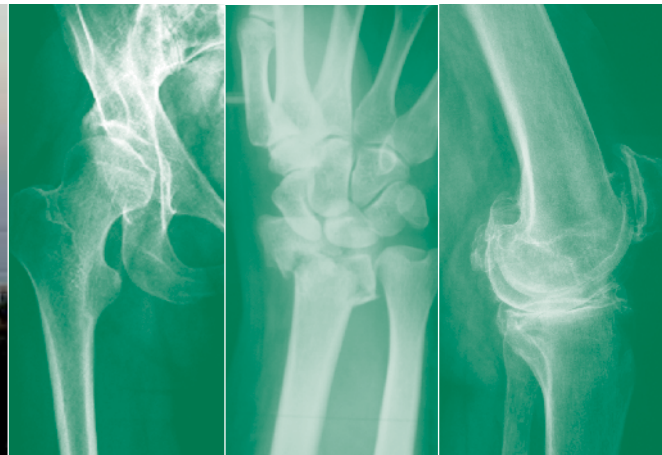


14th EFORT Congress 2013

Early registration deadline
30 January 2013

Pre-registration deadline
19 May 2013



Second announcement & preliminary programme

Istanbul, Turkey
5 – 8 June 2013

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Welcome from EFORT



Prof. Dr. Pierre Hoffmeyer



Prof. Dr. Hakki Sur



Prof. Dr. Enric Cáceres Palou

EFORT invites you to Istanbul in the early summer of 2013

„One city, two continents“ is the perfect description of this wonderful city. Today, Istanbul is a forward-thinking city in an emerging economy, and medical science is one area in which it is especially progressive. That is why EFORT has chosen to hold its 14th Congress in Istanbul from 5–8 June 2013.

It takes a degree of courage to choose such an attractive place for a Congress. There is always the risk that the setting will overshadow the Congress itself. EFORT has all the scientific prestige it takes to stand up to the competition. EFORT has taken care to shape the 14th Congress scientific programme so that it offers an international blend of scientists not only from Europe, of course, but also from the rest of the world.

We have worked hard on the programme and are confident that it will live up to your justifiably high expectations. Its highlights are sure to reignite our passion for our profession. EFORT received 4,000 abstracts for the Congress, 50% of which have passed successfully through the selection process.

As a result, the 2013 Congress programme will feature some 20 European sub-specialties. The Instructional Lecture series is particularly popular among EFORT Congress delegates. In Istanbul, there will be a mix of new topics which are important to the European orthopaedic community in general, as well as some that have been shown by previous congresses to have enormous appeal. Some of the most relevant Instructional Lectures to be presented in Istanbul will look at risk factors for postoperative infection, growth modulation in paediatrics, and how to introduce new implants and techniques. Other highlights will include meniscal ligament injuries today.

Congress symposia will include complex elbow fractures, osteoarthritis of the thumb, statistical analysis in orthopaedic clinical studies, and reconstruction after damage control. The Interactive Expert Exchange format, Complex Case Discussions and Discussion Forum that were so successful in the Berlin Congress will also return in Istanbul.

Finally we will be debuting a new session entitled Evidence-Based Medicine, covering two topics: metatarsalgia treatment and options, and the treatment of metastases on the spine.

This year's guests societies SLAOT (Federation of Latin American Societies) and SBOT, (Brazilian Society of Traumatology and Orthopedics) will have a special participation in the scientific program.

We are proud of the feedback we have received, which reveals a great deal of interest in this Congress from middle and far-Eastern countries. As a result, in Istanbul – the gateway between East and West – you will encounter not only Turkish culture, but also the orthopaedic science and many colleagues from the Far East.

The 14th Congress will be one of the most successful meetings ever. We are sure that you will want to stay longer to discover more about this fascinating country, from which both the tulip and the tradition of coffee originate.

EFORT looks forward to welcoming you to Istanbul from 5–8 June 2013.

Prof. Dr. Pierre Hoffmeyer
EFORT President 2012/2013

Prof. Dr. Hakki Sur
Chair Local Organisation,
Istanbul 2013 (TOTBID)

Prof. Dr. Enric Cáceres Palou
Chair EFORT Scientific Committee

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09:00		Painful knee after TKA Knee osseous Symposium	Periprosthetic fractures in the lower limb Trauma lower limb Symposium	Posttraumatic and chronic conditions pelvis and acetabulum Polytrauma/pelvis Specialty Session ESPA	Shoulder prosthetics Shoulder/elbow, arm/forearm Free Paper	Distal radius fractures Hand & wrist Free Paper	Orthopaedic Management in Patients with Haemophilia General Orthopaedics Symposium	What is the current status of Metal-on-Metal Hip replacement Hip Specialty Session EORS	Preoperative evaluation and management of patients with osteoarthritis of the spine Spine Symposium	Technical aspects of THA in DDH Hip Symposium	Supracondylar Fractures of the elbow in Children: Still a challenging problem? Paediatrics Symposium	Status of the art: Lower limb reconstruction in orthopaedic oncology Bone & joint tumours Symposium
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18:30	Welcome Reception for delegates and registered accompanying persons											

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08:30	Metal-Ceramic-Polyethylene: A search for the favourite Tribology Free paper	Hip arthroscopic surgery in 2013 Hip Specialty session EHS	Osteoarthritis of the thumb. Is resection arthroplasty the only treatment? Hand & wrist Symposium	Fracture femur/knee Trauma lower limb Free Paper	Early complications in THA Hip Symposium	Foot& Ankle injuries in the athlete: Where do we stand today? Foot/ankle/leg Specialty Session EFAS	EFORT-SLAOT: Primary complex hip arthroplasty Hip Symposium	Bone and implant headings General Orthopaedics Free Paper	Experimental: Infection and bone General Orthopaedics Free Paper	Multiple ligaments knee injury Sports / knee soft-tissue Symposium	Pseudarthrosis - bone defects Polytrauma/pelvis Interactive Expert Exchange	Comprehensive Review Course General education
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14:00	The hype of Ceramic - will it continue? Tribology Free Paper	Controversial issues in THA on the femoral side Hip Complex Case Discussion	Clinical Cases Hand&Wrist General education Clinical Cases	Biologics in open fractures Polytrauma/pelvis Instructional Lecture	Clinical Cases Paediatrics General education Clinical Cases	Hallus Valgus Foot/ankle/leg Specialty Session EFAS	Modern indication for an High Tibial Osteotomy Sports / knee soft-tissue Instructional Lecture	How to introduce new implants/ techniques General Orthopaedics Instructional Lecture	TKA: Technique-related outcomes Knee osseous Free Paper	Ligament injury of the immature knee: Conservative and surgical treatments Sports / knee soft-tissue Complex Case Discussion	Advanced concepts and treatment strategies for femoroacetabular impingement Hip Interactive Expert Exchange	Registration required
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17:15	Improvements of polyethylene - have we reached the goal? Tribology Free Paper	Arthroplasty vs. Osteosynthesis after femoral neck fracture Hip Debate Forum		Major pelvic and spine fractures Polytrauma/pelvis Complex Case Discussion	Basic Sciences Paediatrics Free Paper	Forefoot Foot/ankle/leg Free Paper	Pelvic fractures: Diagnostic challenges and functional outcome Polytrauma/pelvis Free Paper	Challenges in fragility fractures Osteoporosis Free Paper	Meniscal lesion today: Evidence of treatment Sports / knee soft-tissue Instructional Lecture	Knee ligaments Sports / knee soft-tissue Free Paper		
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08:30	Tumour III Bone & joint tumour Free Paper	Alignment for TKA Knee osseous Free Paper	New developments for trauma care Trauma Specialty Session AOTrauma	Reconstruction after damage control Polytrauma/pelvis Symposium	Minimal invasive spinal surgery. New overall perspectives Spine Specialty Session ISLASS	Osteotomies around the ankle Foot/ankle/leg Instructional Lecture	Management of bone defects after THR infection Infection Symposium	Orthopaedic surgery and thromboem- bolism General Orthopaedics Specialty Session ISTF	Assessing the rotator cuff Shoulder/elbow, arm/forearm Free Paper	SBOT session Guest Society Symposium	Hip arthroplasty: Technique II Hip Free Paper	Advances in Total Hip and Total Knee Replacement Knee osseous Advanced course Registration required	Speaker Coaching Workshop General education Registration required
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08:30	Metal on Metal II Hip Free Paper	TKA: Navigation Knee osseous Free Paper	Posttraumatic Joint instability Polytrauma/pelvis Specialty Session ARTOF	Fractures distal tibia, ankle, foot Trauma lower limb Free Paper	Everything you wanted to know about adult deformity Spine Specialty Session EUROSPINE	Percutaneous and mini-invasive surgery myths and reality Foot/ankle/leg Symposium	Patient reported outcome (Prom) and total joint replacement Hip Free Paper	Tricks in arthroscopic rotator cuff repair Shoulder/elbow, arm/forearm Symposium	BJD: Healthy Active Ageing – a multidisciplinary and multiprofessional approach General Orthopaedics Symposium	Unstable shoulder Shoulder/elbow, arm/forearm Free Paper	How to manage bone defects in THA Hip Interactive Expert Exchange Registration required	Infected fractures Infection Interactive Expert Exchange Registration required
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Comprehensive Review Course (CRC)



THE COMPREHENSIVE ORTHOPAEDIC REVIEW COURSE (CRC) – 6 June 2013

Primary target attendees: Young orthopaedic surgeons, residents in training

Pre-registration is mandatory

Fee: EUR 135.00

Max. capacity: 150 participants

This course aims to teach the knowledge that is needed for every specialist, and to broaden the participant's orthopaedic horizons. It features up-to-date presentations in five major areas:

- Lower extremity
- Upper extremity
- Spine
- Paediatrics
- Basic science

Attending this comprehensive full-day review course will provide the necessary knowledge base to prepare for the European Board examination (EBOT). Registration for this course is separate from the overall Congress registration.

CRC Programme

- A full-day Comprehensive Review Course (CRC)
- Complex Case Discussion
- Debate Forum
- e-poster/Video Presentations
- Evidence-Based Medicine Sessions
- Free Paper Sessions
- Honorary Lectures
- Industry Symposia
- Interactive Expert Exchange (IEE) Sessions
- Instructional Lectures
- Symposia

More information at: www.efort.org/istanbul2013/CRC

Interactive Expert Exchange (IEE)



INTERACTIVE EXPERT EXCHANGE (IEE)

Primary target attendees: Confirmed specialists and senior consultants

Pre-registration is mandatory

Fee: EUR 55.00 (please note that IEE sessions may be attended only if the participant is registered for the Congress)

Max. capacity: 100 participants per session

Session structure

The IEE is 3.5 hours long and will be divided into two sessions, including a break of 30 minutes.

Each session may include:

1. Introduction

The moderator introduces the topics and the audience answers 10 open questions during an initial voting session (5 minutes, with electronic system). The speakers present evidence linked to the questions that have been addressed previously (5 x 5 min) as a theoretical symposium.

2. Discussion

Break-out in groups (5 x 25 participants), in which the speakers present the cases and ask „what would you do?“ to stimulate audience input.

3. Summary

Each speaker presents their conclusions as a prelude to a second voting session. The concluding remarks between the moderator and the speakers are based on the voting results.

The programme for each session is produced in cooperation with the appropriate European Speciality Society.

There will be one or two IEE session(s) each day:

- How to manage bone defects in THA
- Joint preserving surgery of the hip

- DDH: Before walking age and residual deformities

- Pseudarthrosis – bone defects
- Infected fractures

Advances in Total Hip and Total Knee Replacement



Advances in Total Hip and Total Knee Replacement – 7 June 2013

Primary target attendees: Confirmed specialists or senior consultants within the area of total hip or knee replacement

Pre-registration is mandatory

Fee: EUR 75.00 (please note that this session may be attended only if the participant is registered for the Congress)

Max. capacity: 150 participants

The first edition of the full-day session „Advances in Total Hip and Total Knee Replacement“ will be held in Istanbul to feature the Current Concepts in Hip and Knee. The aim of the session is to provide a real benefit for attendants by raising an interactive and close exchange with experts on the latest techniques and treatments in joint replacement. The session will be based on short lectures, cross-fires, discussion with the auditorium, report of clinical cases and short symposia.

Topics to be covered within both Total Hip and Knee Replacement will be:

- Selection of implants
- Selection of bearings
- Diagnostic and treatment of infections
- Treatment of periprosthetic fractures
- Revision when severe bone loss
- Removal of well-fixed implants
- Presentation of complicated primary and revision cases
- Tips and tricks in total hip and knee replacement



EKA European knee associates – a section of ESSKA

Speaker Coaching Workshop



Speaker Coaching Workshop – 7 June 2013

Primary target attendees: All delegates wanting to improve their presentation skills

Pre-registration is mandatory

Max. capacity: 10 participants per session

Fee: EUR 150.00 (please note that the speaker coaching workshop may be attended only if the participant is registered for the Congress)

This is an opportunity for experienced speakers who give papers at international meetings to look again at their style and the impact of their work on the audience. Working with Angela Coles, one of the UK's best known public speaking coaches, these group sessions concentrate on improving delivery both in technique, argument and the use of effective slides. These practical coaching sessions are designed to assist experienced clinicians communicate scientific presentations with clarity. The sessions are aimed at developing the individual style of the presenter. Areas to work on include – nerves, voice projection, argumentation, handling questions from the floor and powerpoint skills.

Preliminary programme:

- Introduction and objectives
- What makes a good presenter? - interactive exercise with video input
- Structuring arguments for maximum impact
- Voice, articulation and emphasis
- Work on individual presentations
- Presentations by individuals
- Video and feedback
- Working with slides
- Second round of presentations

Session Material

All participants are required to bring along their own laptop as well as presentation samples (2-3) at about 5 – 10 different slides max.

Opening Ceremony / Welcome Reception



You and your registered accompanying person(s) are cordially invited to attend the Opening Ceremony and Welcome Reception.

OPENING AND AWARD CEREMONY

Date	Wednesday, 5 June 2013
Time	13.30 –14.30
Place	ICC Istanbul
Programme	Official welcome by the President and Local Chair, Award Ceremony



WELCOME RECEPTION

The 14th EFORT congress will introduce a new format of the well-liked Opening Ceremony and Welcome Reception: in order to integrate the keynote lectures and awards in the congress day, this part will take place after lunchtime, whereas we invite you to an extended Welcome Reception at the end of the congress day, after the last session. This will be an excellent opportunity to network, meet seasoned professionals and newcomers, and reunite with friends and colleagues in a cheerful and relaxed atmosphere!

Date	Wednesday, 5 June 2013
Time	18.30
Place	ICC Istanbul
Programme	Reception (drinks & finger food, entertainment)
Participants	Registered participants, registered accompanying persons and industry representatives are all welcome to attend this event.

Registration and fees



Congress dates

Wednesday, 5 June – Saturday, 8 June 2013

REGISTRATION

Online registration at www.efort.org/istanbul2013 is preferred. Participants and accompanying persons are requested to register in advance using the online portal at www.efort.org/istanbul2013. All fees are given in EUR, incl. taxes.

The late registration fee will apply to any forms received after 30 January 2013. Registrations received after 19 May 2013 will be processed as on-site registrations.

CONFIRMATION

When appropriate payment has been received, a confirmation/invoice will be sent to participants. This confirmation should be presented at the registration desk on site.

Registration fees (incl. taxes)	EARLY up to 30 January 2013	LATE 31 January 2013 to 19 May 2013	ON-SITE as of 20 May 2013
Participants	EUR 361	EUR 431	EUR 481
Residents in training*	EUR 190	EUR 271	EUR 341
Students*	EUR 130	EUR 150	EUR 160
Nurses and allied providers	EUR 130	EUR 150	EUR 160
Interactive Expert Exchange			
- How to manage bone defects in THA	EUR 55	EUR 59	EUR 61
- Joint preserving surgery of the hip	EUR 55	EUR 59	EUR 61
- DDH: Before walking age and residual deformities	EUR 55	EUR 59	EUR 61
- Pseudarthrosis – bone defects	EUR 55	EUR 59	EUR 61
- Infected fractures	EUR 55	EUR 59	EUR 61
The Comprehensive Orthopaedic Review Course (CRC), 6 June	EUR 135	EUR 145	EUR 195
Current Concepts in Orthopaedics: Advances in Total Hip and Total Knee Replacement, 7 June 2013	EUR 75	EUR 80	EUR 85
Speaker coaching workshop , 7 June 2013	EUR 150	EUR 150	EUR 150
Accompanying person	EUR 62	EUR 91	EUR 105
One-day registration - on site only			EUR 211

* You must certify that you are entitled to the reduced registration fee. Proof of status must be attached to the registration form, otherwise the regular fee will apply.

Payment and cancellations



Important dates to remember

Early registration until 30 January 2013

Detailed programme 1 March 2013

Pre-registration closes 19 May 2013

REGISTRATION FEE FOR PARTICIPANTS INCLUDES

- Admission to scientific sessions and satellite symposia
- Abstract CD
- Congress bag with numerous Congress documents
- Opening/Award Ceremony and Welcome Reception
- Admission to the industry exhibition
- European CME credits
- Certificate of attendance

REGISTRATION FEE FOR PARTICIPANTS IN THE CRC INCLUDES

- Admission to the full-day CRC course on 6 June (approx. 08.00-17.00)
- Admission to the industry exhibition (day of CRC course only)
- Lunch package
- European CME credits
- Certificate of attendance

Participants with a CRC ticket are not granted access to other scientific sessions running on the same day.

More details at: www.efort.org/istanbul2013/CRC

REGISTRATION FEE FOR ACCOMPANYING PERSONS INCLUDES

- Opening/Award Ceremony and Welcome Reception

METHOD OF PAYMENT

Payment should be made in Euros, without charges for the recipient, as follows:

- **By credit card** (Eurocard/Mastercard, Visa): Your card number, expiry date, credit card verification number, date and signature must be given on the registration form.
- **By bank transfer**: Please contact EFORTregistration@mci-group.com for bank details. A banking fee of EUR 19 will be charged for every transfer.
- **On site**: Payments can also be made in cash, by credit card or traveller's cheque.

CANCELLATION POLICY

Registration / confirmation / cancellation

The deadline for pre-registrations is 19 May 2013. Registration and services that have been booked can be confirmed only after receipt of full prepayment or valid credit card details. If participation is cancelled by 13 December 2012 the registration fee will be refunded, less a handling fee of 30% of the amount paid. Between 13 December 2012 and 13 March 2013 the registration fee will be refunded less a handling fee of 50% of the amount paid.

After 13 March 2013 there will be no refund whatsoever. Cancellations must be communicated in writing. A EUR 39 handling fee will be charged for any changes of name (transfers of registration to another person). Should you have any special requests for the processing of your invoice, kindly let us know when returning your registration form. We will charge EUR 39 for the rewriting of invoices. All refunds will be made within two months of the end of the Congress. Bank charges may be deducted. Registrations sent by fax or mail are subject to an additional EUR 19 administration charge. Rates for subcontractors are based on the current tariffs and VAT rate. All prices and details that are beyond our control are subject to change.

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Hotel information



In order to make a hotel reservation, please

- Access the congress website at www.efort.org/istanbul2013/hotel to make your preliminary choice
- Access the registration platform and choose your hotel accommodation

Advance hotel bookings are handled by:

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3*	80 / 220	115 / 245
2*	85 / 200	105 / 225

HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

The hotels have limited capacities. It is recommended that you make your hotel booking as early as possible. If the first-choice hotel/category has already been sold out, Topkon Congress Services reserves the right to arrange accommodation in another hotel/category. All changes and cancellations are to be made in writing and addressed exclusively to Topkon Congress Services. In case of partial or total cancellation of the hotel reservation by 24 October 2012, a EUR 40 handling fee per person will be charged. Thereafter and up to 24 October 2012, the cancellation of one night's accommodation will be charged at the full rate. If two or more nights' accommodation is wholly or partially cancelled, 50% of the cancelled hotel nights will be charged. In cases of cancellation or no-show without prior notice after 8 February 2013, the full cost of the accommodation will be charged. In case of no-shows the right to the booked hotel room expires the following day at 9.00 local time.

A fee of EUR 30 per person will be charged for changes in hotel reservations. The hotel is liable to pay damages if the reserved room is not made available. To secure adequate overnight capacities, hotel rooms for the Congress have had to be contracted a long time in advance. Hotels occasionally publish online or last-minute promotion rates for a limited number of rooms which may vary from the prices contracted for the Congress.

HOTEL RESERVATION

The details of all Congress hotels will be available www.efort.org/istanbul2013 as of August 2012. The deadline for reservations is 4 March 2013. There are only limited numbers of hotel rooms available. Please book your desired hotel as early as possible.

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CONFIRMATION OF HOTEL RESERVATION

When the appropriate payments have been processed, a confirmation/invoice will be sent to participants. This confirmation will include all details for the hotel reservation.

Travel to Istanbul



Istanbul has two airports: One on the European side (Atatürk Airport) and one on the Asian side (Sabiha Gökçen Airport). Both can be used but distance-wise (airport to congress centre), we would recommend Atatürk Airport.

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