

Registration fee includes: • tuition • CME credits • certificate(s) of attendance • coffee-breaks • buffet lunches

REFUND POLICY

If a written request is received before 27.01.2016 a 50% refund will be allowed. After this date no refund is due. All refunds will be handled after the course.

CANCELLATION POLICY

In the unusual circumstance that the meeting is cancelled, two weeks notice will be given and tuition will be refunded in full. The Organizers are not responsible for any airfare, hotel or other costs incurred.

Date

Signature