

Announcement

AOTrauma Course—Advanced Principles of Fracture Management

August 2–4, 2018, Chandigarh, India



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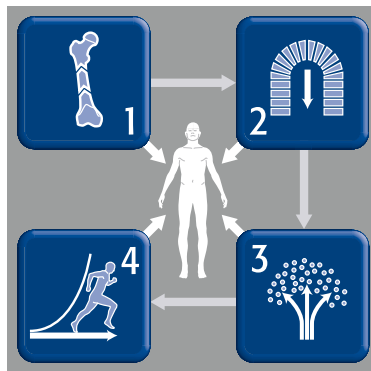
Value statement

AOTrauma is committed to improve patient care outcomes through the highest quality education. We strive to combine the right knowledge and surgical skills that empower the orthopaedic and trauma surgeons and the operating room personnel to put theory into practice and to improve fracture management for the benefit of the patient.

The AO principles of fracture management

Fracture reduction and fixation to restore anatomical relationships.

Early and safe mobilization and rehabilitation of the injured part and the patient as a whole.



Fracture fixation providing absolute or relative stability, as required by the “personality” of the fracture, the patient, and the injury.

Preservation of the blood supply to soft tissues and bone by gentle reduction techniques and careful handling.

Dear AOTrauma course participant,

Welcome to the AOTrauma Course—Advanced Principles of Fracture Management, which is planned and delivered to meet your needs using a competency-based curriculum approach and the AO's seven principles for high-quality education.

AO Trauma's innovative approach to education has been further strengthened as a result of the successful collaboration with the AO Education Institute in the application of state-of-the-art educational concepts in curriculum planning and all faculty development programs.

This course is one of our many educational activities for providing lifelong learning, from the Residents Education Program through to specialized Continuing Professional Development (CPD) for practicing surgeons and clinicians.

We believe that your active engagement in this course will result in improved care for your patients. Your current level of knowledge and skills will be challenged by the activities and throughout the entire event. We are confident that the combination of education principles and relevant content from our curriculum, as well as your interaction with colleagues and expert faculty will provide an effective learning experience that meets your needs.

This course is part of an overall competency-based educational program that includes many other activities and resources for self-directed learning. The educational activities in each program are developed by an international taskforce of clinical experts and educationalists and made available to you through the Education section of www.aotrauma.org.

We hope you enjoy the course and benefit from the networking opportunities it provides for you to share experiences with your colleagues.



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If you enjoy the experience during your course and would like to stay in touch with the organization and its international network of surgeons, we invite you to become a member of AOTrauma. The benefits of membership, including options to get involved in new opportunities that advance trauma care are described at www.aotrauma.org.

Goal of the course

The AOTrauma Course- Advanced Principles of Fracture Management teaches current concepts and AO basic principles at an advanced level incorporating the latest techniques in operative fracture management.

Target participants

Participants must have already completed the AOTrauma Course- Basic Principles of Fracture Management. They also must be actively involved in trauma management.

Course description

Surgeons participating in the course will have the basic AOTrauma Course- Advanced Principles of Fracture Management reemphasized and concentrate on their application in the management of complex fractures using advanced techniques.

The course will be taught in a modular format. Each module consists of a small number of short evidencebased lectures, which will cover the key information required. Case-based lectures will promote interactivity between faculty members and course participants. In practical exercises participants will be trained in the application of different techniques. Discussing cases in small groups will help participants to understand decision making and management skills.

The course will focus on biological principles of operative techniques offering alternative methods while emphasizing minimally invasive surgery whenever possible. Advanced techniques using locking compression plates and latest generation intramedullary nails will be explored and corresponding practicals will reinforce this. Management of complex articular and metaphyseal fractures, and reconstructive orthopedics including the management of pelvic and acetabular fractures will be addressed.

Course objectives

After the course, participants should be able to:

- Apply the principles of direct and indirect reduction.
- Explain the mechanical and biological principles of locked internal fixators and apply them in clinical practice.
- Manage fractures with severe soft-tissue injuries applying fracture treatment principles.
- Describe the role of damage control orthopedics and early total care in polytraumatized patients.
- Formulate how to treat nonunions or malunions based on underlying biological and mechanical principles.
- Discuss assessment strategies of severe open injuries in the lower limb and decision-making for limb salvage or early amputation.

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Program Overview

Thursday, August 2, 2018

07.00	Registration
08.00	Opening & Welcome Ceremony
18.30	End of day one

Friday, August 3, 2018

09.00	Course
18.00	End of day two

Saturday, August 4, 2018

09.00	Course
16.00	End of Course

Lunch / Breaks (According to the course program)

Course organization

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AO funding sources

Unrestricted educational grants from different sources are collected and pooled together centrally by the AO Foundation. All events are planned and scheduled by local and regional AO surgeon groups based on local needs assessments. We rely on industrial/commercial partners for in-kind support to run simulations/skills training if educationally needed.

Course logistics

AO Courses in Chandigarh
Bhavnesht Mittal
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Event organization compliance

In certain countries where AO has no office but offers educational events, the AO cooperates with third party companies to conduct local organization and logistics, as well as to communicate with participants in the local language. In these cases the AO has put rules and guidelines in place (Letter of Secondment, AO Foundation—Principles of AO Educational Events) to ensure that this cooperation has no impact on the curricula, scientific program, or faculty selection.

Course venue

Taj Chandigarh
Block No 9, Sector 17A
Chandigarh – 160017, Chandigarh, India
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Course information

Course fees

The course Fees USD 455 Payable online by Debit/Credit Card.

Inclusions

Conference bag with documentation

Coffee breaks & Lunches

Course certificate

Insurance

Participants are not insured by the course organizers against accidents or other risks.

Personal belongings left in the hotel are the responsibility of the individual participant.

Course language

The course language is English

Course Pre-requisite

M.S (Ortho) / D(Ortho) / D.N.B (Ortho)

AO Principles Course. A Copy of the certificates must accompany the application form. There should be a gap of minimum one year from the date of completion of AO Principles Course

This course is primarily meant for surgeons practicing in India.

The course will only accept a maximum of 72 participants based on first come basis.

The registration will be closed after 72 applications.

Dress code

Casual

Accommodation

This is a non-residential programme. Participant will have to make their own arrangements for stay in Chandigarh

Mobile Phone & Camera Use

Please note that it is not permitted to use mobile phone & Camera in lecture halls and in workshop rooms.

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Working experience

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 Years

Full Signature

CHECKLIST FOR APPLICATION

- ☐ The scan copy of the duly filled and signed application form
- ☐ Attested Copy of the certificate of MS (Ortho), D.N.B. (Ortho) or D (Ortho) & AO Basic course certificate

- 1) Only fully completed application forms with attested copy of certificates will be considered & processed. Please send scanned copy on below email address.
- 2) Submission of application form is not the guarantee of the selection for the course.
- 3) Once your application is selected you will receive a selection letter alongwith an e-link. Use the link to register online and make payment of fees. "Fees for the course is 455 USD"

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