



**2nd Trust FERTILITY
AND GYNECOLOGY**
Conference **2026**
Rixos Marina Hotel - Abu Dhabi 18th - 20th September

 Pre Event
WORKSHOPS
18th Sept.

HALL (B)	09:00 am 01:00 pm	Advanced laparoscopy for fertility	Dr. Amani Kanan (Trainers: Prof. Hassan Mohanad, Prof. Mohamed Elithy, Dr. Amani Kanan, Dr. Aysha Al Menterhi, Dr. Ahmed Ali)
HALL (C)	09:00 am 01:00 pm	Advanced hysteroscopy & intrauterine surgery.	Dr. Nayrouz Gezaf (Trainers: Prof. Amr Elshalakany, Dr. Santiago Machicado, Dr. Rabia Zahid)
HALL (D)	09:00 am 01:00 pm 02:00 pm 07:30 pm	CAP accreditation bootcamp for IVF Labs OTC-T (Ovarian Tissue Cryopreservation & Transplantation)	Dr. Irfan Aslam Dr. Irfan Aslam
HALL (E)	09:00 am 01:00 pm	Basic surgical skills	Dr. Shoukry Hamad
HALL (F)	09:00 am 01:00 pm	Optimising fetal surveillance	Dr. Edwin Chandraharan
HALL (G)	09:00 am 01:00 pm 02:00 pm 07:30 pm	Publishing in Top journals Medications for IVF (targeted for medical students, pharmacists, and nurses)	Dr. Christopher Barratt (4 hours) Dr. Wessam Saleh



DAY 1	HALL (A)	HALL (A2)	HALL (C)	HALL (D)
09:00 am 09:30 am	Opening ceremony			
09:30 am 10:00 am	Plenary lecture (Dr. Walid Sayed, Dr. Shamsa Al Awar): Reproductive Health and Opportunity 1950–2050: How Evidence Builds Excellence in Fertility Care Prof. Simon Fishel			
10:00 am 10:20 am	Symposium 1: Balancing Ethics and Business in IVF, Marketing, Innovation, and Conflicts of Interest (Dr. Walid Sayed, Dr. Shamsa Al Awar)			
10:20 am 11:00 am	Balancing Ethics and Business in IVF Practice Dr. Shamsa Al Awar			
11:00 am 11:15 am	Discussion and debate on Ethics and Business in IVF Practice (Directors from different IVF centers, Business development and marketing, Medical company representative, DOH representative,...) Moderator: Dr. Walid Sayed Debaters: Dr. Amr Elshalakany, Dr. Elsamawal El Hakim, Dr. Micheal Fakih, Dr. Shamsa Al Awar			
COFFEE BREAK				
11:15 am 11:35 am	Symposium 2: Fertility Preservation Dr. Amr Elshalakany, Dr. Laila Alhubaishi			
11:35 am 11:55 am	Reproductive surgery for fertility preservation in cancer care Dr. Saad El Aswad			
11:55 am 12:15 pm	Oncofertility in young patients with hematological malignancies Dr. Amin Abyad			
12:15 pm 01:00 pm	Challenges in fertility preservation clinical scenarios. Dr. Ahmed Elbohoty			
01:00 pm 02:00 pm	Drug company Symposium (2 symposiums)			
LUNCH				
02:00 pm 02:20 pm	Symposium 3: Embryology (Prof. Simon Fishel & Dr. Irfan Aslam) The role of the sperm in reduced, failed fertilisation at ICSI, how to predict success, failure beforehand. Prof. Christopher Barratt	Symposium 3: High-Risk Obstetrics related to Assisted Reproduction (Dr. Amr Salah & Dr. Mona Khalfan) Isthmocele and Female Fertility: Clinical Relevance and Management Strategies. Dr. Santiago Machicado		
02:20 pm 02:40 pm	Can we correct Oocytes Prof. Alison Campbell	Diagnosis & management of CS scar pregnancies Prof. Mohamed Elithy	Nurses Symposium Mrs. Heba Al Wedyan & Mrs. Mabel Pablo	Dr. Amani Kanan: Myths & Facts in IVF (in Russian)
02:40 pm 03:00 pm	AI assisted detection and quantitative scoring of cytoplasmic strains: expanding predictive power from pregnancy to live birth Mrs. Sheila Poulain	Antenatal Diagnosis of Placenta Accreta Spectrum (PAS) Dr. Saleema Wani		Dr. Ahmed Elbohoty: The Egg Story (in Arabic)
03:00 pm 03:50 pm	Safety by Design: Risk-Aware IVF Care Dr. Shazia Irfan	Management of placenta Accreta Spectrum (PAS) the role of the Triple P Procedure as a conservative alternative to peripartum hysterectomy Dr. Edwin Chandraharan		Dr. Nayrouz Gezaf (in English)
03:50 pm 04:05 pm	COFFEE BREAK			
04:05 pm 04:25 pm	Symposium 4: Quality control and education From data decisions: Quality indicators and IVF lab dashboards. Mrs. Lorene Lteif	Symposium 4: High-Risk Obstetrics related to Assisted Reproduction Dr. Edwin Chandraharan, Dr. Khalid Omar, Dr. Rehan Faridi (continued) Antenatal care of multiple pregnancy: From an obstetric perspective. Dr. Sofia Malik		
04:25 pm 04:45 pm	Trouble shooting in the IVF lab: How to do it/ and how to avoid having to do it. Dr. Irfan Aslam	First trimester scan: Beyond Nuchal translucency Dr. Mansi Shukla		
04:45 pm 05:00 pm	Debate on Embryology	Management of preterm labour. Dr. Ziena Abdulla		
	Closing	Risk factors and management of Deep Vein Thrombosis/PE Dr. Raoya Farah		

DAY 2	HALL (A)	HALL (A2)	HALL (C)	HALL (D)
09:00 am 09:20 am	Symposium 1: Endometriosis Dr. Antonio La Marca, Dr. Hassan Morsi, Dr. Ahmed Bahaa Epidemiology of Endometriosis in Women with Arab Ancestry Dr. Mira Mousa		Symposium 1: Transitional Science in reproductive medicine symposium. Prof. Junaid Kashir Genetic Determinants of Female Infertility from the Emirati Genome Project Dr. Mira Mousa	
09:20 am 09:40 am	MRI in Endometriosis - imaging to decision making Dr. Amol More		Role of Mesenchymal Stem Cell-derived Extracellular Vesicles in female and male fertility restoration and protection. Dr. Farzana Ali	
09:40 am 10:00 am	Ablative techniques in Endometriomas - Sparing ovarian reserve in women with pregnancy wish Dr. Adrien Crestani		Biomaterials as a new frontier in ART. Dr. Shabir Hassan	
10:00 am 11:00 am	Endometriosis and infertility - the terrible association (discussion of clinical situations) Prof. Horace Roman, Dr. Aysha Almentheri		3 or 4 rapid fire 5-min talks without questions – depending upon abstract submissions	
11:00 am 11:15 am	COFFEE BREAK			
11:15 am 11:35 am	Symposium 2: Reproductive Surgery Dr. Sandesh Kade, Dr. Mohammed Kattan, Dr. Santiago Machicado Asherman Syndrome – New Therapeutic Approaches Prof. Amr Elshalakany			
11:35 am 11:55 am	Ablation of Uterine Fibroids and Adenomyosis in Infertility Patients: Evidence, Limits, and Clinical Reality. Prof. Antonio La Marca		Resident corner Dr. Laila Alhubaishi 5 cases each one 10 mins	
11:55 am 12:15 pm	Essential laparoscopic Anatomy for safe pelvic surgery Prof. Hassan Morsi			Isthmocele and Female Fertility: Clinical Relevance and Management Strategies.
12:15 pm 01:00 pm	Discussion and debate			
01:00 pm 02:00 pm	LUNCH			
02:00 pm 02:20 pm	Symposium 3: Reproductive endocrinology and Medical challenges during IVF therapy Dr. Marwan Elhalabi, Dr. Mohammed Osama, Dr. Hala Juma Obesity and IVF, Balancing Safety, Access, and Outcomes. Dr. Arianna D'Angelo		Symposium 3: Genetics Dr Ayman Hattab Genetics Dr. Mohamed Alameri Dr. Sahar Abdelaziz Dr. Muna Al Saffar	2:00 PM - 6:00 PM Basic surgical workshop for students/registrars parrallel
02:20 pm 02:40 pm	Pituitary Suppression in ART: Time for a Paradigm Shift? Dr. Carol Coughlan			
02:40 pm 03:00 pm	Who Shapes Reproductive Choices? Women's Autonomy at the Crossroads of Medicine and Society. Dr. Bohaira Elgeyoushi			
03:00 pm 03:15 pm	Discussion and debate Medical and Anesthetic Challenges during IVF Therapy (anesthesia, internal medicine, IVF, senior nurse,.....) Dr. Ahmed Elbohoty moderator, Dr. Millia, Dr. Hala Juma, internal medicine HOD obesity)			
03:15 am 03:30 am	COFFEE BREAK			
03:30 pm 03:50 pm	Symposium 4: Breaking barriers in male infertility Dr. Ahmad Allam Beyond the WHO guidelines: how can we better diagnose male infertility. Dr. Christopher Barratt			
03:50 pm 04:10 pm	Optimizaion of male fertility potential for a better IVF outcome Dr. Ahmad Allam		Abstract presentation session	
04:10 pm 04:30 pm	Modern Management of Male Infertility and Sexual Dysfunction: What's New and on the Horizon? Dr. Omer Raheem			
04:30 pm 05:00 pm	Fertility as an Early Biomarker of Biological Performance and Longevity Dr. Arthur Clement		How to empower IVF centers in the year of 2026 vision Dr. Tahani	



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