

## 2<sup>nd</sup> IGASS Forum

Geneva, Switzerland, Sunday, May 25<sup>th</sup>, 2008

Venue :  
Hotel Intercontinental Geneva

### “Aging Spine and Adjacent Level after Surgery”

Faculty:

**Ahmet Alanay**, Ankara; **Philippe Bancel**, Paris; **Marco Brayda-Bruno**, Milano; **Cody Buenger**, Aarhus;  
**Claus Carstens**, Heidelberg; **Daniel Chopin**, Berck sur Mer; **Ralf Gahr**, Leipzig; **Philippe Gillet**, Liège;  
**Azmi Hamzaoglu**, Istanbul; **Ian Harding**, Bristol; **Rune Hedlund**, Goethebourg; **Norbert Passuti**, Nantes;  
**Pierre Roussouly**, Lyon; **Akram Shannak**, Amman; **Jean-Paul Steib**, Strasbourg; **André Van Ooij**, Maastricht;  
**Carlos Villanueva**, Barcelona; **Jean-Marc Vital**, Bordeaux.

#### 08:30 – 08:50 **Session: Degenerative-Biomechanics**

Introduction  
Discussion

JM Vital

#### 08:50 – 10:20 **Session : Deformities**

Introduction  
Thoracic Curve  
Thoraco/Lumbar Curve  
Kyphosis  
Lumbar Curve  
Double Curves  
Conclusion  
Discussion

N Passuti  
Ph Bancel  
A Kaelin, A Shannak  
A v Ooij, A Kaelin, C Carstens  
D Chopin, JM Vital  
P Roussouly, R, Hedlund, A Hamzaoglu  
N Passuti

10 :20 – 10:50 Break

#### 10:50 – 12:20 **Session: Degenerative**

Introduction  
Disc Prothesis  
Single Level  
Multi Levels  
Upper Levels  
Lower Levels  
Vertebro/Kyphopasty  
Cascade  
Conclusion  
Discussion

Ph Gillet  
A v Ooij, M Brayda-Bruno  
Ph Bancel, Ph Gillet, R Hedlund  
A Hamzaoglu, A Kaelin  
Ph Gillet  
Ph Bancel, I Harding  
A Alanay  
JP Steib, C Buenger  
Ph Gillet

12:20 – 13:45 Lunch

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**13:45 - 14:55**

**Session: Trauma**

Introduction  
Single Fracture  
Multiple Fractures  
Ancylosing Spondylitis  
Osteoporosis  
Conclusion  
Discussion

R Gahr  
R Hedlund  
C Villanueva  
R Gahr  
JM Vital, C Villanueva, Ph Bancel  
R Gahr

14:55 – 15:25

Break

**15:25 – 16:25**

**Session: Spondylolyse**

Introduction  
Children  
Adult  
Reconstruction/Fusion  
Conclusion  
Discussion

R Hedlund  
A Hamzaoglu  
C Buenger  
Ph Gillet, N Passuti  
R Hedlund

**16:25 – 17:00**

**Forum overview**

17:00

Adjourn

17:30

General Assembly

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