## WFNS 2023 PERIPHERAL NERVE PRECONGRESS COURSE

## **COURSE OVERVIEW**

We are excited to announce that we will be hosting a precongress **Peripheral Nerve Surgery workshop** before the World Congress of Neurosurgery 2023 in Cape Town. This **rare opportunity to get hands-on** cadaver-based experience with peripheral nerve surgery techniques, guided by leaders in the field is scheduled to be held at Neurosciences Institute laboratory of the University of Cape Town **on Sunday, December 3, 2023.** The workshop will be hosted by the Peripheral Nerve surgery Committee of WFNS meeting.

The main goal of the course is to teach the neurosurgeons indications criteria together with technical nuances of key neurosurgical peripheral nerve procedures in the upper limb, lower limb and brachial plexus. The program includes presentations by experienced neurosurgeons specialized in peripheral neurosurgical procedures. The program will focus on anatomy of the upper limb and compression syndromes, lower limb anatomy and compression syndromes as well as microsurgical techniques and tumour surgery principles.

The course includes both theoretical and practical lectures, operative videos as well as a practical cadaver-based hands-on demonstration and practice.

The practical part of the workshop will provide the attendees the opportunity to perform microsurgical nerve suturing and tumour surgery techniques, in addition to prone dissections and supine position dissections on cadavers, limb specimens, and models.

We are looking forward to welcoming you to the WFNS PNS course. For more information, please review the course agenda and the faculty information. The course is designed for those with no experiences in PNS surgery as well as those neurosurgeons with some experience in PNS neurosurgery.

Be sure to book your spot at the course in time as the space is limited and no additional positions will be available! There is only place for 20 delegates so that we can have a good demonstrator to delegate ratio and to give every delegate enough hands-on time. We expect these to be taken up quickly so do not delay your registration. Once our numbers are reached, registration will close.

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