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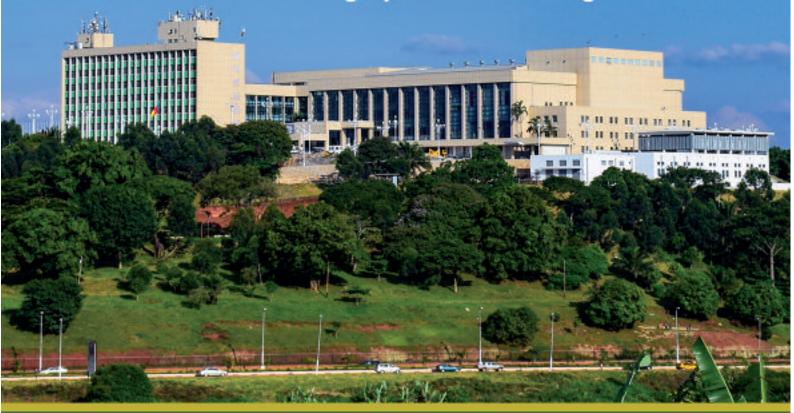
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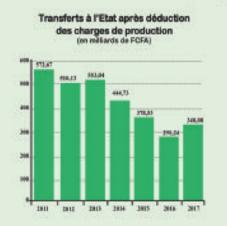
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La Société Nationale des Hydrocarbures (SNH) est une entreprise publique créée le 12 mars 1980, dont le capital est entièrement détenu par l'État du Cameroun. Ses missions se déclinent en cinq activités principales :

- la promotion du domaine minier, en vue de la valorisation des ressources nationales en hydrocarbures ;
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- la commercialisation des hydrocarbures à l'état brut et le reversement au Trésor public des recettes, qui financent le budget de l'Etat ;
- la conduite de projets pour la mise en valeur des ressources gazières, afin que le gaz naturel soit véritablement au service du développement du Cameroun;
- la gestion des stocks de sécurité des produits pétroliers, pour garantir leur disponibilité en cas d'imprévu majeur.



Le gaz naturel mis au service du Cameroun et des Camerounais

Du gaz naturel comme source d'énergie pour les industries

La SNH et son partenaire Gaz du Cameroun ont mis en production les réserves de gaz naturel du champ Logbaba, situé dans la banlieue de Douala, pour approvisionner les industries locales en énergie propre et moins coûteuse que le fioul ou le gasoil. L'unité de traitement de gaz naturel issu de ce champ a été inaugurée par le Président Paul Biya le 15 novembre 2013.

Du gaz naturel pour relever l'offre en énergie électrique

La Centrale thermique de Kribi, d'une capacité installée de 216 MW, est alimentée par le gaz naturel provenant du champ Sanaga Sud, exploité par la SNH et son partenaire Perenco. Les livraisons de gaz à la Centrale thermique sont continues depuis le 25 février 2013, via un gazaduc construit et opéré par la SNH. Elles satisfont totalement les besoins exprimés par l'opérateur de cette centrale, qui représente près de 20% des capacités énergétiques nationales.

Du gaz domestique pour les ménages, du gaz naturel liquéfié pour l'exportation

2018 est l'année d'entrée du Cameroun dans le cercle restreint des pays exportateurs de gaz naturel liquéfié (GNL), grâce à la mise en place par la SNH et des filiales des groupes Perenco et Golar, d'une usine flottante de liquéfaction de gaz naturel, baptisée Hilli Episeyo. Ce Floating Liquefied Natural Gas (FLNG), issu de la conversion d'un navire, est la toute première unité du genre dans le monde. La production annuelle attendue est de 1,2 million de tonnes de GNL destinées à l'export, 30 000 tonnes de gaz domestique (GPL) destinées au marché local et 1,8 million de barils de condensats destinés à la raffinerie.



L'entretien du capital santé au cœur de notre politique RSE



L'entretien du capital humain constitue l'un des axes majeurs de la politique de responsabilité sociétale de SNH. Outre la disponibilité des médecins d'entreprise sur tous les sites d'activité, une police assurance maladie a été souscrite pour l'ensemble des agents. De plus, des visites médicales systématiques sont organisées annuellement pour maintenir le personnel en ban état de santé. Par ailleurs, la SNH dispose de Comités Santé et Sécurité au Travail. Ces comités veillent au respect des normes de santé et d'hygiène sur tous les sites de l'entreprise. ISGE/AFSGE - INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS O CONFERENCE CENTER - 23 - 27 April 2018 Yaounde - Cameroon



H.E. PAUL BIYA PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF CAMEROON

FOREWORD

Cameroon is pleased to welcome from the 23rd to 27th April 2018, the International Congress on Gynaecological Endoscopic Surgery. In such a particular occasion, we join our voice to that of the Government and that of all Cameroonians, to wish a warm welcome to all our guests, our partners and to all stakeholders who came from all over the world and our country.

The holding of this International Congres is also a testimony made to acknowledge all efforts made by the Chantal BIYA Foundation in meeting the Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) in the health sector. Over the past years, this has been the cornerstone of our action in a view to promoting initiatives aiming at mitigating the suffering of vunerable and sick people in our country.

Within this framework, woman's health is at the centre of all concerns. As a matter of fact, when the woman is in good health, the man, the family and even the national economy feel better.

It is in a view to achieving and strengthening this vision that we were inspired to build and unveil, on the 6th May 2016, the Gynaecological Endoscopic Surgery and Human Reproductive Teaching Hospital (CHRACERH). This structure is both a reference framework for research, teaching and the best management through advanced-level medical care within the gynaecological and human reproduction sector. It is also a reference framework for the surgical treatment of various pathologies including gynaecological cancers. Thus, this Health care infrastructure is a breakthrough in the "Major Accomplishments Policy" of His Excellency Paul BIYA, President of the Republic, sponsor of this congress and whose ambition is to make Cameroon an emerging country by 2035.

This is therefore an occasion for us to thank both the International Society for Gynecologic Endoscopy (ISGE) and the African Society for Gynaecological Endoscopy (AFSGE) for materializing this trust in actions. We also thank all development partners, Cameroon's friend and any goodwill person who, at any level, worked for this Congress to be successful. Cameroon is a welcoming, hospitality and friendliness land ; may all stakeholders find in these words, the expression of our heartfelt gratitude.



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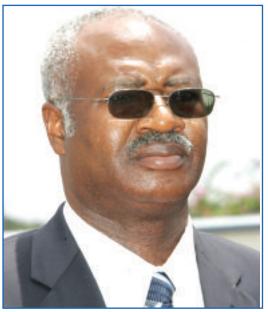
Mrs CHANTAL BIYA FIRST LADY OF CAMEROON, GOODWILL AMBASSADOR OF UNESCO

"Cameroonians' health and more specifically that of women and children, has always been the heart of my struggles and concerns."

> Inaugural speech of Mrs. Chantal BIYA at CHRACERH, 06 May 2016

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WELCOME MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR GYNECOLOGIC ENDOSCOPY (ISGE)



Dr Robert T. O'Shea (Australia)

Dear Fellow Gynaecologists,

The International Society for Gynecologic Endoscopy (ISGE) in conjunction with the African Society for Gynaecological Endoscopy (AFSGE) is delighted to invite you to the ISGE/ASFGE International Congress to be held in Yaounde, Cameroon April 23 to 27 2018.

ISGE has had a long association with Africa including our highly successful ISGE Congress in Nairobi in 2015. The theme for this meeting, "Gynaecological Endoscopic Surgery and Fertility Issues, Pelvic Adhesions, Adnexal Pathologies, Abnormal Uterine Bleeding,Fibroids, Endometriosis, Oncology", covers the broad range of our specialty with the aim of facilitating the growth of laparoscopic and hysteroscopic surgery across the African Continent. ISGE has developed an important link with its centre of excellence (CHARCERH) in Yaounde and our aim is to build on this with other such African centres.

Minimally invasive gynaecological surgery (MIGS) is undoubtedly the way of the future and will play an important role in the ongoing development of medical services across Africa and indeed around the world. We are offering a broad range of pre-congress workshops, leading into an exciting programme covering endoscopic and vaginal surgery. Our International Faculty includes most of the world's leading gynaecological surgeons who are looking forward to exciting you with the latest developments.

We at ISGE are looking forward to meeting you all in Yaounde in April at this extremely important Congress.

> Dr Robert T. O'Shea President ISGE





WELCOME MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE AFRICAN SOCIETY

FOR GYNECOLOGICAL ENDOSCOPY (AFSGE) AND LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE CHAIR



Pr. Jean Marie Kasia (Cameroon)

Dear participants,

It's my honour and pleasure to invite you to the ISGE/AFSGE International Congress which will be held from 23rd to 27th April 2018 at the Yaounde Conference Center under the distinguished patronage of His Excellency Mr. Paul BIYA, President of the Republic of Cameroon.

This international congress is organized by the International Society for Gynecologic Endoscopy (ISGE) in conjunction with the African Society for Gynaecological Endoscopy (AFSGE) in partnership with the Gynaecological Endoscopic Surgery and Human Reproductive Teaching Hospital Paul and Chantal Biya (CHRACERH).

On behalf of the AFSGE I would like to welcome all of you to this exciting scientific event which will be fruitful for those who are sharing the same endoscopic passion in their daily job.

The theme adopted for this edition provides many interesting topics ranging from anatomic issues, prevention of surgical complications to suturing and stitching techniques. In addition to state—of-the-art lectures, the main attention will be focused on fertility issues, pelvic adhesions, tubal pathologies, adnexal masses, abnormal uterine bleeding, fibroids, endometriosis and oncology.

Live surgery with national and international experts will be one of the most exciting features during this congress. All these sessions will be organized with most of the world leading speakers in the field of Gynecological Endoscopic Surgery in order to bring basic and advanced knowledge to African Gynecologists, as well as debates on the tremendous progress in this field in the last decade.

Pre-Congress training sessions will be organized at various levels, namely Postgraduate courses to enable advanced

surgeons develop their skills as far as hysteroscopy, vaginal surgery and laparoscopic suturing are concerned. The ISGE LASST Certification will also be available on this occasion; and finally, a pre-congress workshop, intended for young endoscopists and theatre nurses will, on its part, be focusing on basic tips and tricks in endoscopy.

As you can notice, this is an ambitious program whose objectives will surely be achieved with everyone's commitment. During these five days international attention will be focused on us as we bring to Africa new findings, fresh concepts and dynamic theories that will be the building block for a greater and more developed gynaecological endoscopic practice on the African continent.

Dear attendees, set the date on your calendars today and I do hope that you will not miss this opportunity to share this exciting experience which will be scientifically rewarding, socially enjoyable and geographically spectacular.

In the midst of all these activities, don't miss the occasion to taste typical local cuisine of the area and become acquainted to natural beauties of Yaounde ("the seven-hill town"), a place best known for the warmth of its people and mild weather.

By doing so, we are sure that participants will leave this Yaounde international Congress with a unique educational experience that will be a mixture of science and culture.

While looking forward to receiving you on April 2018, I wish you in advance a successful, productive Congress and enjoyable stay in Yaounde-Cameroon.

> **Pr Jean Marie Kasia,** President of AFSGE and Local organizing Committee Chair



WELCOME MESSAGE FROM THE SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM CHAIR



Pr. Bruno Van HERENDAEL Belgium

Dear physicians interested in Minimally Invasive Surgery,

When you look at the program of the joint meeting of the International Society for Gynecologic Endoscopy (ISGE) with the African Society for Gynecological Endoscopy (AFSGE) you will find something for every body's interest.

The organizers did live up to the moto : "Together we move to minimally invasive surgery in the African context".

This is so important especially in the context of this continent as the mother is the center of the family and hence it is important to the whole family for her to be back and able to once again pick up routine work without major discomfort after undergoing surgery.

This is why ISGE does promote Minimally Invasive Surgery (MIGS) in its Center of Excellence the CHARCERH here in Yaounde where several "Train the Trainers" sessions are held on an annual basis to get the young generation of gynaecological surgeons ready for MIGS.

MIGS is the only way to address the situation as we do need less drugs - especially pain killers. Patients

are getting home on day two or three even after the most invasive surgery. Patients are able to resume their daily live within the week after being discharged. Hence in spite of the initial investments there is a financial benefit on both the micro and macro economical level important in the African context.

It is in view of the above that I would like to invite you to this very special congress. You will be able to interfere directly with the faculty consisting of world leaders in the field of MIGS. You will be able to ask your questions and queries during the live and nearly live surgery sessions and during the clinical case presentations where specific cases are discussed starting with the diagnosis over the treatment and the post treatment.

You will be able to benefit from the pre-congress courses on specific topics of your interest. Keynote lectures will deal with state of the art in different relevant topic concerning MIGS.

ISGE is proud to be able to organize this congress together with AFSGE and is happy to invite you to this really amazing congress!

Pr Bruno van Herendael Medical Director ISGE





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WELCOME MESSAGE FROM HONORARY CHAIR



Dr Franklin Loffer (USA)

Dear Participants,

Since its founding in 1989 the International Society for Gynecologic Endoscopy (ISGE) has offered major gynecologists educational opportunities throughout the world. It was not by accident that the ISGE selected Yaounde - Cameroon for its first meeting in Central Africa. It is the home of the ISGE's Centre of Excellence, the Gynaecological Endoscopic Surgery and Human Reproductive Teaching Hospital Paul and Chantal BIYA (CHRACERH), a modern facility inaugurated in Cameroon by the First Lady, in May of 2016 and solely devoted to the care of female patients. Yaounde is also the headquarters of the African Gynaecological Endoscopic Surgery Society for (AFSGE), which is affiliated to the ISGE and the American Association of Gynecologic Laparoscopists (AAGL).

The ISGE/AFSGE joint International Congress which will be organized from 23rd to 27th April 2018 offers a unique opportunity to bring together world researchers, clinicians and other healthcare professionals in an international forum, enabling the exchange of recent advances in both science and practice in the field of gynecologic endoscopy. This Congress also provides a wonderful occasion to refresh your knowledge and explore innovations in Gynecologic Endoscopy and at the same time, offers enormous networking opportunities to meet and interact with the world leading practitioners, new friends, sponsors and exhibitors.

Through a variety of state-of-the-art sessions, keynote-lectures, roundtable discussions, workshops and sessions including oral and poster presentations, the conference will have a special focus on endoscopic suturing, hysteroscopy, laparoscopic hysterectomy, oncology and endometriosis in order to improve the quality of women's healthcare in Africa.

As conference Honorary Chair, I believe that the success of this meeting depends heavily on the people who have worked hard in planning and organizing its program. It is one of my greatest wishes that this conference will establish a standard for others to follow on the African continent as far as collaborations in future research and educational projects are concerned. The AAGL is ready to support the AFSGE and join the ISGE in this educational program in the African setting through the CHRACERH.

So, I am very pleased to be an Honorary Chair of such an important meeting which I hope will be a stimulating, engaging and fulfilling experience to all the participants.

For this reason, I invite you, dear participants, to join me in this remarkable educational experience.

Dr. Francklin Loffer Medical Director, American Association of Gynecologic Laparoscopists



WELCOME MESSAGE FROM HONORARY CHAIR



Pr Victor Gomel (Canada)

I am greatly honored to be an honorary chair of the ISGE/AFSGE Congress in Yaounde. I was intimately associated with the administration of ISGE for many years and it is gratifying to see the strides the society is currently making all over the world, including Yaounde.

I have recently been asked to provide a welcoming message for the congress. In the interim, the welcoming messages from the 3 most significant individuals of the congress, the presidents of ISGE and AFSGE and the Scientific Program Chair, have been published and e-mailed with the detailed preliminary program. Their messages and the accompanying program make it clearly evident that the congress will be offering a scientific feast in our discipline. A good reason to travel to Yaounde!

There is more; Yaounde, which started out as many other cities that became great and famous like Rome and Istanbul, is a city with nearly 3 million inhabitants and which spreads over 7 hills.

There is much to see in Yaounde, the capital city of Cameroun, situated at 750 meters above sea level. Several museums, the Art Museum (located Cameroon in the Benedictine monastery of Mount Febe) Blackitide museum, the Cameroon National Museum, Ethnographic museum and others; the Cathedral of our Lady of victories, the Central and Mfoundi markets, Mefou National and Mvog-Betsi Zoo etc. Natural Park, features in the vicinity include Nachtigal Falls and a chain of grottoes known as Akok-Bekoe (Grottoes of the Pygmies).

Cameroon is home to great football (soccer) stars that play in leading teams all over the world. Those who like football may catch a game at one of the city's stadiums. And after all, we know that human beings spread to the rest of the world from Africa; it will be good to revisit the source.

> Pr Victor Gomel Vancouver, CANADA

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The theme of this meeting is: "Gynaecological endoscopic surgery and fertility issues, pelvic adhesions, tubal pathologies, adnexal pathologies, abnormal uterine bleeding, fibroids, endometriosis, oncology." The focus will be on issues related to the improvement of medical procedures and techniques through a patient-centered approach that balances innovation and technology, as well as quality and safety.

The Postgraduate courses are opportunities for advanced surgeons to develop their skills as far as hysteroscopy, vaginal surgery and laparoscopic suturing are concerned; the ISGE LASST Certification will also be available on this occasion. A pre-congress workshop, intended for young endoscopists and nurses will, on its part, be focusing on providing basic tips and tricks in endoscopy.

The scientific program is designed to provide attendees with presentations whose scientific quality is based on evidence and consequently your written and video abstracts are expected by Sunday 31st December 2017 at 11:59 UTC.

Dear attendee, set the date on your calendar today and, as President of the local organizing committee, I would like to encourage you to join us in this quest for scientific excellence and high quality performance.

Thus, do not miss this opportunity to develop your skills, share your ideas and experiences with others, make new friendships and discover the extraordinary cultural diversity of Cameroon, often referred to as « miniature Africa ».

Please accept my best regards.

Professor Jean Marie Kasia

President of the African Society for Gynaecological Endoscopy (AFSGE) Local organizing Committee Chair ISGE/AFSGE International Congress "Gynaecological Endoscopic Surgery and fertility issues, pelvic adhesions, adnexal pathologies, abnormal uterine bleeding, fibroids, endometriosis, oncology"

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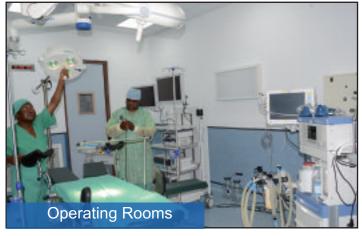


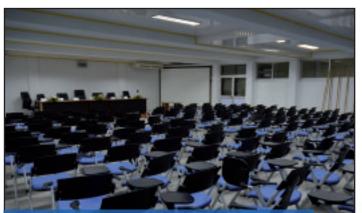
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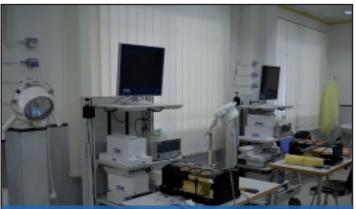








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Gynaecological Endoscopic Training Room



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	STATE OF THE ART – Pre-congress courses Registration 07.00 am - 08.00 am					
Room	Conference Cent er Room 100a	CHRACERH Amphi	CHARCERH Hands on Lab	Conference Center Room 100b	CHARCERH Hands on Lab	
08.00 am – 12.30 pm	PC Course 1 Hysteroscopy Chair : Stefano Bettocchi (Italy) Co-Chair : Bart De Vree (Belgium) Karl Storz	PC Course 2 Vaginal Hysterectomy Bashkar Goolab (South Africa) Co-Chairs : Ellis Downes (Great Britain) Andreas Chrysostomou (South Africa)	PC Course 3 SEBCOH-i Certification Enuno van Herendael (Belgium) Co-Chair : Alfonso Rossetti (Italy) Karl Storz	PC Course 4 Nurses and Laparoscopic Operating Rooms Chair : Günter Noë (Germany) CO-Chair : Adel Shervin (USA) Karl Storz	PC Course 5 Endoscopic Suturing Chair : Robert O'Shea (Australia) CO-Chairs : Liselotte Mettler (Germany) Bashkar Goolab (South Africa) Alfonso Rossetti (Italy) Karl Storz	
12.30 pm 02.00 pm			LUNCH			



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COURSE PRESENTATION

-I HYSTEROSCOPY

This course, partly theoretical and hands on, will provide the participants with a variety of techniques both out patients and in patient on how to use the technique of hysteroscopy for diagnosing and operating. It will provide the participants with the knowledge of the See and Treat techniques. It will get the participants acquainted with the technique of hysteroscopic tissue morcellation so that operative gestures can be accomplished without the use of electric energy in the uterine cavity hence reducing the collateral damage caused by electricity. It will allow the participants to discover the hysteroscopes by handling these whilst assembling. The hands on will allow for getting the correct bearings in entering the cervical canal and manoeuvring inside the uterine cavity whilst tackling anatomical impediments.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

At the conclusion of the course the participants will :

1. Be aware of the diagnostic possibilities of the hysteroscopic technique.

2. Be aware of what problems can be solved in the See and Treat settings in out-patients.

3. Be aware of the difference between the classical electro resection and the tissue removal through morcellation.

PG II VAGINAL AND LAPAROSCOPIC HYSTERECTOMY

During this one day course, theoretical sessions will alternate with live theatre work. Internationally renowned gynaecological surgeons will illustrate the technique of vaginal hysteroscopy and laparoscopic hysterectomy. They will demonstrate the techniques during live interventions in theatre with a two-way sound so that the participants will be able to ask questions. The experts will point out the preferred way of performing hysterectomy by the majority of the surgeons whilst indicating that vaginal hysterectomy is less painful for the patient. They will indicate on evidence based level what the less expensive type of hysterectomy means for the community and the patient.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

By the end of this one day course the participants will :

1. Be aware of the techniques to perform vaginal and laparoscopic hysterectomy.

2. Be aware of the costs of the different types of hysterectomy.

3. Know the indications and contraindications to perform both types of hysterectomy.

PG III SEBCOH-I

This course is conceived in coordination with the Academy and with the logistical help of MedCollege. The exercises performed by the participants are part of the certification in eye hand coordination (Screen Eye Brain Coordination with Handheld-instruments SEBCOH-i)) necessary to continue with the further steps of the ISGE Accreditation. The LASTT consists of exercises which test the ability to use a 30° and a 0° scope in different exercises within a set time frame using classical laparoscopic instruments.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

At the end of this course the candidates will know if their hand – eye coordination is sufficient to start the curriculum to become a Master Endoscopic Surgeon following the different steps of the ISGE Accreditation.

PG IV NURSES

This theoretical course is conceived for the theatre nurses. The participants will gain knowledge in bringing patients to theatre, to install the patients on the operating table, to be proficient in theatre using the different spaces to set tables and accommodate the surgeons. The participants will be taught to set the instruments and the endoscopic hardware including pump systems, photographic and video equipment, energy generators and their settings.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

At the end of this course the participants will have gained basic knowledge of bringing patients into theatre and installing them on the operating table. They will know how to use the theatres ergonomically, to set up the instrument tables for endoscopic surgery. They will have basic knowledge to use the pump systems, photographic and video modules and energy generators. They will have basic knowledge on the use of electrical energies, monopolar and bipolar, in theatre both hysteroscopy and laparoscopy.

PG V LAPAROSCOPIC SUTURING

The aim of this course is for the participants to learn theoretical explanations to perform hands-on intra and extra corporeal knotting in a pelvitrainer with specifically designed needle holders and endoscopic instruments.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

At the end of this course that participants will have the basic knowledge on how to perform endoscopic knots both intra- and extra-corporeal. The endoscopic knots are the basic surgeon's knots and double hitch. The participant will be able :

1) to explain how to overcome the obstacles to laparoscopic suturing and knot tying in relation to depth perception and port placement

2) reproduce efficient techniques for tissue approximation, suture management and running closures,

3) recognise and perform efficient intra-corporeal and extra-corporeal knot tying, recognize common mistakes encountered and how to correct them.



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Day 2 : Tuesday April 24 - 2018 ISGE/AFSGE : SCIENTIFIC BLOCK PROGRAM

(EXHIBITION HOURS 09.30 AM - 05.30 PM)

07.00 am – 0)8.45am	REGISTRAT	ION/ INDUSTRY SPONS	ORED BREAKFAST AN	D COFFEE BREAK		
08.00 am – 0	9.30 am		ISGE EXCO – Board Meeting				
08.00 am – 0	9.30 am		AFSGE EXC	O – Board Meeting			
Room Number	R	oom 100 a	Room100 b	Huis-clos Room	Room 400		
08.30 am - 10.00 am	<u>Chair</u> : Pr. (So <u>Co-Chairs</u>	Session 1 <u>Complication</u> Bashkar Goolab with Africa) : Pr. Ze Minkande (Cameroon) Pr Chobli (Benin) <u>ur</u> : Pr. J. D. Kemfang (Cameroon)	Session 2 Infertility and Adnexal Mass Chair:-Pr. S. Anongba (Ivory Coast) Co-chair : Pr J. F. Meye (Gabon) Rapporteur : Dr. V. Angoi (Ivory Coast)	Session 3 <u>Uro Gynaecology and Pelvic</u> <u>Floor</u> <u>Chair</u> : Günther Noë (Germany) <u>Co-chair</u> : Dr. Surandhra Ramphal (South Africa) <u>Rapporteur</u> :Dr. Essiben (Cameroon)	Session 4 Office Hysteroscopy Chair: Pr. S. Bettocchi (Italy) Co-Chairs: Pr. J. M. Kasia (Cameroon) Dr J. L. Meyer (France) Rapporteur : Dr. E. Belinga (Cameroon)		
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Room Number	Ro	om 100 a	Room100 b	Huis-clos Room	Room 400		
10.20 pm 12.00 pm			COFFEE	BREAK			
10.20 am - 12.00 am	Free Co Chairs: P (Iv Co-Chair (Ca Rapporte	ory Coast) : Pr G. Halle Ekane ameroon)	Session 6 Free Communications Chair: Pr. Serge Boni (Ivory Coast) Co-Chairs : Pr. S. Pither Antchoue (Gabon) Pr Egbe Obitchemti (Cameroon) Rapporteur : Dr Aziz Diouf (Senegal)	Session 7 Operative Hysteroscopy and its possible complications Chair: Dr. Frank Löffer (USA) Co-Chairs : Dr J. Kouassi kassi (Ivory Coast) Dr Bart De Vree (Belgium) Rapporteur : Dr Oussou (Ivory Coast)	Session 8 Anatomy Chair : Pr B. van Herendael (Belgium) Co-chair : Pr Robert O'shea (Australia) Rapporteur :Dr. Nana Djamen (Cameroon)		
	LUNCH 12.00 pm 13.30 pm						
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02.00 p 06.00 p							
05.15 p 06.00 p			C	ocktail			

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DAY 3 : WEDNESDAY APRIL 25 - 2018 ISGE/AFSGE : SCIENTIFIC BLOCK PROGRAM

(EXHIBIT HALL HOURS 9.30 AM – 3.30 PM)				
08.00 am – 09.00 am		REGISTRATION /	COFFEE BREAK	
Room Number		PLENA	RY 1500	
09.00 am 11.30 am	Pr. Bashkar G	gery Karl Storz Herendael (Belgium) oolab (South Africa) assi (Ivory Coast)		
Room Number		PLENA	RY 1500	
11.30 am 12.30 pm	Session 10 Clinical Case Presen <u>Chair</u> : Dr Joseph Kuriar Dr. Ellis Downes (Pr. Anastasia Ussi Dr. Etienne Beling	n (India) Great Britain) a (Italy)		
12.30 pm – 02.00 pm		LUN	NCH	
01.15 pm - 02.00pm		ISGE Genera	al Assemble	
Room Number	Room 100 a	Room 100 b	Room 400	Plenary 1500
14:00 – 15:30	Session 11 <u>YES</u> Chair: Dr.Hisham Arab (Saudi Arabia) Co-chairs : Rapporteur :	(Cameroon) <u>Co-Chairs</u> : Dr. J. L. Meyer (France) Pr P. Antchoue (Cober)	setti (Italy) <u>Co-chair</u> : Pr R. X. Perrin (Benin) Rapporteur : Dr. Dipanda	Session 14 Endoscopy and Infertility Chair: Dr Meenu Agarwal (India) Co-chairs : Pr. Akpadja (Togo) Dr Ken Apen (Australia) Rapporteur : Dr. Mendibi (Cameroon)
03.30 pm – 04.00 pm		COFFEE	BREAK	
Room Number		PLENA	RY 1500	
04.00 pm 04.30 pm		"Is Endometriosis a p	Address rogressive Disease?" ervin (USA)	
04.30 pm 06.00 pm	Session 15 YES Chair: Dr. Hisham Arab (Saudi Arabia) Co-chairs : Rapporteur :	<u>Chair</u> : Dr. Robert O'Shea (Australia)	Session 17 <u>Video Session</u> (USA) Co-chair : Pr E. Downes (Great Britain) Rapporteur : Dr. Noa Ndoua (Cameroon)	Session 18 Laparoscopic Management of Myoma Chair : Pr. Liselotte Mettler (Germany) Co-chair : Dr Resad Pasic (USA) Rapporteur : Dr. Tchakounté (Cameroon)
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DAY 4: THURSDAY APRIL 26- 2018 ISGE/AFSGE : SCIENTIFIC BLOCK PROGRAM

	(EXHIBIT H	IALL HOURS 9.30 A	M – 5.30 PM)			
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11.30 am 12.30 pm	<u>Co-Chairs</u>	<mark>Sessi</mark> Clinical Case <u>Chair:</u> Dr Ku <u>:</u> Dr. Danie Botha, Pr. Ve	Presentation Irian Joseph	Marie Kasia		
12.30 pm – 02.00 pm		LUN	ICH			
Room Number	Room 100 a	Room 100 b	Room 400	Plenary 1500		
02.00 pm 03.30 pm	Session 21 YES Chair: Dr. Hisham Arab (Saudi Arabia) Co-chairs : Pr B. Van Herendael (Belgium) Pr M. Ngowe Ngowe (Cameroon) Dr J. Kouassi Kassi (Ivory Coast) Rapporteur : Dr E. Belinga (Cameroon)	(Ivory Coast) Pr J. D. Kemfang (Cameroon) Rapporteur : Dr.Noa Ndoua	(USA) <u>Co-chairs</u> : Dr J. L. Meyer (France) Pr Nana Philip (Cameroon) Bannorteur : Dr Dobbit	Session 24 <u>Hysterectomy</u> Chair: Dr R. O'Shea (Australia) Co-chairs : Pr M. A. Sosso (Cameroon) Pr J. M. Kasia (Cameroon) Rapporteur : Dr. John Harriot (Jamaica)		
03.30 pm – 04.00 pm		COFFEE	BREAK	<u> </u>		
04.00 pm 05.30 pm	Session 25 <u>YES</u> Chair: Dr. Hisham Arab (Saudi Arabi) Co-chair :Pr B. Van Herendael (Belgium) Rapporteur :	Session 26 Free Communications Chair: Pr. S. Boni (Ivory Coast) Co-chair : Pr. E. Mboudou (Cameroon) Rapporteur : Dr A. Ngassam (Cameroon)	<u>SLS Session</u> <u>Chair</u> : Dr. Robert Zurawin (USA) <u>Co-chair</u> : Dr. Maurice Chung	Session 28 Endometriosis Chair: Dr. Adel Shervin (USA) Co-chair : Pr Fru Angwafor III (Cameroon) Rapporteur : Pr. P. Nana (Cameroon)		
05.30pm 07.00pm	Keynote Lecture Total Laparoscopic Hysterectomy Pr. Leep Kee Yap (Singapoor)					
07.00 pm – 09.00		GALA D	DINNER			

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DAY 5 : FRIDAY APRIL 27 - 2018 ISGE/AFSGE : SCIENTIFIC BLOCK PROGRAM

	(EXHIBIT HALL HOURS 09.30 AM – 12.00 AM)				
08.00 am – 09.00 am		REGISTRATION/ COFFEE BREAK			
Room Number		PLENA	RY 1500		
Room Number	Room 100 a	Room 100 b	Room 400	Plenary 1500	
09.30 am - 10.30 am	(Togo) <u>Rapporteur</u> : Dr. Tcha- kounté	<u>Chair</u> : Pr B. Van Herendael (Belgium) <u>Co-chair</u> : Pr R. Pérrin	Rapporteur : Dr. A. Nomo (Cameroon)	Session 32 <u>Fibroids and</u> <u>Malignancy</u> Chair: Pr Alfonso Rossetti (Italy) Co-chair : Dr. Dusan Djoko- vic (Portugal) Rapporteur :Dr. Noa Ndoua (Cameroon)	
10.30 am – 11.00 am		COFFEE	BREAK		
11.00 am 00.30 am	(Ivory Coast) Co-chair : Pr. Magatte	(Ivory Coast)	<u>Chair</u> : Pr. Vernon DaCosta <u>Co-chair</u> : Pr. S. Pither Antchoue (Gabon)	Session 36 <u>Miscellaneous</u> Chair: Pr. Kemfang Ngowa (Cameroon) <u>Co-chair</u> : Dr. Adel Shervin (USA) <u>Rapporteur</u> : DR. Dipanda (Cameroon)	
ROOM NUMBER		PLENA	RY 1500		
00.45 pm – 02.00 pm	Closing Ceremony and YES Award Presentation				
02.00 pm 03.00 pm	Cocktail				
03.00 pm		Sights	seeing		



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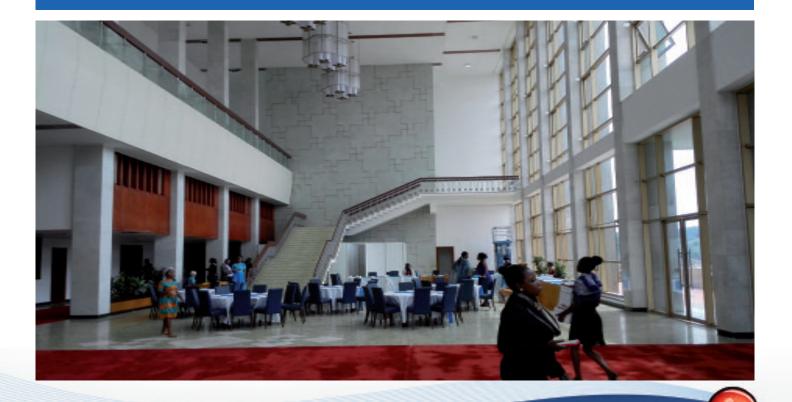
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	<u>Chair :</u> Stefano Bettocchi (Italy)	<u>Chair :</u> Pr. Bashkar Goolab (South Africa)	<u>Chair :</u> Pr. Bruno van Herendael (Belgium)	<u>Chair :</u> Günter Noë (Germany) <u>Co-Chair :</u> Dr. Adel Shervin	<u>Chair :</u> Dr. Robert O'Shea (Australia) <u>Co-Chairs :</u>
	Co-Chair : Bart De Vree (Belgium) Tips and tricks in Hysteroscopy with interactive live surgery from the CHRACERH Karl Storz	<u>Co-Chairs :</u> Pr. Ellis Downes (Great Britain)	Co-Chair : Pr. Alfonso Rossetti (Italy) Karl Storz	Dr. Adel Shervin (USA) Günter Noë (Germany) "Positioning of the patient for gynaecologic laparoscopy" Günter Noë (Germany) "Nurse's role in Endoscopic surgery" Jean Mondial Ngionza (Cameroon) "Laparoscopic surgery instrumentation" Jean Mondial Ngionza (Cameroon) "Laparoscopic equipment Maintenance" Jean Mondial Ngionza (Cameroon) "Ergonomy for the Endoscopic Surgeon. How to set the theatre" Bruno van Herendael (Belgium) Karl Storz	Pr.Liselotte Mettler (Germany) Pr. Bashkar Goolab (South Africa) Pr. Alfonso Rossetti (Italy) <u>Karl Storz</u>
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Welcome Reception in Exhibit Hall



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COFFE BREAK 10.00 am 10.20 am

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10.20 pm 12.00 pm	COFFEE BREAK					
10.20 pm 12.00 am	Session 5 Free Communications Chairs: Pr. S. Anongba (Ivory Coast) Co-Chairs : Pr G. Halle Ekane (Cameroon) Pr P. Nana (Cameroon) Rapporteur : Dr. Mendibi (Cameroon) 10.20 am – 10.35 am "Fertility outcome after laparoscopic surgery in a private clinic in Yaounde Cameroon" : Nana Philip Njotang (Cameroon) 10.35 am - 10.50 am "Epidemiological aspects of hystero-salpingography – en-	Session 6 Free Communications Chair: Pr. Serge Boni (Ivory Coast) Co-Chairs : Pr. S. Pither Antchoue (Gabon) Pr Egbe Obitchemti (Cameroon) Rapporteur : Dr Aziz Diouf (Senegal) 10.20 am – 10.35 am "Laparoscopic Myomectomy in a Tertiary Care Centre in Douala Cameroon" : Thomas Obinchemti Egbe (Cameroon) 10.35 am - 10.50 am "Assessment of Iaparoscopic surgery in public and private hospitals of Douala town" : Tchuente Nguefack.	Session 7 Operative Hysteroscopy and its possible complications Chair: Dr. Frank Löffer (USA) Co-Chairs : Dr J. Kouassi kassi (Ivory Coast) Dr Bart De Vree (Belgium) Rapporteur : Dr Oussou (Ivory Coast) 10.20 am – 10.35 am "Correlation between hystero-sonography and hysteroscopy in the diagnosis of intrauterine pathologies at the Yaounde CHRACERH" Kemfang Ngowa (Cameroon)	Session 8 Anatomy Chair : Pr B. van Herendael (Belgium) Co-chairs : Pr Robert O'shea (Australia) Pr Ngowe Ngowe (Cameroon) Rapporteur :Dr. Nana Djamen (Cameroon) 10.20 am – 10.35 am "The retro-peritoneum: nothing to be afraid of" B. van Herendael (Belgium) 10.35 am - 10.50 am "Anatomy for the Endoscopic Surgeon" Robert Zurawin (UISA)		
10.20 am - 12.00	hystero-salpingography – en- doscopy concordance in the exploration of female inferti- lity in 3 hospitals in Came- roon" : Essiben Félix (Cameroon) 10.50 am - 11.05 am Epidemio-clinical and therapeutic aspects of alleged complicated and benign tumors at the main maternity of the Yaounde Central Hospital" J.H.Fouedjo (Cameroon) 11.05 am - 11.20 am "Surgical management of ectopic pregnancy, clinical considerations in a resource challenging environment" : E. Kalu (Nigeria) 11.20 am - 11.35 am 11.35 am - 12.00 pm Questions and answers	(Cameroon) 10.50 am - 11.05 am "Laparoscopic management of IUCD complications. Clinical and Therapeutic aspects at the department of gynecology University Teaching Hospital du Point G Bamako Mali" : Kante Ibrahim (Mali) 11.05 am - 11.20 am "The Gynaecological laparoscopic surgery in Franceville (CHRAB)" : J. Moutele (Gabon) 11.20 am - 11.35 am "Laparoscopic surgery management of tubo-peritoneal infertility at the Cocody Univer- sity Teaching Hospital (CHU)." A. Koffi (Ivory Coast) 11.35 am - 12.00 pm Questions and answers	 10.35 am - 10.50 am "Where are we with endometrial ablation?" : Ellis Downes (Great Britain) 10.50 am - 11.05 am "Niches, the problem, and how to treat" : Bart De Vree (Belgium) 11.05 am - 11.20 am "Hysteroscopic Management of Uterine Fibroids" Frank Löffer (USA) 11.20 am - 11.35 am "Hysteroscopic Resection of po- lyps and endo-cavitary myomas in Libreville" : S. Pither (Gabon) 11.35 am - 12.00 pm Questions and answers 	(USA) 10.50 am - 11.05 am "Nerves and Vascularisation" Bruno van Herendael (Belgium) 11.05 am - 11.20 am "What does surgery on body donors tell us for our laparoscopic anatomical Knowledge": Liselotte Mettler (Germany) 11.20 am - 12.00 am Questions and Answers		



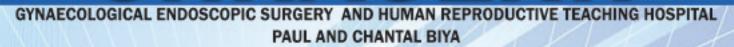
Day 2 : Tuesday April 24 - 2018 ISGE/AFSGE : SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

(EXHIBITION HOURS 09.30 AM - 05.30 PM)

	PLENARY 1500
02.00 pm 06.00 pm	OPENING CEREMONY
02.00 pm 02.10 pm	Welcome message of the Government Delegate of the Yaounde Urban Council (Cameroon)
02.10 pm 02.30 pm	Welcome message of the president of AFSGE and local organizing committee chair Pr. Jean Marie Kasia (Cameroon)
02.30 pm 02.40 pm	Introduction of the honorary chair Pr. Victor Gomel (Canada)
02.40 pm 02.45 pm	INTERLUDE
02.45 pm 02.55 pm	Introduction AAGL Dr. Franklin Loffer, Medical Director AAGL (USA)
02.55 pm 03.05 pm	Introduction CAGES Pr. Vernon DaCosta, President CAGES (Jamaica)
03.05 pm 03.15 pm	Introduction SLS Pr. Robert Zurawin, President SLS (USA)
03.15 pm 03.25 pm	Introduction SAGO Pr. Namory Keita, President SAGO (Guinea)
03.25 pm 03.35 pm	Introduction SASREG Dr. Viju Thomas, SASREG (South Africa)
03.35 pm 03.40 pm	INTERLUDE
03.40 pm 03.50 pm	Introduction ISGE and Congress Chair Dr. Robert T. O' Shea, President ISGE (Australia)
03.50 pm 04.00 pm	INTERLUDE
04.00 pm 04.30 pm	Opening address of the President of the Republic of Cameroon or his Representative H.E. Paul BIYA
04.30 pm 05.00 pm	Official launching of exhibition
05.00 pm 06.00 pm	Cocktail



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- Traditional Gyneacological Activities
- Medically Assisted Procreation
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- Fistula Surgery
- Oncology
- Senology
- Plastic Surgery and Breast Reconstruction

OBSTETRIC ACTIVITIES

- Prenatal consultations
- Diagnosis of fetal diseases
- Multidisciplinary management of high risk pregnancies

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DAY 3 : WEDNESDAY APRIL 25- 2018 ISGE/AFSGE : SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

(EXHIBIT HALL HOURS 9.30 AM - 3.30 PM)

08.00 am 09.00 am	REGISTRATION / COFFEE BREAK
	ROOM 400
	Session 9
	Interactive Live Surgery Karl Storz
09.00 am 11.30 am	<u>Chair:</u> Pr. Bruno van Herendael (Belgium)
	Pr. Bashkar Goolab (South Africa)
	Dr J. Kouassi - Kassi (Ivory Coast)
Room	ROOM 400
Number	
	Session 10
	Clinical Case Presentation
11.30 am	<u>Chairs</u> : Dr Joseph Kurian (India)
12.30 pm	Dr. Ellis Downes (Great Britain)
	Pr. S. Pither Antchoue (Gabon)
	Dr. Etienne Belinga (Cameroon)
12.30 pm	
02.00 pm	LUNCH



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	Session 11 YES	Session 12 Free Communications	Session 13 Video Session	Session 14 Endoscopy and Infertility
	<u>Chair</u> : Dr. Hisham Arab (Saudi Arabia)	<u>Chair</u> : Pr. E. Belley Priso (Cameroon)	<u>Chair</u> : Pr. Alfonso Rossetti (Italy)	<u>Chair</u> : Dr Meenu Agarwal (India)
	<u>Co-chairs</u> :	<u>Co-Chairs</u> : Dr. J. L. Meyer (France)	Co-chair : Pr R. X. Perrin (Benin)	<u>Co-chairs</u> : Pr. Akpadja (Togo) Dr Ken Apen
	Rapporteur :	Pr P. Antchoue (Gabon) Rapporteur : Dr Nana Njamen	<u>Rapporteur</u> : Dr. Dipanda (Cameroon)	(Australia) Rapporteur : Dr. Mendibi
	02.00 pm – 02.20 pm "Diagnostic, Therapeutic	(Cameroon)	02.00 pm – 02.15 pm	(Cameroon)
	aspects and prognosis of the intra-uterine synechia	02.00 pm – 02.10 pm "Laparoscopic surgery for pelvic endometriosis in virgin	"Fundamentals of laparoscopic Suturing" Bruno van Herendael,	02.00 pm – 02.20 pm "Routine Hysteroscopy before IVF" :
	operated by hysteroscopy at CHRACERH" Etienne Belinga	teenagers" : Nana Njamen T	Alfonso Rossetti, Ornella Sizzi	Alessandro Loddo (Italy)
	(Cameroon)	(Cameroon) 02.10 pm- 02.20 pm	(Belgium, Italy)	02.20 pm – 02.40 pm
	02.20 pm – 02.40 pm "Hysteroscopic features of	Laparoscopic Hysterectomy in African setting: on 34	02.15 pm – 02.25 pm "Laparoscopic Hysterectomy:	"Endoscopic Enhancement of Fertility" : Meenu Agarwal
02.00 pm	some endo-cavitary lesions" :	cases in Gabon" : S. Pither Antchoue (Gabon)	the different energy modalities" :	(India)
03.30 pm	C. C. Noa Ndoua (Cameroon)	02.20 pm – 02.30 pm	Benedikt Tas, Bruno van Herendael	02.40 pm – 03.00 pm "Laparoscopic Management of Distal Tubal Pathologies:
-	02.40 – 03.00 "First steps of gynaecologic laparoscopy in a	"Activity review of the gynaecological endoscopic surgery in the endoscopic unit of the gynaecology-obstetrics depart- ment of the Cocody	(Belgium) 02.25pm – 02.35 pm "Laparoscopic Subtotal	an overview of 402 cases in African Setting" : Jean Marie Kasia (Cameroon)
	sub-Saharan African hospital: a nine-month review and assessment	teaching hospital (CHU) ». J. Kouassi-Kassi (Ivory Coast)	Hysterectomy: the basis": Benedikt Tas, Bruno van Herendael	03.00 pm – 03.20 pm "Laparoscopic Ovarian Drilling and beyond" :
	of patient's satisfaction" : Jovanny Tsuala Fouogue (Cameroon)	02.30 pm – 02.40 pm "Anaesthesia for gynaecological laparoscopic surgery in external operation:	(Belgium) 02.35 pm – 02.45 pm "The possibilities of	Hisham Arab (Saudi Arabia)
	03.00 – 03.20 "Hystero-sonographic, hysteroscopic and	Experiment of the Campaign Medico-Surgical Hospital (HMCC) of the Gabonese Military Health Service" :	Hysteroscopy" Benedikt Tas, Jan Bosteels (Belgium)	03.20 pm – 03.30 Questions and Answers
	anatomopathological correlation of uterine diseases" :	E. Sagoue (Gabon)	02.45 pm – 03.30 pm Questions and answers	
	Sandrine Mendibi (Cameroon)	02.40 pm – 02.50 pm Surgical complications of gynae- cological laparoscopy at the Go- nesse Hospital		
	03.20 – 03.30 Questions and Answers	Etienne Belinga (Cameroon)		
		02.50 pm – 03.00 pm Laparoscopic surgery for Ectopic pregnancy : a comparative study with Laparotomy at Brazzaville University teaching hospital C. Itoua (Congo Brazza)		
		03.10 pm-03.30 pm Questions and answers		



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(EXHIBIT HALL HOURS 9.30 AM - 3.30 PM)

Room Number	PLENARY 1500
04.00 pm 04.30 pm	Keynote Address "Is Endometriosis a progressive Disease?" Dr. Adel Shervin (USA)

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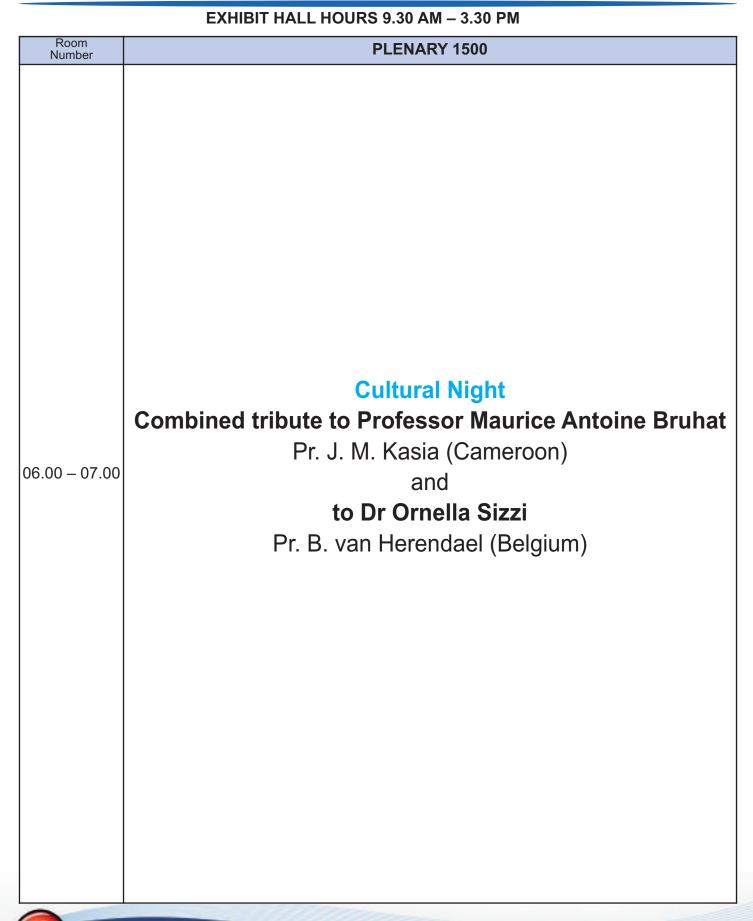
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Room Number	Room 100 a	Room 100 b	Room 400	Plenary 1500
04.00 pm 04.30 pm		BREAK		
04.30 pm 05.00 pm	Session 15 YES Chair: Dr. Hisham Arab (Saudi Arabia) Co-chair : Rapporteur : 04.30 pm- 04.50pm "Total Salpingectomy and Ovarian response: the role of laparoscopy" : Kasia Onana Yves Bertrand (Cameroon) 04.50 pm- 05.10pm "Contribution of hystero salpingography and laparoscopy in the mana- gement of tubal disease" : Essoh Olivia (Cameroon) 05.10pm - 05.30pm "Etiologic and therapeutic aspect of the infertile couples at CHRACERH/HGY" : A. Noubom Watchom (Cameroon) 05.30pm - 05.50pm "Laparoscopic surgery management of ruptured ectopic pregnancies in Libreville": T. De Dieu Tchantchou (Gabon) 05.50pm - 06.00pm Questions and Answers	Session 16 Complications and Solutions in Endoscopy Chair: Dr. Robert O'Shea (Australia) Co-chairs : Pr. A. Ussia (Italy) Rapporteur : Dr. Belinga (Cameroon) 04.30 pm – 04.50 pm "Management of Vascular Complications in Laparoscopic Surgery" : Anastasia Ussia (Italy) 04.50 pm – 05.10 pm "Adhesion Prevention: how to make it work affor- dably" : 05.10 pm – 05.30 pm "Analysis of 40 Medico – Legal Claims – Why do we get sued and what can we do about it?" : Ellis Downes (Great Britain) 05.30 pm – 05.50 pm "Laparoscopic Complica- tions and Medico – Legal Implications in the African Context" : Bashkar Goolab. (South Africa) 05.50 pm – 06.00 pm: Questions and Answers	Session 17 Video Session Chair : Dr. Adel Shervin (USA) Co-chair : Pr E. Downes (Great Britain) Rapporteur : Dr. Noa Ndoua (Cameroon) 04.30 pm – 04.40 pm "Chronic Abdominal Discomfort Five years after criminal abortion: strange laparoscopic findings" : Jean Marie Kasia (Cameroon) 04.40 pm – 05.00 pm Questions and answers	Session 18 Laparoscopic Management of Myoma Chair : Pr. Liselotte Mettler (Germany) Co-chair : Dr Resad Pasic (USA) Rapporteur : Dr. Tchakounté (Cameroon) 04.30 pm – 04.50 pm "Laparoscopy and Fibroids": joseph and Rekha Kurian (india) 04.50 pm – 05.10 pm "Laparoscopic Myomectomy in the African Setting YESBut" Jean Marie Kasia (Cameroon) 05.10 pm – 05.30 pm "Laparoscopic myomectomy 10 STEP procedure" Bruno van Herendael (Belgium) 05.30 pm – 05.50 pm "Myoma and Infertility" : Adel Shervin (USA) 05.50 pm – 06.00 pm: Questions and answers



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DAY 4 : THURSDAY APRIL 26, 2018 ISGE/AFSGE : SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

EXHIBIT HALL HOURS 9.30 AM - 5.30 PM

08.00 am 09.00 am	COFFEE
Room Number	PLENARY 1500
	Session 19
	Nearly Live Surgery Olympus Co
	<u>Chair :</u> Pr. Bruno Van Herendael
09.00 am	(Belgium)
11.30 am	<u>Co-Chairs :</u> Pr. Bashkar Goolab
	(South Africa)
	Pr. Jean Marie Kasia
	(Cameroon)
	Dr J. Kouassi Kassi
	(Ivory Coast)
	Session 20
	Clinical Case Presentation
	<u>Chair:</u> Dr Kurian Joseph
	(India)
11.30 am 12.30 pm	<u>Co-Chairs</u> : Dr. Viju Thomas
12.00 pm	(South Africa)
	Dr. Vernon DaCosta
	(Jamaica)
	Pr P. Foumane
	(Cameroon)
12.30 pm 02.00 pm	LUNCH

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EXHIBIT HALL HOURS 9.30 AM – 5.30 PM

12.30 pm – 02.00 pm	LUNCH					
Room Number	Room 100 a	Room 100 b	Room 400	Plenary 1500		
Room Number 02.00 pm 03.30 pm	Room 100 aSession 21 YESChair: Dr. Hisham Arab (Saudi Arabia)Co-chairs : Pr B. Van Herendael (Belgium) Pr M. Ngowe Ngowe (Cameroon)Dr J. Kouassi Kassi (Ivory Coast)Rapporteur : Dr E. Belinga (Cameroon)O2.00 pm - 02.20 pm "Design of a Uterine cannula for laparoscopic 	Room 100 bSession 22Free CommunicationsChair : Dr Sedrati (Algeria)Co-chairs : Pr A. Koffi (Ivory Coast) Pr J. D. Kemfang (Cameroon)Rapporteur : Dr.Noa Ndoua (Cameroon)O2.00 pm - 02.15 pm "Uncommon intra-uterine foreign body managed by hysteroscopy" : E. Belinga (Cameroon).02.00 pm - 02.15 pm "Uncommon intra-uterine foreign body managed by hysteroscopy" : E. Belinga (Cameroon).02.15 pm - 02.30 pm "Laparoscopic Surgery in Cameroon: Update and Future" : Nana Njamen T (Cameroon)02.30 pm - 02.45 pm "Laparoscopic Findings in the exploration of female infertility: about 354 cases followed in a private clinic in Yaoundé" : Nana Philip Njotang (Cameroon)02.45 pm- 03.00 pm "Laparoscopic management of ovarian cysts: on a series of 70 cases. Omar Bongo Ondimba Armed Forces Teaching Hospital" : S. Pither (Gabon)03.00 pm - 03.30 pm Questions and answers	Session 23 Endometriosis Chair: Dr. Adel Shervin (USA) Co-chairs : Dr J. L. Meyer (France) Pr Nana Philip (Cameroon) Rapporteur : Dr Dohbit (Cameroon) O2.00 pm – 02.20 pm "Teenage/ Adolescent Endometriosis – A case for early intervention": Bashkar Goolab. (South Africa) 02.20 pm – 02.40 pm "Controversies in surgical treatment of endometriosis" : Adel Shervin. (USA) 02.40 pm – 03.00 pm "Bladder Endometriosis" To be announced 03.00 pm – 03.20 pm "Endometriosis and Thrombosis" : Hisham Arab (Saudi Arabia) 03.20 pm – 03.30 pm Questions and Answers	Plenary 1500Session 24 HysterectomyChair: Dr R. O'Shea (Australia)Co-chairs: Pr M. A. Sosso (Cameroon) Pr J. M. Kasia (Cameroon)Rapporteur: Dr. John Harriot (Jamaica)02.00 pm – 02.20 pm"Why laparoscopic Hysterectomy": Dr R. O'Shea (Australia)02.20 pm – 02.40"The Importance of Vaginal Hysterectomy in the era of laparoscopic Hysterec- tomy": John Harriot (Jamaica)02.40 pm – 03.00 pm "Best Hysterectomy for your patient – Cost and Evidence Based": Bashkar Goolab (South Africa)03.00 pm – 03.20 pm "ISGE Survey on the preferred way to perform hysterectomy": Andreas Chrysostomou (South Africa)03.20 pm – 03.30 pm Questions and answers		
03.30 pm 04.00 pm		COFFEE	BREAK			



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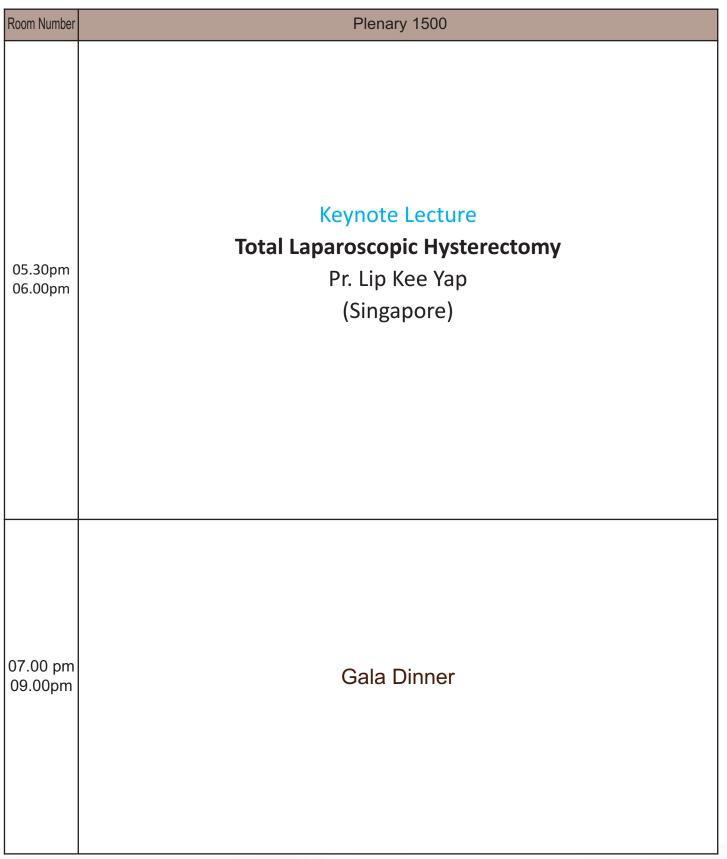
EXHIBIT HALL HOURS 9.30 AM - 5.30 PM

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03.30 pm 04.00 pm		COFFEE BREAK					
04.00 pm 05.30 pm	Session 25 <u>YES</u> <u>Chair</u> : Dr. Hisham Arab (Saudi Arabi) <u>Co-chair</u> :Pr B. Van Herendael (Belgium) Pr R.X. Perrin (Benin) <u>Rapporteur</u> : Dr F.Essiben (Cameroon) 04.00 pm - 04.20 pm 04.20 pm - 04.40 pm 04.40 pm - 05.00 pm 05.00 pm - 05.20 pm	Session 26 Free Communications Chair: Pr. S. Boni (Ivory Coast) Co-chairs : Pr. E. Mboudou (Cameroon) Pr K. Akpadza (Togo) Rapporteur : Dr A. Ngassam (Cameroon) O4.00 pm – 04.15 pm "Uterine leiomyoma in a susbsharan infertile population" J. Mboloko Esimo (DRC) 04.15 pm – 04.30 pm "Practice of hysteroscopy at the Yaoundé Gynaecological CHRACERH" : Kemfang Ngowa JD (Cameroon) 04.30 pm – 04.45 pm "Emergency laparoscopic surgery for an ovarian cyst in early pregnancy: What have we learned from this case report?" Nana Njamen T (Cameroon) 04.45 pm – 05.00 pm "Laparoscopic complications in the gynaecological surgery service Omar Bongo Ondimba Armed Forces Teaching Hospi- tal, Libreville" S. Pitcher Antchoue (Gabon) 05.00 pm – 05. 15 pm "A case for Mandatory pre-IVF Hysteroscopy in Sub Saharan Africa?" : Emmanuel Kalu (Nigeria) 05. 15 – 05.30 pm Questions and answers.	Session 27 Hysterectomy SLS Session Chair: Dr. Robert Zurawin (USA) Co-chairs: Pr. M. A. Sosso (Cameroon) Dr. Juwon Alabi (Nigeria) Rapporteur: Dr E. Belinga (Cameroon) 04.00 pm – 04.20 pm "Frozen pelvis Hysterectomy" Adel Shervin (USA) 04.20 pm – 04.40 pm "What can go wrong during laparoscopic hysterectomy" : Robert Zurawin (USA) 04.40 pm – 05.00 pm "Bowel damage and repair" Ournarou Nana (Gastric Surgeon) (Cameroon) 05.00 pm – 05.20 pm "Bladder and ureter damage and their repair" : Alfonso Rossetti (Italy) 05.20 pm – 05.30 pm Questions and answers	Session 28 Endometriosis Chair: Dr. Adel Shervin (USA) Co-chair: Pr Fru Angwafor III (Cameroon) Pr J.F. Meye (Gabon) Rapporteur: Dr. E. Meka (Cameroon) 04.00 pm – 04.20 pm "Laparoscopic manage- ment of rectovaginal deep endometriosis" : Adel Shervin (USA) 04.20 pm – 04.40 pm "Endometriosis surgery and infertility" : Alfonso Rossetti (Italy) 04.40 pm – 05.00 pm "Management of Urinary Tract Endometriosis" Alfonso Rossetti (Italy) 05.00 pm – 05.20 pm "How to manage ovarian Endometrioma: Stripping versus Ablation" : Bashkar Goolab (South Africa) 05.20 pm – 05.30 pm Questions and Answers			



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EXHIBIT HALL HOURS 09.30 AM - 12.00 AM

08.00 am 09.00 am	REGISTRATION/ COFFEE BREAK
Room Number	PLENARY 1500
09.00 am 09.30 am	Keynote Address "Is Ovarian Cancer a Tubal Disease?" Pr. Victor Gomel MD FRCSC (Canada)

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EXHIBIT HALL HOURS 09.30 AM - 12.00 AM

Room Number	Room 100 a	Room 400	Room 100 b	Plenary 1500
Room Number 09.30 am 10.30 am	Room 100 aSession 29 Free CommunicationsChair:Pr. Anongba (Ivory Coast)Co-chairs:Pr. K. Akpadza (Togo) Pr Egbe Obitchemti (Cameroon)Rapporteur:Dr. C. Tchakounté (Cameroon)09.30 am - 09.40 am 	Room 400Session 30Education in EndoscopyChair: Pr B. Van Herendael (Belgium)Co-chairs : Pr. J. M. Kasia (Cameroon) Pr R. Pérrin (Benin)Rapporteur : Dr J. Kouassi Kassi (Ivory Coast)09.30 am – 09.40 am "Gynaecological Endoscopic Training and Accreditation : The Camerounian style" Jean-Marie Kasia (Cameroon)09.40 am – 09.50 am "All African Database on Caesarean section, Vaginal Hysterectomy and Endoscopic Surgery a SAGO first" : Philippe Moreira (Senegal)09.50 am – 10.00 am "Endoscopic University Diploma in Gynaecology : an example of a diploma and a validating course in an African setting" Magatte Mbaye (Senegal)10.00 am – 10.10 am "Implementation of the ISGE Accreditation" : Bruno van Herendael (Belgium)10.10 am – 10.30 am Questions and answers	Room 100 bSession 31 Anesthesia and EndoscopyChair: Pr J. ZE Minkande (Cameroon)Co-chairs: Pr A. Esiene (Cameroon)Pr S. Pither Antchoue (Gabon)Rapporteur : Dr. A. Nomo (Cameroon)09.30 am – 09.40 am Management of hemodynamic complications of laparoscopic surgery in anaesthesia/Recovery A. Esiene (Cameroon)09.40 am – 09.50 am Management of neurological complications of endoscopic surgery in anaesthesia/ Recovery G. Beyiha (Cameroon)09.50 am – 10.00 am Monitoring patient under general anaesthesia for en- doscopic surgery J. Metogo (Cameroon)10.00 am – 10.10 am Anaesthesia for the laparo- scopic surgery extra-uterine surgery L. Amengle (Cameroon)10.10 am – 10.20 am Anaesthesia consultation for endoscopic surgery Jéméa (Cameroon)10.20 am – 10.30 am Questions and answers	Plenary 1500 Session 32 Fibroids and Malignancy Chair: Pr Alfonso Rossetti (Italy) Co-chairs : Dr. Dusan Djokovic (Portugal) Pr Namory Kéïta (Guinea) Rapporteur :Dr. Noa Ndoua (Cameroon) 09.30 am – 09.50 am "Pre-operative evaluation of Fibroids: ISGE guidelines": Dusan Djokovic (Portugal) 09.50 am – 10.05 am "Myoma Morcellation: the facts as opposed to the hysteria": Robert Zurawin (USA) 10.05 am – 10.20 am "ISGE Myoma Sarcoma trial": Alfonso Rossetti (Italy) 10.20 am – 10.30 am Questions and answers
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EXHIBIT HALL HOURS 09.30 AM - 12.00 AM

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10.30 am 11.00 am		COFFEE	BREAK		
	Session 33 Free Communications	Session 34 Free Communications	Session 35 Benign Adnexal Masses	Session 36 Miscellaneous	
10.30 am	Session 33	COFFEE Session 34	BREAK Session 35	Session 36	



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EXHIBIT HALL HOURS 09.30 AM – 12.00 AM					
Room Number	Plenary 1500				
12.45 pm 02.00 pm	Closing Ceremony and YES Award Presentation				
02.00 pm 03.00 pm	Cocktail				
03.00 pm	Sightseeing				





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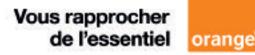
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CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

The International Society for Gynecologic Endoscopy (ISGE) in conjunction with the African Society for Gynaecological Endoscopy (AFSGE) call for the submission of abstracts or videos for presentation during the ISGE-AFSGE World Congress which will be held from 23rd to 27th April 2018 at the Conference Centre - Yaounde, Cameroon, Central Africa.

The Scientific Committee for this Congress invites physicians, engineers, scientists, and operating room personnel, concerned with increasing the efficiency of medical care and research through development and utilization of gynecologic endoscopic instruments, devices, and systems, to submit written or video abstracts as well as scientific posters.

Thursday 15th March 2018 at 11:59 pm, Coordinated Universal Time, is the last day to submit an abstract because the program closes and will no longer be available for any abstract submission. Acceptance and assignment to a day and time on the scientific program will be announced on/or before 30th March 2018.

Registration for attending the ISGE – AFSGE International Congress must be completed by 1st April 2018 if your abstract is accepted for presentation.

GUIDELINES

Abstracts should focus on the following themes:

- Endometriosis
- Oncology
- Pelvic adhesions
- Tubal pathologies
- Adnexal pathologies
- Abnormal uterine bleeding
- Fibroids
- Reproductive Medicine

Abstracts format

- Study Objective
- Study design
- Setting
- Patients or Participants
- Interventions or treatments
- Measurements and Main Results
- Conclusion

Abstracts length Maximum 300 words







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REGISTRATION FORM

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GENERAL INFORMATION

ACCOMMODATION

The Organizing Committee has selected several partner hotels of different standards where participants are advised to book rooms for their stay.



AIR TRAVEL

Recommended international airlines:

Cameroon Airlines Corporation (CamairCo), national company, departure from Paris



- Air France, departure from France
- Brussels airlines, departure from Belgium
- Turkish Airlines, departure from Turkey
- Ethiopian Airlines, departure from Ethiopia
- Kenyan Airways, departure from Kenya

BADGES

Badges will be issued at the registration desk and requested for entrance to the Conference Center. Only badge holders will be admitted to scientific sessions, exhibits, meals and social events.



CAR RENTAL

Many car rentals available at international airports and downtown (Yaounde and Douala). City taxis also available with fares depending on whether you ride alone (2 000fcfa) or in the company of other passengers (250fcfa).



CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE

Certificates of attendance will be issued for participants at the registration desk on the last day of the congress or sent via email upon request.

CONGRESS ORGANIZERS

Please do not hesitate to contact the local Organizing Committee for any additional information or assistance:

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CONGRESS VENUE



Conference CenterYaounde, Cameroon, Central Africa

FORMALITIES FOR VISA

Prior to booking flights, registrants are strongly advised to confirm with their travel agent whether they require a visa to travel to Cameroon. Visas to Cameroon are issued at all Cameroonian embassies abroad. in case this does not apply, please contact the Congress organizers.



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COUNTRY CODE

GENERAL INFORMATION

237 (when calling from abroad dial 00+country code)

ELECTRICITY AND WATER SPECIFICATION

Few hotels provide filtered water. So, it is advised to drink only mineral water or to make use of water purification tablets. The voltage of current is 220 volts, European standard plugs

GEOGRAPHICAL AND POPULATION FEATURES

With an area of 475.440 km2 and about 22 million inhabitants, Cameroon is not ranked among the biggest in Africa. Yaounde is the political capital while Douala is the economic capital and main opening to the sea. Main ethnic groups are Bantous, Bamilékés, Bamouns, Foulbés, Kirdis...

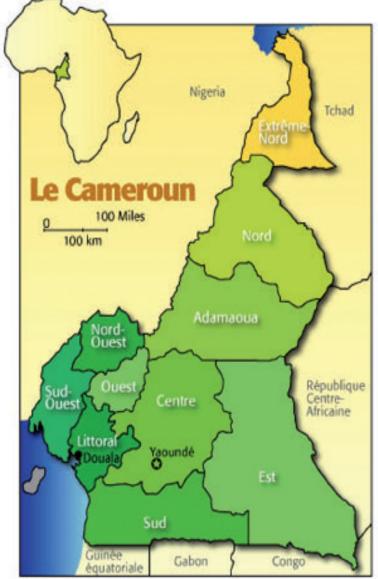
Cameroon which is located in the Gulf of Guinea on the western face of Africa, has 590 km of coastlines over the Atlantic ocean. As far as its shape is concerned, it looks like a triangle of which the base spreads over the 2nd degree of northern latitude, whereas the peak reaches the 13th parallel. The country has the 9th highest mountain of the continent, Mount Cameroon which is 4.070 m high.

The Southern part is characterized by an equatorial climate with dense forests. Rubber, palm oil, cocoa and tea are the main crops. The Western part has a mild climate, rounded mountains and fertile lands. It is the breadbasket of Central Africa. In the Centre, we have the vast Adamawa Plateau whose altitude is comprised between 1.000 and 1.500 m, descending in gentle slopes towards the Sanaga River which is the main river of the country. In the Northern part, a deep and rugged fault leads to the Benoue Valley, the weather being hot and dry. The landscape is covered with savannahs and the Mandara Mountains. The dense forest and the savannah are full of fauna protected in nature reserves, Waza being the largest one.



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HEALTH

An international immunization certificate against yellow fever is requested upon arrival at the airport. Beware of malaria contamination via mosquito bites. Whatever the case, appropriate drugs are available in the country.

LANGUAGE

English is the official language of the Congress but simultaneous interpretation in French and English will be available.

LEGAL LIABILITY

The congress Secretariat and organizers shall not be liable for any personal accident, nor for any loss or damage of participants' private property. Be it during or directly related to the ISGE/AFSGE congress. Participants should make their own arrangements regarding health and travel insurance.

LUNCH

A daily lunch, included in the registration fees, is available only for registered participants.

INDUSTRY EXHIBIT

An exhibition of medical, pharmaceutical, surgical and laboratory products will be organized in the Conference Centre main hall. Companies and other suppliers will exhibit their latest innovations in the field of laparoscopic surgery and they will also be available to answer questions. Coffee, tea and lunch breaks are opportunities to visit the exhibition.

OTHER INFORMATION

Apart from strategic locations (military quarters, airports...) it is possible to take pictures, but it is advised to ask permission from third parties first.

SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS

Double slide projection and a preview room will be available during the congress.

LOCAL TIME

Local time is UTC + 1 hr Video The video system available is PAL, NTSC.

WEATHER

April is summer time, you should bring light clothing made of cotton or linen, sun glasses, hats, sweaters for evenings and possibly a raincoat (avoid synthetic fabrics).

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ACCOMODATION





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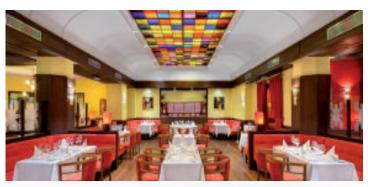
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ROOM CATEGORIES:

Guest rooms (king deluxe room, king guest room, queen guest room, twin guest room) Suites

EXECUTIVE ROOMS

Additional amenities include air conditioning, on-site casino, bar / lounge, 3 restaurants, free wifi and bar / grill next to an outdoor pool. It also has a tennis court and a gym.



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MONT FEBE HOTEL *****





Nine minutes by car (4 km) to the Conference Centre

ROOM CATEGORIES:

Standard Rooms Executive Rooms Junior Suites Senior Suites

Additional amenities include air conditioning, 3 restaurants, free wifi, outdoor swimming pool, 2 tennis courts, an 18 holes golf course, business center, automated cash dispenser, bar/lounge and nightclub

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LA FALAISE HOTEL $\star \star \star \star \star$



Ten minutes by car (4.6 km) to the Conference Centre

Room categories:

- Standard Rooms
- Executive Rooms
- Junior Suites
- Senior Suites

Additional amenities include air conditioning, a restaurant, a tea room, free wifi, an outdoor swimming pool, a fitness club, automated cash dispenser, a bar/lounge, a business center and a hairdressing and beauty salon.



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Eleven minutes (4.6 km) by car to the Conference Centre

Room categories:

- Suites
- Double rooms
- Standard double rooms

Additional amenities include a restaurant/bar, air conditioning, free wifi and an outdoor swimming pool.







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Ten minutes by car (4.6 km) to the Conference Centre

Room categories :

- Standard Rooms
- Executive Rooms
- Junior Suites
- Senior Suites

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Additional amenities include a restaurant, free wifi, an outdoor swimming pool, a fitness club, automated cash dispenser, a bar/lounge, a casino and a nightclub.



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MONT MANDARA HOTEL * * *

Two minutes (650 m) by car to the Conference Centre

Room categories:

- Suite
- Executive rooms
- Standard Double rooms

Additional amenities include air conditioning, a snack bar, a restaurant, free wifi.





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CONGRESS HOTEL ***



Five minutes (2.4 km) by car to the Conference Centre

Room categories:

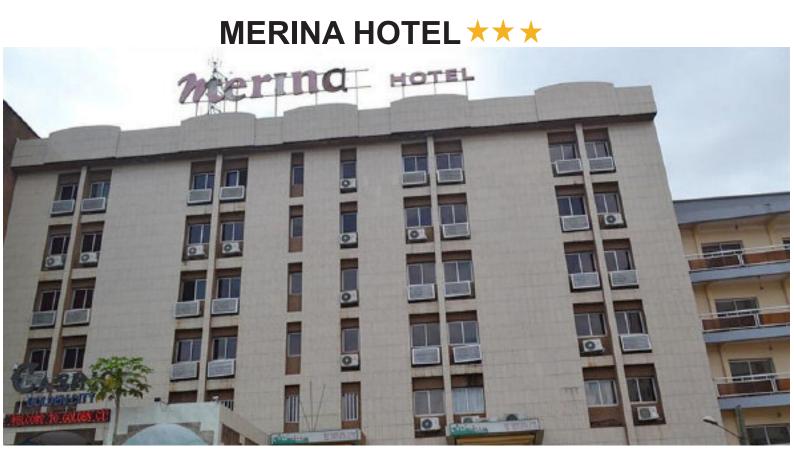
- Comfort Rooms
- Executive Rooms
- Luxury rooms
- Junior Suites

Additional amenities include air conditioning, a restaurant, a tea room, free wifi, an outdoor swimming pool, a fitness club, automated cash dispenser, a bar/lounge, a business center and a hairdressing and beauty salon.



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Thirteen minutes (5.7 km) by car to the Conference Centre

Room categories:

- Luxurious two bedroom appartments
- Standard single rooms
- Standard double rooms

Additional amenities include air conditioning, a restaurant, a snack bar, an outdoor swimming pool, satellite television and free wifi.







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AZUR HOTEL **



Five minutes (2. km) by car to the Conference Centre

Room categories:

- Suites
- Senior double rooms
- Senior single rooms
- Single standard rooms

Additional amenities include a restaurant, free wifi, air conditioning and a snack-bar.



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TOU'NGOU HOTEL**



Eleven minutes (4.3 km) by car to the Conference Centre

Room categories:

- **Suites**
- Standard single rooms
- appartments

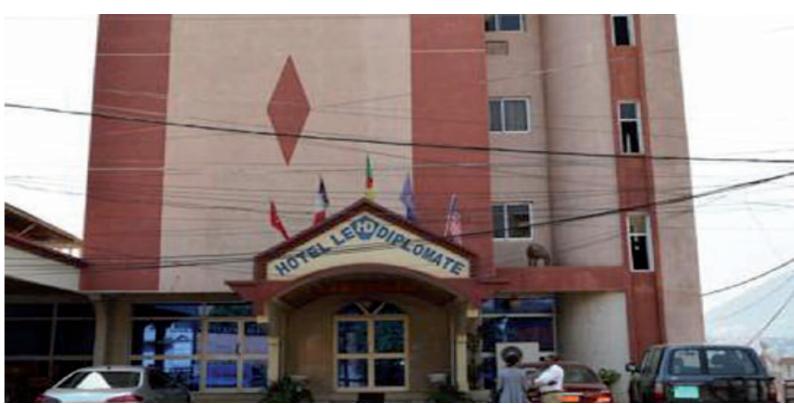
Additional amenities include air conditioning, a bar restaurant, free wifi.



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LE DIPLOMATE HOTEL**



Three minutes (1.4 km) by car to the Conference Centre

Room categories:

- Suites
- Junior Suite
- Standard double rooms

Additional amenities include air conditioning, a restaurant, free wifi.



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MANSEL HOTEL**



Seventeen minutes (7.4 km) by car to the Conference Centre

Room categories:

- Suites
- Standard single rooms
- Standard double rooms

Additional amenities include air conditioning, a restaurant, a snack bar and free wifi.



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JOUVENCE 2000 HOTEL**



Eighteen minutes (6.6 km) by car to the Conference Centre

Room categories:

- Suites
- Standard single rooms
- Standard double rooms

Additional amenities include air conditioning, a restaurant, a snack bar, a nightclub and free wifi.



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MEUMI HOTEL **



Eleven minutes (4.8 km) by car to the Conference Centre

Room categories:

Appartements Suites Luxury rooms Standard single rooms Standard double rooms

Additional amenities include air conditioning, a restaurant, a snack bar, a shop, a hairdressing and beauty salon and free wifi.



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MEUMI PALACE **



Ten minutes (3.1 km) by car to the Conference Centre

Room categories:

- Appartements
- Suites
- Luxury rooms
- Standard single rooms
- Standard double rooms

Additional amenities include air conditioning, a restaurant, a snack bar, a shop, a hairdressing and beauty salon and free wifi.



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PRESENTATION

The Mefou National Park is a sanctuary established by Ape Action Africa. It is located at 45 minutes away from Yaounde by car.

The guided tour enables visitors to become familiar with different ape species, their nutrition and living habits...

The opportunity is given to take direct action and adopt one of the apes you meet during your visit.

VISITING HOURS AND FEES

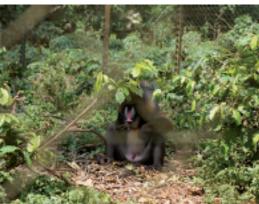
The Mefou Ape Sanctuary Park is open to visitors from 9.00am to 4.30pm, every day of the year. The last guided tour starts at 3.30pm.

- Entrance fees to the park are:
 - F 7,500 CFA (12 euros) for adults
 - F 2,000 CFA (4 euros) for children













ECOPARK AHALA YAOUNDE, CENTER REGION



PRESENTATION

Located several miles away from Yaounde (approximately 10 minutes drive). Ecopark provides a place for relaxation where pleasures of nature are combined with the joys of learning through guided tours.

All year long come and discover different species of birds (parrots, pigeons), animals (camels, chimps, alligators) as well as fish in ponds coming from different areas and forests in Cameroon.

Restaurants located in the Park are opportunities to wine and dine while being lulled by the traditional beats and sounds of Cameroon.

VISITING HOURS AND FEES

Ecopark is open all year long from 9:00am to 5:00pm and above as far as the restaurants are concerned.

- Fees vary depending on proposed activities on site:
- Visiting the fish ponds (feeding and fishing)
- Visiting the animal zoo
- Hiking in the woods
- Horse-riding
- Restaurant







PRESENTATION

Housed in the former Presidential Residence, the National Museum of Yaounde is used as an institution to keep the Cameroonian national culture. Visitors are often attracted by its architecture, grounds, and vast collection of art.

The guided tour provides visitors with exhibits of bronze and wooden statues and symbols, as well as pictures of historical figures. It is also possible to visit the lavish yard with 12 fountains and examples of traditional housing originating from each of the country's regions.

The Museum features a shop and a restaurant.

VISITING HOURS AND FEES

Visiting hours extend from Mondays to Fridays, from 10:00 am to 6:00 pm. Entry fees are fixed to 10 000 cfa (16 euros) for adults and 2000 cfa (4 euros) for children below 10 years of age.







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NKOLANDOM RESORT EBOLOWA, SOUTH REGION

CENTRE TOURISTIQUE DE NKOLANDOM





PRESENTATION

Located at an approximate three hours car ride away from Yaounde, Nkolandom resort is an attractive tourist center dedicated to providing visitors with historic and cultural sights and pleasures.

The resort displays a housing area (2 apartments, 7 suites, 29 double rooms) as well as a restaurant.

Attractions involve visiting prehistoric caves, swimming in the pool, visiting the museum of negro art, horse-riding, visiting the hatchery, fishing in ponds, canoe riding...

VISITING HOURS AND FEES

While accommodation is supplied 24/7, attractions are available from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm all week long except on Sundays. The following fees are charged:

- Canoe riding 2000cfa (3.5 euros)
- Horse riding 10000cfa (16 euros)
- Fishing 2500cfa (4 euros)
- Visiting prehistoric caves 1500cfa (2.5 euros)
- Hiking in the palm grove/woods 8000cfa (12.5 euros)
- Visiting the Negro Art Museum 2500cfa (4 euros)







PRESENTATION

Petpenoun Resort is found on the edge of a lake at Foumbot, a small city 30km from Bafoussam when driving.

It is a 200 hectares tourist facility proposing a complete package for an adventurous holiday.

The lodge provides furnished wide huts with private bathroom and guarantees a pleasant and ecological retreat

ACTIVITIES

Exposure to an array of leisure and sporting activities is available: fishing in the lake just bordering the premises; canoe or kayak riding; golf playing; trekking among the trees and gardens; swimming in the pool/lake; playing tennis or badminton; dinghy racing; bowling, biking, billiards, table tennis, hunting and several more.







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SADDLE HILL RANCH AND RESORT BAMENDA, NORTH WEST REGION

PRESENTATION

Saddle Hill Ranch (SHR) is a luxurious yet simple holiday resort in Cameroon, with beautiful and natural geographic features, strikingly shaped rocks with unique disperses on hills; local and unique tree species growing out of big rocks, and meandering streams.

At visitors' disposal are standard and superior accomodation, a jacuzzi, a pool and pool deck, and panoramic restaurant.

ACTIVITIES

The Ranch is full of beautiful and rare bird and lizard species that are a delight to nature enthusiasts. Activities involve Camping, Hiking, quad biking, mountain biking, horse riding or rocks climbing.

Guided tours are available at the following destinations:

- Bafut Palace (~10 mins from SHR): Rich in history, cutlure and tradition

- Lake Nyos (~60 mins from SHR): a beautiful crater lake bearing a scientific research center established for preventing the build-up of dissolved gases

- Bamessing Handicraft Centre (~60mins from SHR): Watch local craftsmen at work fabricating pottery and wood work

- Menchum River and Menchum Falls (~40 mins from SHR).

Mbengwi Monastery (~30mins from SHR).



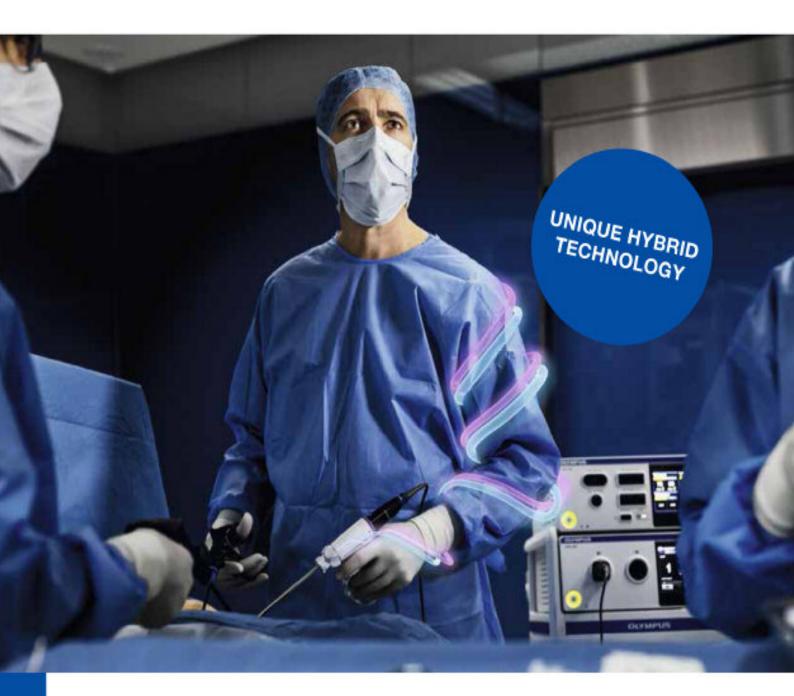




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