

Event program

# AOTrauma Course – Advanced Principles of Fracture Management

September, 12–14, 2018 Ružomberok, Slovakia



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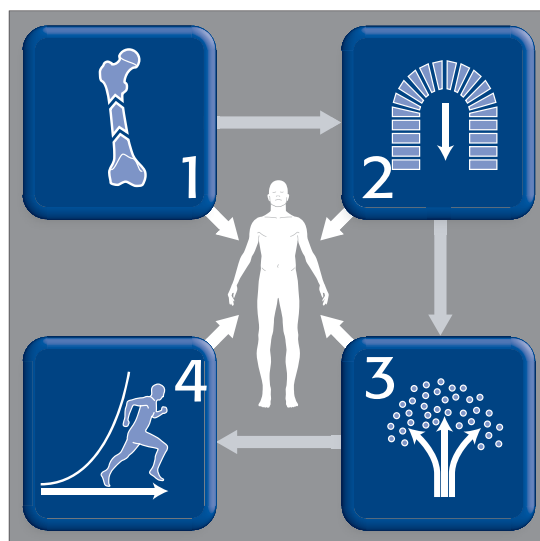
## Value statement

AOTrauma is committed to improve patient care outcomes through the highest quality education. We strive to combine the right knowledge and surgical skills that empower the orthopedic and trauma surgeons to put theory into practice and to improve fracture management for the benefit of the patient.

## The AO principles of fracture management

Fracture reduction and fixation to restore anatomical relationships.

Early and safe mobilization and rehabilitation of the injured part and the patient as a whole.



Fracture fixation providing absolute or relative stability, as required by the “personality” of the fracture, the patient, and the injury.

Preservation of the blood supply to soft tissues and bone by gentle reduction techniques and careful handling.

The first AO Course was held in Davos in 1960 – these early courses pioneered psychomotor techniques by teaching practical skills of AO Techniques. Since those early days over 250,000 surgeons and 135,000 ORP staff from over 110 countries have attended AO Courses – we now launch AOTrauma to move our education to the next level.

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## Welcome

### Dear AOTrauma course participant,

Welcome to the AOTrauma Course – Advanced of Fracture Management, which is planned and delivered to meet your needs using a competency-based curriculum approach and the AO's seven principles for high-quality education.

AO Trauma's innovative approach to education has been further strengthened as a result of the successful collaboration with the AO Education Institute in the application of state-of-the-art educational concepts in curriculum planning and all faculty development programs.

This course is one of our many educational activities for providing lifelong learning, from the Residents Education Program through to specialized Continuing Professional Development (CPD) for practicing surgeons and clinicians.

We believe that your active engagement in this course will result in improved care for your patients. Your current level of knowledge and skills will be challenged by the activities and throughout the entire event. We are confident that the combination of education principles and relevant content from our curriculum, as well as your interaction with colleagues and expert faculty will provide an effective learning experience that meets your needs.

This course is part of an overall competency-based educational program that includes many other activities and resources for self-directed learning. The educational activities in each program are developed by an international taskforce of clinical experts and educationalists and made available to you through the Education section of [www.aotrauma.org](http://www.aotrauma.org).

We hope you enjoy the course and benefit from the networking opportunities it provides for you to share experiences with your colleagues.



**Wa'el Taha**  
Chairperson AOTrauma  
Education Commission



**Kodi Kojima**  
Chairperson AOTrauma  
International Boars

**PS:** If you enjoy the experience during your course and would like to stay in touch with the organization and its international network of surgeons, we invite you to become a member of AOTrauma. The benefits of membership, including options to get involved in new opportunities that advance trauma care are described at [www.aotrauma.org](http://www.aotrauma.org).



## Goal of the seminar

The AOTrauma Course – Advanced Principles of Fracture Management builds upon the AO principles and techniques learned in the AOTrauma Course – Basic Principles of Fracture Management and focuses on the principles and techniques of operative fracture management in more complex injuries.

## Target participants

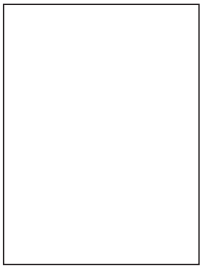
The AOTrauma Course – Advanced Principles of Fracture Management is targeted at surgeons who are at the threshold of becoming independent surgeons and taking over decision-making responsibility for the treatment of complex injuries. Participants must have already completed the AOTrauma Course – Basic Principles of Fracture Management and must be actively involved in trauma management.

## Learning objectives

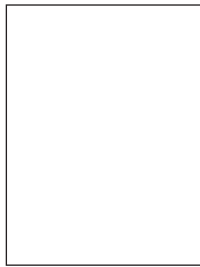
At the end of this course, participants will be able to:

- Apply reduction techniques in fracture management with attention to soft tissues
- Assess and treat complex diaphyseal and (peri)articular fractures using advanced application techniques
- Demonstrate strategies for assessing and treating open fractures and soft-tissue injuries
- Initiate appropriate management for patients with pelvic injuries and polytrauma
- Recognize complications and manage them accordingly

## Chairperson



**Peter Jacko**  
Bratislava, Slovakia



**Radomír Gajdoš**  
Banská Bystrica, Slovakia

## International Faculty

|        |        |           |         |
|--------|--------|-----------|---------|
| Amal   | Khoury | Jerusalem | Israel  |
| Ferenc | Urban  | Miskolc   | Hungary |

## National Faculty

|         |           |                  |                |
|---------|-----------|------------------|----------------|
| Božik   | Michal    | Bratislava       | Slovakia       |
| Burda   | Rastislav | Košice           | Slovakia       |
| Cibur   | Peter     | Košice           | Slovakia       |
| Dostál  | Alan      | Bratislava       | Slovakia       |
| Dráč    | Pavel     | Olomouc          | Czech Republic |
| Džupa   | Valer     | Prague           | Czech Republic |
| Kloc    | Peter     | Prešov           | Slovakia       |
| Kloub   | Martin    | České Budějovice | Czech Republic |
| Kopp    | Lubomir   | Ústí nad Labem   | Czech Republic |
| Lisý    | Miroslav  | Bratislava       | Slovakia       |
| Mitro   | Istvan    | Košice           | Slovakia       |
| Murárik | Stefan    | Bratislava       | Slovakia       |
| Paša    | Libor     | Brno             | Czech Republic |
| Šimko   | Peter     | Bratislava       | Slovakia       |
| Tutka   | Martin    | Banská Bystrica  | Slovakia       |
| Valško  | Vojtech   | Tnava            | Slovakia       |

### TABLE INSTRUCTOR:

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|-------|--------|-----------------|----------|
| Holas | Martin | Banská Bystrica | Slovakia |
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### COACH:

|        |         |                 |          |
|--------|---------|-----------------|----------|
| Gajdoš | Radomír | Banská Bystrica | Slovakia |
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# Day 1, Wednesday, September 12, 2018

| TIME          | AGENDA ITEM   | WHO           |
|---------------|---|---------------|
| 8.00 – 8.15   | Welcome and introduction  | Jacko, Gajdoš |
|               | <b>Modul 1 – Modern application of AO principles</b>  |               |
| 8.15 – 8.30   | Tissue vitality and effect of injury  | Cibur         |
| 8.30 – 8.45   | MIO – Minimizing surgical footprints  | Burda         |
| 8.45 – 9.00   | Clinical indications for locked plating   | Khoury        |
| 9.00 – 9.15   | Violation of principles   | Šimko         |
| 9.15 – 9.25   | LOCATION CHANGE TO SMALL GROUP DISCUSSIONS  |               |
| 9.25 – 10.35  | <b>Small group discussions 1: Reduction techniques – concepts and application</b>             |               |
| 10.35 – 10.55 | COFFEE BREAK  |               |
|               | <b>Modul 2 – Fractures around the shoulder</b>  |               |
| 10.55 – 11.10 | Fractures of the clavicle: when and how to operate – indications and methods of fixation      | Tutka         |
| 11.10 – 11.25 | Fractures of the scapula: indication for surgery and methods of fixation                      | Gajdoš        |
| 11.25 – 11.40 | Floating shoulder – what I have to fix?   | Kloub         |
| 11.40 – 11.55 | Proximal humerus fractures – to fix, to replace, or treat nonoperatively?                     | Urbán         |
| 11.55 – 13.30 | LUNCH BREAK   |               |
| 13.30 – 15.00 | <b>Practical exercise 1: Fixation of a proximal humeral 4- fragment fracture using PHILOS</b> | Burda         |
| 15.00 – 15.20 | COFFEE BREAK  |               |
|               | <b>Modul 3 – Upper extremity fractures</b>  |               |
| 15.20 – 15.35 | Fractures/injuries to the fingers – diagnostics and how to treat                              | Khoury        |
| 15.35 – 15.50 | Tendon injuries – diagnostics and how to treat  | Jacko         |
| 15.50 – 16.05 | Neurovascular injuries – diagnostics, how and when do we need to treat                        | Urbán         |
| 16.05 – 16.20 | Rehabilitation after injuries   | Dráč          |

| TIME          | AGENDA ITEM   | WHO |
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| 16.20 – 16.30 | LOCATION CHANGE TO SMALL GROUP DISCUSSIONS  |     |
| 16.30 – 17.10 | <b>Small group discussion 2: Upper extremity fractures – decision making and methods of stabilization</b> |     |

## Day 2, Thursday, September 13, 2018

| TIME           | AGENDA ITEM   | WHO     |
|----------------|---|---------|
| 8.00 – 9.30    | <b>Practical exercise 2: Fixation of a type 13-C1 fracture in the distal humerus using a locking compression plate (LCP)</b>                        | Jacko   |
| 9.30 – 9.50    | COFFEE BREAK  |         |
|                | <b>Modul 4 – Modern application of AO principles</b>  |         |
| 9.50 – 10.05   | Femoral neck fractures – different patients; different problems   | Dostál  |
| 10.05 – 10.20  | Intertrochanteric fractures – treatment options and outcomes  | Džupa   |
| 10.20 – 10.35  | Current treatment and options of subtrochanteric fractures  | Valkó   |
| 10.35 – 10.50  | Distal femoral fractures – treatment options and outcomes   | Urbán   |
| 10.50 – 11.00  | LOCATION CHANGE TO PRACTICAL EXERCISES  |         |
| 11.00 – 12.30  | <b>Practical exercise 3: Distal femur: fixation of an intraarticular type 33-C2.1 fracture using an LCP distal femoral plate or the LISS system</b> | Dostál  |
| 12.30 – 14.00  | LUNCH BREAK   |         |
| 14.00 – 15.30  | <b>Small group discussion 3: Fracture of the femur</b>  |         |
| 15.30 – 15.40  | LOCATION CHANGE TO LECTURES   |         |
|                | <b>Modul 5 – Fractures around the shoulder</b>  |         |
| 15.40 – 15.55  | Complex tibial plateau fractures  | Mitró   |
| 15.55 – 16.10  | Diaphyseal tibial fractures   | Paša    |
| 16.10 – 16.25  | Early and definitive treatment of pilon fractures   | Kľoc    |
| 16.25 – 16.400 | Complex malleolar fractures   | Murárik |



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| 16.40 – 17.00 | COFFEE BREAK   |       |
| 16.30 – 17.10 | <b>Practical exercise 4: Management of a type 41-C3 bicondylar tibial plateau fracture using an LCP Practical exercise</b> | Mitró |
| 20.00         | Course dinner  |       |

## Day 3, Friday, September 14, 2018

| TIME          | AGENDA ITEM  | WHO    |
|---------------|--|--------|
| 8.00 – 9.30   | <b>Practical exercise 5: Management of a type 43-C3.2 pilon tibial fracture using an LCP distal tibia plate)</b> | Tutka  |
| 9.30 – 9.40   | LOCATION CHANGE TO LECTURES  |        |
|               | <b>Modul 6 – Foot injuries</b>   |        |
| 9.40 – 9.55   | Calcaneal fractures – predicting and avoiding problems   | Kopp   |
| 9.55 – 10.10  | Talar fractures  | Kopp   |
| 10.10 – 10.25 | Navicular and Lisfranc injuries and complications  | Dostál |
| 10.25 – 10.45 | COFFEE BREAK   |        |
| 10.45 – 12.15 | <b>Small group discussion 4: Fractures of the tibia, ankle, and foot</b>   |        |
| 12.15 – 13.30 | LUNCH BREAK  |        |
|               | <b>Modul 7 – Polytrauma, pelvic and acetabular fractures</b>   |        |
| 13.30 – 13.45 | State of the art in the management of multiple-injured patients  | Khoury |
| 13.45 – 14.00 | Evaluation and emergency management of pelvic ring injuries  | Khoury |
| 14.00 – 14.15 | Principles of acetabular fracture management   | Božik  |
| 14.15 – 14.30 | Fractures of the sacrum  | Božik  |
| 14.30 – 14.50 | COFFEE BREAK   |        |
| 14.50 – 16.00 | <b>Small group discussion 5: Pelvic fractures</b>  |        |
| 16.00 – 16.10 | LOCATION CHANGE TO LECTURES  |        |



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| <hr/> <b>Modul 8 – Controversies and complications</b> <hr/> |  |       |
| 16.10 – 16.25  | Mangled extremity - amputation contra reconstruction | Burda |
| 16.25 – 16.40  | Infection after ORIF                                 | Cibur |
| 16.40 – 16.55  | Periprosthetic fractures                             | Lisý  |
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| 16.55 – 17.05  | CLOSING REMARKS                                      |       |

## Day 1, Wednesday, September 12, 2018

| TIME          | AGENDA ITEM   | WHO              |
|---------------|---|------------------|
| 8.00 – 8.10   | Privítanie a úvodné poznámky  | Gajdoš           |
| 8.10 – 8.15   | PRESUN DO PREDNÁŠKOVEJ SÁLY   |                  |
| 8.15 – 8.30   | Svet AO – od histórie až k celoživotnému vzdelávaniu                            | Šimko            |
| 8.30 – 9.00   | Ako sa pozeráť na rtg snímky  | Gajdoš           |
| 9.00 – 9.15   | Čo sú rtg lúče – charakteristika a riziká                                       | Ondrušková       |
| 9.15 – 9.35   | Prehľad princípov osteosyntézy  | Dráč             |
| 9.35 – 9.55   | Repozičné techniky  | Tutka            |
| 9.55 – 10.15  | COFFEE BREAK  |                  |
| 10.15 – 10.35 | Polytraumatizovaný pacient  | Gajdoš           |
| 10.35 – 10.55 | Princípy vnútrodreňového klinčovania – prehľad                                  | Džupa            |
| 10.55 – 11.15 | Osteosyntézy intraartikulárnych zlomenín  | Lisý             |
| 11.15 – 11.20 | PRESUN NA CVIČENIA  |                  |
| 11.20 – 12.30 | <b>Praktické cvičenie 1 – Stabilizácia panvového kruhu vonkajším fixátorom</b>  | Lisý, Ondrušková |
| 12.30 – 13.30 | LUNCH BREAK   |                  |
| 13.30 – 14.30 | <b>Diskusie v skupinách 1 – Polytraumatizovaný pacient – stanovenie priorít</b> | Surg + ORP       |
| 14.30 – 14.40 | PRESUN DO PREDNÁŠKOVEJ SÁLY   |                  |
| 14.40 – 14.55 | Bezpečnosť pacienta   | Mihóková         |
| 14.55 – 15.10 | Sterilita nástrojov a implantátov   | Lisá             |
| 15.10 – 15.25 | Rúškovanie operačného poľa  | Fašková          |
| 15.25 – 15.40 | Zlomeniny proximálneho humeru   | Valko            |
| 15.40 – 16.00 | COFFEE BREAK  |                  |

| TIME          | AGENDA ITEM  | WHO           |
|---------------|--|---------------|
| 16.00 – 17.00 | <b>Praktické cvičenia 2 – Intramedulárne klincovanie femoru s predvrtaním</b>                    | Murárik, Lisá |
| 17.00 – 17.10 | PRESUN DO PREDNÁŠKOVEJ SÁLY  |               |
| 17.10 – 17.30 | Zlomeniny diafýz kostí predlaktia – inštrumentárium, implantáty, polohovanie a operačná technika | Lisá          |
| 17.30 – 17.45 | Čo sme sa naučili & poznámky   | Kloub         |
| 17.45         | KONIEC 1. DŇA  | Gajdoš        |

## Day 2, Thursday, September 13, 2018

| TIME          | AGENDA ITEM   | WHO             |
|---------------|---|-----------------|
| 8.15 – 8.30   | Rekapitulácia predchádzajúceho dňa  | Gajdoš          |
| 8.30 – 8.50   | Prečo sú geriatrickí pacienti iní?  | Mitró           |
| 8.50 – 9.10   | Osteosyntéza periprotetických zlomenín  | Dostál          |
| 9.10– 9.30    | Endoprotézy pri akútnej traume  | Murárik         |
| 9.30 – 9.40   | PRESUN NA DISKUSIE V SKUPINÁCH  |                 |
| 9.40 – 10.40  | <b>Praktické cvičenie 3: Vnútna fixácia zlomeniny proximálneho humeru Philos dlahou</b>   | Tutka, Mihóková |
| 10.40 – 11.00 | COFFEE BREAK  |                 |
| 11.00 – 12.00 | <b>Diskusie v skupinách 2: Pacient so zlomeninou stehennej kosti</b>  | Surg + ORP      |
| 12.00 – 13.20 | LUNCH BREAK   |                 |
| 13.20 – 13.40 | Zlomeniny proximálneho femuru – možnosti osteosyntézy v rôznych vekových skupinách inštrumentárium, implantáty, polohovanie a operačná technika | Džupa           |
| 13.40 – 13.55 | Zlomeniny v oblasti kolena I. Distálny femur – inštrumentárium, implantáty, polohovanie a operačná technika                                     | Kľoc            |
| 13.55 – 14.10 | Zlomeniny v oblasti kolena II. Proximálna tibia – inštrumentárium, implantáty, polohovanie a operačná technika                                  | Paša            |



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| 14.10 – 14.25 | Zlomeniny v oblasti distálnej tibie – inštrumentárium, implantáty, polohovanie a operačná technika | Kopp       |
| 14.25 – 14.40 | PRESUN NA CVIČENIA   |            |
| 14.40 – 15.40 | <b>Praktické cvičenie 4: Vnútoraná fixácia zlomeniny diafýz predlaktia</b>                         | Kloub      |
| 15.40 – 16.00 | COFFEE BREAK   |            |
| 16.00 – 17.00 | <b>Diskusie v skupinách 3: Perioperčná príprava osteosyntézy zlomenín diafýz kostí predlaktia</b>  | Surg + ORP |
| 17.00 – 17.10 | PRESUN DO PREDNÁŠKOVEJ SÁLY  |            |
| 17.10 – 17.25 | Čo sme sa naučili & poznámky   | Gajdoš     |
| 17.25         | KONIEC 2. DŇA  |            |

## Day 3, Friday, September 14, 2018

| TIME          | AGENDA ITEM   | WHO     |
|---------------|---|---------|
| 8.30 – 8.45   | Rekapitulácia predchádzajúceho dňa                              | Gajdoš  |
| 8.46 – 9.00   | Luxačné zlomeniny lakťa   | Jacko   |
| 9.00 – 9.15   | Zápästie: pokročilé dlahovanie a technika zavádzania skrutiek   | Dráč    |
| 9.15 – 9.30   | Otvorené zlomeniny – špecifiká managementu na operačnej sále    | Paša    |
| 9.30 – 9.45   | COFFEE BREAK  |         |
| 9.45 – 10.45  | <b>Praktické cvičenie 5: Fixácia zlomeniny distálneho rádia</b> | Val'ko  |
| 10.45 – 11.05 | Pakľby – príčiny a princípy liečby                              | Božik   |
| 11.05 – 11.20 | Infekcia po osteosyntéze - ako ju diagnostikovať a liečiť       | Cibur   |
| 11.20 – 11.35 | Komunikácia a tímová práca na operačnom sále                    | Helmová |
| 11.35 – 12.35 | LUNCH BREAK   |         |

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| 12.35 – 13.35 | <b>Small group discussion 4: Various fractures - nonunions, pelvis, periprosthetic fractures</b> | Surg + ORP |
| 13.35 – 14.05 | Čo sme sa naučili & poznámky   | Galdoš     |
| 14.05 – 14.20 | Záverečné poznámky a odovzdanie certifikátov   | Gajdoš     |
| 14.20         | KONIEC 3. DŇA  |            |



## Event organization

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### **AO funding sources**

Unrestricted educational grants from different sources are collected and pooled together centrally by the AO Foundation. All events are planned and scheduled by local and regional AO surgeon groups based on local needs assessments. We rely on industrial/commercial partners for in-kind support to run simulations/skills training if educationally needed.

## Event information and logistics

### **AO Courses Central Eastern Europe countries**

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### **Event organization compliance**

In certain countries where AO has no office but offers educational events, the AO cooperates with third party companies to conduct local organization and logistics, as well as to communicate with participants in the local language. In these cases the AO has put rules and guidelines in place (Letter of Secondment, AO Foundation – Principles of AO Educational Events) to ensure that this cooperation has no impact on the curricula, scientific program, or faculty selection.

## Event venue

### **Hotel Kultúra**

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# General information

## Course fee

AOTrauma Course—Advanced Principles of Fracture Management: EUR 75.00

Included in the event fee are conference bag with documentation, coffee breaks, cocktail reception, course certificate.

## Course certificate

The course certificates will be available at the end of the event at the welcome desk.

## Conflicts of Interest (COI)

All disclosure information can be viewed at the event webpage: .....

## Evaluation guidelines

All AOTrauma events apply the same evaluation process, online (pre- and post-event evaluation). This helps AOTrauma to ensure that we continue to meet your training needs.

## Intellectual property

Event materials, presentations, and case studies are the intellectual property of the event faculty. All rights are reserved. Check hazards and legal restrictions on [www.aofoundation.org/legal](http://www.aofoundation.org/legal).

Recording, photographing, or copying of lectures, practical exercises, case discussions, or any event materials is absolutely forbidden.

The AO Foundation reserves the right to film, photograph, and audio record during their events. Participants must understand that in this context they may appear in these recorded materials. The AO Foundation assumes participants agree that these recorded materials may be used for AO marketing and other purposes, and made available to the public.

## Security

There will be a security check at the entrance of the building. Wearing of a name tag is compulsory during lectures, workshops, and group discussions.

## No insurance

The event organization does not take out insurance to cover any individual against accidents, theft, or other risks.

## Mobile phone use

Mobile phone use is not allowed in the lecture halls and in other rooms during educational activities. Please be considerate of others by turning off your mobile phone.

## Transportation

Not provided for participants

## Dress code

Casual





# AO Foundation – Principles of AO Educational Events

## 1) Academic independence

Development of all curricula, design of scientific event programs, and selection of faculty are the sole responsibilities of volunteer surgeons from the AO network. All education is planned based on needs assessment data, designed and evaluated using concepts and evidence from the most current medical education research, and involving the expertise of the AO Education Institute ([www.aofoundation.org](http://www.aofoundation.org)).

Industry participation is not allowed during the entire curriculum development and planning process to ensure academic independence and to keep content free from bias.

## 2) Compliance to accreditation and industry codes

All planning, organization, and execution of educational activities follow existing codes for accreditation of high-quality education:

- Accreditation Criteria of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education, USA ([www.accme.org](http://www.accme.org))
- ACCME Standards for Commercial Support: Standards to Ensure Independence in CME Activities ([www.accme.org](http://www.accme.org))
- Criteria for Accreditation of Live Educational Events of the European Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education ([www.uems.eu](http://www.uems.eu))

Events that receive direct or indirect unrestricted educational grants or in-kind support from industry also follow the ethical codes of the medical industry, such as:

- Eucomed Guidelines on Interactions with Healthcare Professionals ([www.medtecheurope.org](http://www.medtecheurope.org))
- AdvaMed Code of Ethics on Interactions with Health Care Professionals ([advamed.org](http://advamed.org))
- Mecomed Guidelines on Interactions with Healthcare Professionals ([www.mecomed.org](http://www.mecomed.org))

## 3) Branding and advertising

No industry logos or advertising (with the exception of the AO Foundation and AO Clinical Division) are permitted in the area where educational activities take place.

Sponsors providing financial or in-kind support are allowed to have a promotional booth or run activities outside the educational area with approval from the event chairperson.

## 4) Use of technologies and products in simulations

If case simulations are chosen as an educational method to educate skills, we only use technology approved by the AOTK System (AOTK) – a large independent group of volunteer surgeons developing and peer-reviewing new technology (more information about AOTK, its development and approval process can be found on the AO Foundation website: [www.aofoundation.org](http://www.aofoundation.org)).

## 5) Personnel

Industry staff is not allowed to interfere with the educational content or engage in educational activities during the event.

## Upcoming events

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|---------------------|--|-------------------------|
| 8 - 9 November 2018 | AOTrauma Master Course – Lower Extremity | Mikulov, Czech Republic |
| 11 December 2018    | AOTrauma Symposium                       | Prague, Czech Republic  |

For more information visit [www.aotrauma.org](http://www.aotrauma.org)



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# Driving excellence and empowering the next generation

## AOTrauma membership

Discover the advantages of joining the leading global trauma and orthopedic community, providing its members with education, research and networking opportunities worldwide.

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