

General Information

Venue – Accommodation

Hotel Divani Apollon Palace & Thalasso
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The IDKD course is held at the Hotel Divani Apollon at a distance of 18 km from the Athens airport El. Venizelos and Athens Centre . It offers the ultimate standard of conference facilities. It is recommended to participants who want to be right on the spot and enjoy the Athenian Riviera. An additional 4****city smart hotel is located right opposite: the Amarilia Hotel (www.amarilia.gr). Please make your hotel reservation online through the reservation form on www.idkd.org.

Travel

There are direct regular or charter flights to Athens. Taxi-drive from Athens airport to the Hotels 30 min. The hotel offers regular daily bus connection to the centre of Athens.

Social Program

Social events will include a Welcome Reception and a Greek Evening.

IDKD on the Internet

Visit our website at www.idkd.org.

Information is regularly updated.

Duration

Thursday, September 17, 2015, 09.30 (Registration 08.00 – 09.30) through to Sunday noon, September 20, 2015.

Registration

Registrations are accepted online at www.idkd.org starting February 9, 2015.

Registration Fees (in €)

Registration fees include the full teaching program, the electronic course syllabus, three lunches, all coffee breaks and the Welcome Reception (Thursday, September 17, 2015, 18.00 – 19.00).

	Regular	Residents
Early (before August 15):	€ 590.–	€ 380.–
Standard:	€ 690.–	€ 480.–

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Payments preferable by bank transfer

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Reference:	SFAMR IDKD Greece
Credit Card:	VISA or Eurocard/Mastercard

Cancellation Policy

Written notification is required for cancellations and changes. Refunds: 80% before August 30, 2015; 50% before September 6, 2015. No refund thereafter.

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8th IDKD Intensive Course in Greece Excellence in Teaching

Diseases of the Abdomen and Pelvis

September 17 – 20, 2015
Athens, Greece

An Interactive Course in Diagnostic Imaging
Preliminary Program



IDKD offers interactive, organ-based teaching workshops with annually changing topics.

Concept

IDKD – International Diagnostic Course Davos – offers interactive teaching workshops presented by a highly qualified International Faculty. The annually changing courses are organ-based with the topics: Brain, Head & Neck and Spine – Heart and Chest – Abdomen & Pelvis – Musculoskeletal. IDKD is offering courses in Davos, Switzerland, in Greece and in Asia.

IDKD 2015 in Greece will be run as an intensive course, featuring 14 workshops covering imaging of Diseases of the Abdomen and Pelvis. During the workshops, participants study and discuss the case material. Teachers then guide the participants through the cases, discuss the differential diagnosis, present additional material and ask questions. Teachers can easily be approached during breaks to individually discuss unsolved problems. Participants will be divided into groups of approximately 50 and can bring their own laptop (PC or Mac) to the workshops for case viewing on a USB stick provided. Moreover the teachers will present their cases in a video loop on the classroom VCR projector. In addition to the workshops, “hot topics” in radiology, new developments and overviews including interventional techniques will be discussed in highlight lectures and demonstrated during practical workshops presented by experts. Practical Workshops during lunch breaks will also be held.

Organisation

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Scientific Program

Workshops

- Focal Liver Disease**
- Diffuse Liver Disease**
Pablo Ros, Cleveland (US)
- Diseases of the Biliary Tract**
- Pancreatic Disease**
Riccardo Manfredi, Verona (IT)
- Upper GI Tract (Oesophagus, Stomach)**
- Imaging of the Small Bowel (incl. Enteroclysis)**
Karin Herrmann, Cleveland (US)
- MRI of the Pelvic Floor incl. Defecography**
- MRI of the Colon and Rectum**
Francesca Maccioni, Rome (IT)
- Abdominal Emergencies incl. Trauma**
- Adrenal Disease**
Jay P. Heiken, St. Louis (US)
- Diseases of the Male Genital Tract**
- Renal Diseases**
H. Alberto Vargas, New York (US)
- Disorders of the Uterus and Cervix**
- Benign and Malignant Ovarian Masses**
John A. Spencer, Leeds (GB)

Lectures

- MR Imaging of Benign and Malignant Diseases of the Uterus**
Rahel Kubik-Huch, Baden (CH)
- Bubbles and Marbles of the Belly**
Pablo Ros, Pittsburgh (US)
- MR Enterography in the Pediatric Patient**
Efi Alexopoulou, Athens (GR)
- Concerns, Indications and Technical Considerations for TIPS**
Elias Brountzos, Athens (GR)
- Endovascular Treatment of GI Bleeding**
Dimitrios Tsetis, Crete

Practical Workshops

Katerina Malagari – Dimitrios Filippiadis

1st Day (Friday)

Practical Course on Contrast Enhanced Ultrasound (CE-Ultrasound)

General Principles of Contrast Agents used in Ultrasound

Technique, Differential Diagnosis, using Contrast enhance Ultrasound

Real time CE-Ultrasound during Intraarterial Procedures and Response evaluation

Discussion

2nd Day (Saturday)

Practical Course on Local Ablation

Techniques of Local Ablation, Devices, Differences

Applications in Liver Disease, Clinical Results

Applications in Kidney Disease, Clinical Results

Live Demonstration, Hands-on, Practical Tips

Syllabus

The IDKD Syllabus produced for the Davos course is included in the registration fee. It is provided in electronic form on the same USB stick as the workshop cases and gives an overview of current imaging of diseases of the abdomen and pelvis.

IDKD Online Cases

Participants will receive a login and password allowing online access to more than 80 well-documented teaching cases stored in the IDKD online database.

CME Credits

European CME credits have been applied for and will be announced on the web at www.idkd.org. The European EACCME credit system is recognized by the AMA. The credit points of IDKD can also be claimed by North American radiologists as CME credits.