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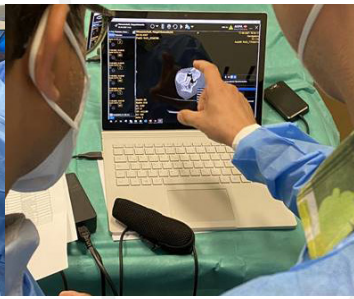
Announcement



On the occasion of the ASSH Annual Meeting

IBRA Surgical Suite

October 1, 2021
San Francisco, CA, USA

3.00 to 4.30 PM Pacific Time
SS06, Hall AB, Moscone Center - South Building

Faculty:
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Course Format

Since 2011, a multidisciplinary team of trauma surgeons from the University hospital of Cologne, biomechanics from the German Sport University and engineers has been specialized in creating realistic limb injuries of specimens in order to offer surgical training. Together with the University hospital of Cologne the team offers surgeons and orthopaedics practical training courses in which the participants get training on specimens with realistic bony and ligamentous injury patterns. To create these realistic osteoligamentous injuries with intact soft tissues, the team has designed a complex test-bench with multiple technical adaptations.

Compared to established courses on artificial bones or intact specimens, this new concept is designed to challenge advanced surgeons as well.

Before starting the treatment, the participants have to analyze the injury with the help of X-ray and CT imaging. After the fracture classification, the surgeons discuss the approach and realize the surgical treatment. X-ray images help to analyze the result of the treatment of the individual case and it can be discussed by the entire group.

For the indicated body parts elbow and hand, this team is able to create defined, realistic injuries. Further body parts such as shoulder and lower extremities, the team is working constantly to analyze individual sequences of injuries in order to design technical methods and to create realistic injuries.

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