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are happy to announce

**A Charity evening for
the New Simulation Center and
E-learning Platform**

**Of the Brussels University Children's
Hospital Queen Fabiola (HUDERF) and the
European Society of Pediatric Endoscopic Surgeons
(ESPES)**

Program

Cocktail reception begins at 6pm followed by a dinner

Cocktail and art visit

6pm - 8pm

Dinner and art auction

10pm - 0h00



Dinner price: EUR 200/PP (Tables of 10 p)

Accommodation possible at the Plaza Hotel**+**

Special weekend offer - CODE: CH1151119

100 EUR / Night (Single)

120 EUR / Night (Double)

**Friday, November 15, 2019 from 6 pm,
at the Plaza Hotel, Brussel**

Information and booking: +32 2 477 31 97

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Simulation Center

Why a Simulation Center?

A surgeon currently learns his/her profession by apprenticeship. That is, a well-experienced surgeon will, "take an aspiring surgeon by the hand," and progressively teach him the necessary gestures required for surgery. Still today, this type of learning happens directly on live patients, and is the usual practice. In 2019, this method is less and less acceptable both ethically, and for the safety of our patients.

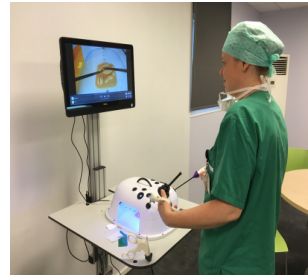
What are alternative methods?

An animal lab: there are increasing ethical objections to this alternative.

Simulation Center

Simulation exists in many disciplines other than medicine, aviation being the best example. In all domains, simulation consists in the replacement of a dangerous activity by creating a similar activity in a secure environment, using substitutes. One of the greatest assets of simulation is the ability to explore and repeat technical acts in an environment that allows for error without compromising the patient's safety. In the very near future, we will be able to reproduce, on the basis of medical imaging (CT-scanner, MRI), a 3D version of a pathologic organ, and practice on a printed model several times before carrying out the real intervention. This is our dream!

It is therefore of the utmost importance for a University Hospital to set up a simulation center in a real operating room with all the necessary instruments so that participants can practice without fear of error.



The Elearning Platform

An Elearning Platform will be developed in collaboration with the ESPES (European Society of Pediatric Endoscopic Surgeons); it will allow for the organization of webinars and offer a series of online interventions to ESPES members, as well as to surgeons from hospitals not yet equipped.

This platform will be available from the ESPES website, as well as from our website.

Charity Evening for the New Simulation Center

in the venue and via phone and internet

We need your Help!

Please join us on Friday, November 15, 2019 from 6pm
at the Plaza Hotel, Brussels

Party with us around artists and high quality fine art works!
We look forward to seeing you for fine dining, a raffle with great prizes, and a fabulous art auction.

The auction will be led Master François WEDRYCHOWSKI, Master Florent MAGNIN and Sir Carl BOCKSHUL-JUUL, Society MAGNIN WEDRY, auctioneers from Drouot, Paris.

Presenting artists: ARMAN, WILLEQUET, CELICE, COIGNART, FRYDMAN, JEAN MAS, MOYA, BEN, VERBRUGGEN, COMBAS, TOBIAS, LOUISE, BOURGEOIS...

