

NEW FRONTIERS IN PEDIATRIC SURGERY



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COURSE DIRECTORS *Ciro Esposito (IT), Mario Mendoza Sagaon (CH)*
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COURSE PROGRAM

AI AND FETO-ENDOSCOPY

Expert for discussion: Maria Escolino (IT)

- Latest developments in artificial intelligence and machine learning models in general pediatric surgery – *Holger Till (DE)*
- Neural tube defect repair in feto-endoscopy: innovative approaches – *Sabine Irtan (FR)*

ROBOTICS

Expert for discussion: Louise Montalva (FR)

- Evolving role of robotic surgery in pediatric patients: advantages, limits and future prospects – *Ciro Esposito (IT)*
- Indication of robotics for thoracic pathologies – *Zafer Dokumcu (TR)*

NEWBORNS

Expert for discussion: Paul Philippe (LU)

- Laparoscopic procedure for Hirschsprung's disease: technique and long-term outcomes – *Arnaud Bonnard (FR)*
- Tips and tricks in the laparoscopic treatment of duodenal atresia – *Fabio Chiarenza (IT)*

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