



THE SKULL BASE MASTER STATION

World Skull Base Foundation brings together 10 Masters on a single dissection platform. Witness the Masters in magical symphony as they orchestrate their 360-degree dissecting skills on the Skull Base Arena

2 STATIONS

10 MASTERS

4 DAYS

**360-DEGREE ANATOMICAL EXPOSURE OF THE SKULL BASE
DISSECTIONS TO BE WITNESSED LIVE BY 100 DELEGATES**

**LEGENDARY
MASTERS**

- For the masters
- By the masters
- With the masters



This unique concept brings 10 Masters together, from across the globe each year, for 4 days to demonstrate their impeccable surgical skills of the Skull Base. This is essentially a dissection display for the Masters, by the Masters and with the Masters. However this also, provides a unique opportunity for delegates to have a sneak peek into their magical world!

Do not miss this incredible experience to be on yet another unique platform provided by World Skull Base Foundation

Its Destination Bangalore For Skull Base Surgery!

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REGISTRATIONS OPEN FOR 2025

CATEGORY	NO OF SEATS	SAARC COUNTRIES*	NON SAARC COUNTRIES*
Observer	100	INR 50,000	USD 600

Note: GST @ 18% applicable on the registration fees

RULES AND REGULATIONS

FOR THE MASTERS

- 1 | Five Master Dissectors will be invited as Faculty for dissections each in Lateral Skull Base Sugery and Anterior Skull Base Surgery
- 2 | Fresh frozen and injected cadavers will be provided for dissections
- 3 | First 2 days of Lateral Skull Base will comprise of dissection & followed by 2 days of Anterior Skull Base Dissections will proceed from 08:00 AM to 08:00 PM. Working lunch and coffee breaks will be provided.
- 4 | Each Master Dissector will demonstrate a certain technique during the day
A live commentary will be provided by the Master Dissector throughout the dissection.
- 5 | A designated Q & A session will be held at specific times throughout the day
This format does not involve any kind of lectures or other forms of demonstrations
- 6 | All Master Dissectors will be honoured with a free Fellowship of the World Skull Base
- 7 | Foundation with full Membership rights

FOR THE DELEGATES

- 1 | 100 delegates will be taken in on first-come-first-serve basis
- 2 | All delegates will be witnessing the dissections in the auditorium via AV telecast
- 3 | Delegates will stay in the auditorium form 08:00 AM to 08:00 PM. Working lunch and Coffee Breaks will be provided
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- 6 | Delegates are not allowed inside the dissection hall except for 30 minutes at the start of the dissections every day
- 7 | Delegates are not allowed to dissect on the cadavers
- 8 | Delegates have a free entry pass for a Gala Dinner on evening of Day 3
- 9 | Delegates can purchase the dissection videos for a fee of 30,000 for 2 days (LSBS or ASBS), or 50,000 for
- 10 | 4 days (LSBS and ASBS). All videos will be provided postproduction, one month after the course
A special discount of 5% will be provided to participants who also register for Hitchhikers' Guide in Skull Base Surgery & Hearing Implantology in the same academic year
- 11 | All fellows of World Skull Base Foundation will be offered a 10% discount on first-come-first-serve basis, limited to number of seats available as per Rule 1

DAY 1

DISSECTIONS: LATERAL SKULL BASE SURGERY

- SESSION 1 :
08:00AM – 10:00AM : Cochlear Implantation (Dr. Mohan Kameswaran)
10:00AM – 10:30AM : Coffee Break
- SESSION 2 :
10:30AM – 12:00PM : Translabyrinthine & Transotic Approaches (Dr. Rupert Obholzer)
12:00PM – 01:00PM : Lunch Break
- SESSION 3 :
01:00PM – 03:00PM : Infratemporal Fossa Approaches (Dr. Sampath CP Rao)
03:00PM – 03:30PM : Coffee Break
- SESSION 4 :
03:30PM – 05:30PM : Suboccipital & Far Lateral Approches (Dr. Wuttipong Tirakotai)
05:30PM – 06:00PM : Coffee Break
06:00PM – 08:00PM : Lectures by Faculty

DAY 2

DISSECTIONS: LATERAL SKULL BASE SURGERY

- SESSION 1 :
08:00AM – 10:00AM : Combined Approches (TLA + MCF) (Badr Eldin Mostafa)
10:00AM – 10:30AM : Coffee Break
- SESSION 2 :
10:30AM – 12:00PM : Dolenc's Approach (Dr. Iype Cherian)
12:00PM – 01:00PM : Lunch Break
- SESSION 3 :
01:00PM – 03:00PM : Kawase's Approach (Dr. Iype Cherian & Dr. Wuttipong Tirakotai)
03:00PM – 03:30PM : Coffee Break
- SESSION 4 :
03:30PM – 05:30PM : Vascular Anastamosis (Dr. Iype Cherian / Ms. Salona Amatya)
05:30PM – 06:00PM : Coffee Break
06:00PM – 08:00PM : Lectures by Faculty
08:30PM – 09:30PM : Networking Dinner

DAY 3

DISSECTIONS: ANTERIOR SKULL BASE SURGERY

- **SESSION 1 :**
08:00AM – 10:00AM : Full house FESS (Dr. Remo Accorona)
10:00AM – 10:30AM : Coffee Break
- **SESSION 2 :**
10:30AM – 12:00PM : Draf procedures, Optic & Orbital decompression (Dr. Remo Accorona)
12:00PM – 01:00PM : Lunch Break
- **SESSION 3 :**
01:00PM – 03:00PM : Transmaxillary Infratemporal Fossa Approaches (Dr. Regi Thomas)
03:00PM – 03:30PM : Coffee Break
- **SESSION 4 :**
03:30PM – 05:30PM : Transpterygoid Approach to the Petrous Apex (Dr. Regi Thomas)
05:30PM – 06:00PM : Coffee Break
06:00PM – 08:00PM : Lectures by Faculties

DAY 4

DISSECTIONS: ANTERIOR SKULL BASE SURGERY

- **SESSION 1 :**
08:00AM – 10:00AM : Transcribiform & Transplanar Approaches (Dr. Alkis Karligkiotis)
10:00AM – 10:30AM : Coffee Break
- **SESSION 2 :**
10:30AM – 12:00PM : Trans-para-supra-sellar Approaches (Dr. Narayan Janakiram)
12:00PM – 01:00PM : Lunch Break
- **SESSION 3 :**
01:00PM – 03:00PM : Transclival Approaches (Dr. Narayan Janakiram)
03:00PM – 03:30PM : Coffee Break
- **SESSION 4 :**
03:30PM – 05:30PM : Supraorbital and Transorbital Approaches (Dr. Alkis Karligkiotis & Dr. Remo Accorona)
05:30PM – 06:00PM : Coffee Break
06:00PM – 08:00PM : Lectures by Faculties

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Dr. Rao did his Masters at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore (Manipal University) bagging the best outgoing student in the process. He is the Fellow of European Board of Examinations and the European Academy of Otology & Neurotology. He was awarded the British Annual Congress in Otolaryngology (BACO) fellowship, Birla Smarak Kosh Fellowship & the GSE fellowship of Rotary International, and the Ten Outstanding Indians Award from Junior Chamber International (JCI).

He completed his 2-year fellowship in Skull Base Surgeries & Hearing Implantology at the Skull Base unit of Casa Di Cura Piacenza (Italy) & was awarded Fellowship of the European Academy of Neurotology. He continued to work in Italy with legendary Skull Base Surgeons like Mario Sanna, Jacques Magnan and Paolo Castelnuovo for a total of six and a half years accumulating vast experience in Skull Base Surgery. Dr. Rao has over 150 peer reviewed scientific publications, 40 chapters in various textbooks & is the author of 3 textbooks. Dr. Rao was awarded an honorary Fellow of the American College of Surgeons (FACS) in 2019, and a Visiting Professorship to the Shanghai Jiao Tong University, one of Asia's largest Universities. He is the recipient of multiple professional and civilian awards. He is an invited faculty at most major Skull Base, Neurosurgery and ENT events across the world and has delivered several Orations in India and abroad.

He has pioneered many new concepts in skull base surgery in India & through his private companies, is keenly involved in R&D on Robotic Technology, VR/AR integration into surgery and training events. He is Founder of World Skull Base Foundation (Section 8 NGO) & the WSB Fellowship Diplomas in Skull Base Surgery offered in Bangalore, are the 1st curriculum-based skull base courses in India that are awarded a University Diploma. Dr. Rao is a member of Govt of Karnataka COVID Task Force & Sub Committee on Mucormycosis. He also runs a charity for poor patients with diseases of the Head, Neck, Skull Base & Hearing. He works at Manipal Hospital Bangalore, a 1000 bedded state of the art Multispecialty hospital and heads the Skull Base and Hearing Implantology unit.

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9TH TO 18TH AUGUST, 2025

COURSE OUTLINE

ANNUAL EVENT	LECTURES & DISSECTIONS
COURSE DURATION OF 10 DAYS	WORLD RENOWNED FACULTY
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ANNUAL EVENT	LECTURES & DISSECTIONS
COURSE DURATION OF 10 DAYS	WORLD RENOWNED FACULTY
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2nd to 5th June, 2025

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TENTATIVE DATES
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COURSE OUTLINE

ANNUAL EVENT	LECTURES & DISSECTIONS
COURSE DURATION OF 4 DAYS	RENOWNED FACULTIES
INTERACTIVE SESSIONS WITH FACULTIES	25 DISSECTIONS & 50 OBSERVERS
2 DAYS OF LATERAL & 2 DAYS OF ANTERIOR SKULL BASE SURGERY	EXCITING SOCIAL EVENTS

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