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THE INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY FOR SOFT TISSUE MANAGEMENT AROUND TEETH AND IMPLANTS

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Reconstructive Surgery of periodontal and peri-implant tissues

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Paris

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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 pathogenesys 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 Roccuzzo

- 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

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Module 1 January 30/31, 2026

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

Module 2 February 27/28, 2026

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 far 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

Module 3 March 27/28, 2026

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

Module 4 April 24/25, 2026

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

Module 5 May 22/23, 2026

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

Module 6 June 26/27, 2026

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

Module 7 July 10/11, 2026

The use of soft tissue substitutes aroundteeth and implant

July 10, 2026

09:00am-10:00am	**Which are the most utilized STS**	Sofia Aroca
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**	
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

Module 8 September 18/19, 2026

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

Module 9 October 16/17, 2026

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**	Sofia Aroca Christelle Darnaud Massimo De Sanctis

Module 10 November 20/21, 2026

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 Roccuzzo
03:00pm-06:00pm	**Surgical techniques to prevent and treat peri-implantitis**	Mario Roccuzzo

November 21, 2026

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

Click the QR code to sign up!

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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