



1ST CONGRESS OF

ROMANIAN ORTHOPEDIC FOOT AND ANKLE SOCIETY

14-15 NOVEMBER 2025 • HILTON GARDEN INN • BUCHAREST

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM



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DAY 1 • FRIDAY, 14 NOVEMBER 2025

TIME	HALL 1
08.30	
09.00	
09.30	
10.00	
10.30	Registration
11.00	
11.30	Industry Workshop
12.00	
12.30	
13.00	Paediatric/Diabetic Session
13.30	
14.00	
14.30	
15.00	Lunch Break
15.30	
16.00	Elective Session I
16.30	
17.00	
17.30	Coffee Break
18.00	Trauma Session I
18.30	
19.00	
Evening	

DAY 2 • SATURDAY, 15 NOVEMBER 2025

TIME	HALL 1
08.30	Registration
09.00	Trauma Session II
09.30	
10.00	
10.30	Coffee Break
11.00	Highlight Lecture - Manfred Thomas
11.30	Elective Session II
12.00	
12.30	
13.00	Industry Symposium
13.30	Lunch Break
14.00	
14.30	Sports Session
15.00	
15.30	
16.00	
16.30	
17.00	Coffee Break
17.30	Osteoarthritis
18.00	
18.30	
19.00	
Evening	

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MESSAGE FROM THE CONGRESS PRESIDENT

It is a great pleasure to welcome you to Bucharest for the first Romanian Orthopedic Foot and Ankle Congress (ROFAS 2025), taking place on November 14-15, 2025, at the Hilton Garden Inn Hotel. This landmark event marks an exciting milestone for the orthopedic community in Romania, bringing together leading experts, surgeons, and researchers dedicated to advancing foot and ankle care.

ROFAS 2025 Congress offers a comprehensive and engaging scientific program, featuring expert lectures, clinical case discussions, and interactive sessions. Over two days, participants will explore a full spectrum of foot and ankle pathology, including trauma management, sports and ligament injuries, pediatric and diabetic foot conditions, elective and reconstructive procedures as well as ankle osteoarthritis and replacement.

Join us as we share knowledge, exchange ideas, and strengthen collaborations with both internationally renowned speakers and our dedicated national faculty. Beyond scientific excellence, ROFAS 2025 will also be a warm and collegial gathering - an opportunity to connect, learn, and celebrate progress in foot and ankle orthopedics.

We can't wait to embark on this exciting journey with you and make ROFAS 2025 an inspiring experience for everyone in this blossoming community!

Dr. Raul Colța, ROFAS President

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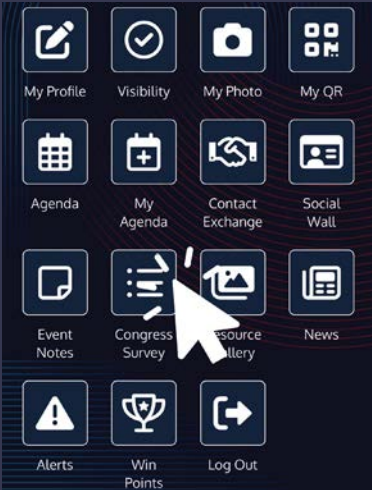






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10.30 - 11.30 • Registration

11.30 - 12.30 • Industry Workshop

13.00 - 15.00 • Paediatric/Diabetic Session •

Chairmen: Florin Ramadani, Dan Cionca

13.00 - 13.20 • Pes cavo varus: Surgical algorithm • *Darius Rad*

13.20 - 13.40 • Tarsal coalition from the Diagnose to the Treatment • *Elena Samaila*

13.40 - 14.00 • Diabetic Foot Disorders: Interventions and Innovations
in Orthopedic Surgery • *Iozefina Botezatu*

14.00 - 14.20 • Charcot reconstruction: overview • *Florin Ramadani*

14.20 - 15.00 • Q&A • *All Faculty*

15.00 - 16.00 • Lunch Break

16.00 - 17.30 • Elective Session I •

Chairpersons: Elena Samaila, Iozefina Botezatu

16.00 - 16.10 • SOROT President Foreword • *Șerban Dragosloveanu*

16.10 - 16.30 • Scarf versus Lapidus • *Codrin Huszar*

16.30 - 16.50 • Update in insertional achilles tendinopathy treat • *Peter Bock*

16.50 - 17.10 • Metatarsalgia: Diagnosis & treatment • *Raul Colța*

17.10 - 17.30 • Ankle arthroscopic fusion: indications & technique • *Maneesh Bhatia*

17.30 - 18.00 • Coffee Break

18.00 - 19.30 • Trauma Session I •

Chairpersons: Peter Bock, Gabriela Soare

18.00 - 18.20 • How to approach pilon fractures • *Dan Putineanu*

18.20 - 18.40 • MIS in Calcaneal Fractures • *Elena Samaila*

18.40 - 19.00 • Strategies to maximize outcomes in talar fractures • *Florin Ramadani*

19.00 - 19.20 • Malunion following ankle fractures: how to manage? • *Peter Bock*

19.20 - 19.30 • Q&A • *All Faculty*

DAY 2 • SATURDAY, 15 NOVEMBER 2025

08.30 - 09.00 • Registration

09.00 - 10.30 • Trauma Session II • Chairmen: Maneesh Bhatia, Dan Putineanu

09.00 - 09.20 • Ankle fractures: Getting it right first time • *Enis Guryel*

09.20 - 09.40 • Lisfanc fracture dislocation: Top tips • *Elena Samaila*

09.40 - 10.00 • How to deal with bone voids after trauma • *Dan Putineanu*

10.00 - 10.20 • Open fracture management - current concepts • *Enis Guryel*

10.20 - 10.30 • Q&A • *All Faculty*

10.30 - 11.00 • Coffee Break • Industry Symposium

11.00 - 11.30 • Highlight lecture - Modern surgical algorithm in Flat foot recon •
Manfred Thomas

11.30 - 13.00 • Elective Session II • Chairmen: Rick Brown, Manfred Thomas

11.30 - 12.50 • Things I no longer do • *All Faculty*

12.50 - 13.00 • Q&A • *All Faculty*

13.00 - 13.30 • Industry Symposium

13.30 - 14.30 • Lunch Break

14.30 - 17.00 • Sports Session • Chairmen: Eric Giza, Ion Bogdan Codorean

14.30 - 14.50 • Jones fracture: best treatment guide • *Maneesh Bhatia*

14.50 - 15.10 • Syndesmotic injuries: When & how to intervene • *Eric Giza*

15.10 - 15.30 • Osteochondral lesion of talus: Microfractures and beyond • *Callum Clark*

15.30 - 15.50 • Open versus arthroscopic lateral ligament stabilisation • *Eric Giza*

15.50 - 16.10 • Surgical treatment algorithm for acute deltoid ruptures • *Callum Clark*

16.10 - 16.30 • How to assess the degree of medial and lateral ligaments injury • *Sorin Ghiea*

16.30 - 17.00 • Q&A • *All Faculty*

17.00 - 17.30 • Coffee Break

17.30 - 19.30 • Osteoarthritis • Chairmen: Callum Clark, Raul Colța

17.30 - 17.50 • TAR versus Arthrodesis - which one is better in modern times • *Rick Brown*

17.50 - 18.10 • Osteotomies around the ankle for localized OA • *Manfred Thomas*

18.10 - 18.30 • My approach to hindfoot arthritis • *Rick Brown*

18.30 - 18.50 • Dealing with avascular necrosis of the talus • *Eric Giza*

18.50 - 19.10 • Use of 3D printed bone scaffold in hindfoot and ankle • *Raul Colța*

19.10 - 19.30 • Q&A • *All Faculty*

PARTNER SYMPOSIA

DAY 1 • FRIDAY, 14 NOVEMBER 2025 • HALL 1

11.30 - 12.30 • Industry Workshop

What is possible in modern foot surgery? Practical concepts and techniques for the orthopaedic surgeon • *Adam Lomax*

11.30 - 12.00 • Case Presentations and Hallux valgus

Hallux rigidus

Flatfoot (PCFD)

Chronic Ankle instability

Achilles Tendon pathologies

Discussion • *All Faculty*

12.00 - 12.30 • Hands-on Workshop • *All Faculty*

DAY 2 • SATURDAY, 15 NOVEMBER 2025 • HALL 1

10.30 - 11.00 • All Sport Orthotics

FootBalance - Cutting - edge technology for foot analysis and custom-made orthotics • *Elena YOLOVSKA, George GINEV*

13.00 - 13.30 • Industry Symposium

AMIC® Chondro-Gide® in the Ankle Joint -

The proven and evidence based cartilage treatment • *Markus Walther*



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