

VIRTUAL EVENT

**HUMANITAS**  
SIMULATION CENTER

# MEET EXCELLENCE

*A unique virtual event giving you  
the opportunity to meet up face-to-face  
with one of the faculty experts*

Under the patronage of:



**Course Director**  
Prof. Alessandro Zerbi

## **SESSION 1 (duration 2 hours)**

- » **Lecture on pre-operative prophylaxes in pancreatic surgery**
- » **Lecture on post-operative management based on ICH-ERAS protocols**
- » **Short videos showing the main critical aspects of pancreatoduodenectomy**
  - patient positioning and incision
  - Kocher manoeuvre and SMA exposure
  - SVM isolation
  - hepatic hilum dissection and lymphadenectomy
  - pancreas transection
  - uncinate process and mesopancreas dissection
  - accessory right HA preservation
  - pancreato-jejunal anastomosis
  - round ligament interposition
  - biliary and digestive anastomosis
  - drains positioning
- » **Short videos showing the main critical aspects of laparoscopic distal pancreatectomy**
  - patient positioning and port placement
  - exposure of the pancreas
  - isolation of splenic vein
  - isolation of splenic artery
  - pancreas transection
  - splenic vessels preservation
  - specimen removal
  - drains positioning

## **SESSION 2 - Meet the Expert!**

*Book your one hour personal meeting with a faculty member to discuss the video topics.*

## **SESSION 3 - Group meeting**

*3 group meetings of approximately one hour to share and compare experiences and discuss different topics with Prof. Zerbi and his team, also available to answer questions from participants.*

### **Date meetings**

- May 19<sup>th</sup>
- September 15<sup>th</sup>
- December 1<sup>st</sup>



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## Background

The pandemic era that we are presently experiencing makes it even more difficult than before to create hands-on-courses and to teach pancreatic surgery. This online course offers the chance to learn from finely detailed videos, and direct interaction with highly experienced pancreatic surgeons. Participants can access lectures showing our detailed pre and post-operative management in pancreatic surgery, alongside long, high-quality videos on both open and laparoscopic pancreatic resections. After watching the videos, participants can book a one-hour meeting with a member of the pancreatic surgery team for explanations and a discussion. Additionally, 3 one-hour virtual summary meetings between all participants and Professor Zerbi will be arranged.

## Participants

The course is made up of a theoretical part as an e-learning course on our platform, an individual meeting with one of the faculty members and 3 live group meetings where Prof. Zerbi and his team will discuss different topics and be available to answer questions from participants.

## REGISTRATION FEE

350,00 euros + VAT  
(427,00 euros VAT included)

## HOW TO REGISTER

Registration is possible online at  
[www.humanitasedu.it](http://www.humanitasedu.it)



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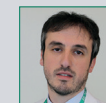
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The "Meet Excellence" course has been accredited and was granted 2 CME Credits for the e-learning part. Credits will be awarded only after the completion of the evaluation questionnaire and the test.



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