

Visiting Professorship Programme to Slovenia 2026

Date: 30 September 2026

Location: Ljubljana, Slovenia

Coordinator: Prof. Andrea Rockall

Hosts:

Prof. Vladka Salapura, President of the Slovenian Association of Radiology

Dr. Rok Dežman, President of the Abdominal Section, Slovenian Association of Radiology

Topic: Urogenital Imaging

Learning objectives:

- To be familiar with the imaging appearances of ovarian masses and know the benign and malignant appearances using the ORADS MRI scoring system.
- To appreciate the role of imaging in staging ovarian cancer
- To be familiar with the use of imaging to guide bladder cancer staging and management.
- To understand the contemporary role of MRI for the assessment of prostate cancer, including quality assurance and bpMRI versus mpMRI.
- To be aware of the imaging appearances of endometriosis and the role of MRI in treatment planning.
- To know the range of appearances in acute pelvic pathology in women.

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08:00-08:45	Registration		
08:45-09:00	Welcome and introduction Andrea Rockall		
09:00-09:30	Ovarian masses: ORADS MRI technique and structured reporting		
	Andrea Rockall, London/UK <i>Imperial College London</i>		
09:30-10:00	Contemporary imaging of bladder with VIRADS: protocol optimisation and reporting		
	Martina Pecoraro, Rome/IT <i>Sapienza, University of Rome</i>		
10:00-10:30	Ovarian cancer staging: Key principles		
	Stefania Rizzo, Lugano/CH <i>Ente Ospedaliero Cantonale, University of Southern Switzerland</i>		
10:30-10:50	Coffee break		
10:50-13:00	Workshops		
	Speaker 1	Speaker 2	Speaker 3
10:50-11:30	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3
11:35-12:15	Group 2	Group 3	Group 1
12:20-13:00	Group 3	Group 1	Group 2
13:00-14:00	Lunch break		
14:00-14:30	Endometriosis: mapping and impact of MRI		
	Stefania Rizzo, Lugano/CH <i>Ente Ospedaliero Cantonale, University of Southern Switzerland</i>		
14:30-15:00	Prostate imaging in the era of screening: quality assurance and bp vs mpMRI		
	Martina Pecoraro, Rome/IT <i>Sapienza, University of Rome</i>		
15:00-15:30	Problem solving in acute pelvic pain in women: inflammatory disease and emergencies.		
	Andrea Rockall, London/UK <i>Imperial College London</i>		
15:30-15:50	Coffee break		
15:50-18:00	Workshops		
	Speaker 1	Speaker 2	Speaker 3
15:50-16:30	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3
16:35-17:15	Group 2	Group 3	Group 1
17:20-18:00	Group 3	Group 1	Group 2
18:00	Course Evaluation and End		