

# EDUCATIONAL COURSE FOR UROGYNECOLOGISTS AND COLORECTAL SURGEONS ON THE POSTERIOR COMPARTMENT OF THE PELVIC FLOOR

**PADOVA** November 22-23, 2013  
Università degli Studi di Padova

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## Friday, November 22

### Cadaver Pre-Course: Pelvic Floor Anatomy

- 14.00 Registration  
14.30-15.30 Introduction to the pelvic floor anatomy and the Integral Theory System (ITS)  
15.30-18.30 Practical session for surgical techniques

## Saturday, November 23

- 08.00 Registration  
08.15 Course Presentation  
**Lectures:**  
08.30-09.00 Pelvic Floor Anatomy  
09.00-10.00 Pelvic Floor Physiology, the Integral Theory System  
10.00-10.30 Diagnosis: Ultrasound, ABS, Solid Sphere Test, Trifunction  
10.30-10.45 Coffee Break

- 10.45-13.00 **Workshop: Surgery for genital POP**  
- laparoscopic / robotic assisted approaches  
- fascial transvaginal procedures  
- prosthetic transvaginal procedures  
- Tissue Fixation System (TFS)  
13.00-14.00 *Lunch*  
Video presentations on surgical techniques and on-line anatomy  
14.00-15.30 **Round Table: Comparison of Surgical Procedures in POP**  
Results, complications, legal aspects  
15.30-16.30 **Interactive lectures: Surgery of Rectal Prolapses and total POP**  
16.30-16.45 *Coffee Break*  
16.45-17.15 **Rectovaginal Fistula Surgery**  
17.15-17.45 **Sacral Neuro Stimulation for pain and functional disorders after pelvic floor surgery**  
17.45-18.30 **Final interactive overview of the Integral Theory System and practical applications**

Professor Peter Petros (Sydney, Australia) will give important contributions to the meeting. The Integral System is a total care system which states that POP, bladder & anorectal dysfunctions mainly arise from lax suspensory ligaments. Through the Integral Theory System (ITS) the dynamic anatomy translates to practical clinical management (dysfunction, diagnosis, surgical and non-surgical management of conditions such as urgency, nocturia, pelvic pain, abnormal emptying, constipation and idiopathic fecal incontinence).

The meeting will contribute substantially to the understanding of the following: anatomical mechanisms of causation for pelvic floor damage related to pregnancy, evidence-based management of female urinary incontinence, anatomical basis for obstetric fecal incontinence, female sexual dysfunctions and chronic pelvic pain syndromes.

## Registration fee:

- € 200,00 + Vat (Sipuf Member) • € 400,00 + Vat (Non-Member)

The registration fee includes access to the Course, coffee breaks, lunch and gala dinner (November, 22<sup>nd</sup>).

Overnight stay in 4\* hotel € 130,00 + Vat.

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(Fee registration: Members € 50,00 / Residents members € 25,00)

Only for 15 participants there is the possibility to enter the Anatomy Room with a surcharge of € 100,00 + Vat per person.



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