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# AO Trauma North America 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 North America. 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 website page and the Event Finder on our website.

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## Principles Courses

March 10   English	Online, 20:00-21:00 EST (UTC -05:00)	Femoral Neck: "Dealing with Variables in Femoral Neck Fracture Management"
March 17-Apr 21   English	Online, 20:00-21:00 EST (UTC -05:00)	Open Fracture Wound Management - Module #2
April 9-11   English	Bellevue, Washington, United States	<a href="#">Basic Principles of Fracture Management</a>
April 18   English	Rochester, MN, United States	<a href="#">Hand and Wrist Fracture Management</a>
April 27-29   English	Tampa, FL, United States	<a href="#">Basic Principles of Fracture Management</a>
April 28-29   English	Tampa, United States	<a href="#">Basic Principles of Foot and Ankle Trauma Surgery</a>
May 1-3   English	Tampa, FL, USA, United States	<a href="#">Basic Principles of Fracture Management</a>
May 1-2   English	Tampa, United States	<a href="#">Advanced Principles of Foot and Ankle Trauma Surgery</a>
May 5-Jun 9   English	Online, 20:00-21:00 EST (UTC -05:00)	Fracture Related Infection Prevention/Management - Module #3
May 12   English	Online, 20:00-21:00 EST (UTC -05:00)	Trauma Pilon
May 28-30   English	La Jolla, California, United States	<a href="#">Basic Principles of Fracture Management</a>
June 6   English	Ann Arbor, United States	<a href="#">Hand and Wrist Fracture Management</a>
July 28-Aug 25   English	Online, 20:00-21:00 EST (UTC -05:00)	Humeral Shaft — From Non-Op to Plates/Nails - Module #4

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August 27–29   English	Houston, TX, United States	<a href="#">Basic Principles of Fracture Management</a>
September 8   English	Online, 20:00-21:00 EST (UTC –05:00)	Tibial Plateau: Ordinary to Overwhelming
September 11–12   English	La Jolla, United States	<a href="#">Basic Principles of Foot and Ankle Trauma Surgery</a>
September 15–Oct 20   English	Online, 20:00-21:00 EST (UTC –05:00)	Paediatrics - Module #5
October 1–3   English	Phoenix, Arizona, United States	<a href="#">Basic Principles of Fracture Management</a>
October 3   English	Seattle, United States	<a href="#">Hand and Wrist Fracture Management</a>
November 10   English	Online, 20:00-21:00 EST (UTC –05:00)	Pelvis: Percutaneous Fixation—Indications and Limits
November 13–14   English	Bellevue, United States	<a href="#">Advanced Principles of Foot and Ankle Trauma Surgery</a>
November 17–Dec 15   English	Online, 20:00-21:00 EST (UTC –05:00)	Soft Tissue Stabilization – Ankle - Module #6
November 19–21   English	Jacksonville, Florida, United States	<a href="#">Basic Principles of Fracture Management</a>

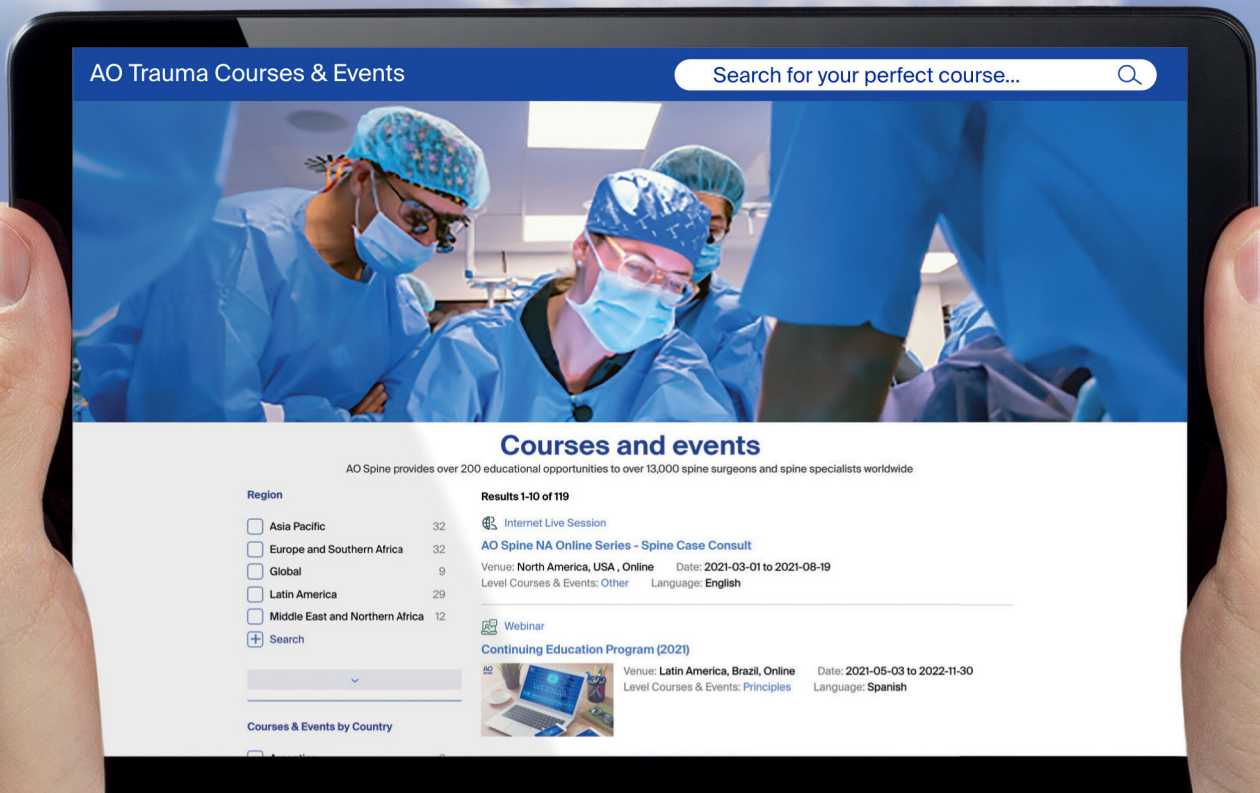
## Advanced Courses

May 14–16   English	San Diego, United States	<a href="#">Hand and Wrist Course: Simple Fractures to Mangled Extremity</a>
August 27–29   English	Houston, TX, United States	<a href="#">Advanced Principles of Fracture Management</a>
October 15–17   English	San Diego, United States	<a href="#">Fellows and Chief Residents Course: Preparing for Fellowship &amp; Beyond</a>

## Masters Courses

April 27–29   English	Tampa, Florida, United States	<a href="#">Pelvic and Acetabular Fracture Management (with Human Anatomic Specimens)</a>
April 29–30   English	Tampa, FL, United States	<a href="#">OneAO 2026 - Elevating Performance, Inspiring Confidence / Precision, Resilience</a>
November 6–7   English	Tempe, Arizona, United States	<a href="#">Special Ops Course-Lower Extremity Posttraumatic Reconstruction w/ Ring Fixation</a>

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