

## INVITATION

Dear colleagues,

I cordially invite you to the second annual Expert Meeting on Laser Applications in Thoracic Surgery.

Optimal treatment of our patients deserves optimal technical equipment. This is especially true in patients with lung metastasis. In more or less every one of these patients we encounter a different situation. This ranges from simple wedge resections to complex resections in cases of multiple metastases or metastases which are in the vicinity of the central vascular and bronchial structures of the lung. With the LIMAX Laser we now have an optimal instrument which allows us to dissect the lung parenchyma in a superior fashion.

Furthermore, the LIMAX Laser is also applicable for endotracheal and endobronchial problems, making it an interesting tool which is useful in many different clinical situations and applications.

The aim of our workshop is to demonstrate the usefulness of the laser technology for pulmonary diseases, using either open or VATS techniques. On the first full day we will have an introduction into laser technology and the theoretical aspects of pulmonary metastasectomy. On the second (half) day all participants will have the opportunity to work in the wet-lab with the laser equipment.

We wish all participants an interesting and fruitful insight into the state-of-the-art technique of the resection of pulmonary metastases and shall provide ample opportunity for discussions with colleagues from different NHS Trusts.

Apostolos Nakas  
Scientific Director

## PROGRAM

### Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2018

Venue Coombe Abbey Country House Hotel

9.30 Registration

9.45 Welcome

10.00 Basics of Laser Safety (Core of Knowledge)

11.00 Coffee

11.30 An Introduction to the LIMAX Laser

12.00 Surgical Applications of the LIMAX Laser

12.30 Lunch

1.45 Clinical Application of the LIMAX Laser in Metastasectomy

2.15 VATS Applications of the LIMAX Laser

2.45 Endobronchial Applications #1

3.15 Coffee

3.45 Endobronchial Applications #2

4.15 Q&A

7.30 Dinner

### Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> July 2018

Venue West Midlands Surgical Training Centre  
(Transfer from hotel by own car or Minibus)

8.45 Registration

9.00 Practical Hands-on Using the LIMAX Laser on Pig Lungs and Tracheas

12.00 Depart

## REGISTRATION

I hereby accept your invitation to the "Expert Meeting on Laser Applications in Thoracic Surgery" being held in Coventry on 6<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> July' 18. Please register 1 person.

### Workshop Fee: £195 + VAT (Total £234)

This fee includes: Practical exercises in the wet-labs, lectures, certificate, dinner on the Friday evening, other catering during the workshop, hotel accommodation on the 6<sup>th</sup> July, breakfast on the 7<sup>th</sup> July, transfer to the wet-labs on the 7<sup>th</sup> July (if required).

Attendance is limited. Applicants are accepted on a first-come first-served basis.

### General Terms & Conditions

Attendees are accepted on the order that their written registration applications are received. Attendance at the workshop can only be reserved after complete receipt of the payment. Cancellations are possible up to 6 weeks prior to the start of the workshop but a handling fee of £60 will be charged. Subsequently, there will be no refunds.

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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### Locations:

#### Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2018

Coombe Abbey Country House Hotel  
Brinklow Rd, Coventry, CV3 2AB

#### Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> July 2018

West Midlands Surgical Training Centre  
Clifford Bridge Rd, Coventry CV2 2HJ

### Faculty:

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### Education:

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## 2nd LIMAX WORKSHOP

6<sup>th</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> July 2018



## Expert Meeting on Laser Applications in Thoracic Surgery

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