

Minimally Invasive Reconstruction & Aesthetics (MIRA) Symposium
11th International Breast Surgery Workshop & 7th World Consensus Conference on BIA-ALCL
"SAPIENZA" UNIVERSITY OF ROME, ITALY & MD ANDERSON CANCER CENTER, HOUSTON, TX, USA
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PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Minimally Invasive Reconstruction & Aesthetics (MIRA) Symposium - Thursday, 7 May

10:30	11:15	Registration	
11:15	11:30	Welcome Remarks - Clemens M. W., Santanelli di Pompeo F., D'Andrea F.	
11:30	13:15	SESSION 1 - From Less Invasive to More Preservative in Aesthetic Breast Surgery	
		Session Lead: D'Andrea F. - Moderators: Baynosa R., Faenza M.	
11:30	11:45	Minimal Invasive Access: Precision and Control, the Case for Inframammary Augmentation	Basu B.
11:45	12:00	Step By Step: Minimally Invasive Surgical Technique in Augmentation	Randquist C.
12:00	12:15	TBD	TBD
12:15	12:30	Thoughts, Ideas & Implications in Minimally Invasive, Ligament Preserving, Breast Augmentation	van Der Lei B.
12:30	12:45	The Less You Do the Better: Patient Selection and Preop Planning	Stan C.
12:45	13:00	Minimal Invasive Access: Hidden Scars, the Case for Transaxillary Augmentation	Munhoz A.
13:00	13:15	TBD	Taimur S.
13:15	14:15	Lunch	

14:15	15:15	VIDEO SESSION 2 - Minimally Invasive Robotic Assisted Approaches	
		Session Lead: Rocco N. - Moderators: Munhoz A., Toia F.	
14:15	14:25	Reimagination of Nipple Sparing Mastectomy: a Variety of Mini-Invasive Solutions	Sarfati B.
14:25	14:35	Workhorse of the Future: Robotic Assisted Latissimus Dorsi Flap	Clemens M.W.
14:35	14:45	Scarless, Seamless, Robotic: the New Era of Minimally Invasive Reconstruction	Shuck J.
14:45	14:55	Single Port Robotic Mastectomy and Immediate Breast Reconstruction	Toesca A.
14:55	15:05	Current Data, Credentialing, & Ensuring Safety in Robotic Surgery	Baynosa R.
15:05	15:15	The Convergence of AI & Robotics	Schwarz G.
15:15	17:00	SESSION 3 - Controversies and Crossroads in Breast Surgery	
		Session Lead: Grimaldi L. - Moderators: van Der Lei B., xxxx	
15:15	15:30	Beyond the Scar: Advancing Quality of Life in Breast Reconstruction	Barone M.
15:30	15:45	Small-Scar Breast Reduction for Big Results	Toia F.
15:45	16:00	Oncoplastic breast reduction and nipple-sparing mastectomy. What is the best approach?	Cardoso A.
16:00	16:15	Less Invasive, Highly Effective: the Power of Imap and Micap Flaps	Nahabedian M.
16:15	16:30	Preserving Mastectomy Flaps Perfusion: Which Is the Best Approach?	Rocco N.
16:30	16:45	My Most Challenging Cases: Nipple Sparing Mastectomy in Large and Ptotic Breasts	Colwell A.
16:45	17:00	Breast Replacement and Integration with Fat Augmented TRAM Flap	Nguyen D. T.
17:00	17:05	Adjournment	
17:05	18:00	Welcome Reception	

11th International Breast Surgery Workshop - Friday, 8 May			
8:30	10:15	SESSION 4 - Mastering Implants to Shape Aesthetic Outcomes	
		Session Lead: Garvey P. - Moderators: Barone M., Stan C.	
8:30	8:45	Round Control: Implant Exchange via the Circumareolar Approach	Schonauer F.
8:45	9:00	Removal to Renewal: Approaches to Explantation and Soft Tissue Remodelling	Giunta R.
9:00	9:15	TBD	TBD
9:15	9:30	Patient Participation to Implant Size Selection: Analysis of 1840 Primary Breast Augmentations	Kolasinski J.
9:30	9:45	Cracks Beneath the Surface: Understanding Implant Rupture and its Implications	Herly M.
9:45	10:00	From Anatomic to Round Implants: What Do You Need to Know ?	Stan C.
10:00	10:15	TBD	Grimaldi L.
10:15	10:45	Coffee Break	
10:45	12:15	SESSION 5 - Controversies and Crossroads in Breast Reconstruction	
		Session Lead: Schonauer F. - Moderators: Colwell A., Di Benedetto G.	
10:45	11:00	Prepectoral Reconstruction Debate: Stability Without Mesh, the Case for Polyurethane Implants	Cagli B.
11:00	11:15	Prepectoral Reconstruction Debate: Control Through Coverage, the Case for Adm and Implants	Berna G.
11:15	11:30	Radiotherapy in Reconstruction Debate: Strategies for Autologous Tissue Transfer	Trignano E.
11:30	11:45	Radiotherapy in Reconstruction Debate: a Clear Autologous Advantage	Garvey P.
11:45	12:00	The Perforator Planning Debate: Mind'S Eye, Visual Triggers and Cortical Logic In Flap Planning	Santanelli di Pompeo F.
12:00	12:15	The Perforator Planning Debate: Augmented Reality and the Future of Perforator Mapping	Momeni A.
12:15	12:30	Welcome Remarks Authorities	
12:30	13:30	Lunch	

13:30	15:00	VIDEO SESSION 6 - Pearls, Techniques, and Surgical Innovation in Aesthetic and Reconstructive Breast Surgery	
		Session Lead: Persichetti P. - Moderators: Cervelli V., Panetta N.	
13:30	13:40	The Fix Nip to the Nipple for a Comprehensive Breast Reconstruction	Riccio M.
13:40	13:50	Optimizing the Circumflex Scapular Vessels: Stepwise Approach to Flap Readiness	Sorotos M.
13:50	14:00	Reviving the Omentum: Flap-Based Solutions for Lymphedema Management	Chu C.
14:00	14:10	Integrating Lymphatic Surgery: Emerging Concepts	Schaverien M.
14:10	14:20	TBD	Ulrich D.
14:20	14:30	Prepectoral Conversion in Revisional Reconstructive Breast Surgery: a Step-By-Step Approach	Evans G.
14:30	14:40	Pap Flap Planning and Surgical Dissection	Figus A.
14:40	14:50	Composite Breast Reconstruction: Challenging Aspects	Harder Y.
14:50	15:00	Never Settle for "Good Enough": Optimizing DIEPs with Secondary Augmentations & Lifts	Dayicioglu D.
15:00	16:45	SESSION 7 - Innovations in Breast Reconstruction: From Perfusion to Precision	
		Session Lead: Rubino C. - Moderators: Jecan R. C., Momeni A.	
15:00	15:15	Prophylactic Venous Supercharging in Deep Inferior Epigastric Artery Perforator Flap Surgery	Lombardo R.
15:15	15:30	DIEP in the Danger Zone: Managing Risk in Radiated Breast Fields	Brunetti B.
15:30	15:45	ICG Fluorescence to Guide Flap Assessment and Mastectomy Skin Management	Venturi M.
15:45	16:00	Vein Drainage and DIEP Flap Perfusion	Rubino C.
16:00	16:15	Early Perfusion Dynamics in DIEP Flaps: the First 72 Hours of Recovery	Giunta R.
16:15	16:30	TBD	Panetta N.
16:30	16:45	Quantifying Perfusion: the Role of Intraoperative Imaging in Flap Viability	Nahabedian M.
16:45	16:50	Adjournment	
20:30		Conference Dinner	

11th International Breast Surgery Workshop - Saturday, 9 May

8:30	10:00	SESSION 8 - Debates on Controversies and Crossroads in Breast Aesthetics	
		Session Lead: Giudice G. - Moderators: Berna G., McCulley S.	
8:30	8:45	Breast Augmentation Subfascial Plane: Muscle Matters	Majo F.
8:45	9:00	Breast Augmentation Subglandular Plane: Direct, Defined, and Less Disruptive	Stepic N.
9:00	9:15	Tuberous Breast, Implant Correction: Precision, Projection, and Predictability	McCulley S.
9:15	9:30	Tuberous Breast, Autologous-Based Correction: Natural Contour Through Fat and Flap	Abboud N.
9:30	9:45	Breast Asymmetry: Implant-Based Correction, Predictability	Munhoz A.
9:45	10:00	Breast Asymmetry Debate: Autologous-Based Correction, Tailored Harmony	Berrino P.
10:00	10:30	Coffee Break	
10:30	12:15	SESSION 9 - What Keeps Us Up at Night: The Greatest Reconstructive Challenges	
		Session Lead: Taimur S. - Moderators: Pignatti M., Brown C.	
10:30	10:45	DTI for Nearly Every Patient	Colwell A.
10:45	11:00	The Italian Multicenter Study: Defining Outcomes of Radiotherapy in Implant-Based Reconstruction	Vindigni V.
11:00	11:15	Prepectoral Reconstruction of Large and Ptotic Breast: What Do We Expect from It?	Di Benedetto G.
11:15	11:30	Explantation and Mastopexy - Strategies and Techniques in Cosmetic and Cancer Settings	McCulley S.
11:30	11:45	Management of the GLP1 Breast	Basu B.
11:45	12:00	Immediate Nerve Repair and Mastectomy Reinnervation	Roubaud M.
12:00	12:15	Infected Implant: When and What To Do	Momeni A.
12:15	12:20	Adjournment	
12:20	13:10	Lunch	

7th World Consensus Conference on BIA-ALCL - Saturday, 9 May

13:10	13:15	Opening Remarks and Program presentation - Clemens M. W., Santanelli di Pompeo F.	
13:15	15:00	SESSION 1 - Breast Implant Safety: Evidence and Evolution	
		Session Lead: Marchetti P. - Moderators: Ulrich D., xxxx	
13:15	13:30	Preclinical Perspectives on Implant Safety: a Systematic Review of Animal Models	Mares T.
13:30	13:45	Do Patient Characteristics & Comorbidities Influence BIA-ALCL Likelihood?	Santanelli di Pompeo F.
13:45	14:00	The Capsule in Focus: Translational Discoveries Shaping Implant Safety	Sorotos M.
14:00	14:15	Personalized Risk: Genetic Determinants of BIA-ALCL	Di Napoli A.
14:15	14:30	Breast Implants Elicit Local and Systemic Immune Response: Evidence for Breast Cancer Immunosurveillance	Fracol M.
14:30	14:45	Drivers of Capsular Contracture: Biofilm	TBD
14:45	15:00	The Forgotten Silicone Leakage: a Potential Strong Driver of Capsula Contracture	Herly M.
15:00	16:30	SESSION 2 - Controversies and Crossroads in BIA-ALCL	
		Session Lead: Evans G. - Moderators: Di Napoli A., Nahabedian M.	
15:00	15:15	BIA-ALCL: International Patterns and Evolving Global Insights	Firmani G.
15:15	15:30	Follow-up Strategies for Breast Implant Patients	Kolasinski J.
15:30	15:45	Management of Capsule in Patients with Textured Implants	Berrino P.
15:45	16:00	TBD	TBD
16:00	16:15	Diagnosis Only in Seroma: Does it Count as BIA-ALCL?	Ulrich D.
16:15	16:30	From Diagnosis to Cure: Multimodal Management of Advanced BIA-ALCL	Clemens M.W.

16:30	18:15	Session 3 - National Ethics, Clinical Trials and Advanced Therapies in BIA-ALCL	
		Moderators: Santanelli di Pompeo F., Clemens M.W.	
16:30	16:40	AAPS Secretary	Evans G.
16:40	16:50	ASPS President	Basu B.
16:50	17:00	EURAPS President	Edsander-Nord Å.
17:00	17:10	ESPRAS	TBD
17:10	17:20	SICPRE President	Bassetto F.
17:20	17:30	UEMS President	Portincasa A.
17:30	17:40	CEN-ATMP President	Poscia R.
17:40	18:10	Q&A	
18:10	18:15	Closing Remarks - Clemens M.W., Santanelli di Pompeo F.	