

MDS

Massimo de Sanctis



Collaboration



2026 Edition

INTERNATIONAL
POSTGRADUATE

Reconstructive Surgery of periodontal and peri-implant tissues

January-December 2026
Paris

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SPEAKERS AND TUTORS

- Massimo De Sanctis
- Sofia Aroca
- Marco Clementini
- Christelle Darnaud
- Paula Matesanz
- Davide Guglielmi
- Carlo Monaco
- Ausra Ramanauskaite
- Mario Rocuzzo
- Francesco De Sanctis
- Luca De Stavola
- Martina Stefanini
- Cristiano Tomasi
- Giovanni Zucchelli

10 training meetings of two days each

The Course is open to Graduate Dentists. Participation is limited to a maximum number of 29 attendees.

The Postgraduate Course on Reconstructive Surgery around Teeth and Implants is offered by the International Academy for Soft Tissue Management around Teeth and Implants with 26K Center for Continuing Education. Professor Massimo De Sanctis is the scientific responsible of the course as well as the main teacher. The objective of this course is to provide the participants with the most updated information on reconstructive surgical techniques both for soft and hard tissues. All the clinical sessions will be conducted by the best experts on the specific technique. Every session of the course will include a Live Surgery session and will be supported by videos of every single technique as well as hands-on Seminars in order to replicate the surgeries discussed on animal models. During the course, articles and abstracts of the most recent literature will be delivered to have a more objective discussion maintaining the entire course based on scientific evidence. This International Postgraduate is a unique occasion to refine the surgical skills of participants as well as their capacity of treatment planning and choosing the better surgery in a given case. After completing the course and passing the final examination, participants will be awarded a Diploma in Reconstructive Surgery of Periodontal and Peri-implant Tissues.

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Learning Objectives

Module 1

January 30/31

From anatomy of periodontal and peri-implant tissue to treatment planning

Paula Matesanz
Cristiano Tomasi

- > To increase the anatomical and biological knowledge of periodontal and peri-implant tissues
- > To learn the most recent advancement on etiological factors and pathogenesis of periodontal diseases
- > To learn the new classification of periodontal diseases and the clinical implication
- > To exercise the treatment planning of advance cases of periodontal diseases

Module 2

February 27/28

Surgical techniques for the treatment of single recessions

Francesco De Sanctis
Massimo De Sanctis
Sofia Aroca
Christelle Darnaud

- > To learn biological bases and clinical application of surgical techniques for the treatment of single gingival recession
- > To follow live surgeries to improve the techniques described
- > To practically exercise to improve clinical skills and manual dexterity

Module 3

March 27/28

Surgical technique for the treatment of multiple recessions (I)

Massimo De Sanctis
Sofia Aroca
Christelle Darnaud

- > To learn biological bases and clinical application of surgical techniques for the treatment of multiple gingival recession with emphasis on multiple coronal flap
- > To understand the use of connective tissue graft and how to limit surgical invasiveness
- > To follow live surgeries to improve the understanding of the techniques described
- > To practically exercise to improve clinical skills and manual dexterity

Module 4

April 24/25

Relationship between periodontal plastic surgery and restorative dentistry

Massimo De Sanctis
Davide Guglielmi
Christelle Darnaud
Sofia Aroca

- > To improve the knowledge and understanding of relationship between periodontal plastic surgery and restorative and prosthodontics
- > To evaluate and discuss respective surgery in esthetic areas
- > To improve the knowledge of the relationship between orthodontic and periodontal surgery
- > To follow live surgeries to improve the understanding of the techniques described
- > To practice exercise to improve clinical skills and manual dexterity

Module 5

May 22/23

Surgical techniques for the treatment of multiple recessions (II)

Massimo De Sanctis
Sofia Aroca
Christelle Darnaud

- > To learn biological bases and clinical application of surgical techniques for the treatment of multiple gingival recession with emphasis on modified tunnel technique
- > To learn how to apply the technique in RT1 and RT2 gingival recession
- > To understand the use of connective tissue graft and how to limit surgical invasiveness
- > To follow live surgeries to improve the understanding of the techniques described
- > To practically exercise to improve clinical skills and manual dexterity

Module 6

June 26/27

Relationship between soft tissue management and prosthetic rehabilitation

Giovanni Zucchelli
Carlo Monaco
Massimo De Sanctis
Sofia Aroca
Christelle Darnaud

- > To learn the relevance of soft tissue grafting and the design of the prosthetic restoration to achieve optimal esthetic outcomes around dental implants
- > To understand key surgical and prosthetic concepts to maximize soft tissue grating outcomes around implants
- > To update prosthodontic principles for restoring implants respecting the peri-implant soft tissue component by dealing with prosthetic complications and malpositioned implants
- > To learn the Biological principles of BOPT, tooth preparation, provisionalisation and lab communication in implant dentistry
- > To follow live surgeries and practical hands on to improve the understanding of the techniques described, skills and manual dexterity

Module 7

July 10/11

The use of soft tissue substitutes aroundteeth and implant

Sofia Aroca

- > Which are the most utilized STS
- > Which are the indications for the use of soft tissue substitutes (STS)
- > What are the limits / contra-indications for the use of STS
- > What is the clinical rationale for the use of STS
- > STS in esthetic mucogingival surgery
- > STS in implant surgery
- > Live surgery
- > Hands-on (animal models)

Module 8

September 18/19

The reconstruction of deep periodontal tissues

Martina Stefanini
Massimo De Sanctis
Sofia Aroca
Francesco De Sanctis
Christelle Darnaud

- > To learn the biologic basis for the need of soft tissues around implants
- > To discuss and evaluate the time for soft tissue augmentation around implants
- > To follow live surgeries to learn technical steps in the presented surgeries
- > To practice exercise to increase surgical skills and manual dexterity on soft tissue management around implants

Module 9

October 16/17

The post extraction socket handling and treatment of ridge defects

Luca De Stavola
Marco Clementini
Massimo De Sanctis
Sofia Aroca
Christelle Darnaud

- > To learn the healing mechanism in the treatment of intrabony surgery with special emphasis to periodontal regeneration
- > To improve the skill in diagnosis of intrabony defects and the healing potential of each lesion
- > To evaluate the use of mucogingival technique in the treatment of periodontal and peri-implant intrabony lesions
- > To discuss the rationale in choosing the correct surgical technique for different cases of intrabony lesions
- > To follow live surgeries to learn technical steps in the presented surgeries
- > To practically exercise to increase surgical skills and manual dexterity on soft tissue management around implants

Module 10

November 20/21

The challenge of Peri-implant diseases: How to prevent, diagnose and treat peri-implantitis

Ausra Ramanauskaite
Mario Rocuzzo

- > To learn about the fate of post extractive alveolus and surgical technique to reduce the bone resorption
- > To improve the knowledge on surgical techniques to correct bone deficiencies
- > To follow live surgeries to learn technical steps in the presented surgeries
- > To practically exercise to increase surgical skills and manual dexterity on soft tissue management around implants

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PROGRAM

From anatomy of periodontal and peri-implant tissue to treatment planning

January 30, 2026

09:00am-01:00pm **Periodontal and peri-implant tissues** Paula Matesanz

01:00pm-02:00pm Lunch Break

02:00pm-06:00pm **Etiology and pathogenesis of periodontal and peri-implant diseases** Cristiano Tomasi

January 31, 2026

09:00am-01:00pm **Classification of periodontal and peri-implant diseases and condition** Cristiano Tomasi

01:00pm-02:00pm Lunch Break

02:00pm-05:00pm **Practical exercises Treatment planning** Cristiano Tomasi

Surgical techniques for the treatment of single recessions

February 27, 2026

09:00am-10:00am **Diagnosis and prognosis of root recessions** Francesco De Sanctis

10:00am-01:00pm **Coronally advanced flap Laterally and coronally advanced flap** Massimo De Sanctis

01:00pm-02:00pm Lunch Break

02:00pm-06:00pm **Two phases surgery (free gingival graft and coronally/ laterally advanced flap) - Bilaminar technique Techniques for harvesting a connective tissue graft Harvesting a connective tissue graft** Massimo De Sanctis

February 28, 2026

09:00am-01:00pm **Live Surgery** Massimo De Sanctis

01:00pm-02:00pm Lunch Break

02:00pm-05:00pm **Hands-on section Practical exercises on animal mandibles** Sofia Aroca
Christelle Darnaud
Massimo De Sanctis

Surgical technique for the treatment of multiple recessions (I)

March 27, 2026

09:00am-01:00pm	Multiple coronally advanced flap	Massimo De Sanctis
01:00pm-02:00pm	Lunch Break	
02:00pm-06:00pm	Multiple bilaminar flap	Massimo De Sanctis

March 28, 2026

09:00am-01:00pm	Live Surgery	Massimo De Sanctis
01:00pm-02:00pm	Lunch Break	
02:00pm-05:00pm	Hands-on section Surgical exercises on animal mandibles	Sofia Aroca Christelle Darnaud Massimo De Sanctis

Relationship between periodontal plastic surgery and restorative dentistry

April 24, 2026

09:00am-11:00am	The reconstruction of CEJ: A fundamental in mucogingival surgery	Massimo De Sanctis Davide Guglielmi
11:00am-01:00pm	The biologic width and crown lengthening techniques: Myth or reality?	Massimo De Sanctis Davide Guglielmi
01:00pm-02:00pm	Lunch Break	
02:00pm-03:30pm	Crown lengthening in aesthetic area	Davide Guglielmi
03:30pm-06:30pm	Case presentation	Christelle Darnaud

April 25, 2026

09:00pm-01:00pm	Live Surgery	Massimo De Sanctis
01:00pm-02:00pm	Lunch Break	
02:00pm-05:00pm	Hands-on section Practical exercises on animal mandibles	Sofia Aroca Christelle Darnaud Massimo De Sanctis Davide Guglielmi

Surgical techniques for the treatment of multiple recessions (II)

May 22, 2026

09:00am-01:00pm	The modified coronally advanced tunnel	Sofia Aroca
01:00pm-02:00pm	Lunch Break	
02:00pm-06:00pm	The use of connective tissue graft in tunnel technique	Sofia Aroca

May 23, 2026

09:00am-01:00pm	Live Surgery	Sofia Aroca
01:00pm-02:00pm	Lunch Break	
02:00pm-05:00pm	Hands-on section Practical exercises on animal mandibles	Sofia Aroca Christelle Darnaud Massimo De Sanctis

Relationship between soft tissue management and prosthetic rehabilitation

June 26, 2026

09:00am-01:00pm	Mucogingival techniques before, during and after implant placement The importance of the soft tissue channel for a correct emergency profile	Giovanni Zucchelli
01:00pm-02:00pm	Lunch Break	
02:00pm-06:00pm	Mucogingival techniques to treat recessions around implants	Giovanni Zucchelli

June 27, 2026

09:00pm-01-00pm	Prosthodontic principles for restoring implants respecting the peri-implant soft tissue component Dealing with prosthetic complications and malpositioned implants.	Carlo Monaco
01:00pm-02:00pm	Lunch Break	
02:00pm-04:00pm	The perio-prosthodontic approach Implant supported reconstruction in convergent implant designs	Carlo Monaco
04:00pm-06:00pm	Exercise in models	Carlo Monaco Sofia Aroca Christelle Darnaud Massimo De Sanctis

The use of soft tissue substitutes around teeth and implant

July 10, 2026

09:00am-10:00am	Which are the most utilized STS	
10:00am-11:00am	Which are the indications for the use of soft tissue substitutes (STS) What are the limits / contra-indications for the use of STS	Sofia Aroca
11:00am-01:00pm	What is the clinical rationale for the use of STS	
01:00pm-02:00pm	Lunch Break	
02:00pm-04:00pm	STS in esthetic mucogingival surgery	Sofia Aroca
04:00pm-06:00pm	STS in implant surgery	

July 11, 2026

09:00am-01:00pm	Live surgery	Sofia Aroca
01:00pm-02:00pm	Lunch Break	
02:00pm-05:00pm	Hands-on Surgical exercises on animal models	Sofia Aroca

The reconstruction of deep periodontal tissues

September 18, 2026

09:00am-10:00am	Diagnosis of intrabony defects	Massimo De Sanctis
10:00am-11:00am	Healing potential of bone defects. GTR Biologic principles and clinical applications	Francesco De Sanctis
11:00am-01:00pm	Surgical technique for the treatment of periodontal lesions (First part)	Martina Stefanini
01:00pm-02:00pm	Lunch Break	
02:00pm-04:00pm	Surgical technique for the treatment of periodontal lesions (Second part)	Martina Stefanini
04:00pm-06:00pm	Papilla preservation techniques. The use of bone substitutes, membranes and enamel proteins	Massimo De Sanctis

September 19, 2026

09:00am-01:00pm	Live Surgery	Massimo De Sanctis
01:00pm-02:00pm	Lunch Break	
02:00pm-05:00pm	Hands-on section Surgical exercises on animal models	Sofia Aroca Martina Stefanini Christelle Darnaud Massimo De Sanctis Francesco De Sanctis

The post extraction socket handling and treatment of ridge defects

October 16, 2026

09:00am-01:00pm	How to handle post extractive alveolus: spontaneous healing, alveolar preservation, alveolar reconstruction. Soft and hard tissue consideration	Marco Clementini
01:00pm-02:00pm	Lunch Break	
02:00pm-06:00pm	Bone reconstruction in horizontal and vertical defects	Luca De Stavola

October 17, 2026

09:00pm-01:00pm	Live Surgery	Luca De Stavola Massimo De Sanctis
01:00pm-02:00pm	Lunch Break	
02:00pm-05:00pm	Hands-on section Practical exercises on animal models	Sofía Aroca Christelle Darnaud Massimo De Sanctis

The challenge of Peri-implant diseases: How to prevent, diagnose and treat peri-implantitis

November 20, 2026

09:00am-11:00am	Key to diagnose and prevent peri-implant disorders	Ausra Ramanauskaite
11:00am-01:00pm	Contemporary approaches to manage peri-implant diseases	Ausra Ramanauskaite
01:00pm-02:00pm	Lunch Break	
02:00pm-03:00pm	Indicators to succeed in the treatment of peri-implantitis	Mario Rocuzzo
03:00pm-06:00pm	Surgical techniques to prevent and treat peri-implantitis	Mario Rocuzzo

November 21, 2026

09:00am-01:00am	Live Surgery	Mario Rocuzzo
01:00pm-01:30pm	Closing remarks.	

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You'll receive a confirmation email with all the details once your registration is complete.



If you require any specific arrangements to take part in the course, please contact us directly.

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Language

The Official language of the Course is English

Attendance

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Venue

26K Center for Clinical Research
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