

2011 INSPIRATION MEETING

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- > Aging spine traumatology
- > Indications for MIS in degenerative lumbar diseases
- > Innovations in deformity correction

Friday 8th July 2011

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8:15 > Welcoming words

8:30 > Aging spine traumatology

- Surgical considerations in treating the traumatic osteoporotic spine
- Treatment strategy of fracture associated to degenerative lumbar disease
- Surgical strategy: specific classifications, timing and surgical techniques

9:30 > Indications of MIS in degenerative lumbar diseases

- MIS techniques for symptomatic deformity: Direct vs. Indirect
- MIS treatment for DDD Indications
- Is there an MIS application for the treatment of degenerative spondylolisthesis?
- Is there a place for MIS in revision surgeries?

10:30 > Coffee Break

11:00 > Innovations in deformity correction

- Direct vertebral derotation in scoliotic deformities
- Posterior osteotomies in kyphotic deformities: transpedicular osteotomy and Smith Peterson technique
- The use of posterior cages in degenerative scoliosis
- The use of lateral cages in degenerative scoliosis

12:00 > **Key Note Lecture:** To be announced.

12:30 > Lunch

14:00 > Industrial Corner: Alphatec Spine

- Early experience using OsseoScrew
- Alternative device options

14:25 > Round table discussions

- Aging spine traumatology
- Indications of MIS in degenerative lumbar diseases
- Innovations in deformity correction

Saturday 9th July 2011

9:00 > Key note lectures:

- Evaluation and treatment of adult scoliosis in elderly patient
- Cervical laminoplasty: indications and surgical considerations

9:40 > Overview and best cases report of the round table discussions

10:45 > Coffee break

10:40 > **DEBATE:** What is the standard of care for a single thoraco-lumbar metastasis?

12:00 > Key Note Lectures:

- Review of cervical disc prosthesis long-term (2 years+) clinical outcomes: confirmation of a major breakthrough in spinal surgery
- Cervical Disc Prosthesis: specific indications

12:30 > Lunch

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