

# ADVANCED PANCREATIC SURGERY

## Medical Expert Training

Umeå, Sweden, 18-20 March 2024





## INTRODUCTION

Over recent years, pancreatic surgery has undergone a remarkable transformation, expanding its scope and enhancing its efficacy.

Surgery is the sole curative option for patients diagnosed with pancreatic cancer. However, prior to chemo(radio)therapy, only a limited number of patients were deemed eligible for primary resection. The incorporation of multi-agent chemotherapy has significantly broadened the range of patients eligible for surgery, now encompassing an increasing number of individuals with vascular involvement. In this context, vascular resections have increasingly become an integral component of the skill set that contemporary pancreatic surgeons must possess.



## CONCEPT

The primary objective of this course is to facilitate peer-to-peer discussions within small and interactive groups, guided by a multidisciplinary team at a tertiary center in the northern half of Sweden. Participants will have the unique opportunity to exchange knowledge through own case demonstrations, exercise, discuss and observe various surgical techniques during hands-on surgical training and live surgery, and navigate the challenges associated with advanced pancreatic surgical procedures.

The overarching aim is to collaboratively share and discuss invaluable tips and tricks pertaining to pancreatic surgery with vascular resections and the management of complications.



## PRELIMINARY AGENDA

### DAY ONE

08:00 - 08:20	Pancreatic Surgery and surgical techniques	<i>Asif Halimi</i>
08:20 - 08:40	Oncological therapies in pancreatic cancer	<i>Daniel Öhlund</i>
08:40 - 09:00	Minimal invasive pancreatic surgery	<i>Ioannis Gkekias</i>
09:00 - 09:30	Coffee and changing	
09:30 - 17:00	Operation theater	<i>Whipple</i>
Assistance change during lunch break		

### DAY TWO

08:00 - 08:20	Step-by-step venous resection	<i>Chiara Scandavini</i>
08:20 - 09:00	Radiology from a surgeon's perspective	<i>Asif Halimi</i>
09:00 - 09:20	Perioperative care from an anesthesiologists perspective	<i>Mats Lindell</i>
09:20 - 10:00	Coffee and changing	
10:00 - 18:00	Surgical training center	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hands-on training in vascular surgery with porcine vessels</li> <li>Hands-on training with 3D pancreatic models</li> </ul>	
Lunch break and own case discussions		
19:00	Dinner	

### DAY THREE

08:00 - 08:30	Endoscopists role in pancreatic surgery	<i>Urban Arnelo</i>
08:30 - 09:00	Surgical endoscopy	<i>Roberto Valente</i>
09:00 - 09:30	Coffee and changing	
09:30 - 17:00	Operation theater	<i>Whipple</i>
14:30	The End. It is volunteer to stay until the final procedure is done, but taxis to airport are booked at 14:50	



## FACULTY

- Dr Asif Halimi, MD, FACS
- Dr Roberto Valente, MD, PhD
- Dr Urban Arnelo, MD, PhD, FACS
- Dr Ioannis Gkekas, MD, PhD
- Dr Chiara Scandavini, MD, FACS
- Dr Daniel Öhlund, MD, PhD
- Mats Lindell, MD, PhD



## TARGET GROUP

Specialists in general surgery with interest in pancreatic surgery



## TIME AND PLACE

18-20 March 2024 at Umeå University Hospital, Daniel Naezéns väg, Umeå, Sweden.



## COURSE FEE

Course fee is 2 000 SEK (170€). The fee includes documentation, lunches, transportation between hotel and hospital, dinner day 2 and hotel accomodation for 3 nights. Note that booking is binding.



## COURSE RESPONSIBLE

Dr Asif Halimi, Umeå University Hospital.



## HOTEL INFORMATION

Rooms are prebooked at Scandic Plaza Umeå, Storgatan 40, 903 26 Umeå. Three nights accomodation are included in the course fee.



## NOTE

The number of participants is limited to 6.



## MORE INFORMATION

Please contact Annika Johansson at Olympus Sweden: phone: +46 8 735 34 66, email: annika.johansson@olympus.com.



**Registration:** Please register via our course portal Olympus continuum, <https://continuum.olympusprofed.com/>, or scan the QR-code and register directly via your mobile phone.