

THINKWIRE-FREE™

Advancements In Breast Conserving Surgery Utilizing Non-Radioactive, Non-Magnetic, SCOUT™ Radar Localization Technology



YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED!

PROGRAM DATES

14th-15th November 2024

PROGRAM FACULTY

Breast Cancer Surgery Department:

- Prof. P. Veronesi (Breast Tumor Program Director)
- Dr. V. Galimberti (Breast Cancer Surgery Director)
- Dr. G. Pagani (Senior Breast Surgeon)
- Dr. A. Polizzi (Breast Surgeon)

Breast Imaging Department:

- Dr. E. Cassano (Breast Imaging Director)
- Dr. A. Latronico (Breast Radiologist)
- Dr. L. Nicosia (Breast Radiologist)

COURSE LOCATION

European Institute of Oncology, Via Ripamonti 435 - Milan, Italy

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

The course provides an opportunity for participants to expand their knowledge and improve their skills through training and discussions with leading experts on breast cancer surgery. Registration will be limited to a maximum of 6 attendees for better learning, and opportunities for hands-on work. Topics will cover SCOUT™ RADAR technology, reflector placement, OR technique, and SCOUT™s benefits breast cancer patients.

TARGET AUDIENCE

The course is designed for Breast Surgeons and Breast Radiologists with experience in the treatment of breast cancer patients.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

As a result of participating in this activity, participants should be able to understand:

- The principles of RADAR technology (SCOUT™).
- The clinical evidence to support RADAR and SCOUT™.
- The correct SCOUT™ placement in radiology – tips for success.
- Few intra-operative tips for success and clear margins.



AGENDA

DAY 1: Thursday November 14th, 2024 - 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

- Faculty introduction and brief history of wire-free breast lesion localisation technique at the European Institute of Oncology in Milan.
- Breast conservation strategy: the rationale for the use of Non-Radioactive and Non-Magnetic SCOUT™ Radar Localization.
- Evidence based medicine: preliminary results on the ongoing RADIOSO Milan Trial.
- Case presentations: SCOUT™ placement in Radiology (live cases DAY 1) and Breast Conserving Surgery case presentations (live cases DAY 2).

Lunch

- Radiology Live cases: Ultrasound and Stereotactic SCOUT™ reflector placement.
- Dry lab Hands-On workshop with SCOUT™: Handpiece and reflector deployment (running parallel to Radiology live cases).

DAY 2: Friday November 15th, 2024 - 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

- Breast Cancer Surgery Live cases 1st session: Operating Room Live cases to include demonstrations on pre-surgical planning, real time margin definition and accurate specimen verification and handpiece technique.
- Debriefing: Clinical Round Table discussion, benefits of SCOUT™ and how to start a wire-free program.

Lunch

- Breast Cancer Surgery Live cases 2nd session
- Debriefing: Clinical Round Table discussion, benefits of SCOUT™ and how to start a wire-free program.

End of the course: wrap up by the faculty

Merit Medical will disclose travel expenses associated with attending this course per the Medtech Europe Code and any applicable transparency laws.