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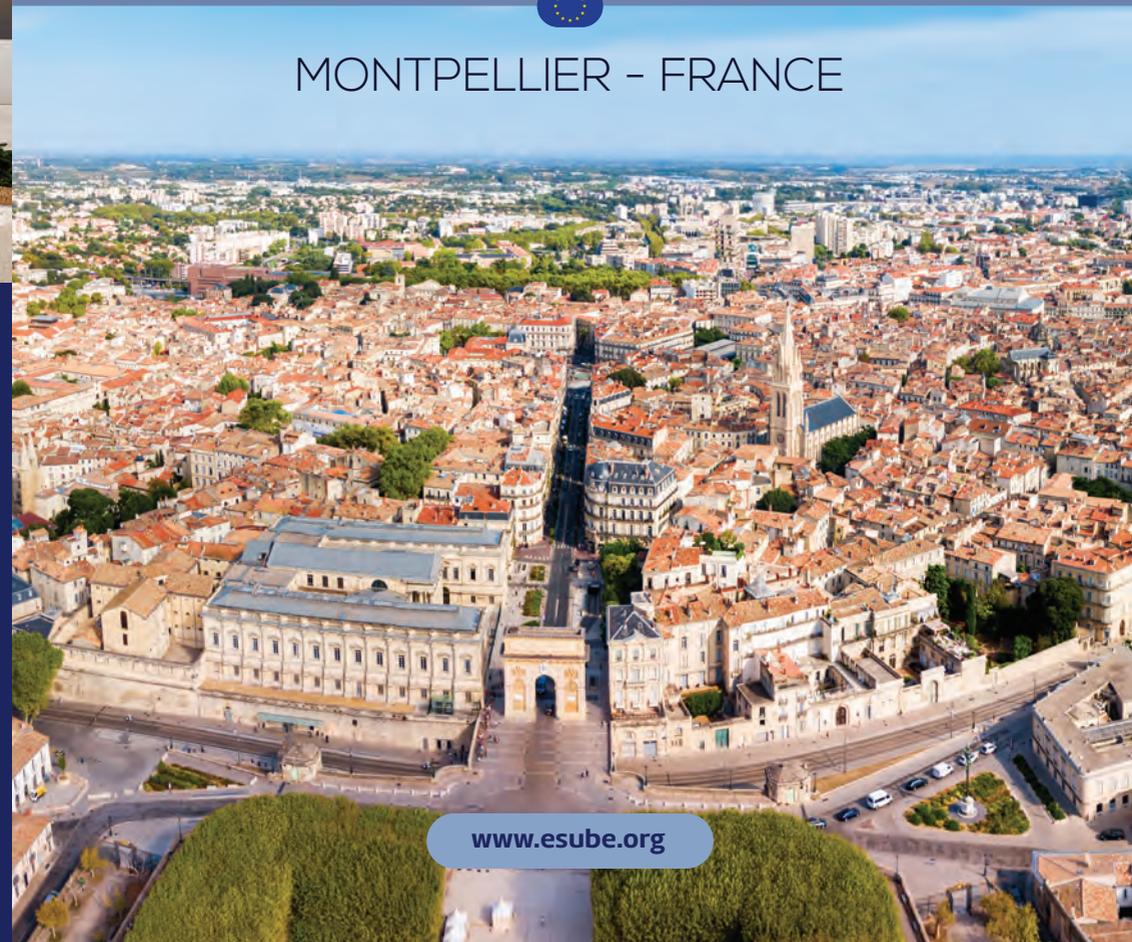
# 1<sup>ST</sup> UBE Masterclass

of the European Society of UBE

May 8-10, 2025



MONTPELLIER - FRANCE



## VENUE:

Clinique Saint Jean - Sud de France  
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## WELCOME TO MONTPELLIER

It is with great enthusiasm that I invite you to the First Masterclass of the European Society of Unilateral Biptoral Endoscopy (ESUBE) in Montpellier, France, from May 8 to 10, 2025. This inaugural event marks an exciting new chapter for our community, bringing together spine surgeons, researchers, and medical professionals dedicated to advancing biportal endoscopic spine surgery. It offers a unique opportunity to learn from each other and shape the future of this dynamic field. A distinguished team of global experts from Europe, Asia, and the Americas will deliver cutting-edge presentations, live surgery sessions, on-stage demonstrations, and hands-on workshops. You'll observe leading surgeons in action and refine your biportal endoscopic techniques under their guidance.

We've also curated scientific sessions and case discussions on complex spinal pathologies, innovative research, and patient management. These collaborative forums provide a space to share insights, ask questions, and exchange experiences.

Beyond the academic program, the event is an ideal opportunity to connect with a global community of professionals passionate about minimally invasive spine surgery. Whether in sessions, networking breaks, or strolling through the streets of Montpellier, these interactions promise to spark new ideas and lasting collaborations.

We hope you will join us for this landmark event to advance biportal endoscopy and improve patient outcomes worldwide.

Warm regards,

## ESUBE FOUNDING MEMBERS



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## KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

 **H. Aygün**

 **J. Cristini**

 **B. Debono**

 **J. Eum**

 **A. Faundez**

 **E. González Pérez**

 **A. Grotenhuis**

 **V. Hagel**

 **A. Kaen**

 **A. Khandge**

 **N. Lauper**

 **G. Lonjon**

 **F. Lechanoine**

 **D. Marinopoulos**

 **E. Moreira Pinto**

 **S. Motov**

 **E.A. Neri**

 **M.A. Park**

 **M.K. Pestonji**

 **J. Quillo Olvera**

 **K. Singh**

 **S. Venter**

 **B. Zebian**

## UBE INSTRUCTORS

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- ▶ B. Bouyer
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- ▶ J. Lebhar
- ▶ A. Perrin
- ▶ O. Lucas
- ▶ N. Pellet
- ▶ R. Saddiki
- ▶ J.L. Sanmillan
- ▶ X. Santander
- ▶ M. Vassal

## PROGRAM

THURSDAY, MAY 8, 2025

08:00 to 09:00 : Participants Registration

09:00 to 09:10 : Welcome

👤 D. Marinopoulos

09:10 to 10:30 :

### MODULE 1: LUMBAR SPINE

👤 D. Marinopoulos

▶ 09:10 to 09:30

Lecture 1: Origin of UBE

👤 M. Park

▶ 09:30 to 09:50

Lecture 2: Basics of UBE for lumbar surgeries

👤 H. Ayygün

▶ 09:50 to 10:00

Lecture 3: Learning curve

👤 F. Lechanoine

▶ 10:00 to 10:30

On Stage demonstration:  
Lumbar—Over the top decompression

👤 E. Moreira Pinto

10:30 to 11:00 : Coffee break

11:00 to 13:00 :

▶ Group A: Hands—on lumbar

▶ Group B: Live surgery—Lumbar

👤 A. Khandge / M. Vassal / N. Pellet

13:00 to 13:10 : Take-home message

👤 E. González Pérez

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13:10 to 14:00 : Lunch

14:10 to 16:10 :

▶ Group A: Live surgery—Lumbar

👤 J. Cristini / B. Bouyer / A. Dhenin

▶ Group B: Hands—on lumbar

16:10 to 16:20 : Take-home message

👤 J. Sanmillan

16:20 to 16:50 : Coffee break

16:50 to 17:50 :

### MODULE 2: COMPLICATIONS

▶ 16:50 to 17:00

Lecture 4: Complications

👤 E. González Pérez

▶ 17:00 to 17:50

Case presentations

👤 A. Faundez / A. Khandge / G. Lonjon /  
D. Marinopoulos

17:50 to 18:00 : Take-home message

19:00 : Course dinner

## PROGRAM

FRIDAY, MAY 9, 2025

09:00 to 09:10 : Welcome

09:10 to 10:30 :

### MODULE 3: THORACIC AND CERVICAL SPINE

▶ 09:10 to 09:30

Lecture 5: Basics of UBE for cervical and thoracic surgeries

👤 M. Park

▶ 09:30 to 10:00

On-Stage demonstration:  
Cervical disc herniation

👤 J. Cristini

▶ 10:00 to 10:30

On-Stage demonstration: Thoracic disc herniation

👤 M. Pestonji

10:30 to 10:50 : Coffee break

10:50 to 12:50 :

▶ Group A: Hands—on Cervical

▶ Group B: Live surgery—Cervical or extra fora

👤 D. Marinopoulos / G. Lonjon /  
E. González Pérez

12:50 to 13:00 : Take-home message

👤 J. Eum

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13:10 to 14:00 : Lunch

14:00 to 16:00 :

▶ Group A: Live surgery—Cervical or extra fora

👤 E. Moreira Pinto / F. Lechanoine /  
G. Lonjon

▶ Group B: Hands—on Cervical

16:00 to 16:10 : Take-home message

👤 J. Sanmillan

16:10 to 16:30 : Coffee break

16:30 to 17:10 :

### MODULE 4: NON-USUAL INDICATIONS

👤 H. Ayygün

▶ 16:30 to 17:10

Case presentations

👤 A. Khandge / F. Lechanoine /  
G. Lonjon / S. Motou

17:10 to 17:20 : Take-home message

19:00 : Welcome reception

## PROGRAM

SATURDAY, MAY 10, 2025

**09:00 to 09:30 :** Participants Registration

**09:30 to 10:20 :** Presentation of the society (ESUBE Founders)

👤 D. Marinopoulos

**10:20 to 10:40 :**

Collaboration of other society

👤 A. Grotenhuis / B. Zebian

**10:40 to 11:10 :** Coffee break

**11:10 to 11:30 :**

**Lecture 5: Mixed mono-biportal**

👤 V. Hagel

**11:30 to 11:50 :**

**Lecture 6:**

👤 M. Pestonji

**11:50 to 12:10 :**

**Lecture 7:**

👤 J. Quillo-Olvera

**SESSION: ABSTRACT PRESENTATION 1**

👤 J. Eum

▶ **12:10 to 13:00**

**Abstract presentation & discussion**

**13:10 to 14:00 :** Lunch

**14:00 to 14:30 :** Video

**14:30 to 14:45 :** Q&A

**14:45 to 15:00**

**Lecture 8:**

👤 M. Park

**15:00 to 15:15**

**Lecture 9**

👤 TBC

**15:15 to 15:30**

**Lecture 10:**

👤 S. Venter

**15:30 to 15:45 :**

**Lecture 11:**

👤 K. Singh

**15:45 to 16:15 :** Coffee break

**SESSION: ABSTRACT PRESENTATION 2**

▶ **16:15 to 17:00**

**Abstract presentation & discussion**

**17:00 to 17:15 :** Take-home

message, Conclusion, Certificate

👤 D. Marinopoulos / G. Lonjon

## EVENT ORGANIZATION

**REGISTRATION FEE:**

▶ **Full-Pass: May 8–10, 2025**

**1 500 € until February 15, 2025  
thereafter 1 700 €**

Included in the fee are course materials, light refreshments, buffet lunches, a course dinner and a welcome reception

▶ **2-Days-Pass: May 9&10, 2025**

**1 200 €**

The fee includes course materials, light refreshments, buffet lunches, and a welcome reception.

▶ **Congress Pass: May 10, 2025**

**500 €**

The fee includes light refreshments, a buffet lunch, and a welcome reception.

Accommodation is NOT included.

**COMPLIANCE:**

A compliance approval to EthicalMedTech Europe has been submitted.

**ORGANISATION:**

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**LANGUAGE:** English

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**SOCIAL PROGRAM:**

**Course dinner May 8, 2025:**

Arbre Blanc, 10 Parvis Oscar Niemeyer, Montpellier

<https://larbre-restaurant.fr/>

**Welcome reception May 9, 2025:**

Bâtiment Historique, 2 rue École de

Médecine, 34060 Montpellier

<https://facmedecine.umontpellier.fr/patrimoine-historique/>

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