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# ICISA 2026

**International Congress of the Israel Society of Anesthesiologists**

**הכנס השנתי של איגוד הרופאים המרדימים בישראל**

# Tuesday, Nov - 17th, 2026

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| 07:30-08:30 | Registration, Gathering, Light Breakfast & Exhibition \| Symposium Hall | | | | |
| **08:30-11:00** | Symposium - Perioperative Medicine | The Anesthesiologist Beyond the OR: Burnout, Leadership and Meaning | General / Resuscitation Critically-ill Patient and Resuscitation | PACU/ICU Nurses Session 1 Hebrew lectures | |
| | **Moderators: Idit Matot, Joel Symons** | **Moderator: Rony Hakim** | **Moderator: Andrey Nevo** | | |
| | Introducing Perioperative Medicine. The Global Alignment **David Story**, *Australia* **Idit Matot**, *Israel*<br><br>Why Perioperative Medicine **Joel Symons**, *Australia*<br><br>Prehabilitation: What Have We Learned and What's Next? **Eva Rivas**, *Spain*<br><br>* This session continues till 11:00 | Burnout Behind the Drapes **Gabriel Gurman**, *Israel*<br><br>Leading from the OR: Cultivating Anaesthesia Leadership **Leonid Edelman**, *Israel*<br><br>Managing Anesthesia Teams Through the Lens of Happiness: From Plato to Spinoza **Raphaël Derman**, *Israel* | The Challenges of the Critically ill Cirrhotic Patient **Julia Wendon**, *Israel*<br><br>What are the PeRLS of OR Resuscitation? **Michael O'Connor**, *USA*<br><br>Redefining Severity: The SOFA-2 Score – Do We Need an Update at the Bedside? **Mervyn Singer**, *United Kingdom* | The Obstetric Patient in PACU **Aviva Green**, *Israel*<br><br>The Pediatric Patient in PACU **Shir Morgenstern**, *Israel*<br><br>The Obese Patient in PACU **Shai David Kropveld**, *Israel* | 08:30-09:00<br>Needle control |

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| **09:30–11:00** | Symposium – continuation Perioperative Medicine | Trauma<br>Playing Chess with Time | Pediatrics<br>Tips and Tricks in Pediatric Anesthesia | Technicians' Session<br>Hebrew lectures | |
| | **Moderators:**<br>**Idit Matot, Joel Symons** | **Moderator:**<br>**Leonid Edelman** | **Moderator:**<br>**Margaret Ekstein** | | |
| | Physiology and Evidence Based Perioperative Medicine<br>**Lorenzo Ball**, *Italy*<br><br>The Integrative Perioperative Approach – Surgeons Point of View<br>**Yoram Klein**, *Israel*<br><br>AI Turning Promise into Practice: Integrating AI to Clinical Systems and Lifestyle Interventions<br>**David Reich**, *Israel* | Playing Strategic Chess with the Angel of Death: Precision Moves in Critical Trauma Anesthesia<br>**David Ben Ari**, *Israel*<br><br>REBOA in Trauma Patients<br>**Alex Zlotnik**, *Israel*<br><br>Revolutionizing Analgesia for Acute Trauma Patients on Admission<br>**Ron Samet**, *USA*<br><br>Traumatic Brain Injury in the Geriatric Population – Do we Need a Different Approach?<br>**Dafna Willner**, *Israel*<br><br>Discussion | Pharmacodynamic Monitoring of the Anesthetic State in Children: Precision Medicine or Shiny Gadgets?<br>**David Hoppenstein**, *Israel*<br><br>Fascial Plane Blocks in Children: Tricks, Traps, and Controversies<br>**Eleana Garini**, *Greece*<br><br>The Opioid-Free Child: Should We Drop the Habit in Pediatric Anesthesia?<br>**David Polaner**, *USA*<br><br>Q&A | High Flow Nasal Cannula<br>**Anna Savostyanova**, *Israel*<br><br>Lung Separation<br>**Maxim Pugachov**, *Israel*<br><br>Brain Monitoring<br>**Ofir Odeser**, *Israel* | 09:00–10:00<br>Blocks for TKR analgesia<br><br>10:00–11:00<br>Distal nerve blocks (radial, ulnar, median) |
| 11:00–11:30 | Coffee Break & Exhibition | | | | |
| **11:30–12:00** | **Opening Ceremony** | | | | |
| **12:00–12:45** | **Plenary**<br>Fluids: From Theory to Bedside Practice<br>**Maurizio Cecconi**, *Italy* | | | | 12:00–12:45<br>Blocks for (fragility) hip fractures as topic |
| 12:45–13:45 | Lunch & Exhibition | | | | |

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| **13:45–14:45** | Unstoppable Salon Talks<br>Women in Anesthesia | General<br>A Warm Welcome to Recovery: Navigating Challenges in PACU<br>Sponsored by<br>ELTEC MEDICAL | Brain<br>Mind Matters: Perioperative Cognition, Delirium, and Recovery | Secretaries Session<br>Hebrew lectures | |
| | **Moderator:**<br>**Idit Matot** | **Moderator:**<br>**Vasile Recea** | **Moderator:**<br>**Tomer Nir** | | |
| | Navigating Work and Home<br>**Einat Refaeli**, *Israel*<br><br>Is There Hope for the Army?<br>**Regina Pikman**, *Israel*<br><br>Women in Leadership in Anaesthesia<br>**Anne-Marie Camilleri Podesta**, *Malta*<br><br>Aim for the Moon and Beyond<br>**Idit Matot**, *Israel* | Is He Ready for Discharge? And who Gets to Decide? Rethinking Discharge from PACU<br>**Nadav Sheffy**, *Israel*<br><br>PONV – A Little Big Problem<br>**Daniela Ionescu**, *Romania*<br><br>Anti Hypothermia Devices and Fluid Warmers<br>**Amit Lehavi**, *Israel*<br><br>Discussion | Why So Much Confusion? The Mechanisms of Perioperative Neurocognitive Disorders<br>**Miles Berger**, *USA*<br><br>Cognitive Prehabilitation Before Surgery<br>**Itay Bentov**, *USA*<br><br>Cognitive-Frailty Phenotyping and Postoperative Delirium Risk<br>**Yossef Kislevich**, *Israel* | Not According to the Plan, But Exactly According to the Path: About Motherhood, Career, and the Freedom to Start Over<br>**Shelly Gat**, *Israel*<br><br>The Co-Pilot in the Chaos: How I used AI to Fight Resident Burnout<br>**Ian Kurland**, *Israel* | 14:00–15:30<br>"Big Five – the five blocks that will get you through night call" |

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| **14:45–15:45** | Obstetrics<br>Unstoppable Salon Talk<br>Failed Neuraxial Analgesia and Anesthesia | Medical Education<br>Voice and Visibility in Anaesthesia: Seeing, Speaking, Leading | General<br>Last Orders? Farewell | PACU/ICU Nurses<br>Session 2<br>Hebrew lectures | |
| | **Moderator:**<br>**Ronald George** | **Moderator:**<br>**Suzanne Karan** | **Moderator:**<br>**Nadav Sheffy** | | |
| | **Emilia Guasch**, *Spain*<br><br>**Nasir Hawash**, *Israel*<br><br>**Ruth Landau**, *USA*<br><br>**Carolyn Weiniger**, *Israel* | Being Seen Without Being Judged: Automating Debriefing in Simulation<br>**Aviva Green**, *Israel*<br><br>Bringing Psychological Safety to Life: Enabling Speaking Up<br>**Sara Goldhaber Fiebert**, *USA*<br><br>The Role of the Anaesthesiologist in Global Health: WFSA Priorities, Equity and Advocacy in 2026<br>**Carolina Haylock-Loor**, *Honduras* | So Long, Farewell, Neostigmine<br>**Zoriana Melnychuk**, *Israel*<br><br>Can we Send the Laryngoscope to the Museum?<br>**Vasile Recea**, *Israel*<br><br>Cricoid Pressure: Holding On or Slipping Away?<br>**Ron Eshel**, *Israel*<br><br>Nitrous Oxide: Still Laughing, or Leaving the Room?<br>**Ingrid Brodskii**, *Israel* | Discomfort in PACU<br>**Shelly Ashkenazy**, *Israel*<br><br>Pain Management in PACU<br>**Netanel Suissa**, *Israel*<br><br>Delirium in PACU<br>**Yossef Kislevich**, *Israel* | 14:00–15:30<br>"Big Five – the five blocks that will get you through night call" |
| 15:45–16:15 | Coffee Break & Exhibition | | | | Divoscope Intubation Challenge<br>divocco AI |

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| **16:15–17:15** | Unstoppable Salon Talks<br>Getting Your Paper Published – Tips from Journal Editors | ICU<br>Ventilate or Cannulate? ECMO Timing in Viral Pneumonia | What have we Learned From the War? | Pediatrics<br>There's a limit to everything | |
| | **Moderator:**<br>**Ruth Landau** | **Moderator:**<br>**Mervyn Singer** | **Moderator:**<br>**Dafna Willner** | **Moderator:**<br>**Gabriella Aschkenasy** | |
| | **Philippe Richebe**, *France*<br><br>**Maxime Cannesson**, *USA*<br><br>**Anjan Saha**, *USA* | Debate: Mechanical Ventilation Should be Trialed Before ECMO<br><br>Early Mechanical Ventilation<br>**Daniel Talmor**, *USA*<br>Early ECMO –<br>**Dekel Stavi**, *Israel*<br><br>Discussion | Setting up for Wartime by Managing During Peace Time<br>**Shani Sperber Kleiman**, *Israel*<br><br>Medicine Under the Ground<br>**Yael Shachor-Meyouhas**, *Israel*<br><br>Recovering from Missile Attack<br>**Shahar Negev**, *Israel* | When to Say No to NORA<br>**Dana Karol**, *Israel*<br><br>When to Stop Life Support in Children<br>**Margaret Ekstein**, *Israel* | 16:15–17:00<br>Quadratus Lumborum block<br><br>17:00<br>ISA Cardiac Fellowship Q & A |

# Wednesday, Nov – 18th, 2026

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| 07:30–08:30 | Registration, Gathering, Light Breakfast & Exhibition \| Symposium Hall | | | | |
| **07:30–08:30** | ISAACC18 Breakfast Session: Navigating Fellowship Opportunities Abroad: What Israeli Residents and Junior Faculty Need to Know<br>**Moderator: Ron Samet \| Presenters: Ruth Landau and Suzanne Karan** | | | | |
| **08:30–11:00** | AI Symposium<br>AI in Anaesthesia: From Promise to Practice | 08:30–09:30<br>Brain<br>The Customized Cortex: From Early Detection to Target-Specific Recovery | 08:30–09:30<br>Trauma | | |
| | **Moderator:**<br>**Lilach Hazan, Van Duijn, Maxime Cannesson** | **Moderator:**<br>**Alex Zlotnik** | **Moderator:**<br>**Regina Pikman**<br>**Patient: Yoav Bichovsky** | **EPoster area** | 09:00–10:00 |
| | The AI Physician-Brave New World?<br>**Jens Meier**, *Austria*<br><br>Leveraging Data to Improve Patient Outcomes<br>**Maurizio Cecconi**, *Italy*<br><br>Sponsored by PHILIPS<br><br>The AI Assistant in Preoperative Care: Beyond Mallampati: AI-Powered Airway Assessment and Digital Pre-Anesthetic Evaluation<br>**Lilach Hazan Van Duijn**, *Israel*<br><br>* This session continues till 11:00 | Early Identification and Treatment of Brain Injury and Cognitive Deterioration<br>**Dana Shahaf-Baron**, *Israel*<br><br>Modulating APOE Signaling to Reduce Postoperative Delirium and Neuroinflammation-Results from the MARBLE Randomized Controlled Trial<br>**Miles Berger**, *USA*<br><br>Awake Craniotomy: Evidence, Challenges, and Societal Perspectives<br>**Rudin Domi**, *Albania* | Salon Talk:<br>Candid Conversation Exploring the Patient's Journey, Bringing Personal Perspectives to the Forefront of Trauma Care | **Abstracts Presentation Session**<br><br>**Obstetric Anesthesia**<br>**Moderator: Vered Dvir** | Blocks for Chest Wall and Breast Surgery |

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| **09:30–11:00** | AI Symposium – continuation AI in Anaesthesia: From Promise to Practice | ICU/ Ventilation From ICU Principles to OR Practice: Lung Protective Ventilation | General Rethinking Anesthesia in Cancer Surgery | | |
| | **Moderator: Lilach Hazan, Van Duijn, Maxime Cannesson** | **Moderator: Daniel Talmor, Adi Nimrod** | **Moderator: Ilona Bobek** | **EPoster area** | |
| | AI Based Echo for Preoperative Evaluation **Suhaib Abu Rakia**, *Israel*<br><br>Unstoppable Debate: AI Why Should I? Con: Keep AI Out of My OR **Jens Meier**, *Austria* Pro: If I Could Choose My Resident, I'd Choose AI **Maxime Cannesson**, *USA* | Setting of Protective Mechanical Ventilation – Keep it Simple! **Marcelo Gama de Abreu**, *Austria*<br><br>Perioperative Protective Lung Ventilation **Daniel Talmor**, *USA*<br><br>Sedation – Unnoticed Effects of our Treatment **Neta Golomb**, *Israel*<br><br>Lung Protective Ventilation During Robotic and Laparoscopic Surgery **Lorenzo Ball**, *Italy* Discussion | Anesthesia – Can we Affect the Long Term Cancer Outcomes? **Daniela Ionescu**, *Romania*<br><br>Biological Aging and Outcomes After Cancer Surgery **Joshua Mincer**, *USA*<br><br>CAR T-cell Therapy: Intensive Care Medicine View **Ilona Bobek**, *Hungary*<br><br>Q & A | **Abstracts Presentation Session**<br><br>**Cardiothoracic and Airway Anesthesia Neuroanesthesia and Perioperative Care Moderator: Stephane Ledot** | 10:00–11:00<br><br>Lumbar ESP block & TLIP block<br><br>**11:00–11:30**<br><br>**Esther Dekker – Let's connect for Smarter Care**<br><br>Sponsored By<br>עמוס גזית |
| 11:00–11:30 | Coffee Break & Exhibition | | | | |

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| **11:30–12:30** | Monitoring – All those Waves | General<br>Foreseeing the Airway Crisis | Pediatrics<br>Clinical forum: My 2 Year Old had a Light Breakfast: Stop or Continue | | |
| | **Moderator:**<br>**Reuven Pizov** | **Moderator:**<br>**Mostafa Somri** | **Moderator:**<br>**Eli Simhi** | **EPoster area** | |
| | Machine Learning in Non Invasive Blood Pressure<br>**Maxime Cannesson**, *USA*<br><br>Do We Make a Difference?<br>**Tomer Talmy**, *Israel*<br><br>How are these Lines Related to Anesthesia? Making Sense of EEG<br>**Eilat Kahana Horovitz**, *Israel* | Prediction and Management of Difficult Airway<br>**Ram Roth**, *USA*<br><br>From the Frontlines: Lessons Learned From Two Years of Difficult Airway focus group<br>**Adam Lustig**, *Israel*<br><br>Navigating Airway Challenges During Prone-Position ERCP<br>**Andrew Lee**, *Israel*<br><br>Sponsored by<br>בפקס EPEX | Preoperative Clear Fluid Fasting and Endoscopy-Measured Gastric Fluid Volume in Children<br>**Gabriella Aschkenasy**, *Israel*<br><br>Managing the Airway in Pediatric Emergencies<br>**Lionel Davis**, *Israel*<br><br>Aerodigestive Procedures – Sharing is Caring?<br>**David Polaner**, *USA* | **Abstracts Presentation Session**<br><br>**Anesthesia Education and Perioperative Safety**<br>**Moderator: Dana Shahaf-Baron** | 11:30–12:15<br><br>Interscalene / supraclavicular / infraclavicular nerve blocks<br><br>12:15–13:00<br><br>Blocks for Hip fractures |
| **12:30–12:40** | Transition break | | | | |
| **12:40–13:25** | **Plenary**<br>Competency-Based Medical Education: Training for Competence, Not Just Completion<br>**Anne-Marie Camilleri Podesta**, *Malta* | | | | |
| 13:25–14:15 | Lunch & Exhibition | | Symposium hall – Lunch Symposium – sponsored by MASIMO | | |
| | | | Brain Health and Hemodynamic Optimization in High-Risk Patients: Cardiac Output Beyond Blood Pressure<br>**Pr. Maxime Cannesson**, *USA*<br><br>Vital Organ Protection: The Role of Continuous Oxygen Delivery ($DO_2$) Monitoring<br>**Pr. Jens Meier**, *Austria*<br><br>Q&A | | |

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| **14:15–15:45** | Lecture and Symposium<br>Best Abstract Session | Heart<br>Advances in Cardiac Anesthesia: From Precision to Practice | Basic Science<br>Laboratory Safari | Pain<br>Stopping the Pain Surge: Chronic Pain Trajectory Modification | |
| | **Moderator:**<br>**Dana Shahaf-Baron** | **Moderator:**<br>**Eitan Mangoubi** | **Moderator:**<br>**Ruth Shaylor** | **Moderator:**<br>**Rita Lekar** | |
| | Reconsidering Chest Decompression in Prehospital Trauma: From Registry Evidence to Guideline Change<br>**Ofer Almog**, *Israel*<br><br>Risk Factors for Postoperative Stroke and TIA After LVAD Implantation: A Single-Center Retrospective Cohort Study<br>**Yael Becher**, *Israel*<br><br>Monitoring Attention Across the Perioperative Period Using Single - Channel EEG - Based Marker<br>**Olga Reznik**, *Israel* | Precision Cardiac Care: Advanced TEE Education<br>**Mahmood Feroze**, *USA*<br><br>ERAS Protocols<br>**Robina Matyal**, *USA*<br><br>Preoperative Cardiac Consultation, Futile or Necessary?<br>**Zeev Goldik**, *Israel* | Multi Species Physiology<br>**Yishai Kushnir**, *Israel*<br><br>Anesthesia Going Wild<br>**Yael Shilo-Benjamini**, *Israel*<br><br>Anesthetic Neurotoxicity in Children: Lost in Translation<br>**Aviv Tuttnauer**, *Israel* | Rewiring the Future: 2026 Breakthroughs in Chronic PostSurgical Pain (CPSP) Prevention<br>**Philippe Richebe**, *France*<br><br>Cryoanalgesia-minimal Invasive Procedure for Chronic Pain Management<br>**Arthur Finkelstein**, *Israel*<br><br>Perioperative Cannabis: what about it?<br>**Alina Borisova & Elyad Davidson**, *Israel*<br><br>The Effects of Postoperative Pain on Postoperative Infectious Complications<br>**Yoav Charpak-Amikam**, *Israel* | 14:15–15:00<br><br>Bloks for Abdominal Surgery<br><br>15:00–15:45<br><br>Blocks for Rib fractures & Sternotomy |
| | Research Toolkit<br>**Moderator:**<br>**Barak Cohen**<br><br>Turning an Idea into a Research Proposal<br>**Anjan Saha**, *USA*<br><br>Research Is a Team Sport<br>**Marcelo Gama de Abreu**, *Austria*<br><br>Fund My Study: How to Make Your Grant Stand Out<br>**Ruth Landau**, *USA* | | | | |

| 15:45–16:15 | Coffee Break & Exhibition | | | | |
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Erik Tual – Live Demo: Eliminating Medication Errors in the OR with the Codonics Safe Label System (SLS) sponsored by

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| **16:15–17:15** | Ethics<br>Ethical Challenges<br>The Elephant is Outside the Room: Resource Allocation at the End of Life | Regional<br>Clinical forum: Case Discussions with the Experts | General<br>Transplant – Another Peak to Conquer | | |
| | **Moderator:**<br>**Shiri Zarour** | **Moderator:**<br>**Evgeny Reider** | **Moderator:**<br>**Stéphane Ledot** | **EPoster area** | |
| | Whose Patient is it Anyway? The Anesthesiologist, the Surgeon and the System in Which we Work<br>**Shai Fein**, *Israel*<br><br>Perioperative Anesthesia Care in Patients Who Have DNR Orders<br>**Yehuda Ginosar**, *Israel*<br><br>Resource Allocation, Safety Systems and Institutional Responsibility at the End of Life<br>**David Reich**, *USA* | **Ron Samet**, *USA*<br><br>**Philip Wagner**, *USA*<br><br>**Philipp Lirk**, *USA*<br><br>**Anat Greental**, *Israel* | Extracellular Vesicles in the Pericardial Fluid of Donors and Recipients<br>**Andrea Székely**, *Hungary*<br><br>Lung Transplant – With or Without Bypass?<br>**Amir Zabida**, *Israel*<br><br>Perioperative ECMO in Lung Transplants<br>**Ephraim Fitterman**, *Israel* | 16:15 – 17:35<br>**Abstracts Presentation Session**<br><br>**Intensive Care**<br>**Moderator: Aeyal Raz** | 16:15–17:00<br>Popliteal block and Anterior approach to Sciatic n PENG blocks |

# Thursday, Nov - 19th, 2026

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| 07:30-08:30 | Registration, Gathering, Light Breakfast & Exhibition \| Symposium Hall | | | | 08:00-08:30 |
| **07:30-08:30** | ISAACC18 Breakfast Session: Practicing Anesthesiology in Israel: What International Volunteers and Future Olim Need to Know - Hear from Anesthesiologists who Recently Made Aliyah<br>**Moderator: Ron Samet \| Presenters: Daniel Zeloof, Lionel Davis and Sarah Abbett** | | | | ISA Airway & Trauma Section Launch Event \| Win VL prizes |
| **08:30-10:30** | Symposium<br>Crisis and Conflict Medicine: Anesthesia, Trauma and Innovation<br>Sponsored By עמוס גזית | 08:30-09:30<br>Unstoppable Debate: Pain - After 40 Years of Research we Should Give Up Trying to Prevent Chronic Pain After Surgery | 08:30-09:30<br>Heart<br>Clinical forum: Advances in Cardiac Anesthesia | 08:30-09:30<br>Pain/Regional Anesthesia<br>Pain Management: Not Just A Block | |
| | **Moderator:**<br>**Guy Avital, Regina Pikman** | **Moderator:**<br>**Elyad Davidson** | **Moderator:**<br>**Vladimir Varenkin** | **Moderator:**<br>**Ron Samet** | |
| | Through the Dirty Lens: Realities of Conflict Medicine<br>**Itay Klobshtok**, *Israel*<br><br>Anesthesiologists on the Frontline<br>**Rony Hakim, Benjamin Zribi, Ofer Almog**, *Israel*<br><br>Lessons from treating Ukrainian War Casualties<br>**Kateryna Bielka**, *Ukraine*<br><br>* This session continues till 11:00 | Pro: Accept It. Treat It.<br>**Silviu Brill**, *Israel*<br><br>Con: Predict It. Prevent It.<br>**Philippe Richebe**, *France* | Protecting the Kidneys During Cardiac Surgery: Things that Work and Things that Don't<br>**Jacob Raphael**, *USA*<br><br>Management of Patients with LVAD for Non-Cardiac Surgery<br>**Stéphane Ledot**, *Israel*<br><br>Regional Anesthesia in Cardiac Surgery<br>**Karam Azem**, *Israel* | Opioid-Sparing Regional Anesthesia: Simple Blocks, Big Impact (PONV, Recovery, Discharge)<br>**Luis Alberto Rodriguez Linares**, *Brazil*<br><br>Evidence-based update on Multimodal Analgesia<br>**Philipp Lirk**, *USA*<br><br>Rebound Pain After my Block Wears Off<br>**Gabriella Iohom**, *Ireland* | 09:30-10:30<br>Paravertebral block |

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| **09:30–10:30** | Symposiu m – continuation<br>Crisis and Conflict Medicine: Anesthesia, Trauma and Innovation<br>Sponsored By עמוס גזית | Anaesthesia at the Edge: Neurons, Networks and Nociception | Geriatrics Clinical forum:<br>Beyond Guidelines: Real-World Decisions for Hip Fracture on NOACs | Live Presentation of Regional Techniques | |
| | **Moderator:**<br>**Guy Avital, Regina Pikman** | **Moderator:**<br>**Aeyal Raz** | **Moderator:**<br>**Einat Refaeli** | | |
| | Manual Pressure Points: From Case Report to Frontline Experience<br>**Guy Avital,** *Israel*<br><br>Pain Under Pressure: Prehospital Analgesia in Conflict Settings<br>**Tomer Talmy,** *Israel*<br><br>Transport in Crisis and Conflict Situations<br>**Patrick Liston,** *Australia* | Hacking Unconsciousness: Single Neurons in Humans Meet Optogenetics and Chemogenetics<br>**Aaron Krom,** *Israel*<br><br>Analgesia Without Compromise: Nociceptive-selective Sodium Channel Block via Local Anesthetic Binding Site<br>**Avi Priel,** *Israel*<br><br>Navigating Uncertainty in Research and Clinic: Paradigms, Biases and Normal Science<br>**Misha Perouansky,** *USA* | Neuraxial Anesthesia and Outcomes in Older Adults – Regional Hope or Clinical Reality?<br>**Inbar Radyan Tamayev,** *Israel*<br><br>How to Achieve Haemodynamic Stability in The Frail Patient with Hip Fracture<br>**Gabriella Iohom,** *Ireland*<br><br>The Hip Fracture Anticoagulation Dilemma<br>Doing the Least Harm: Ethics of Anesthetic Choice in Hip Fracture Surgery<br>**Shiri Zarour,** *Israel* | US of the spine<br>**Jeremy Dennis and Joshua Younger**<br><br>Paravertebral Nerve Block<br>**Yuri Berestizshevsky,** *Israel* | |
| 10:30–11:00 | Coffee Break & Exhibition | | | | Markus Rodemann – Managing critical situations with the Atlan<br>Sponsored By עמוס גזית |

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| **11:00–12:15** | Heart<br>Prof. Benjamin Drenger Memorial Session | ICU<br>Sepsis 2026: Smarter and Targeted Diagnostics & Therapies | Obstetrics<br>Postpartum hemorrhage (PPH) | Pain<br>Modulating Pain | 11:00–12:15<br>PECI&PECII Serratus plane block & Parasternal blocks |
| | **Moderator: Idit Matot**<br>**In Memory: Eran Leitersdorf** | **Moderator:**<br>**Julia Wendon** | **Moderator:**<br>**Alexander Ioscovich** | **Moderator:**<br>**Shiri Savir** | |
| | Role of Vasoactive Drugs on Mortality and Kidney Injury After Heart Transplantation<br>**Andrea Székely**, *Hungary*<br><br>TVAR – Paradigm Shift in Cardiac Procedures<br>**Ruth Shaylor**, *Israel*<br><br>Hemodynamic Monitoring in Shock: What's New in 2026?<br>**Șerban-Ion Bubenek-Turconi**, *Romania* | Novel Diagnostics For Infection and Sepsis – Exciting Times But New Challenges<br>**Mervyn Singer**, *United Kingdom*<br><br>Haemoadsorption in Severe Septic Shock<br>**Yaron Bar-Lavie**, *Israel* | Postpartum Hemorrhage: Recognition, Resuscitation, and Critical Decisions<br>**Ronald George**, *Canada*<br><br>How We Do It: Rebuilding the Clot in PPH<br>**Alexander Ioscovich**, *Israel*<br><br>Are Platelets Important in PPH<br>**Yaakov Beilin**, *USA* | Neuromodulation 101<br>**Shiri Savir**, *Israel*<br><br>Prevention of Phantom Limb Pain<br>**Philipp Lirk**, *USA*<br><br>Peripheral Nerve Stimulation in Pain Medicine: A Case-Based Approach<br>**Stanislav Aharon**, *Israel* | |
| 12:15–13:15 | Lunch & Exhibition | | בפקס EPEX Lunch Symposium<br>From Copper to Code – The Evolution of Anesthesia Workstations<br>**Dr. Ariel Ronen**, *Israel* | | |
| **13:15–14:00** | **Plenary**<br>Unmasked: Passions Beyond Anesthesia<br>**Eldad Shetrit** | | | | 13:15–14:15<br>Interscalene & Supraclavicular block |
| **14:00–14:45** | ISA General Assembly | | | | |
| 14:45–15:00 | Coffee Break & Exhibition | | | | |

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| **15:00–16:00** | General Anesthesia<br>Novel Drugs | Obstetrics<br>Comorbidity in Pregnancy | Unstoppable<br>Rowing Club | | |
| | **Moderator:**<br>**Adam Lustig** | **Moderator:**<br>**Nasir Hawash** | **Moderator:**<br>**Vladimir Varenkin** | **EPoster area** | |
| | Beyond the Scale: Weight-Loss Drugs in Anesthesia<br>**Eva Rivas,** *Spain*<br><br>Dexmedetomidine and Perioperative Outcomes<br>**Anjan Saha,** *USA*<br><br>GLP-1A, The road to the ISA guidelines<br>**Ariel Ronen,** *Israel* | PDPH a Practical Approach for a Common Problem<br>**Emilia Guasch,** *Spain*<br><br>Beyond the Standard Epidural: Personalized Labour Analgesia for the Complex Parturient<br>**Ronald George,** *Canada*<br><br>Congenital Heart Conditions in the Pregnant Patient<br>**Jacob Weinstein,** *Israel* | 96 Days at Sea – My Solo Rowing Odyssey<br>**Leo Krivskiy,** *United Kingdom*<br><br>How to do something you have no idea how to do.<br>For example how to cross the Atlantic in a rowing boat if you don't know how to row, or have never been out in the middle of an ocean in any kind of ship | **Abstracts Presentation Session**<br><br>**Regional and Pain Management Pediatric and Obstetric Anesthesia**<br>**Moderator: Erez Dvir** | 15:00–16:30<br><br>Axillary brachial plexus block |
| **16:00–17:00** | Lungs<br>Thoracic Frontiers: Fixing Ribs, Managing Pain | Blood<br>Beyond the Protocol: Challenging Transfusion Dogma and Optimizing Patient Blood Management | Trauma Clinical forum:<br>A Curious Case of Aquatrauma: General & Special Traumatology, FPV Case | | |
| | **Moderator:**<br>**Jonathan Frogel** | **Moderator:**<br>**Ariel Ronen** | **Moderator:**<br>**Aeyal Raz** | **EPoster area** | |
| | Rib Fixation for Trauma – Orthopedic Surgeons Playing at Thoracic Surgery<br>**Asaf Danziger,** *Israel*<br><br>Pain Management for Thoracic Surgery<br>**Eitan Mangoubi,** *Israel* | Whole Blood<br>**Baruch Batzofin,** *Israel*<br><br>POC Based Transfusion Algorithms in Cardiac Surgery: Do They Really Improve Outcomes?<br>**Jacob Raphael,** *USA*<br><br>When to Transfuse in the ICU: Evidence from Recent Trials and Guidelines<br>**Danny Epstein,** *Israel* | Clinical forum: A Curious Case of Aquatrauma: General & Special Traumatology, FPV Case Presentation and Discussion<br>**Misha Perouansky,** *USA* | **Abstracts Presentation Session**<br><br>**General Anesthesia and Perioperative Outcomes**<br>**Moderator: Alex Zlotnik** | 15:00–16:30<br><br>Blocks for Rib fractures |

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