



South African Vascular Ultrasound Course

03-06 December 2014, Cape Town

Groote Schuur Hospital UCT Private Academic Hospital

ACADEMIC PROGRAMME

WEDNESDAY (03/12 2014)

12h30 - 13h00:	Welcome	NG Naidoo
13h00 – 14h30:	SESSION 1 (Basic principles of vascular ultrasound)	
13h00 – 13h30:	Basic principles of ultrasound & vascular physiology as it relates to vascular ultrasound imaging	N Labropoulos
	Overview: Controls for the ultrasound machine (Live / interactive)	A Kadwa
	Performing the scan (Technique and procedural considerations) (Live demonstration)	N Labropoulos

14h30 – 15h00: TEA

15h00 – 17h30: Practical hands-on session (Includes Duplex US-guided vascular access on simulators)

THURSDAY (04/12/2014)

08h00 – 09h30: SESSION 2 (Venous - lower extremity)

- Primary varicose veins Great saphenous vein (GSV)
- Primary varicose veins Small saphenous vein (SSV)
- Atypical varicose veins
- IVC and Iliac vein assessment
- Post-thrombotic syndrome
- Non-thrombotic iliac vein obstruction
- Deep vein thrombosis

08h00 – 08h20: Anatomico-pathological considerations (Duplex ultrasound perspective)	NG Naidoo
08h20 – 08h40: Ultrasound principles and considerations	N Labropoulos
08h40 – 09h30: Performing the scan (Technique and procedural considerations) (Live demonstration)	A Kadwa
09h30 – 10h00: TEA	
10h00 – 12h00: Practical hands-on session	

12h00 – 13h00: LUNCH

(Live case transmission: Intravascular ultrasound) NG Naidoo

13h00 – 14h30: SESSION 3 (Venous - upper extremity; vascular access for haemodialysis and IVUS)

 Vein assessment (Subclavian; Axillary; Internal Jugular) Vein assessment (Basilic; Cephalic) Assessment of AVF for haemodialysis Principles of intravascular ultrasound Axillary, subclavian occlusive disease 	
 Axillary - subclavian vein occlusive disease 13h00 – 13h20: Anatomico-pathological considerations (Duplex ultrasound perspective) 	B Natha
13h20 – 13h40: Ultrasound principles and considerations	ATO Abdool-Carrim
13h40 – 14h00: Basic principles of intravascular ultrasound (IVUS)	NG Naidoo
14h00 – 14h30: Performing the scan (Technique and procedural considerations) (Live demonstration)	N Labropoulos

14h30 - 15h00: TEA

15h00 – 17h30: Practical hands-on session

FRIDAY (05/12/2014)

08h00 – 09h30: SESSION 4 (Peripheral Arterial Disease - supra-inguinal imaging)

- Abdominal aorta (including abdominal aortic aneurysms)
- Iliac arteries
- Mesenteric vessels
- Renal vessels

08h00- 08h20: Anatomico-pathological considerations (Duplex ultrasound perspective)	B Natha
08h20 – 08h40: Ultrasound principles and considerations	ATO Abdool-Carrim

N Labropoulos

A Kadwa

08h40: 09h30: Performing the scan (Technique and procedural considerations) (Live demonstration)

09h30 - 10h00: TEA

10h00 - 12h00: Practical hands-on session

12h00 -13h00: LUNCH

13h00 – 14h30: SESSION 5 (Peripheral arterial disease - infra-inguinal imaging)

- Femoral artery
- Popliteal artery
- Tibial vessels
- Vein assessment and vein marking

13h00 – 13h20: Anatomico-pathological considerations (Duplex ultrasound perspective)	ATO Abdool-Carrim
13h20 – 13h40: Ultrasound principles and considerations	N Labropoulos

13h40 – 14h30: Performing the scan (Technique and procedural considerations) (Live demonstration)

14h30 - 15h00: TEA

15h00 – 1730: Practical hands-on session

SATURDAY (06/12/2014)

08h00 – 09h30: SESSION 6 (Extra-cranial cerebrovascular disease)

- Carotid artery
- Vertebral artery
- Subclavian artery

08h00- 08h20: Anatomico-pathological considerations	NG Naidoo
(Duplex ultrasound perspective)	
08h20 – 08h40: Ultrasound principles and considerations	N Labropoulos

A Kadwa

08h40: 09h30: Performing the scan (Technique and procedural considerations) (Live demonstration)

09h30 - 10h00: TEA

10h00 – 12h30: Practical hands-on session

12h30 - 13h00: CLOSE