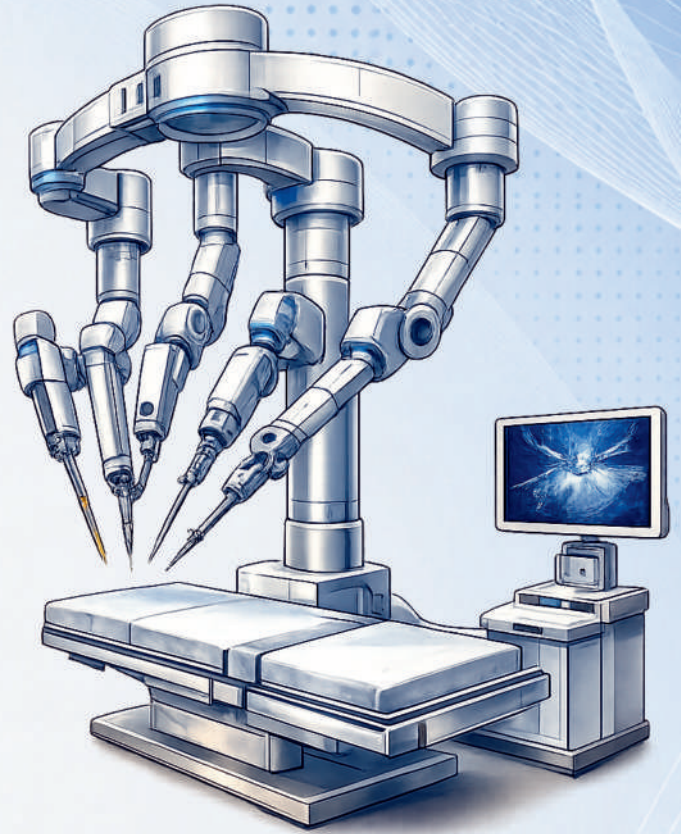




FALS ROBOTICS 2026



October 2-4, 2026



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WELCOME MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT, IAGES

It gives me immense pleasure to welcome you to FALS Robotics 2026 – Fellowship of Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery (Robotic), being held from 2nd October to 4th October 2026 at Le Méridien, New Delhi

Robotic surgery represents one of the most significant advancements in modern surgical practice, enabling surgeons to achieve greater precision, enhanced visualization, improved dexterity, and ultimately superior patient outcomes. As the field continues to evolve, structured training and skill development have become essential for surgeons aspiring to integrate robotic technology into their clinical practice.



This fellowship program has been meticulously designed to provide participants with a comprehensive and immersive learning experience. Through expert lectures, interactive discussions, live demonstrations, and practical insights from distinguished faculty and leaders in robotic surgery, delegates will gain valuable knowledge and hands-on exposure to contemporary robotic surgical techniques.

The primary objective of this program is to strengthen the understanding and application of robotic technology in minimally invasive surgery while fostering an environment of academic exchange, innovation, and professional collaboration. I am confident that this fellowship will not only enhance technical proficiency but also inspire participants to embrace emerging technologies and contribute to the future of surgical excellence.

As technology continues to redefine healthcare, it is our collective responsibility to adopt these innovations while maintaining the highest standards of patient safety, ethics, and quality of care. Through initiatives such as FALS, the Indian Association of Gastrointestinal Endo-Surgeons (IAGES) remains steadfast in its commitment to advancing surgical education, promoting skill development, and fostering excellence in minimally invasive and robotic surgery.

I extend my sincere appreciation to the organizing committee, faculty members, and industry partners whose dedication and hard work have made this program possible. I also thank all the delegates for their enthusiasm, commitment to learning, and participation in this important educational endeavor.

I wish you a highly productive fellowship program, meaningful professional interactions, and a rewarding learning experience.

Dr. K. Govindaraj
President, IAGES

MESSAGE FROM HON' SECRETARY, IAGES

It is my privilege to welcome you to FALS Robotics 2026 – Fellowship of Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery (Robotic), being held from 2nd October to 4th October, 2026 at Le Méridien. New Delhi

The rapid evolution of robotic surgical technology has transformed modern surgical practice, offering enhanced precision, improved ergonomics, superior visualization, and better patient outcomes. As robotic surgery continues to expand across specialties, structured training and continuous professional development have become essential for surgeons aspiring to deliver the highest standards of care.



This fellowship program has been thoughtfully designed to provide a comprehensive learning experience through expert-led lectures, interactive discussions, case-based deliberations, and valuable opportunities for academic exchange. It will serve as an excellent platform for participants to strengthen their knowledge, refine their skills, and gain deeper insights into the evolving field of robotic surgery.

I sincerely appreciate the efforts of the organizing team at Max Superspecialty Hospital, Vaishali and extend my gratitude to the distinguished faculty members whose expertise and commitment have made this program possible. I also thank all the participants for their enthusiasm and dedication to advancing surgical excellence.

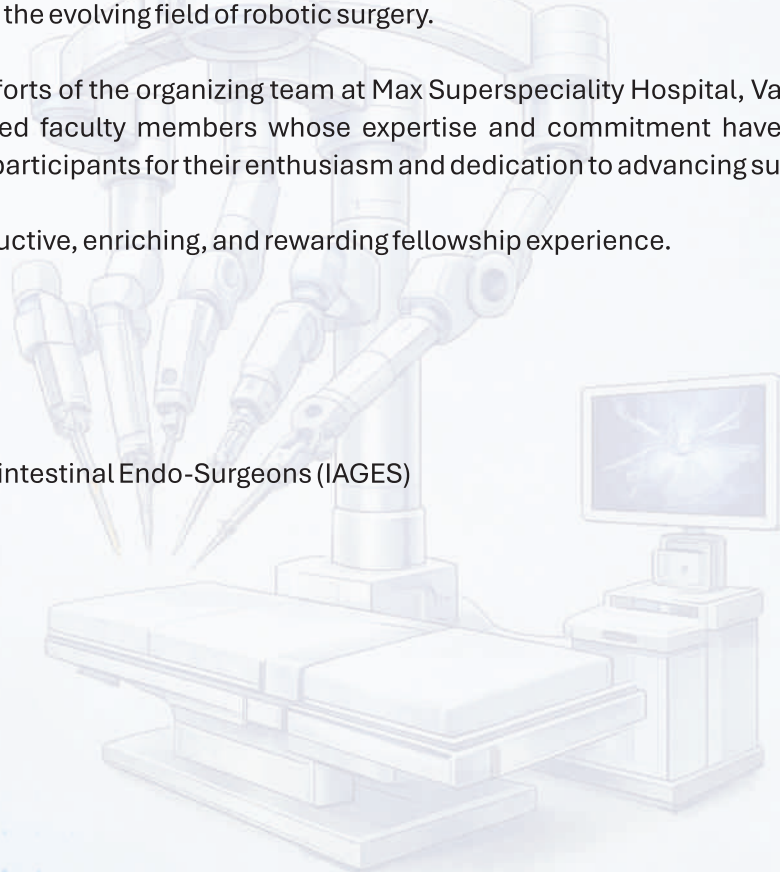
I wish each one of you a productive, enriching, and rewarding fellowship experience.

With warm regards,

Dr. Ashwin Thangavelu

Honorary Secretary

Indian Association of Gastrointestinal Endo-Surgeons (IAGES)



WELCOME MESSAGE FROM ORGANIZING CHAIRMAN

Dear Colleagues and Friends,

It gives me immense pleasure to welcome you to FALS Robotics, 2026, scheduled from 2nd to 4th October 2026 at Le Méridien, New Delhi along with the Society of Robotic Surgery (SRS), India Conference 2026.

Robotic surgery has emerged as one of the most transformative advancements in modern surgical practice, offering unparalleled precision, enhanced visualization, superior ergonomics, and improved



patient outcomes. As the adoption of robotic platforms continues to expand across surgical specialties, structured training and skill development have become essential for every surgeon aspiring to remain at the forefront of minimally invasive surgery.

The FALS Robotics Course has been thoughtfully designed to provide a comprehensive learning experience, combining evidence-based academic sessions, expert faculty interactions, live surgical demonstrations, hands-on simulation training, and practical insights into robotic surgical techniques. Our objective is not only to familiarize participants with robotic technology but also to build confidence in its safe, effective, and ethical application in clinical practice.

We are privileged to have an outstanding international and national faculty comprising of pioneers and leaders in robotic surgery who will share their expertise, experience, and valuable perspectives. Their contributions will undoubtedly enrich the learning journey of every participant.

I extend my sincere gratitude to the Society of Robotic Surgery (SRS), India, our faculty members, organizing committee, industry partners, and all stakeholders whose dedication has made this program possible.

I warmly invite you to join us for three days of intensive learning, professional networking, and academic excellence. We look forward to welcoming you to Delhi and making FALS Robotics, 2026 a memorable and rewarding experience.

With warm regards,

Dr. Vivek Bindal
Organizing Chairman

FALS Robotics, 2026
Max Super Speciality Hospital, Vaishali

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ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

IAGES Membership is a must. Those who are not members may apply for membership online. See the website www.iages.in for more details.

Post graduate degree in surgery is mandatory.

A resident or junior consultant should obtain a certificate of experience from the HOD of the hospital/Institution as a supportive document. Attach soft copies of the MBBS, MS, or DNB certificate and MCI/ State registration certificate during membership registration.

Candidates have to register for the Conference to be held in Delhi from from 2nd to 4th October 2026 in order to attend Live Surgeries, Lectures and Convocation Ceremony.

Non - Examination Category

Surgeons who have been doing Laparoscopy / Robotic surgery for 10 or more years are eligible for Non Examination Category. Candidates should have performed atleast 100 laparoscopic / robotic surgeries and need to submit logbook to substantiate claim. All the candidates will be interviewed by the IAGES board for final assessment before the award of fellowship.

Examination Category

All surgeons with a minimum of 3 years experience Post MS/DNB in Laparoscopy / Robotic Surgery. The applicant should have Either assisted or performed 25 surgeries robotically. All the candidates would appear for MCQ assessment and Viva by the IAGES FALS board for final assessment before awarding the fellowship.

Log book

Age/Sex/Surgery/Role/Post-opcourse/Complication/

Remarks Role-Assisted/undersupervision/Independent Post-op course - Uneventful / Eventful
Complications - Infection, Bleeding, Leak, Stricture, Obstruction, Others (type if others)



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ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Suggested Reading:

Any textbooks/ journals pertaining to Advanced Laparoscopic & Robotic Surgery. Onsite Module: Will include Lectures/ Panel discussions/ Live operative workshop & exams / viva on 2–4 October 2026.

MCQ Exam:

Time: 60 minutes (Maximum number of marks: 100) The exam will have 100 MCQ questions (single best response type) and will be conducted via an online link. The candidate has to be present at the venue in person.

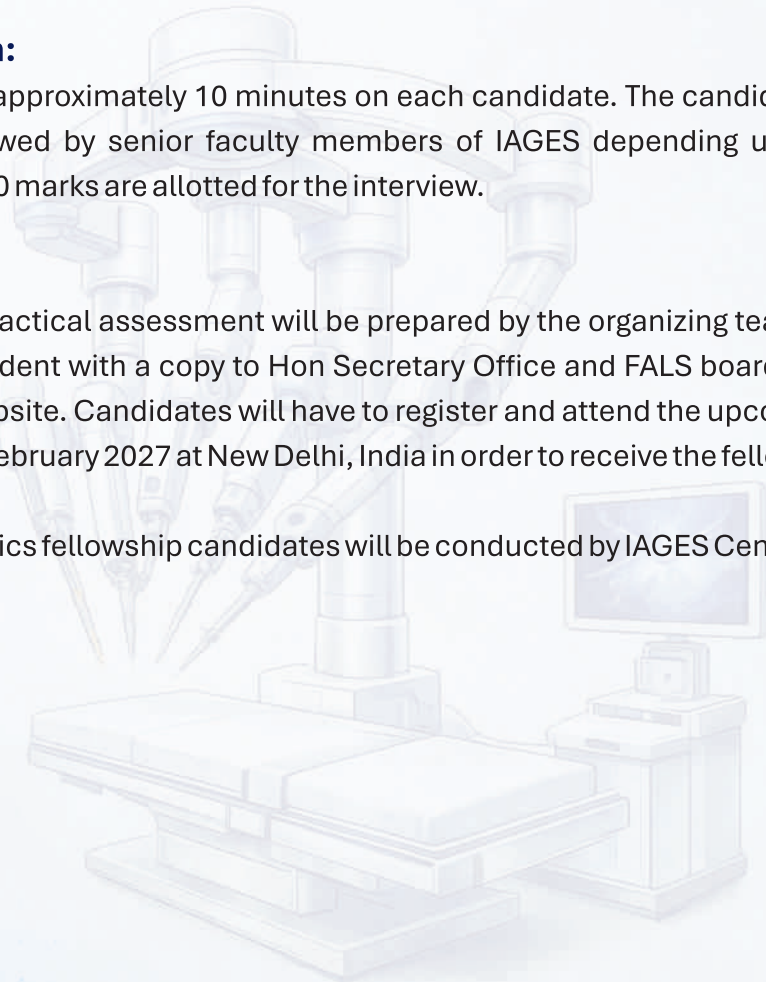
Practical Examination:

Interview/assessment for approximately 10 minutes on each candidate. The candidates will be divided into batches and interviewed by senior faculty members of IAGES depending upon the number of candidates. Maximum of 50 marks are allotted for the interview.

Result:

Outcome of written and practical assessment will be prepared by the organizing team and to be signed and to be sent to the President with a copy to Hon Secretary Office and FALS board and results will be published in the IAGES website. Candidates will have to register and attend the upcoming IAGES Annual conference scheduled in February 2027 at New Delhi, India in order to receive the fellowship certificate.

Assessment of FALS Robotics fellowship candidates will be conducted by IAGES Central Office.



FALS ROBOTIC COURSE MODULE

COURSE HIGHLIGHTS

- Meet and learn from leading international experts in person
- Practical insights from distinguished faculty and global leaders in Robotic Surgery
- Evidence based academic sessions

COURSE STRUCTURE

- Lectures, Panel Discussion, Examination and live / Virtual live
- Workshops & Examination for course candidates.
- Interactive Fellowship Courses.
- MCQ & VIVA Assessment.
- Video Lectures, Master Videos & Panel Discussions.
- Surgical Workshop & Master Videos.
- Hands on Experience on Multiple Robotic Platforms

WHO SHOULD APPLY?

- General surgeons are desirous of upgrading their skills in Robotic Surgery.
- General surgeons wanting to become familiar with advanced MAS surgery.
- IAGES membership is a prerequisite for the FALS course. Non-members can apply simultaneously online on www.iages.in.
- CME can be attended by surgical PGs, general & specialist surgeons irrespective of IAGES membership status.

AWARD OF FELLOWSHIP CERTIFICATE

- The Certificate will be awarded at the next annual conference in Delhi, February 2027. Check the IAGES website for details.
- For Registration to the National Conference, [visit www.iages.in](http://www.iages.in)



FELLOWSHIP REGISTRATION

CATEGORY	Fees Till 30th September 2026
Registration Fee for Fellowship Course	Rs. 25000.00 (excluding GST)

[Click here to Register](#)

***Once registered for the FALS course, participants are automatically registered for the conference as well.**

Note: Registration for Fellowship Degree by IAGES. The registration includes access to all scientific sessions, as well as eligibility to appear for the fellowship examination. Registration includes lunch on October 2nd, 3rd & 4th and 1 banquet dinner.

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

CATEGORY	Fees Till 30th September 2026
International	USD 200
Non member	Rs. 15000+GST
Members (IAGES)	Rs. 13000+GST
Resident	Rs. 10000+GST

[Click here to Register](#)

Note: Refund Policy

80% refund for cancellations made on or before **31st July 2026**.

50% refund for cancellations made on or before **31st August**. No refund will be issued thereafter.

Note: Please reach out to the event management team should you require any assistance with accommodation arrangements.

The event management team will provide support to outstation participants in securing nearby hotel accommodations, available at an additional cost.



MEET THE PROFESSOR

LEARN FROM INTERNATIONAL / NATIONAL FACULTIES – LEADERS IN ROBOTIC SURGERY

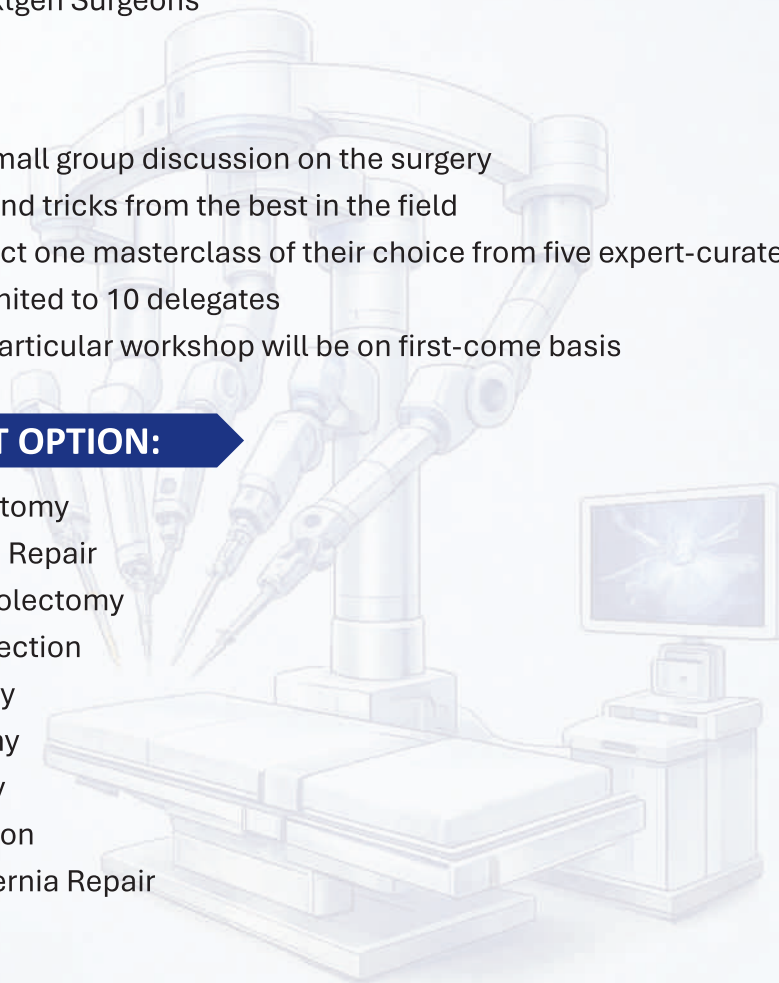
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- High-Volume Robotic Surgeon
- Mentors Shaping Nextgen Surgeons

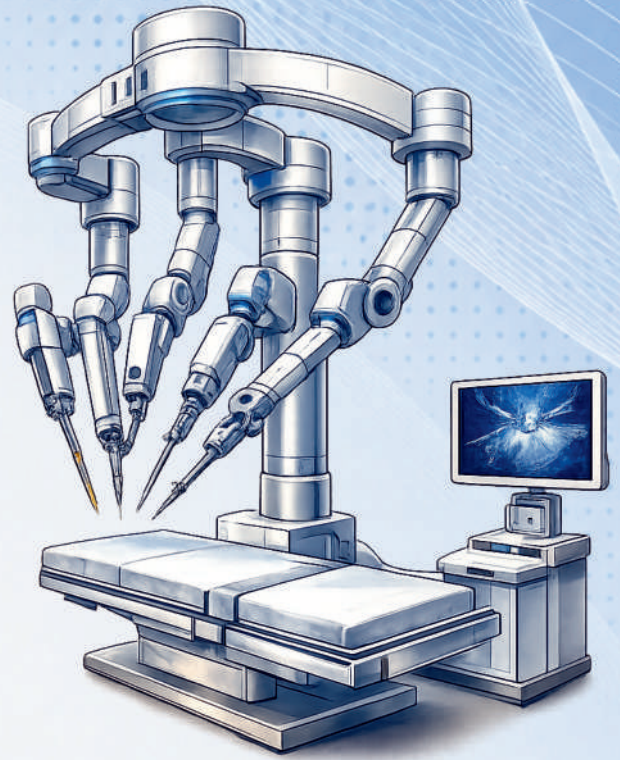
NOTE:

- Unique concept of small group discussion on the surgery
- Learn practical tips and tricks from the best in the field
- Participants can select one masterclass of their choice from five expert-curated sessions
- Each group will be limited to 10 delegates
- Registration for the particular workshop will be on first-come basis

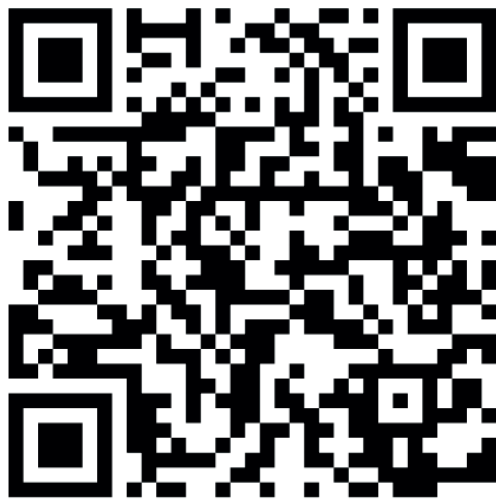
CHOOSE THE RIGHT OPTION:

- Robotic Cholecystectomy
- Robotic Groin Hernia Repair
- Robotic Right Hemicolectomy
- Robotic Anterior Resection
- Robotic Nephrectomy
- Robotic Hysterectomy
- Robotic Gastrectomy
- Robotic Fundoplication
- Robotic Incisional Hernia Repair
- Bariatric Surgery
- Prostate Surgery





THANK YOU



Scan QR Code to Register



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