



DUBAI



Joint & Spine Interventional Pain Management Workshop 2025

Masterclass on Cryoneurolysis,
Radiofrequency & Regenerative Medicine

Endorsed by

International Society for Ultrasound
Guided Cryoneurolysis (ISUGC)



 **Le Méridien**
Dubai Hotel, Dubai



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DAY 1

8.30 - 9.00 **Welcome & Introduction**

9.00 - 9.30 **Basics of Radio-frequency - How does it work?**
Needles & RF Generators
Dr. Sadiq Bhayani (UAE)

9.30 - 9.50 **Basics of Cryoneurolysis- How does it work?**
Probes & Cryo-machine
Dr. Igor Filipovski (Denmark)

9.00 - 9.20 **Anatomy pertaining to Spinal Interventional Pain Management**
. Cervical Spine
Dr. Nomen Azeem (USA)

9.20 - 9.40 **Anatomy pertaining to Spinal Interventional Pain Management**
. Thoracic Spine
Dr. Sadiq Bhayani (UAE)

9.40 - 10.20 **Anatomy pertaining to Spinal Interventional Pain Management**
. Lumbar Spine & Sacrum
Dr. Nomen Azeem (USA)

10.20 - 10.30 **Q&A**

10.30 - 11.00 **Tea/Coffee break**

11.00 - 11.30 **Anatomy pertaining to Major Joints interventional Pain Management**
Knee, Hip and Shoulder Pain Joint
Dr. Sadiq Bhayani (UAE)

11.30 - 11.50 **How do I do it? Cervical Spine interventions**
RF/ Cryo of facet joints
Dr. Nomen Azeem (USA)

DAY 1

11.50 - 12.10 How do I do it? Thoracic Spine interventions
RF/ Cryo of facet joints
Dr. Sadiq Bhayani (UAE)

12.10 - 12.30 How do I do it? Lumbar Spine interventions
RF/ Cryotherapy of facet joints
Dr. Nomen Azeem (USA)

12.30 - 12.50 How do I do it? Sacro-iliac joint interventions
RF/ Cryotherapy of Sacroiliac joint
Dr. Nomen Azeem (USA)

12.50 - 13.00 Q&A

13.00 - 14.00 Lunch break

14.00 - 14.20 How do I do it?
Knee Joint articular branches block, RF/ Cryo
Dr. Igor Filipovski (Denmark)/ Dr Prit Singh Anand (Singapore)

14.20 - 14.40 How do I do it?
Hip Joint articular branches block, RF/ Cryo
Dr. Rahul Bhansali (UK) / Dr Sadiq Bhayani (UAE)

14.20 - 15.00 How do I do it?
Shoulder Joint articular branches block, RF/ Cryo
Dr. Simao Serrano (Portugal) / Dr Igor Filipovski (Denmark)

15.00 - 15.30 Cryotherapy & Pulsed RF for Peripheral Nerves
Dr. Rodney Gabriel (USA)/ Dr Sadiq Bhayani (UAE)

15.30 - 16.00 Tea/Coffee break

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16.00 - 16.30

How do I do it?
Regenerative Medicine for MSK pain management
(PRP, Bone Marrow Aspirate Concentrate & Liposomes)
Dr. George Chang Chien (USA)

16.30 - 17.00

Cryoablation for Spasticity Management
Dr. Jose Pereira (Luxembourg)

17.00 - 17.20

Prolotherapy for Spine & Major joint pain management
Dr. Tony NG (Australia)

17.20 - 17.35

Q & A/ Closure



DAY 2

Hands on scanning and procedures on high fidelity ultrasound simulators

8.00 - 8.30 Registration & Coffee

8.30 - 9.30 Live Demo of Knee, Hip & Shoulder Joint RF/ Cryo

9.30 - 10.15 Station 1

10.15 - 10.45 Break/ Exhibits

10.45 - 11.30 Station 2

11.30 - 12.15 Station 3

12.15 - 13.00 Station 4

13.00 - 14.00 Lunch Break

14.00 - 14.45 Station 5

14.45 - 15.30 Station 6

15.30 - 16.00 Break/ Exhibits

16.00 - 16.45 Station 7

16.45 - 17.30 Station 8

17.30 Feedback & Closure

DAY 2

Hands on scanning and procedures on high fidelity ultrasound simulators

- Station 1** Knee Articular branches performance of Diagnostic Block & Assessment
- Station 2** Knee Articular branches RF/ Cryoneurolysis
- Station 3** Hip Articular branches performance of Diagnostic Block & Assessment
- Station 4** Hip Articular branches RF/ Cryoneurolysis
- Station 5** Shoulder Articular branches performance of Diagnostic Block & Assessment
- Station 6** Shoulder Articular branches RF & Cryoneurolysis
- Station 7** Peripheral Nerves Pulsed RF & Cryoneurolysis
- Station 8** Cryoneurolysis for Spasticity
- Station 9** PRP for Joints (Preparation & Injection technique for major joints)

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