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AO Trauma Middle East and Northern Africa Course Calendar 2026

AO Trauma provides accredited and high-quality educational activities to thousands of surgeons and health care professionals each year.

This is a summary of upcoming events in the region. Please note that the information in this document is subject to change. Check our website for the most actual event information.

Registration and details for all AO Trauma events including webinars, congress, symposia, and any education activities not listed here can be found online at the course and event finder on our website.

Please click on a course title to be directed online to the course page website, or scan the QR code on the back page of this brochure.

Principles Courses

March 8–Apr 13 English	Jeddah, Saudi Arabia	AO Trauma Blended Course—Basic Principles of Fracture Management
April 8 English	Jeddah, Saudi Arabia	AO Trauma Course—Introductory Course on Fracture Management for Interns
April 9–11 English	Jeddah, Saudi Arabia	AO Trauma Course—Basic Principles of Fracture Management
April 29–May 1 English	Amman, Jordan	AO Trauma Course—Basic Principles of Fracture Management
April 29–May 1 English	Amman, Jordan	AO Trauma Course—Advanced Principles of Fracture Management
May 31 English	Karachi, Pakistan	AO Trauma Principles Seminar—Non-Operative Fracture Management Workshop for Residents
June 4–6 English	Kuwait, Kuwait	AO Trauma Course—Basic Principles of Fracture Management
June 11–13 English	Beirut, Lebanon	AO Trauma Course—Basic Principles of Fracture Management
July 1–4 English	Cairo, Egypt	AO Trauma Course—Basic Principles of Fracture Management
July 5–8 English	Cairo, Egypt	AO Trauma Course—Advanced Principles of Fracture Management
August 1–Nov 14 English	Online, 08:00-18:00	AO Trauma Online Course—Core Principles of Fracture Fixation for ORP
September 5 English	Lahore, Pakistan	AO Trauma Seminar—Non-Operative Fracture Management Workshop for ORP
September 17 English	Baghdad, Iraq	AO Trauma Seminar—Fractures in Children
September 22–23 English	Dubai, United Arab Emirates	AO Trauma Course—Advanced Principles of Fracture Management for ORP
September 22–24 English	Dubai, United Arab Emirates	AO Trauma Course—Basic Principles of Fracture Management

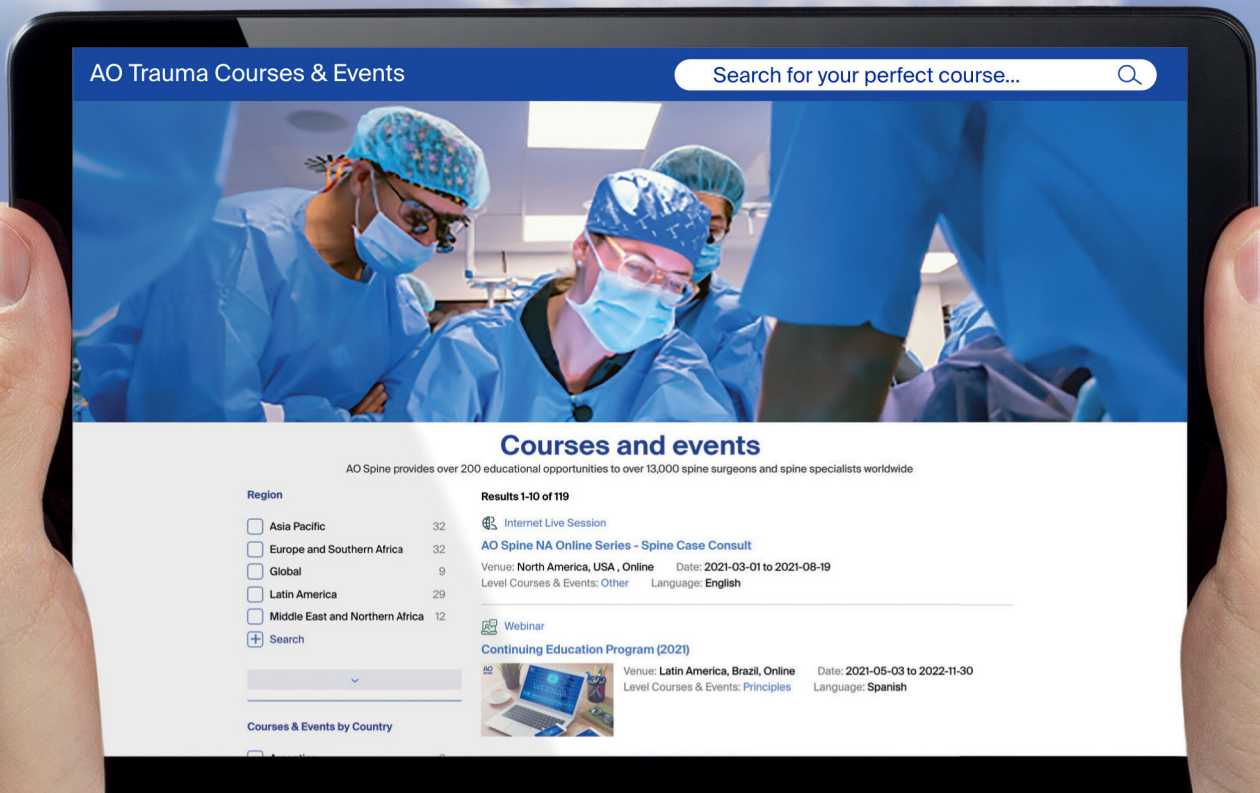
Advanced Courses

March 7–Apr 15 English	Jeddah, Saudi Arabia	AO Trauma Blended Course—Advanced Principles of Fracture Management
April 3 English	Baghdad, Iraq	AO Trauma Symposium—Infection in Trauma
April 9–11 English	Jeddah, Saudi Arabia	AO Trauma Course—Advanced Principles of Fracture Management
April 12–13 English	Jeddah, Saudi Arabia	AO Trauma Course—Advanced Principles of Fracture Management for ORP
May 7 English	Cairo, Egypt	AO Trauma Symposium—Elbow Injuries (Egyptian Hand Society)
May 8 English	Online, 15:00-18:00	AO Trauma Advanced Online Seminar—Orthogeriatric Management of Fragility Fracture Lower Limbs
June 25 English	Tunis, Tunisia	AO Trauma Symposium—Complex trauma around the knee acute and chronic sequelae
August 12 English	Nairobi, Kenya	AO Trauma Advanced Seminar—Pelvic & Acetabulum
September 12 English	Amman, Jordan	AO Trauma Seminar—Topic TBD
September 22–24 English	Dubai, United Arab Emirates	AO Trauma Course—Advanced Principles of Fracture Management for Surgeons
September 24–26 English	Dubai, United Arab Emirates	AO Trauma Masters Course—Surgical Approaches Upper Limb (With Human Anatomical Specimens)
November 5 English	Sana'a, Yemen	AO Trauma Seminar— Management of Intraarticular Fractures
November 12 English	Muscat, Oman	AO Trauma Seminar—Pediatrics
November 27 English	Abuja, Nigeria	AO Trauma Seminar—Soft Tissue Management in Complex Trauma
December 1 English	Cairo, Egypt	AO Trauma Symposium—Polytrauma (EOA)

Masters Courses

April 11–13 English	Jeddah, Saudi Arabia	AO Trauma Masters Course—Lower Extremity (With Human Anatomical Specimens)
June 5–6 English	Kuwait, Kuwait	AO Trauma Course—Advanced Knee Deformities (With Human Anatomical Specimens)
July 8–11 English	Cairo, Egypt	AO Trauma Masters Course—Lower Extremity (With Human Specimens)
September 17–19 English	Amman, Jordan	AO Trauma Masters Course—Knee Trauma (With Human Anatomical Specimens)
September 26–28 English	Dubai, United Arab Emirates	AO Trauma Masters Course—Knee Fractures (With Human Anatomical Specimens)
September 27–29 English	Dubai, United Arab Emirates	AO Trauma Masters Course—Foot & Ankle (With Human Anatomical Specimens)

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