# SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

7th European Operating Room Nurses Congress  
7 – 10 May 2015  
Ergife Palace Hotel, Roma

## PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

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FRIDAY, 8 MAY

PARALLEL 1 (level -2)

09.00-10.30 Opening Ceremony
10.30-11.00 Coffee Break
11.00-12.00 Priority Session
   Moderator: Liz Waters (Ireland)
   11.00-11.30 The new time of nursing: ancient roots for new leaves
      Edoardo Manzoni (Italy)
   11.30-12.00 The art of perioperative care; eternally evolving
      Cecillia Sironi (Italy)
12.00-13.00 Lunch
13.00-15.00 Hot Topic “Supporting Actors in the OR”
   Moderator: Ann O’Brien (Ireland)
   13.00-13.30 OC 01 What do nurses think about the introduction of the technician/non-nurse role in the operating room across Europe?
      Sue Lord (UK)
   13.30-14.00 OC 02 The importance of the role of the nurse in Operating Room (OR) and the possibility of replacing him with other professionals: an overview of the international and Italian reality
      Elisa Stiavetti (Italy)
   14.00-14.30 OC 03 Perioperative nurses a requirement for safe surgery – Something everyone in our society ought to know?
      Birgitta Gustafsson (Sweden)
   14.30-15.00 OC 04 The scrub role in the European scenario: should it still performed by a nurse?
      Simone Stevanin (Italy)
15.00-15.30 Coffee Break
15.30-17.30 Take Time to Care for OR Nurses
   Moderator: Kostas Karakostas (Greece)
   15.30-16.00 OC 17 Operating room nurses' anxiety and burnout levels according to safety precautions
      Ümmü Yıldız Findik (Turkey)
   16.00-16.30 OC 18 Nurse's work environment and job satisfaction on care nurse perioperative in a tertiary hospital of Barcelona
      Amalia Silero (Spain)
   16.30-17.00 OC 19 Bullying in operating room (OR) and intensive care unit (ICU) Nurses: Differences and consequences.
      Angela Exintari (Greece)
   17.00-17.30 OC 20 The emotional dimension of the nursing team in the organ removal process
      Marco Bani (Italy)

PARALLEL 2 (level -2)

13.00-15.00 Different Ways of Learning
   Moderator: Britta Nielsen (Denmark)
   13.00-13.30 OC 05 Evaluation of “blended learning” in a Postgraduate Master Course of “Perioperative Registered Nurses”
      Caterina Cicala (Italy)
   13.30-14.00 OC 06 PNDS: Translation and cultural adaptation and clinical relevance
      Joana Isabel Almeida de Azevedo (Portugal)
   14.00-14.30 OC 07 Evidence based discharge criteria for patient’s home readiness for safe return after ambulatory surgery
      Kesook Yoon (Republic of Korea)
14.30-15.00 OC 08 Perioperative nursing education: Meeting today's challenges
Kari Krell (Canada)

15.00-15.30 Coffee Break

15.30-17.30 Welcome to the OR
Moderator: Maria Loureiro (Belgium)
15.30-16.00 OC 21 The Effects of Operating Room Nurse’s Visit on Patients’ Preoperative Anxiety
Ayla Gursoy (Turkey)
16.00-16.30 OC 22 The 10 most important seconds to welcome the patient in the operating room
Myriam Pietroons (Belgium)
16.30-17.00 OC 23 Looking beyond the double doors to theatre- The power of connectivity
Grace Reidy (Ireland)
17.00-17.30 OC 24 The impact of Dr. Clown's presence in pediatric perioperative care
Maria Filomena de Carvalho Postiço Silva (Portugal)

13.00-15.00 ORANGE 1 (level -1)
Around the World
Moderator: Sandra Morton (Ireland)
13.00-13.30 OC 09 Nurse Led Pre-Operative Assessment.
Rosaleen White (Ireland)
13.30-14.00 OC 10 From SBAR to SHAR – a portuguese adaptation
Maria Madalena Pires (Portugal)
14.00-14.30 OC 11 Dutch Quality Register
Jeanine Stuart (The Netherlands)
14.30-15.00 OC 12 Evolving and Expanding an Australian Perioperative Environment
Deborah Carter (Australia)
15.00-15.30 Coffee Break
15.30-17.30 Perioperative nursing care topics 2
Moderator: Tracey Coates (UK)
15.30-16.00 OC 25 Development, validation and reliability of a Safety Protocol for Thirst Management in the immediate postoperative period
Ligia Fonseca (Brazil)
16.00-16.30 OC 26 Evidence Based Practice for Managing Perioperative Patients in the Prevention of Deep Vein Thrombosis and Pulmonary Embolism
Patrick Voight (USA)
16.30-17.00 OC 27 Management of instrumentation in aortic valve reconstruction surgery using Bovine/Equine pericardial patch
Katerina Ristovska- Janev (FYROM)
17.00-17.30 OC 28 Improving GynE Oncologic Surgical Patient Care
Julie Kenna (Canada)

13.00-15.00 ORANGE 2 (level -1)
Perioperative nursing care topics 1
Moderator: Marie Afzelius (Sweden)
13.00-13.30 OC 13 Just in Time better than Just in Case? How to care for the patient after next
Leigh Anderson (New Zealand)
13.30-14.00 OC 14 The presence of a Surgical Care Practitioner in the perioperative team facilitates same day discharge after Laparoscopic Cholecystectomy
Susan Hall, (UK)
14.00-14.30 OC 15 Use a “passport” in relation to the patient handovers in the operating room (OR) and increase the patient safety.
   Soendergaard Susanne Friis (Denmark)

14.30-15.00 OC 16 Comfort Scale: perioperative validation
   Carvalho Isaura (Portugal)

15.00-15.30 Coffee Break

15.30-17.30 Strong teamwork in the OR
   Moderator: Luciano Trozzi (Italy)

15.30-16.00 OC 29 Operating Room Nurses experiences of teamwork for safe surgery
   Annika Sandelin (Sweden)

16.00-16.30 OC 30 Generation Y, the future of the profession. How to integrate them in the management of an operating theatre?
   Audrey Dubois (Belgium)

16.30-17.00 OC 31 Kaiser Permanente Medical Centers' Highly Reliable Team: Improving Quality Health Care Through Patient Safety
   Ronda Mananquil (USA)

17.00-17.30 OC 32 Relational coordination in an orthopedic surgical team: A study of the relationship between interdisciplinary teamwork and patient safety culture.
   Birgitte Tørring (Denmark)

CESAREA (level -1)

12.15-13.00 Industry Session – Buffalo Filter
   Surgical Smoke: New Information on an Old Problem
   Robert Scroggins (USA)

13.00-15.00 Perioperative Free papers
   Moderator: Olivier Willième (Belgium)

13.00-13.15 FP 01 Peri-Operative nurses' current practices and knowledge of the pneumatic tourniquet in the surgical setting
   Helen Muldowney (Ireland)

13.15-13.30 FP 02 Postoperative pain: role of the nurse in the surgical patient management
   Giovanna Restaino (Italy)

13.30-13.45 FP 03 The uses of smartphone technologies and the smartphone apps in the operating room during the surgery and their impact on the perioperative process
   Evgeny Gorbachov (Israel)

13.45-14.00 FP 04 How do experienced operating room nurses contribute to patient safety?
   Unni Igesund (Norway)

14.00-14.15 FP 05 Designated Centers for Simulation Learning
   Leah Agmon (Israel)

14.15-14.30 FP 06 Smarttray a complete or count way?
   Marja Versantvoort (The Netherlands)

14.30-14.45 FP 07 Safety Checklist for Positioning in Robotic Surgery
   Cristina Sousa Silva (Brazil)

14.45-15.00 FP 08 Scrub Nurses Non-Technical Skills
   Tiago da Silva (Portugal)

15.00-15.30 Coffee Break

15.30-17.30 Perioperative Free papers
   Moderator: Mona Guckian Fisher (UK)

15.30-15.45 FP 09 Operating Room Nurses on a Humanitarian Mission - ""Save a Child's heart"" project
   Chaya Museri (Israel)

Grace Emmanuel Maitri (Ireland)  
16.00-16.15  
FP 11 An exploration of adult-trained perioperative nurses' practice of family-centered care in an acute Irish regional hospital  
Grainne Hamilton (Ireland)

Fatma Susam Özsayin (Turkey)  
16.15-16.30  
FP 12 Attitudes of operating theatre workers to patient safety  
Julie Peirce-jones (UK)

16.30-16.45  
FP 13 Staff enhancement in the Perioperative Environment  
Marion Taylor (UK)

16.45-17.00  
FP 14 Enhancing Perioperative education through assessment literacy  
Luisa Scarpone (Belgium)

17.00-17.15  
FP 15 Theatre Manpower: where to go?  
Chun Mah (Taiwan)

17.15-17.30  
FP 16 Reducing the Infection rate with Loaner Instrumentation for Orthopedic Patients in Taiwan Teaching Hospital  
Patricia Nicholson (Australia)

SPALATO (level -1)  
08.00-09.00  
Industry Symposia (TBC)

SATURDAY, 9 MAY

PARALLEL 1 (level -2)  
09.00-10.30  
Hot Topic “To Reuse or Not to use”  
Moderator: Manuel Valente (Portugal)

09.00-09.30  
OC 33 Sustainable perioperative practices! Reducing, Reusing or Recycling – What is the evidence?  
Patricia Nicholson (Australia)

09.30-10.00  
OC 34 Reprocessing of “Single-Use” Medical Devices: Regulations Coming to Europe  
Daniel Vukelich (USA)

10.00-10.30  
Single use medical devices reprocessing: risks and threats  
Judit Neves (Portugal)

10.30-11.00  
Coffee Break

11.00-12.00  
Priority Session  
Moderator: Merja Fordell (Finland)

11.00-12.00  
Current issues in Surgical site infections  
Professor Judith Tanner (UK)

12.00-13.00  
Lunch

13.00-15.00  
For Safe Care Stay on Track  
Moderator: Yael Edry (Israel)

13.00-13.30  
OC 47 The impact of a standardized incident reporting system in the perioperative setting: a single center experience on 2,563 ‘near-misses’ and adverse events  
Anita Heideveld-Chevalking (The Netherlands)

13.30-14.00  
OC 48 Learning from Litigation and Claims to improve patient safety in the Perioperative Environment  
Tracy Coates (UK)

14.00-14.30  
OC 49 Taking the Risk Out of Risk Management Through Laser Safety Audit: Key To Quality and Compliance  
Penny Smalley (USA)

14.30-15.00  
OC 50 Violations and migrations in perioperative practice: How organisational drift puts patients at risk
### 15.00-15.30  Coffee Break

### 15.30-17.30  Infection prevention in the OR

**Moderator:** May Kara (France)

- **15.30-16.00** OC 67 *The Use of a Surveillance System as a Reliable Tool in the Reduction of Surgical Site Infections: a Systematic Literature Review*
  - Maria Klambaneva (Cyprus)

- **16.00-16.30** OC 68 *Wait! Does your patient really need a Foley? An inter-professional team approach in the prevention of catheter-associated urinary tract infection*
  - Cora Bagaoisan (Canada)

- **16.30-17.00** OC 69 *When one infection is one too much.*
  - Maria Caputo (Italy)

- **17.00-17.30** OC 70 *The challenges and successes of implementing Comprehensive Unit-Based Safety Program (CUSP) in a Canadian Operating room.*
  - Louis Watson (Canada)

### PARALLEL 2 (level -2)

#### 09.00-10.30  Clean Connections

**Moderator:** Tiiu Koemets (Estonia)

- **09.00-09.30** OC 35 *Is the increased use of private cellphones in the operating room a risk for the handhygiene?*
  - Dorthe Christensen Toft (DENMARK)

- **09.30-10.00** OC 36 *The Benefits, Dangers and Dilemma’s of the Social Media*
  - Ruth Shumaker (UK)

- **10.00-10.30** OC 37 *Cell phones as potential sources of bacterial spread*
  - Iris Laniado (Israel)

#### 10.30-11.00  Coffee Break

#### 12.00-13.00  Lunch

#### 13.00-15.00  Perioperative nursing care topic 3

**Moderator:** Annette Pedersen (Denmark)

- **13.00-13.30** OC 51 *Creative Caring in the Operating Room*
  - Helena Martins (Portugal)

- **13.30-14.00** OC 52 *Perioperative nursing care of older adults experiencing cognitive impairment - research proposal*
  - Marilyn Richardson-Tench (Australia)

- **14.00-14.30** OC 53 *Perioperative nursing care – Defining nursing-sensitive quality indicators in Oporto Hospital Center*
  - Nuno Amaro Monteiro Vieira Abreu (Portugal)

- **14.30-15.00** OC 54 *Optimizing the intraoperative care for patients with advanced ovarian cancer*
  - Christina Eten Bergqvist (Sweden)

#### 15.00-15.30  Coffee Break

#### 15.30-17.30  Healthy Workplaces

**Moderator:** Charmaine Betzema (Netherlands)

- **15.30-16.00** OC 71 *Why is ergonomics so important in the operating room?*
  - Emel Sütsünbülüoglu (Turkey)

- **16.00-16.30** OC 72 *Surgical smokes: a known risk by operating room nurses?*
  - Alexandra Gablin (France)

- **16.30-17.00** OC 73 *Noise in the operation room*
  - George Georgiou (Cyprus)
17.00-17.30 OC 74 Investigation of surgical smoke risks and preventive measures in Turkish operating rooms
Meryem Yavuz (Turkey)

ORANGE 1 (level -1)

09.00-10.30 Recognise Hypothermia
Moderator: Margaret Brett (Portugal)
09.00-09.30 OC 38 The effect of temperature of fluid for irrigation on body temperature during endoscopic surgeries
Oh Kyoung Kim (Republic of Korea)
09.30-10.00 OC 39 The influence of an environment at the Central operating theaters in the University Hospital Brno on a body temperature of the surgical patient.
Jaroslava Jedlicková (Czech Republic)
10.00-10.30 OC 40 An exploration of perioperative nurses knowledge, attitudes and current practices in the prevention of inadvertent perioperative hypothermia
Hazel Ni Chonchubhair (Ireland)

10.30-11.00 Coffee Break
12.00-13.00 Lunch
13.00-15.00 Check in on the Checklist
Moderator: Meryem Yavuz (Turkey)
13.00-13.30 OC 55 Creating a Picture: The Art of Brief/Debrief in the OR.
Linda Chapman (New Zealand)
13.30-14.00 OC 56 The safe surgery approaches of surgical nurses
Ilknur Yayla (Turkey)
14.00-14.30 OC 57 Experiences and meanings among Operating Room Nurses and Operating Room Nursing students regarding practicing of the Safe Surgery checklist.
Elin Thove Willassen (Norway)
14.30-15.00 OC 58 Surgical checklist: contribution to an intervention in patient safety area
Susana Valido (Portugal)
15.00-15.30 Coffee Break
15.30-17.30 IFPN Global perioperative patient care
Moderator: Caroline Higgins (Ireland)
15.30-16.00 Irini Antoniadou, Sweden, Renee Battle USA
16.00-16.30 Jinha Woo (Republic of Korea), Fiona Unac (New Zealand)
16.30-17.00 Rupinder Khota (Canada), Mona Guckian Fisher (UK)
17.00-17.30 Bonnie McLeod (Australia), Patrick Voight (USA)
Phyllis Davis (Australia), Ruth Melville (Australia)

ORANGE 2 (level -1)

09.00-10.30 Surgical counts
Moderator: Graca Miguel (Portugal)
09.00-09.30 OC 41 The surgical count: Eternally evolving or a process that needs review?
Vicky Warwick (Australia)
09.30-10.00 OC 42 Two, four, six, eight…. Stop and count before it is too late!
An Audit on Swab, Needle and Instrument Counts in Theatre at Sligo Regional Hospital
Teresa Donnelly (Ireland)
10.00-10.30 OC 43 “What you use you can lose”
Charmaine Betzema (The Netherlands)
10.30-11.00 Coffee Break
12.00-13.00  Lunch

13.00-15.00  Manage to lead  
**Moderator:** Emese Berczi (Hungary)

13.00-13.30  OC 59 Leadership in the OR  
*Monique Van Hiel (Belgium)*

13.30-14.00  OC 60 Lean Leadership Initiatives Fueling Innovation In Clinical Practice  
*Mary Jo Steiart (USA)*

14.00-14.30  OC 61 Improving the management of surgical patients: a cross-sectional, observational study  
*Claudio Buttarelli (Italy)*

14.30-15.00  OC 62 Innovative technology and Perioperative nursing management  
*Vinod Mishra (Norway)*

15.00-15.30  Coffee Break

15.30-17.30  Life long learning  
**Moderator:** Aina Hauge (Norway)

15.30-16.00  OC 75 Tayloring Education for Operating Rooms in Australia  
*Lilliana Levada (Australia)*

16.00-16.30  OC 76 Using PICOT Questions to Teach Evidence Based Practice to Perioperative Interns  
*Anita Shoup (USA)*

16.30-17.00  OC 77 Factors influencing Greek perioperative nurses’ readiness towards EBP-implementation: A cross-sectional study  
*Athina Patelarou (Greece)*

17.00-17.30  OC 78 An evolving experience with using simulation in perioperative education  
*Margaret Butler (Australia)*

**CESAREA (level -1)***

09.00-10.30  New developments  
**Moderator:** Sandra Monsalve (Spain)

09.00-09.30  OC 44 Wearable Technology: The Perioperative Perspective  
*Mary Jane Edwards (USA)*

09.30-10.00  OC 45 Presenting the acute surgical unit at a regional hospital in NSW Australia  
*Janice Marks (Australia)*

10.00-10.30  OC 46 The Impact of the Non-Medical Surgical Assistant: a British Perspective.  
*Julie Quick (UK)*

10.30-11.00  Coffee Break

12.00-13.00  Lunch

13.00-15.00  Perioperative Free papers  
**Moderator:** Sandra Morton (Ireland)

13.00-13.15  FP 17 The EORNA core curriculum for perioperative nurse competences: a descriptive study  
*Marco Serafini (Italy)*

13.15-13.30  FP 18 Efficacy of ice popsicle in the management of thirst in the immediate postoperative period: randomized clinical trial  
*Marilia Ferrari Conchon (Brazil)*

13.30-13.45  FP 19 Independent and interdependent perioperative nursing interventions’ impact on preventing infections during the perioperative care continuum  
*Eija Lamberg (Finland)*

13.45-14.00  FP 20 Nurse experience at robotic surgery implantation  
*Garazi Perez Lopez (Spain)*

14.00-14.15  FP 21 How effective is nurse-led airway management including extubation in Paediatric Post Anaesthetic Care Unit (PACU).
Tuna Cassidy (Ireland)
14.15-14.30 FP 22 How to prevent patients developing pressure ulcers when positioned in the supine or the lateral position when undergoing cardio-thoracic surgery
Charlotte Walsoee (Denmark)
14.30-14.45 FP 23 Perioperative nursing in Central African Republic
Maria Cruz Ruiz Laconcepcion (New Zealand)
14.45-15.00 FP 24 Monitoring the surgical skin disinfection
Maria Isabel Veloso (Portugal)
15.00-15.30 Coffee Break
15.30-17.30 Sterile services
Moderator: Sue Lord (UK)
15.30-16.00 OC 63 Traceability and Efficiency in Surgical and Sterilisation Processes.
Nerea Herreros Marias (Spain)
16.00-16.30 OC 64 Will I be working with damaged surgical instruments?
Olivier Willième (Belgium)
16.30-17.00 OC 65 The journey towards professionalization, an emerging profession: exploring the perceptions of sterile services staff
Angela Cobbold (UK)
17.00-17.30 OC 66 Transparent basic education for Central Sterile Technicians
The result of collaboration between countries
Erlin Oskarsdottir (Iceland)

SPALATO (level -1)
08.00-09.00 Industry Symposia (TBC)
12.00-13.00 Industry Symposia (TBC)

SUNDAY, 10 MAY

PARALLEL 1 (level -2)
09.00-10.30 Competent practices
Moderator: Dimitris Poulis (Greece)
09.00-09.30 OC 79 A qualitative study of surgical nurses possibilities for developing competences in practice-highlights from a Master Thesis.
Mette Gjødvad (Denmark)
09.30-10.00 OC 80 Innovation in Clinical competence assessment for OR nurses
Monica Kegel Dalsgaard (Denmark)
10.00-10.30 OC 81 Developing Standards and Recommended Practices for EORNA
Kate Woodhead (UK)
10.30-11.00 Coffee Break
11.00-12.00 Priority Session
Moderator: Jaana Perttunen (Finland)
11.00-12.00 Can we change the Perioperative world today?
Jan de Boeck (Belgium)
12.00-13.00 Lunch

PARALLEL 2 (level -2)
09.00-10.30 Pressure Ulcers identification and prevention
Moderator: Panayiota Mylona (Cyprus)
09.00-09.30  OC 82 Pilot study on bedsores related to OR?
Britta Nielsen (Denmark)

09.30-10.00  OC 83 Postoperatively acquired pressure ulcer in cardiovascular surgery
Ayse Gurkan (Turkey)

10.00-10.30  OC 84 Pressure ulcers prevention in the perioperative environment
Fríðrikka Guðmundsdóttir (Iceland)

**ORANGE 1 (level -1)**

**Hypothermia prevention**
Moderator: Christine Willems (Belgium)
09.00-09.30  OC 85 Incidence of perioperative inadvertent hypothermia and compliance with evidence-based recommendations at four Australian hospitals
Jed Duff (Australia)

09.30-10.00  OC 86 Perioperative hypothermia: a call for action
Katrin Gillis (Belgium)

10.00-10.30  OC 87 The Prevention of Perioperative Hypothermia Safety Toolkit
Victoria Steelman (USA)

**ORANGE 2 (level -1)**

**Resource management**
Moderator: Ahuva Friedman (Israel)
09.00-09.30  OC 88 Creating Efficiencies in Surgery using the Lean Process and Six-Sigma
Gay Sammons (USA)

09.30-10.00  OC 89 An example of nursing workforce planning in the operating rooms of Ege University Medical Faculty Hospital
Nergiz Ter (Turkey)

10.00-10.30  OC 90 Working efficiently and effectively for night shift nurses
May Karam (France)

**CESAREA (level -1)**

**OR nurses in crisis**
Moderator: Petra Ebbeke (Germany)
09.00-09.30  OC 91 Being an operating room nurse on a humanitarian surgical mission
Mateja Stare (Slovenia)

09.30-10.00  OC 92 A Cross-sectional Survey Study on Factors Influencing Perioperative Nurses’ Perceived Occupational Stress in an Irish Healthcare Setting
Rebekah Meinders (Ireland)

10.00-10.30  OC 93 How Greek ORs overcome economic crisis
Konstantinia Karathanasi (Greece)

**SPALATO (level -1)**

**Industry Symposia (TBC)**