

# **BASIC** **MUSCULOSKELETAL** **ULTRASOUND COURSE**

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# PROGRAM

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### FRIDAY, 6<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER, 2023

07:00 - 07:15	Opening Addresses   <b>Ahmed Abogamal, MD</b>
07:15 - 07:30	Entering Test of Knowledge - Basic Level   <b>Ahmed Abogamal, MD</b>
07:30 - 08:00	Technical Characteristics and Setting of Ultrasound Equipment for Musculoskeletal Diseases   <b>Ahmed Zayat, MD</b>
08:00 - 09:30	<b>Workshop</b> Supervised Practical Handling of the Ultrasound Machine Settings
09:30 - 09:45	<b>Coffee break</b>
09:45 - 10:20	History and Basic Physics of MSUS   <b>Ahmed Abogamal, MD</b>
10:20 - 10:50	Artifacts and Misinterpretation in MSUS   <b>Ghita Harifi, MD</b>
10:50 - 11:20	Image Documentation; Reporting US Findings & Diagnosis <b>Ahmed Negm, MD</b>
11:20 - 14:00	<b>Prayers and Lunch Break</b>
14:00 - 16:00	<b>Workshop</b> Supervised Practical Handling of the Normal MSUS Anatomy and Basic Pathological Findings
16:00 - 16:30	Sonographic Semiology; US and Correlative Anatomy and Histology: Articular Cartilage Lesions, Cortical Abnormalities; Basic Pathology of Tendons and Ligaments (Tendinosis, Calcifications, Tears) <b>Annamaria Iagnocco, MD</b>
16:30 - 17:00	Basic Synovial US Lesions: Synovitis, Synovial Hypertrophy, Tenosynovitis & Bursitis; Definition, Detection, & Quantification <b>Francesco Porta, MD</b>
17:00 - 17:30	Enthesitis and Enthesopathy   <b>Peter Balint, MD</b>
17:30 - 17:45	<b>Coffee Break</b>
17:45 - 19:30	<b>Workshop</b> US Semiology: Normal and Basic Pathological Findings

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### SATURDAY, 7<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER, 2023

08:00 - 08:30	Standardized Scanning of Shoulder Normal & Basic Pathological Findings <b>Ahmed Abogamal, MD</b>
08:30 - 09:00	Standardized Scanning of the Elbow: Normal & Basic Pathological Findings <b>Basant Elnady, MD</b>
09:00 - 11:30	<b>Workshop</b> Supervised Scanning Technique of Shoulder; Supervised Scanning Technique of Elbow; Normal and Basic Pathological Findings
11:30 - 11:45	<b>Coffee Break</b>
11:45 - 12:15	Standardized Scanning of the Wrist and Hand: Normal and Basic Pathological Findings   <b>Muhammad Asim Khurshid, MD</b>
12:15 - 12:45	US Application in Management of Musculoskeletal Disorders <b>Giasna Giokits, MD</b>
12:45 - 13:15	Basic Skills in Sonographic Guided Arthrocentesis <b>Nesreen Moustafa, MD</b>
13:15 - 14:00	<b>Lunch Break</b>
14:00 - 15:45	<b>Workshop</b> Supervised Hands-on Scanning of Patients with Inflammatory and Degenerative Hand, Wrist and Hip
15:45 - 16:15	Standardized Scanning of the Hip: Normal & Basic Pathological Findings <b>Ahmed Abogamal, MD</b>
16:15 - 16:45	Standardized Scanning of the Knee: Normal & Basic Pathological Findings <b>Georgios Filippou, MD</b>
16:45 - 17:15	Standardized Scanning of the Ankle & Foot: Normal and Basic Pathological Findings   <b>Slavica Prodanovic, MD</b>
17:15 - 18:15	<b>Workshop</b> Supervised Hands-on Scanning of Patients with Inflammatory and Degenerative Knee, Ankle and Foot
18:15 - 19:00	<b>Workshop</b> (All Faculty Members) Supervised US scanning of Interventions on Phantoms
19:00 - 19:15	Exit Test of Knowledge & Closing Remarks



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