

- Max. number of Delegates: 12
- Pre-registration is required, seats are limited, will be reserved on first come first served basis.
- Certificate of Attendance will be provided by Sharjah Surgical Institute.
- Registration is FREE for all who register for the *Gulf*Thoracic Congress 2016, please provide proof of payment (receipt).

### **OBJECTIVE:**

By the end of this course the surgeon has perfected his theoretical and practical skills in video-assisted thoracic surgery:

- Train surgeons on VATS lobectomy
- Bleeding management
- Lymph nodes dissection
- Stapling
- Safety access
- Reduce post operation complication

## TARGET AUDIENCE:

Surgeons who have experience in thoracic surgery and who have already performed at least 30 VATS procedures

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# VATS Lobectomy - MASTER CLASS (INCLUDING WET LAB)

## FACULTY:



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### **PROGRAM:**

08:30 - 17:00

WEDNESDAY, 09 MARCH 2016

#### DIDACTIC AT MEETING ROOM: AL KHALEEJ ANIMAL LAB AT SHARJAH SURGICAL INSTITUTE

TIME	TOPIC
08:30 - 08:45	Welcome and Introduction
08:45 - 10:45	<ul> <li>Theoretical principles of minimally invasive operating techniques for VATS lobectomy:</li> <li>Diagnosis</li> <li>Patient selection</li> <li>Evolution of a smooth VATS lobectomy</li> <li>Transition from open to VATS (including patient selection, positioning, port placement, case studies, video demos)</li> </ul>
10:45 - 11:00	COFFEE BREAK
11:00 - 12:15	<ul> <li>Tips and tricks to avoid conversion, manage complications</li> <li>How to set up a successful VATS lobectomy program</li> <li>Can we support the transition from open to VATS with financial and clinical data?</li> </ul>
12:15 - 13:00	LUNCH BREAK
13:00 - 14:00	Bus Drive to Sharjah Surgical Institute
14:00 - 14:15	WET LAB*/ PANTRY Introduction to related anatomy and procedures
14:15 - 17:00	<ul> <li>WET LAB*</li> <li>Practical Training on animate models:</li> <li>Identification of anatomical structures</li> <li>VATS lobectomy</li> </ul>