

VoiceEgypt 2025
International Congress on Voice and Swallowing Disorders
16 – 18 October 2025

16th October 2025		
	Hall A	Hall B
8:00-8:30 am	Registration	
8:30 – 10:00 am	Keynote lectures Chairs: Tamer Messalam, Ana Danic Hadzibegovic	Keynote Lectures Chairs: Gamal Youssef, Omayma Afsah, Rania Abdou
8:30 - 8:45	Updates in laryngeal imaging Tamer Messalam	Seeing the Unseen: Endoscopic Diagnosis of Tracheoesophageal Fistula Lamiaa Habashy Kamal
8:45 - 9:00	Laryngeal neuropathy Ana Danic Hadzibegovic	Dysphagia phenotypes in neurological disorders Ahmed Ali Abdelmonem
9:00 - 9:15	Misophonia: I Hate That Voice. Khalid Almalki	PEG Versus NG feeding in neurogenic dysphagia Gamal Youssef
9:15 - 9:30	30 causes of neonatal breathing difficulty Ahmed Mohamed Refaat	Frequently held myths around dysphagia Omayma Elsayed Afsah
9:30 – 9:55	Office-based injection laryngoplasty: the transnasal approach. Sara Osama and Asser Elsaed	Concurrent dysphagia and dysphonia. Review of medical conditions and cases reported in the recent worldwide literature. Karol W. Myszel
9:55 - 10:00	Discussion	Discussion
10:00 -11:00 am	Instructional courses Chair: Aliaa Khidr, Haldun Oguz	Instructional courses Chair: Tamer Messalam, Ahmed Elsobky, Mohamed Osama Hegazy
10:00 – 10:40	Non-organic Voice Disorders Nasser Kotby	Laryngopharyngeal reflux and airway problems Tamer Messalam
10:40 – 11:00	Current Diagnosis and Management of Structural Voice Disorders Haldun Oguz	Open pediatric Laryngotracheal reconstruction: when and how? Ahmed Elsobky
11:00- 11:30 am	Opening ceremony (Hall A) Tamer Abou-Elsaad – Berit Schinder-Stickler-Haldun Oguz- Nasser Kotby	
11:30 am – 12:00 pm	Coffee break	
	Panel Discussion Chair: Haldun Oguz, Ahmed Ragab, Tamer Messalam	Panel Discussion Chair: Rania Abdou, Amal Saeed

12:00 – 12:30 pm	Laryngopharyngeal reflux: Is it real? Moderator: Tamer Messalam Panelists: Khalid Almalki, Ahmed Ragab, Mohamed Roshdy, Ana Danic Hadzibegovic	Challenging Dysphagia Management: Beyond Instrumental Protocols in PEG Decisions and Complex Case Scenarios Moderator: Mohamed Farahat Panelists: Samia E. Bassiouny, Rania Abdou, Aya Sheikhany, Asser Elsaeed, Sreemathy Venkatraman
12:30 – 12:45 pm	Interactive Case Discussion: Patient Samples from the International Voice Clinic. Moderator: Haldun Oguz Panelists: Berit Schinder-Stickler, Louay Elsharkawy, Amr ElBadrawy, Ahmed Elsobky, Hazem Salah	Instructional courses Chair: Rania Abdou, Mohamed Farahat, Amal Saed
12:45 – 1:00		Nutritional management in post-stroke Dysphagia Sreemathy Venkatraman
1:00 – 1:15		Role of nutrition in rehabilitation Sreemathy Venkatraman
1:15 – 1:30		Radiation-induced dysphagia in head and neck cancer patients: A Phoniatics perspective Rania Abdou
1:30 – 2:10 pm	Voice Oral Presentation Chair: Hazem Saleh, Effat Zaky, Mohamed Fawzy	Voice Oral Presentation Chair: Ahlam El-adawy, Hemmat Baz
1:30 – 1:40	Tracheal resection with end-to-end anastomosis. Surgical tips. Alaa Gafaar	Global voice assessment Ahlam El-adawy
1:40 – 1:50	High-speed laryngeal imaging: research vs. clinical application Tamer Messalam	Role of Myofunctional Therapy in Obstructive Sleep Apnea Patients Hemmat Mostafa Baz
1:50 – 2:00	Laryngeal granulomata Ahmed Mohamed Refaat	Effect of fasting on laryngeal function Ahlam El-adawy
2:00 – 2:10	Discussion	Discussion
2:10 – 3:00 pm	Lunch Break	
3:00 – 4:00 pm	Voice Oral Presentations Chair: Alaa Gaafar, Amr El Badrawy, Mohamed Kotb	Instructional course Chair: Aya Sheikhany, Mohamed Farahat
3:00 – 3:10	Hyaluridase injection in benign vocal fold lesions. Mohamed Mobasher	Intelligent & Personalized Dysphagia Care: Merging Agentic AI with Biosensor-Driven Medicine. Mohamed Farahat
3:10 – 3:20	Zenker's diverticulum: A rare cause of dysphagia in a young adult patient. Alaa Gaafar	

3:20 – 3:30	Tone of voice changing procedures (voice feminization and masculinization) Amr El Badrawy	
3:30: 3:40	Pilot study on local treatment of laryngeal leucoplakia with Imiquimod Berit Schinder-Stickler	Evidence-based interventions for dysphagia in various ICU populations Aya Sheikhany
3:40 – 3:50	Rehabilitation of voice after total laryngectomy Louay Elsharkawy	(Nestlé Symposium) Enhancing Safety in Liquid Dysphagia Management: Introducing a New Thickener. Rania Abdou
3:50-4:00	Singer's Dystonia: Is It Spasmodic Dysphonia? Khalid Almalki	
4:00 – 5:00 pm	Voice Research Forum (I) Chair: Aya Sheikhany, Ahmed Eldemerdash, Amal Saeed	Swallowing Oral Presentation Chair: Samia Bassiouny, Ana Danic Hadzibegovic
4:00 – 4:10	PANDAS: untold story from a child psychiatrist Mahmoud Elwasify	The Surgical neonate and the Fragile swallow: from structural repair to functional integration Sally Mohamed Adel
4:10- 4:20	Radiological and laryngoscopic assessment of patients with autoimmune polyarthritis Asmaa Eldessouky Kandeel	Management of pediatric feeding and swallowing disorders in neonatal ICU Samia E. Bassiouny
4:20 – 4:30	The nature of MAPLs in the Gulf region Ahmed Abdelhamid Abdelgoad	Feeding and swallowing challenges in children with cleft Lip and palate and other craniofacial anomalies Iman Mohamed Elrouby
4:30 – 4:40	Vocal tract abnormalities in patient with two Genodermatoses: lipoid proteinosis and NF1 Mohamed Islam Gadelhak	Psychogenic dysphagia Ana Danic Hadzibegovic
4:40 – 4:50	Cough from irritation to infection: the Phoniatrician perspective Aya Sheikhany	Current evidence on the neurophysiology of swallowing across Pediatric Development: Potential Clinical/Research Implications Maii Saad Abd-Elghany
4:50 – 5:05	Perception of disordered voice: reaction time, accuracy, and neural processing Baiba B Trinite	Rehabilitation of deglutition after conservation laryngeal surgery Louay Elsharkawy
5:05 – 5:10	Discussion	Discussion
5:10 – 5:30 pm	Coffee break	
5:30 – 7:00 pm	Airway Reconstruction Surgery Workshop Alaa Gaafar, Ahmed Elsobky	Videofluoroscopy Workshop Tamer Abou-Elsaad

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8:00-8:30 am	Registration	
8:30 – 10:30 am	Instructional courses Chair: Tamer Messalam, Khalid Almalki	Voice Research forum (II) Chair: Ana Danic Hadzibegovic, Nirvana Hafez
8:30 – 8:50	Principles of laryngeal stroboscopy: Are we properly assessing vocal fold vibration Tamer Messalam	Objective Assessment of Progress in Voice Training: A Pilot Study Measuring Changes in Chest and Abdominal Wall Movements Using the Smith Accent Technique Baiba Trinite
8:50 – 9:05	Neurodegenerative disorders: voice-related biomarkers in office and lab towards AI Neveen Hassan Nashaat	Student clinicians' experience in learning how to develop their voices Anete Rjabinina
9:05 – 9:20	AI in Restoring Voices for People with Voice Loss Nahla Abdelaziz Rifaie	Learning the Smith Accent Technique: Personal Achievements and Challenges Indra Lipska
9:20 – 9:35	The impact of chant talk on vocal health: A closer look Nirvana Hafez	Training students to evaluate progress in the Smith Accent Technique Daiga Timbare
9:35 – 9:55	AI for Phoniatics Research Khaled Almalki	Innovative Approaches in Pediatric Voice Therapy: The Role of Lax Vox in Dysphonia Treatment Nihal Hisham Abdelhamid
9:55 – 10:20	Professional Voice Development Programs (PVDPs), On-Campus Training Models Aliaa A Khidr	Vocal health education for future voice professionals Ana Danic Hadzibegovic
10:20 – 10:30	Discussion	Discussion
10:30 -12:30 pm	Instructional courses Chair: Aliaa Khidr, Nirvana Hafez	Keynote Lectures Chair: Elsharawy Kamal, Mohamed Mobasher, Hazem Saleh
10:30 – 10:45	Smith Accent Method of Voice Therapy Nasser Kotby	Surgical anatomy of the recurrent laryngeal nerve and its application in laryngeal reinnervation Mohamed Mobasher
10:45 – 11:00		Tracheoesophageal Puncture: State of the Art. Mohamed Mobasher
11:00 – 11:15		Management of post-intubation tracheoesophageal fistula Alaa Gaafar
11:15- 11:30		Vocal fold augmentation -local vs general anesthesia Amr El Badrawy
11:30 – 11:45		Recurrent laryngeal nerve preservation during tracheal resection anastomosis. Mohamed Roshdy

11:45 – 12:00		Non-infectious Sore Throat: Pain in the Neck. Khalid Almalki
12:00 -12:15	Targeting Performance Skills in Voice Therapy Aliaa Khidr	The para-glottic space: The dark room of the larynx. Myths and reality Hazem Saleh
12:15 – 12:30		Voice Quality assessment in cases of vocal fold gap after single growth factor injection Azza Abdelaziz Azzam
12:30 – 12:35	Discussion	Discussion
12:35 – 2:00 pm	Prayer and Lunch Break	
2:00 – 3:00 pm	Voice Research forum (III) Chair: Mohamed Darweesh, Amal Saeed	Instructional Courses Chair: Rania Abdou, Eman Sayed
2:00 – 2:10	Laryngo-pharyngeal Affection of COVID-19 during Delta and Omicron Variants (Comparative Study) Hanan Anwar El-Shourbagy	Neuroplasticity-Based Dysphagia Rehabilitation: Bridging Research and Practice. Mohamed Farahat
2:10 – 2:20	Acoustic Changes of Voice among Different Age Groups: An Egyptian Study Eman Mohamed Mostafa	
2:20 – 2:30	Inducible Laryngeal Obstruction: Clinical Insights and Diagnostic Challenges Feeby Mina Sobhy	
2:30 – 2:40	Pre-operative subjective and objective voice assessment in patients with benign thyroid disorders Safinaz N. Ibrahim	Drug administration in dysphagic patients Ana Danic Hadzibegovic
2:40 – 2:50	Assessment of vocal fold Changes and their Correlation with Pulmonary Functions in Asthmatic Children Azza Samy Abdelhakim	Dysphagia in laryngectomised patients Ana Danic Hadzibegovic
2:50 – 3:00	Discussion	Discussion
3:00 – 4:00 pm	Round table (Updates in management of Vocal fold Paralysis) Chair: Haldun Oguz, Berit Schinder-Stickler, Mohamed Roshdy	Swallowing Research Forum (I) Chair: Hemmat Baz, Ahlam El-adawy
3:00 – 3:15	Current Approach and Management of Unilateral Vocal Fold Paralysis Haldun Oguz	Challenging case scenarios in pediatric dysphagia Hemmat Mostafa Baz
3:15 – 3:30	Selective laryngeal electrical stimulation in acute UVFP Berit Schinder-Stickler	Validation of the Arabic Version of the Ohkuma Questionnaire for Dysphagia Screening against Fiberoptic Endoscopic Evaluation of Swallowing. Shrouk Mohamed Elbana
3:30 – 3:45	Importance of laryngeal EMG and ECE 50 in the diagnostics of vocal fold immobility	Gender Differences in Normal Swallow Ahlam El-adawy

	Berit Schinder-Stickler	
3:45 – 4:00	Laryngeal pacemaker in BVFP Berit Schinder-Stickler	Navigating post-stroke dysphagia Aya Sheikhan
4:00 – 5:10 pm	Voice Research Forum (IV) Chair: Amr El Badrawy, Balegh Hamdy, Asmaa Ahmed Abdelhamid	Swallowing Research Forum (II) Chair: Aya Sheikhan, Iman Ezzat
4:00 – 4:20	Tragal cartilage augmentation of vocal folds Amr El Badrawy	Dysphagia & Swallowing Disorders: a misinterpreted and underestimated value in patients with Systemic Sclerosis Gihan Mohamed Omar
4:20 – 4:30	Outcomes of Vocal Folds Injection with Autologous Fat Plus Platelet-Rich Plasma in Cases of Glottic Gap Asmaa Ahmed Abdelhamid	Comparing Screening Tests for Oropharyngeal Dysphagia in Stroke Patients Elham Elham Moamen
4:30 – 4:40	Water channel (Aquaporins) in healthy and unhealthy vocal folds Mona Elrabie Ahmed	Validation of the Arabic Version of Feeding Handicap Index for Children with Developmental Disabilities (A-FHI-C) Hassnaa Othman
4:40 – 4:50	Clinical applications of botulinum toxin injection in laryngeal disorders Amal Saeed	Characterizing Dysphagia Subtypes Through Clinical Associations with Underlying Conditions and Feeding Management Approaches Sondos Hilal Sarouji
4:50 – 5:00	Using Praat to analyze pediatric voices: a comparison of normal and dysphonic voice profiles Shaimaa Ahmed Bakia	
5:00 – 5:10	Discussion	Discussion
5:10 – 5:30 pm	Coffee break	
5:30 – 6:30 pm	Laryngeal Framework Surgery Workshop Berit Schinder-Stickler, Louay Elsharkawy, Amr El Badrawy, Alaa Gaafar, Ahmed Elsobky	FEES Workshop Tamer Abou-Elsaad, Ana Danic Hadzibegovic, Mohamed Farahat, Rania Abdou, Omayma Afsah, Aya Sheikhan
6:30 – 7:30 pm (Half an hour shifts)	Injection Laryngoplasty Workshop Haldun Oguz, Louay Elsharkawy, Amr El Badrawy, Ana Danic Hadzibegovic. Aya Sheikhan, Aser Elsaed, Sara Osama	TEP Insertion Workshop Mohamed Mobasher, Tamer Abou-Elsaad, Alaa Gaafar
18th October 2025 (Hall A)		
9:00 am – 12:00 pm	Dysphagia and Nutrition Workshop A hands-on workshop for nutrition assessment and intervention for adult dysphagia. Sreemathy Venkatraman	



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