

WORLD CHRISTMAS COMPETITION IN

GYNECOLOGICAL ULTRASOUND

December 13, 2026 **13:30–16:00 CET**

This Christmas, give the gift of knowledge and international solidarity!

Join the 2nd edition of this online educational competition, combining learning, teamwork, and support for **ultrasound training projects for cervical cancer** care in low- and middle-income **African countries**.

The event will take place during the SIGO PRE-CONGRESS COURSE

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SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

13:30 INTRODUCTION

Chairs: Prof. Antonia Carla Testa, Prof. Dirk Timmermann

- Greetings, presentation of the event and patronage.
- Introduction of the Competition: organization, directions, rules, timelines.

13:35 COMPETITION

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Presentation of 15 clinical cases and contest with voting participants

14:00 DISCUSSION OF THE CLINICAL CASES WITH EXPERTS (SURGICAL AND HISTOLOGICAL OUTCOME) — **1st SESSION**

Chair: Prof. Lil Valentin, Prof. Tom Bourne, Prof. Attilio Di Spiezio, Prof. Vito Chiantera

Clinical cases 1–5: Presented by Dr. Marianna Ciancia, Dr. Alba Crognale, Dr. Alessia Barreca, Dr. Alessandra Rizzi, Dr. Camilla Culcasi

Discussant: Prof. Francesca Moro, Dr. Floriana Mascilini, Dr. Francesca Ciccarone, Dr. Stefania Fiengo

14:30 DISCUSSION OF THE CLINICAL CASES WITH EXPERTS (SURGICAL AND HISTOLOGICAL OUTCOME) — **2nd SESSION**

Chair: Prof. Mala Sibal, Dr. Dorella Franchi, Dr. Brunella Zizolfi, Prof. Luca Savelli

Clinical cases 6–10: Presented by Dr. Alessandra Rizzi, Dr. Camilla Culcasi, Dr. Alba Crognale, Dr. Alessia Barreca, Dr. Marianna Ciancia

Discussant: Dr. Federica Pozzati, Dr. Lorena Quagliozzi, Dr. Maria Teresa Giudice

15:00 DISCUSSION OF THE CLINICAL CASES WITH EXPERTS (SURGICAL AND HISTOLOGICAL OUTCOME) — **3rd SESSION**

Chair: Prof. Lil Valentin, Prof. Tom Bourne, Dr. Valentina Chiappa, Prof. Stefano Guerriero

Clinical cases 11–15: Presented by Dr. Alessia Barreca, Dr. Alessandra Rizzi, Dr. Camilla Culcasi, Dr. Alba Crognale, Dr. Marianna Ciancia

Discussant: Dr. Floriana Mascilini, Dr. Elena Teodorico, Dr. Giulia Zinicola

15:30 PRESENTATION OF THE 3 WINNERS

Awarding the 3 winners: free registration for the 7th International IOTA Congress in Leuven, Belgium.

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15:45 – 16:00 CLOSURE

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REGISTRATION

Registrations are now open!
Sign up now by scanning the QR Code or clicking the link:
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