

WEDNESDAY, 21 OCTOBER 2026

PRE-CONGRESS WORKSHOPS Workshops are presented separately from the main congress programme.

FULL DAY Society of Endourology Urolithiasis Masterclass Sponsored by: Marcus Medical, NuAngle and AHG Health			MORNING Paediatric Urology Workshop Sponsored by: Ferring Phamraceuticals		
08:00-08:10	Opening & Course Overview - Objectives of the masterclass - Introduction of faculty - Overview of the day's structure	Cleve Oppel	08:00-08:30	Practical PUJ management	Izak van Heerden
08:10-08:30	Lecture 1: Modern Stone Management – Where Are We in 2026? - Current guidelines EAU vs AUA - Decision-making algorithms - Choosing the right modality for the right stone	John Denstedt	08:30-09:00	Hypospadias update	Ahmed Hadidi
08:30-09:00	Lecture 2: Imaging & Planning for Stone Surgery - CT interpretation pearls - Stone density, anatomy, and access planning - Avoiding surprises in theatre	Andre vd Merwe	09:00-09:30	COPUM - state of the art lecture	Paddy Dewan
09:00-10:30	Semi-Live Surgery Session 1 - Flexible ureteroscopy (RIRS) - PCNL (mini/standard) - Real-time commentary from operating surgeon - Interactive Q&A with moderators - Focus on access, fragmentation strategies, and complication avoidance	Joe Phillip, Pieter Spies, Christopher Netsch, Haroun Patel, Richard Cetti	09:30-09:45	Buried Penis and video	Manatsa Chimhamhiva
10:30-10:50	TEA BREAK		09:45-10:30	Traumatic urethral distraction injuries in boys	Freddie Claassen
10:50-11:10	Lecture 3: Technology Update - Lasers: Holmium vs Thulium - Dusting vs Fragmentation - Baskets, access sheaths, and disposables – what really matters?	Christopher Netsch	10:30-10:45	TEA BREAK	
11:10-11:35	Lecture 4: Metabolic Evaluation & Stone Prevention - Who to investigate - Practical metabolic work-up - Dietary advice that actually works - Medical prevention strategies	Lisa Kaestner	10:45-11:15	IVUMed - meeting the challenges of Global Urology	Heidi Stephany
11:35-12:20	LUNCH		11:15-11:45	Antibiotic alternatives in the management of UTIs	Christina Ching
12:20-13:30	Semi-Live Surgery Session 2 - Complex RIRS - Supine PCNL or ECIRS (if available) - Panel discussion on: - Case selection - Troubleshooting - When to stop and stage	Joe Phillip, Pieter Spies, Christopher Netsch, Haroun Patel, Richard Cetti	11:45-12:15	Optimising outcomes in DSD-(Nico Lorens)	Nico Lourens
13:30-16:10	(160 mins) – 19 min per station with one minute change time Workshop Rotations: theoretical and hands-on (Attendees rotate through stations in small groups) Station (theory): 1) Instruments for PCNL 2) Instruments for flexible URS 3) Access (ureteral and perc) 4) Baskets, DJ stents, nephrostomy Station (hands-on): 1) Flexible URS skills/ FiST model (Supervised by Dr Jeff John) a. Scope handling and deflection b. Navigation in a simulator or model c. Stone relocation techniques 2) U/S PCNL access (Ian Metzker - model) a. Ultrasound vs fluoroscopic access b. Needle placement on models c. Tract creation principles 3) Tupperware model (laser and fragmentation techniques) a. Dusting vs fragmentation b. Fibre handling c. Energy settings in different scenarios 4) Lasers and industry		12:15-13:00	Novel minimally invasive options in Paediatric Urology	John Lazarus
16:10-16:30	Lecture 5: Complications in Stone Surgery – How to Prevent and Manage Them (Prof Andreas Gross) - Sepsis - Bleeding - Ureteric injury - Post-op pain and stent-related morbidity - Instrument damage (doctors, nursing and cleaning staff) - Safety	Andreas Gross		LUNCH	
			AFTERNOON Contemporary Urological Oncology Workshop Sponsored by: BD		
			12:00-12:10	Welcome and Introduction	Malcolm Dewar and Masithembe Mandla
			12:10-12:30	PSMA diagnostics and therapeutics	Stuart More
			12:30-12:50	Focal therapy for PCa: HIFU	Fernando Bianco
			13:10-13:40	Focal therapy for localised Pcs: the role of Brachytherapy	Stephan Machtens
			13:40-14:10	Free hand Prostate Biopsy	Mark Purdy
			14:10-14:40	Complex renal anatomy	Raj Nair
			14:40-15:10	Nephron sparing surgery Robotic or laparoscopic video semi live procedure	Marissa Conradie
			15:10-15:40	Innovations for detection and treatment of NMIBC	Malcolm Dewar
			15:40-16:00	RARC and Neobladder Video semi live procedure	Rami Issa
			16:00-16:20	Trimodal Therapy for bladder	Greg Hart
			16:20-16:40	Oncology update	Peter Albers and Rajeev TP
			16:40-17:00	TOPIC NOT CONFIRMED	Danelo du Plessis
			17:00	Closing remarks	Malcolm Dewar

16:30-17:00

Panel Discussion & Take-Home Messages

- “How I do it” tips from faculty
- Audience Q&A
- Key learning points
- Closing remarks

THURSDAY, 22 OCTOBER 2026
WORKSHOPS + MAIN PROGRAMME OPENING - The main congress programme begins at 17:00.

FULL DAY Robotics Prostate Workshop Sponsored by: Medhold			MORNING Urogynaecology & Reconstruction Update Workshop Sponsored by: NuAngle and Boston Scientific			17:00 MAIN CONGRESS PROGRAMME SESSION 1: PLENARY		
08:00	Welcome & Introduction	Sam Salukazana, Mark Wellmann + Alex Mottrie	08:15-08:25	Welcome	Lisa Kaestner & Amaan Omar	17:00	Welcome and Opening	Karlheinz Jehle (SAUA President), John Lazarus (Chair LOC) and Maria Mauoane (SAUNA)
08:10	Robotics Surgery in SA 13 years on!	Chair: Lance Coetzee Greg Boustead	08:25-08:40	Female Pelvic Floor Anatomy Relevant to Urology	Allison Moore			
08:25	RALP Approaches & Robotics Platforms : Standard transperitoneal + Hugo RAS	Alex Mottrie	08:40-09:05	Stress Urinary Incontinence in Women – Surgical Options & Evidence Update	David Mouton	17:10	EUA Invited Lecture: Navigating Screening in Prostate Cancer	Peter Albers
08:40	Lectures + comparison table + Q&A. Extraperitoneal approach + Single port	Chris Anderson	09:05-09:25	Video Session: Midurethral Sling & Bulking Agents. Stepwise approach, operative tips, and technical pearls	Stephan Jeffery	17:40	Ethics lecture: NHI is not the only problem facing urologists	Simon Strachan
08:55	Versius	Freddie Classen	09:25-09:45	Video Session: TVT-O vs TVT-RComplications, troubleshooting & management	Farzana Cassiem	18:10	Welcoming Function in Exhibition space	
09:10	Robotics in Prostate CA Innocation in Robotics Training	Chair: Sam Salukazana & Alex Mottrie	09:45-10:15	Tea Break				
09:25	RALP - how I do it	Alex Mottrie	SESSION 2: Male Reconstructive & Functional Urology					
09:40	MX Lymph Nodes + PSM A PET	Conray Moolman	10:15-10:35	Urethral Strictures – Assessment & Reconstructive Principles	Kurt McCammon			
10:00-10:20	Tea Break		10:35-10:55	Urethral Stricture Reconstruction – Surgical Techniques & Video Cases	Evelyn Moshokoa			
10:20	Semi-Live Surgery Videos Case 1: Retzius-sparing RALP	Wissam Abou-Chedid	10:55-11:15	Post-Prostatectomy Incontinence Assessment & Surgical Options	Bhavik Shah			
10:40	Case 2: Nerve-sparing in high-risk	James Urry	11:15-11:35	Video Session: Artificial Urinary Sphincters Key operative steps, pitfalls & troubleshooting	Kurt McCammon			
10:55	Case 3: Salvage RALP	Conray Moolman	11:35-12:00	Video Session: Penile Prosthesis Surgery Indications, device overview & surgical principles	Bhavik Shah			
11:10	Top Tips from the Experts - case selection - tricky bladder neck - very big prostate - middle lobe - anastomosis	Chair: Wissam Abou-Chedid, Greg Boustead, Lance Coetzee, Danelo du Plessis						
11:45	Avoiding & managing complications - Access -Intraoperative -Postoperative	Greg Bousread, James Urry						
12:00-13:15	Lunch		12:00	Lunch				
13:15	Future Technologies AI in prostatectomy today	Chair: Greg Bousted & James Urrie Alex Mottrie	AFTERNOON Endourology (Prostate) Workshop Sponsored by: Boston Scientific, NuAngle and AHG Health					
13:30	AI nerve sparing and improvement of uro oncological outcomes	Nik Vasdev (Virtual talk)	12:30-12:35	Welcome / workshop aim	Karlheinz Jehle			
	Day Case Surgery + Histolog	Wissam Abou-Chedid	12:35-13:00	The case for Anatomical Endoscopic Enucleation of the Prostate?	Andreas Gross			
13:45			13:00-13:30	Anatomy of adenoma and surgical planes	TBC			
14:00	Robotics in Benign Disease RASP	Chair: James Urie Rami Issa	13:30-13:50	Stepwise Holep Video session (semi-life)	Thys Engelbrecht			
14:20	Functional Outcomes & Survivorship • Post-prostatectomy incontinence: prevention & management	(Chair: Rami Issa) Bhavik Shah	13:50-14:10	Lecture: Choosing the right patient / counselling	Winston Padayachee			
	• Enhancing sexual function outcomes (nerve-sparing grades, rehab protocols)		14:10-14:30	"Video session (semi-life): Enucleation tips, tricks & troubleshooting"	Hilgard Ackermann			
	• Long-term QoL		14:30-14:45	Tea Break				
14:40	Training, education and credentialling in the LMIC setting	(Chair: Karlheinz Jehle, Greg Boustead) Pieter Spies, James Urry	14:45-15:10	Video session (semi-life): Unique scenarios (eg prostate stones, bladder stones, bladder cancer, Urolift)	TBC			
15:00	Is Fellowship training the way forward?	Malcolm Dewar	15:10-15:30	REZUM	Jonathan Wicht			
15:20	Telesurgery Where are we in the African Setting?	Lance Coetzee	15:30-15h50	PAE	Ansar Vance			
15:40	Panel discussion	All speakers + Alex Mottrie	15:50-16:10	Local experience with PAE	Steven Cornish			
15:55	Key Takeaways & Open Q&A	All faculty (Moderator: Mark Wellman, Sam Salukazana) followed by a Group Photo	16:10-16:30	Lecture: Managing and prevention of complications (eg Bleeding, capsular perforation, retention, bladder neck stenosis, incontinence)-	Santosh Bugwandin			
16:10	Closing remarks	Greg Bousread	16:30-16:50	Lecture followed by discussion: Overcoming the learning curve (Initial case selection, tips and tricks, medical aid authorisation tips), Industry support	Karlheinz Jehle			
16:15	Simulators & Dry-Lab	Da Vinci Xi	16:30	Closing				

FRIDAY, 23 OCTOBER 2026
MAIN CONGRESS PROGRAMME - SAUNA delegates join the plenary programme from 08:00 to 12:45; parallel clinical and SAUNA streams follow lunch.

07:00-13:45 PLENARY		
07:00	Breakfast Symposium	
	Session 2: Plenary	
	Plenary Chairs: Prof Shingai Mutambirwa and Prof John Lazarus	
08:00	Future Surgical education trends - ORSI perspective	Alex Mottrie
08:15	Genomics and natural history of visible vs invisible cancers	Laurence Klotz
08:30	Radical prostatectomy without a biopsy?	Rajeev TP
08:45	Discussion	Chair: Shingai Mutambirwa/John Lazarus
09:00	Embracing Transformative Uro-tech: a career journey!	Chris Anderson
09:15	New technology for stones - robots, lasers, suction	John Denstedt
09:30	PAUSA lecture - The prostate cancer in Africa: which diagnostic pathway	Ahmed Said Zribi
09:45	Discussion	Chair: Shingai Mutambirwa/John Lazarus
10:00	Coffee Break	
	Session 3: Plenary	
	Plenary Chairs: Dr Raymond Campbel and Dr Hilgard Ackermann	
10:30	EAU Invited Lecture: Can the global urology community work together better	James N'Dow
10:45	A funder perspective of urology care in South Africa - why data transparency is key	Darren Sweiden
11:00	Coding in South Africa - historical problems and future solutions	Philip Matley
11:20	AI in healthcare - what does it mean? (Ethics talk)	Bruce Bassett
11:45	Discussion	Hilgard Ackermann & Raymond Campbell
12:00	SAUA AGM - President's address	Karlheinz Jehle
12:15	SAUA AGM - Treasurer's report	Greg Webb
12:30	SAUA AGM - Vote	Jeff John
12:45	Lunch: Moderated E-poster session	

Session 4: Parallel sessions		
13:45 Endourology (Prostate) – Chairs: Thys Engelbrecht and Kabo Ijane		
13:45	Overcoming the Holep learning curve	Christopher Netsch
14:00	Is there anything we need as information to conclude that EEP is the new gold standard ?	Thomas Hermann
14:15	TBC	TBC
14:30	Interventional radiology: from the operating light to the dark room: Focus on PAE	Ansar Vance
14:45	Discussion	Thys Engelbrecht and Kabo Ijane
15:00	Rezum - how I do it	Jonathon Wicht
15:15	Andrology Update	Matyas Benyo
15:30	Penile girth and length - substance vs quackery	Bhavik Shah
15:45	Transitioning to freehand transperitoneal biopsy	Mark Purdy
13:45 Paediatric Urology – Chairs: John Lazarus and Nico Lourens		
13:45	Update of duplication anomalies	Heidi Stephany
14:00	VUR – improving identifying clinically relevant VUR	Christina Ching
14:15	Problems with injectables for VUR	Paddy Dewan
14:30	Discussion	John Lazarus & Nico Lourens
14:45	What my PhD taught me about Intersex	Nico Lourens
15:00	Update on the HIS Society	Ahmed Hadid (via pre-recorded video)
15:15	Approach to bladder extrophy	Izak van Heerden
15:30	Novel MIS in Paediatric Urology	John Lazarus
15:45	Discussion	
13:45 SAUNA Programme – Chair: Maria Mauoane		
13:45	History of Urology	Dr I J v Heerden
14:05	Overview of urinary incontinence	Dr F v Wijk
14:25	Promedon slings treatment of stress incontinence	Erica (Sure Medical)
14:45	Wellspect intermittent self catheterisation	Maritza Botes
15:05	UTI	Dr W C Mamitele
15:20	Artificial intelligence: What it means to us as healthcare professionals	Raymond Campbell
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16:05	Information session	SAUNA Committee

16:00	Tea Break	
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Session 5: Parallel sessions		
16:30 TBC – Chairs: TBC		
16:30	Oral Abstract Presentation	TBC
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16:30 TBC – Chairs: TBC		
16:30	Oral Abstract Presentation	TBC
16:45	Oral Abstract Presentation	TBC
17:00	Oral Abstract Presentation	TBC
17:15	Oral Abstract Presentation	TBC
17:30	Oral Abstract Presentation	TBC

SATURDAY, 24 OCTOBER 2026
MAIN CONGRESS PROGRAMME - SAUNA delegates join the plenary programme from 08:00 to 13:00; three parallel afternoon streams follow lunch.

07:00-13:45 PLENARY PROGRAMME		
07:00	Breakfast Symposium	
	Session 6: Plenary	
	Prostate and Bladder Cancer - Chairs: Prof Lisa Kaestner and Prof Andre van der Merwe	
08:00	Focal therapy - are we there yet?	Fernando Bianco
08:15	Prostate cancer precision medicine for Africa - how are we tracking?	Vanessa Hayes
08:30	Discussion	Lisa Kaestner and Andre van der Merwe
08:45	Optimising outcomes in advanced prostate cancer	Jill Harris
09:00	GLP1 Talk	Jocelyn Hellig
09:15	Trimodal vs cystectomy	Rami Issa
09:30	MIBC: optimal therapy for patients with T0 disease after neoadjuvant chemotherapy	Rajeev TP
09:45	Discussion	
10:00	Coffee Break	
	Session 7: Plenary	
	General Urology - Chair: Jeff John and Shingi Meki	
10:30	How to become a good Urologist	Andreas Gross
10:45	BAUS Urolink: What's the future of urological outreach?	Suzie Venn
11:00	Reflections on international outreach in reconstruction	Kurt McCammon
11:15	Navigating differences of opinion	Paddy Dewan
11:30	FANS: why they are important	Pawel Wisniewski
11:45	Teaching PCNL in the developing world	Graham Watson (via pre-recorded video)
12:00	Stone Surgery 2036	Richard Cetti
12:15	Discussion	Jeff John and Shingi Meki
12:30	Small data is big data - why South Africa matters	James N'Dow
12:45	The SAM Urology registry - homegrown and global relevant	Karlheinz Jehle
13:00	Panel discussion: prospective registries	Jehle/Spies/Mutambirwa/Oberholzer/Ndow
13:15-13:45	Lunch (13:00 CMSA Meeting)	

Session 8: Parallel sessions								
13:45 Urogynae & Functional Urology – Chairs: Cindy Zietsman and Fazana Cassiem			13:45 Robotics – Chairs: Hugo van der Merwe and Malcolm Dewar			13:45 SAUNA Programme – Chairs: John Malatsi and Maria Mauoane		
13:45	SNS - underutilised in South Africa?	Prenevin Govender	13:45	Retroperitoneal Robotic partial nephrectomy - The St Georges experience	Pieter Spies	13:45	Functional freedom artificial sphincters	Yolanda Otto (Boston Scientific)
14:00	Use of slings and mesh in urogynae - current evidence for international trends	Steven Jeffery	14:00	Robotics in reconstruction	Rami Issa	14:05	Supportive role of CSSD in healthcare	Lulama Mashaba
14:15	Uterine sparing vs hysterectomy in prolapse surgery	Allison Moore	14:15	Robotic BMG ureteroplasty	Wayne Lam	14:25	OT-DSD	Dr N Lourens
			14:30	Robotic IVC thrombectomy	Raj Nair	14:45	Rezum therapy	Dr M Hoek
14:30	New insights in functional bladder disorders	Frans van Wijk	14:45	Robotic boari flap or salvage prostatectomy	Conray Moolman	15:05		Annelize Georgino
			15:00	Advice to the trainee RALP surgeon in SA	Lance Coetzee	15:20		Dr Ijane
14:45	Discussion	Farzana Cassim & Allison Moore	15:15	Pioneering Robotic renal transplantation in South Africa	Danelo du Plessis	15:45		Dr Aire
15:00	Improving outcomes of Chronic Pelvic Pain syndrome	Steve Eppel	15:30	Minimally invasive renal transplant – outcomes from a large South African cohort	Anesh Naidoo	16:05	Legacy leadership	Linda Shumba
15:15	Sacrocolpopexy - new gold standard in prolapse repair	Lisa Kaestner					SAUNA programme ends	
15:30	Novel ileal pouch in obstetric fistula	Igor Vaz	15:45	Update on robotic cystectomy programme nationally.	Gawie Bruwer and Danelo Plessis			
15:45	Discussion	Farzana Cassim & Allison Moore	16:00	RALC – Semi live video	Malcolm Dewar			
16:00	Tea Break							
			16:15	Tea Break				

Session 9: Parallel Sessions					
16:30 TBC – Chairs: TBC			16:30 TBC – Chairs: TBC		
16:30	Oral Abstract Presentation	TBC	16:30	Oral Abstract Presentation	TBC
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17:15	Oral Abstract Presentation	TBC	17:15	Oral Abstract Presentation	TBC

19:00 Congress Dinner – Nooitgedacht Wine Estate - Stellenbosch

SUNDAY, 25 OCTOBER 2026
MAIN CONGRESS PROGRAMME - Closing plenary and take-home messages.

07:00-11:30 PLENARY PROGRAMME		
07:00	Breakfast Symposium	
	Session 10: Plenary	
	Chair: James Urry and Pieter Spies	
08:00	Is PSMA PET necessary in Active surveillance	Laurence Klotz
08:15	Oligometastatic prostate cancer - best current evidence	Peter Albers
08:30	College of urologists' lecture - How urology training is changing	Ahmed Adam
08:45	Training the next generation of Urologists: Challenges, Innovation and Opportunity	James Urry
09:00	Spending time abroad - why it is necessary	Dawid Johan Mouton
09:15	Discussion	
09:30	Early experience on Versius robot in SA	Freddie Claasen
10:00	Ethics: Dealing with difficult patient	Evelyn Moshokoa
10:15	Take home message: Oncology	Mark Wellman
10:30	Take home message: Endourology	Cleve Oppel
10:45	Take home message: Paeds/Andrology	Amaan Omar
11:00	Take home message: Urogyn/Recon	Allison Moore
11:15	Next LOC chair presentation	
11:30	Closing	Karlheinz Jehle