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# OAGB-MGB

## Euro MasterClass

### 2019/2020



Course Directors

**Mario Musella**

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# Invitation

## Dear Friends and Colleagues,

just a few lines to introduce you a new teaching project in bariatric surgery, the OAGB/MGB Euro Masterclass. The project has been designed at an international level by a group of surgeons working in the southern part of Europe, especially skilled with the One anastomosis/Mini Gastric Bypass (OAGB/MGB). Aim of this Masterclass is the correct teaching of the OAGB/MGB. This is currently the third most performed bariatric procedure worldwide, with an impressively growing trend; nevertheless performing correctly the OAGB/MGB remains of paramount importance to avoid controversial results as recently reported. The school counts on 5 teaching centers and nine international Teachers. All attendees will be involved in the operative theatres of the nine centers at a hands on level. Also, an important faculty of invited experts will support the teaching activities with lectures, seminars, and relive video sessions. In this light, three major fields of interest regarding the OAGB/MGB have been identified:

- Primary Surgery vs Other Procedures
- OAGB/MGB technical variants
- Revisional Surgery and Technology

The first topic will focus on OAGB/MGB performed as primary surgery. The OAGB/MGB Teachers will deeply go through indications, surgical technique, tips&tricks and appropriate follow-up. The results different procedures (LSG, LAGB, RYGBP, SADI-S, etc) currently provide, will be compared to large and significant OAGB/MGB series, and discussed as well. Participants will have the chance to stay in the O.R. during the surgery in order to share practical activities from the patient preparation to the end of the procedure deeply going through each single step.

The second topic will focus on the difference between OAGB/MGB in both technical variants. All aspects will be analyzed and discussed to provide a detailed image of these procedures. Participants will have the chance to attend the O.R. during surgery in order to see the two different approaches, while sharing practical activities, from patient preparation to surgery and to postop controls, going through each single step.

The last argument will focus on OAGB/MGB performed as revisional surgery following previous bariatric interventions. Bariatric restrictive procedures, especially adjustable gastric banding and sleeve gastrectomy, are often followed by weight regain. In these cases OAGB/MGB has proven to be an ideal approach as redo surgery. Participants will have the chance to attend the O.R. during surgery in order to share practical activities, from patient preparation to surgery and to postop controls, going through each single step.

All the three topics are to be developed by the Teachers in three rounds of five meetings each, for a total number of fifteen teaching courses. Finally, a closing event is scheduled in Naples, Italy in June 2020.

In our opinion, this remains an excellent opportunity to learn all surgeons should know about the OAGB/MGB. We hope to find your interest.

**See you all in Portugal, Italy and Israel!!!**

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## Teachers

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Engineer & Founder of Co-Invention Enterprise

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## Meet the top

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# Program at a glance

## Procedure Training

(\*) Due to COVID-19, all the upcoming meetings have been postponed to January-March 2021

ROUND 1

Team 1	Team 2	Team 3	Team 4	Team 5
<b>25-26 November</b>	<b>7-8 November</b>	<b>4-5 November</b>	<b>18-19 November</b>	<b>14-15 November</b>
Montebelluna (TV), ITALY <i>Teachers:</i> <b>M. De Luca, A. Susa</b> Primary Surgery vs Other Procedures	Nazareth, ISRAEL <i>Teacher:</i> <b>N. Sakran</b> Primary Surgery vs Other Procedures	Montebelluna (TV), ITALY <i>Teachers:</i> <b>M. De Luca, K. Albanopoulos</b> Primary Surgery vs Other Procedures	Lisbon, PORTUGAL <i>Teacher:</i> <b>R. Ribeiro</b> Primary Surgery vs Other Procedures	Catania, ITALY <i>Teachers:</i> <b>L. Piazza, K. Albanopoulos</b> Primary Surgery vs Other Procedures

ROUND 2

<b>20-21 February</b>	<b>28-29 January 2021</b>	<b>13-14 February</b>	<b>20-21 February</b>	<b>1-2 February 2021</b>
Lisbon, PORTUGAL <i>Teachers:</i> <b>R. Ribeiro, M. Carbajo</b> OAGB/MGB Technical Variants	Catania, ITALY <i>Teachers:</i> <b>L. Piazza, G. Navarra</b> OAGB/MGB Technical Variants	Lisbon, PORTUGAL <i>Teachers:</i> <b>R. Ribeiro, M. Carbajo</b> OAGB/MGB Technical Variants	Nazareth, ISRAEL <i>Teachers:</i> <b>N. Sakran, H. Kais</b> Revisional Surgery and Technology	Lisbon, PORTUGAL <i>Teacher:</i> <b>R. Ribeiro</b> Revisional Surgery and Technology

ROUND 3

<b>11-12 February 2021</b>	<b>22-23 February 2021</b>	<b>25-26 February 2021</b>	<b>18-19 March 2021</b>	<b>18-19 March 2021</b>
Nazareth, ISRAEL <i>Teacher:</i> <b>N. Sakran</b> Revisional Surgery and Technology	Lisbon, PORTUGAL <i>Teacher:</i> <b>R. Ribeiro</b> Revisional Surgery and Technology	Nazareth, ISRAEL <i>Teacher:</i> <b>N. Sakran</b> Revisional Surgery and Technology	Naples, ITALY <i>Teachers:</i> <b>M. Musella, M. Carbajo</b> OAGB/MGB Technical Variants	Naples, ITALY <i>Teachers:</i> <b>M. Musella, M. Carbajo</b> OAGB/MGB Technical Variants

**CLOSING EVENT Naples (Italy), 19 March 2021**

**J.M. Chevallier, S.A. Shikora, A. Ramos**



**5 Teams**  
(6 participants each)

**3 Topics**

**9 Teachers**

<b>TOPIC A - PRIMARY SURGERY VS OTHER PROCEDURES</b>  Topic A will focus on OAGB/MGB as primary surgery. OAGB/MGB teachers will deeply go through indications, surgical technique, tips&tricks and appropriate follow-up. Several bariatric procedures are also currently endorsed by various national and international societies. Topic A will focus also on the results different procedures (LSG, LAGB, RYGBP, SADI-S, etc) currently provide, comparing these results with large and significant OAGB/MGB series. Participants will have the chance to stay in the O.R. during the surgery in order to share practical activities from the patient preparation to the end of the procedure deeply going through each single step.	<b>DAY 0</b>	Evening arrival	
	<b>DAY 1</b>	<b>08.30-18.00</b> (open light lunch from 12.30 to 14.30)	<b>08.30-8.40:</b> Welcome and Intro of Day 1
			<b>08.40-16.30:</b> Change and access to Operating Room. OAGB/MGB procedures performed as primary surgery <b>16.30-18.00:</b> Frontal lesson. OAGB/MGB as primary surgery and main bariatric procedures indications surgical technique, tips&tricks and comparison with other bariatric procedures
	<b>DAY 2</b>	<b>08.30-14.00</b> (open light lunch from 12.00 to 13.00)	<b>08.30-8.40:</b> Welcome and Intro of Day 2
<b>TOPIC B - OAGB/MGB TECHNICAL VARIANTS</b>  Although correctly considered as sister procedures, OAGB/MGB in both variants, the American one introduced by Rutledge in 2001, and the Spanish one introduced by Carbajo in 2005, present some differences. All differences will be analyzed in Topic B and discussed to provide a detailed image of these bariatric procedures. Participants will have the chance to stay in the O.R. during the surgery in order to share practical activities from the patient preparation to the end of the procedure deeply going through each single step.	<b>DAY 0</b>	Evening arrival	
	<b>DAY 1</b>	<b>08.30-18.00</b> (open light lunch from 12.30 to 14.30)	<b>08.30-8.40:</b> Welcome and Intro of Day 1
			<b>08.40-16.30:</b> Change and access to Operating Room. OAGB/MGB procedures performed <b>16.30-18.00:</b> Frontal lesson. OAGB/MGB Indications, Surgical technique, tips&tricks. Deep dive "Comparison between the two variants"
	<b>DAY 2</b>	<b>08.30-14.00</b> (open light lunch from 12.00 to 13.00)	<b>08.30-8.40:</b> Intro of Day 2
<b>TOPIC C - REVISIONAL SURGERY AND TECHNOLOGY</b>  Topic C will focus on OAGB/MGB performed as revisional surgery following previous bariatric interventions. Bariatric restrictive procedures, especially adjustable gastric banding and sleeve gastrectomy, are often followed by weight regain. In these cases OAGB/MGB has proven to be an ideal approach as redo surgery. Faculty will also go through a deep overview of the most advanced technologies available for re-do bariatric surgery. Participants will have the chance to stay in the O.R. during the surgery in order to share practical activities from the patient preparation to the end of the procedure deeply going through each single step.	<b>DAY 0</b>	Evening arrival	
	<b>DAY 1</b>	<b>08.30-18.00</b> (open light lunch from 12.30 to 14.30)	<b>08.30-8.40:</b> Welcome and Intro of Day 1
			<b>08.40-16.30:</b> Change and access to Operating Room. OAGB/MGB performed as revisional surgery <b>16.30-18.00:</b> Frontal lesson. OAGB/MGB, Surgical technique and tips&tricks in Revisional Surgery
	<b>DAY 2</b>	<b>08.30-14.00</b> (open light lunch from 12.00 to 13.00)	<b>08.30-8.40: Intro of Day 2</b>
<b>CLOSING EVENT</b>		<b>DAY 1</b>	
The Closing Event is the final step of the OAGB/MGB Euro MasterClass. All participants will take part to this session. Teachers and Guest Faculty will perform OAGB/MGB procedures going back to the main scientific matters covered during the whole Euro MasterClass. Participants will have the chance to stay in the O.R. during the surgery in order to share practical activities from the patient preparation to the end of the procedure deeply going through each single step.		<b>14.00-18.00:</b> OAGB/MGB procedures performed by Teachers and Guest Faculty	
		<b>18.00-19.00:</b> Going back to main EMC topics	
		<b>19.00-20.00:</b> OAGB/MGB present and future: different scenarios analysis	

# Participant Profile

Head of Dep or Reporting to Head of Dep

Self-reliant surgeon

Ambitious

Keen to get more and more self-reliance and visibility



Interested in bar one-anastomosis procedures

interested in joining a scientific international network

European and local bariatric scientific societies activities involved

Scientific empowerment

Fluent english



# Info

## Registration fee

**Registration fee: € 3.900,00** (22% VAT non included) to be paid 50% by October 30, 2019 and 50% by April 30, 2020

The registration fee includes:

- Admission to 3 rounds in 3 different surgery centers and one day closing event in Naples (Italy)
- 36 hours of practical activities and 9 hour of frontal lessons
- congress kit, didactic materials
- lunches, coffee breaks, 2 nights hotel accommodation (*four star hotel, walking distance from the Operating Rooms*) for each round and 1 night on the occasion of the closing event

A total number of **6 participants** per Team will be enrolled.

## Teaching Centers

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## Language

The official language is English.



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