

INVITATION

30 NOVEMBER 2018

SASSO (South African Society for Surgery, Obesity and Metabolism) is hosting a CPD ACCREDITED pre-ICE Congress Satellite Symposium in Cape Town the day prior to the official ICE Congress opening, entitled:

METABOLIC SURGERY – Crucial Factors in determining which patient is a candidate for Metabolic Surgery Procedures

Date: 30 November 2018
Venue: The Cape Town International Convention Centre (Roof Terrace Venue)
Time: 07h30 – 17h00

Agenda:

07:30 – 08:15 Registration Tea/Coffee
08:15 – 08:30 Welcome Prof Tess van der Merwe
08:30 – 09:00 Opening Address

Mr Ephraim Marobela
Founder and CEO of Obesity Must Fall (Pty) Ltd
“Obesity Must Fall”

09:00 – 09:05 AWARD HAND-OVER

09:05 – 10:05 CEMMS Life-Time Achievement Award in Cardio-Metabolic Medicine

Prof Carel le Roux
Chair in Pathology and he is now the Co-Director of the Metabolic Medicine Group, University College Dublin
“Is obesity a disease?”

10:00 – 10:05 AWARD HAND-OVER

10:05 – 11:00 PER BJÖRNTORP AWARD LECTURE

Prof David Cummings
Professor of Medicine in the Division of Metabolism, Endocrinology and Nutrition at the University of Washington
“Update on Mechanisms of bariatric/metabolic surgery – weight independent contributors and diabetes remission”

11:00 – 11:30 TEA AND REFRESHMENTS

11:30 – 12:15 Prof Tess van der Merwe
“The 15 leading misperceptions about bariatric surgery and obesity amongst the medical fraternity”

12:15 – 13:00 Prof Carel le Roux
“Treating the complications of obesity – medication or surgery?”

13:00 – 14:00 LUNCH BREAK

14:00 – 14:45 Prof David Cummings
“Current clinical role of bariatric/metabolic surgery – the overall treatment algorithm for diabetes care”

15:00 – 15:45 Dr Gary Fetter
“Surgeon’s perspective: Which procedure”

16:00 – 16:45 Dr AW Dreyer
“The role of the Chemical pathologist – how can we help?”

16:45 – 17:00 Prof Tess van der Merwe Closing and recognitions

Registration Fee: R1 455.00

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