The Core Skills: Advanced Laparoscopic Colorectal Skills workshop is a highly practical one day cadaveric workshop aimed at providing participants with the most efficient techniques for advanced laparoscopic colorectal surgery, including safe colon mobilisation and techniques for vessel control.

The workshop aims to provide participants the opportunity to gain and consolidate skills in dissection techniques and knowledge of anatomy associated with colorectal resections.

This cadaveric workshop will also feature presentations and discussions, whilst allowing sufficient time for practising skills in a supportive environment with a high faculty to participant ratio. Limited places for Observers are available.

Workshop Content
Participants will deepen their understanding and skills in the following areas:

Demonstration and Cadaveric Practical Sessions
- Safe laparoscopic colorectal dissection techniques
- Laparoscopic right hemicolecctiony
- Laparoscopic high anterior resection (left hemicolecctiony)

Presentations
- Ergonomics
- Entry techniques
- Trocar and instrument placement
- Dissection techniques and vessel control
  - Blunt and sharp dissection
  - Energised dissection
  - Sealing vessels, staplers, clips and energised sealers
- Patient preparation

CTEC acknowledges the support of the following:

Convenor
Professor Marina Wallace

Suitable for
Senior SET Trainees and Consultants in Colorectal Surgery. Limited Observer positions are available. Limited positions are available for Theatre Nurses in assisting and scrubbing for workshop participants.

Accreditation
RACS CPD Program reaccreditation will be sought for 2020.

Venue
CTEC
The University of Western Australia
Entrance No.2
Hackett Drive, Crawley
Perth, Western Australia

Fees
WA Participant: $1070
Non-WA Participant: $1120
Observer: $150
Theatre Nurse: Free of charge

Register Online
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