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IBUS Module 1 Workshop

Introduction of Bowel Ultrasonography
Intestinal Ultrasonography



Houston, TX, USA – March 20th – 22nd, 2025

Welcome!

Dear Colleagues,

Welcome to the International Bowel Ultrasound hands-on workshop "Introduction to intestinal ultrasonography".

This IBUS workshop, which is the 1st module of the IBUS Curriculum, has been developed by a group of international experts in IBD and intestinal ultrasound (IUS), involving presentations, video cases, and hands-on sessions. You will learn about the basics of intestinal ultrasound (IUS) and the role of IUS in diagnosis, follow-up of treatment, and complications in IBD.

After this workshop, you will have basic knowledge on the use of IUS in clinical practice and be ready for further training in Module 2 and 3 of the IBUS Curriculum.

We are looking forward to meeting you in Houston!

Best wishes,
Bincy P. Abraham

Local organizer of the workshop on behalf of the non-profit association
International Bowel Ultrasound Group e.V.



Thursday, March 20th

Evening Symposium

- 16:30 - 17:00** Registration + Welcome coffee
- 17:00 - 17:15** **Welcome and Introduction Round**
Bincy Abraham, Krisztina Gecse
- 17:15 - 17:35** **Role of IUS in Management of IBD; treat to target, changing paradigm; more centers; clinical utility**
David Rubin (recorded)
- 17:35 - 17:55** **How did we get here? History of IUS in IBD**
Christian Maaser
- 17:55 - 18:15** **What to expect from the course and early steps to take**
Bincy Abraham
- 18:15 - 18:20** **Conclude evening symposium**
Bincy Abraham
- 18:30 - 20:30** Dinner



Day 1 – Friday, March 21st

08:00 - 08:30	Registration and Breakfast	13:00 -13:45	Lunch
08:30 - 08:45	Welcome Bincy Abraham, Krisztina Gecse	13:45 -14:15	What's hot, what's not? IUS in UC Federica Furfaro
08:45 - 09:15	Pre-Course Test Kerri Glassner, Malcolm Irani	14:20 -15:10	Hands on #3: UC patients
09:15 - 09:45	The Basics I: How to perform IUS and what to look for Christian Maaser	15:15 -15:45	Complications Bincy Abraham
09:45 - 10:15	The Basics II: How to optimize image acquisition Noa Krugliak Cleveland	15:45 -16:00	Coffee break
10:15 - 10:30	Coffee break	16:00 -16:50	Hands-on #4: Video Library - Complications
10:30 - 11:30	Hands on #1: Healthy volunteers	16:55 -17:25	IUS in post surgical patients Mariangela Allocca
11:35 - 12:05	What's hot, what's not? IUS in (uncomplicated) CD Kerri Novak	17:25 -17:45	IUS in pediatrics & pregnancy Michael Dolinger
12:10 - 13:00	Hands on #2: CD Patients	17:45 -18:00	Conclude Day 1 Bincy Abraham
		19:00 -20:30	Dinner



Day 2 – Saturday, March 22nd

08:30 - 09:00	Breakfast	13:55 - 14:45	Hands-on #7: Video Library - non-IBD
09:00 - 09:30	Standardizing documentation and scoring Krisztina Gecse	14:50 -15:20	Panel discussion: Perspectives on Launching an IUS Program Faculty members
09:30 - 10:00	Perineal ultrasound Torsten Kucharzik	15:20 -15:35	Coffee break
10:05 - 10:55	Hands on #5: IBD monitoring (more practice for UC)	15:35 -16:25	Hands-on #8: Team Challenge
10:55 - 11:10	Coffee break	16:30 -16:50	iUSCAN Noa Krugliak Cleveland, Michael Dolinger
11:10 - 11:40	Intramural/extramural findings in CD Federica Furfaro	16:50 -17:10	IBUS Curriculum - what's next? Torsten Kucharzik
11:45 - 12:35	Hands-on #6: Video Library - General IBD cases	17:10 -17:40	Post-course test Kerri Glassner, Malcolm Irani
12:35 - 13:20	Lunch break	17:40 -17:50	Closing remarks Bincy Abraham
13:20 - 13:50	Not all you see with IUS is IBD! Mariangella Allocca	17:50 -20:30	Farewell dinner

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