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ULTRASOUND GROUP

IBUS Module 1 Workshop

Introduction of Bowel Ultrasonography Intestinal Ultrasonography



Bucharest, Romania, June 5th – 6th, 2026

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 to Bucharest!

Best wishes,
Dr. Anda Les

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



Friday, June 5th

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| 08:00 - 08:30 | Registration + Welcome coffee | 12:45 - 13:30 | Lunch |
| 08:30 - 08:45 | Welcome and Introduction
Anda Les, Federica Furfaro | 13:30 - 14:00 | IUS in CD
Heba Al Farhan |
| 08:45 - 09:15 | Pre-course test
Roxana Saizu | 14:05 - 14:55 | Hands-on #2: IUS in CD |
| 09:15 - 09:45 | Bowel ultrasound in the treat to target era
Liana Gheorghe | 15:00 - 15:30 | IUS in CD
Cristina Bezzio |
| 09:45 - 10:00 | Break | 15:35 - 16:25 | Hands-on #3: IUS in UC |
| 10:00 - 10:15 | Presentation from Gold Sponsor | 16:30 - 16:45 | Coffee Break |
| 10:15 - 10:45 | Beginner's Guide: How to set the machine | 16:45 - 17:15 | Complications in IBD
Anda Les |
| 10:45 - 11:15 | Beginner's Guide: How to perform IUS – Normal findings
Marios Katsaros | 17:15 - 18:15 | Hands-on #4: IUS and complications in IBD – Video Library Session |
| 11:20 - 12:40 | Hands-on #1: How to set the machine/ Normal findings | 18:15 - 18:30 | Closing Day 1 |
| | | 19:00 - 21:30 | Dinner |



Saturday, June 6th

- 08:00 - 08:15** Welcome coffee
- 08:15 - 08:45** **Scoring system in CD and UC**
Maria Rocio Plaza
- 08:45 - 09:15** **Complicated IUS examinations with Tips and Tricks**
Heba Al Farhan
- 09:15 - 09:45** **Post-surgical IUS**
Juliane Buchkremer
- 09:45 - 10:00** Coffee Break
- 10:05 - 10:55** **Hands-on #5: General IBD patients**
- 11:00 - 11:15** **Presentation from Gold Sponsor**
- 11:15 - 11:45** **Monitoring IBD patients**
Roxana Saizu
- 11:50 - 12:40** **Hands-on #6: Monitoring IBD and non IBD patients**
- 12:45 - 13:30** Lunch

- 13:30 - 14:00** **Not all you see is IBD**
Frauke Petersen
- 14:00 - 15:00** **Hands-on #7: Non-IBD intestinal pathology-
Video Library Session**
- 15:00 - 15:30** **Perianal ultrasound**
Federica Furfaro
- 15:30 - 16:00** **Standardized documentation and reporting**
Katarina Mitrova
- 16:00 - 16:15** Coffee Break
- 16:20 - 17:10** **Hands-on #8: Team Challenge**
- 17:15 - 17:50** **Post-course test**
Roxana Saizu
- 17:50 - 18:10** **IBUS Curriculum - what's next?**
Federica Furfaro
- 18:10 - 18:20** **Closing remarks**
Anda Les, Federica Furfaro
- 18:20 - 20:00** Farewell reception

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in alphabetical order

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