IBRA SCHOLARSHIP REPORT

Name Of Scholar: Andreozzi Roberto, hand surgeon in Buenos Aires

Name Of Training Center: Badia Hand to Shoulder Center, doral, Miami, USA

Director: Dr Alejandro Badia, Md.

Timing Of Scholarship: July 2017

Scholarship Description: Upper Limbs Surgery Fellowship Spending 4 weeks in USA to train under the tutelage of Alejandr Badia was an incredible experience. I had the pleasure of shadowing him and his team for my IBRA elective. The majority of my time was spent with Dr Badia.
During this time, I was able to participate in the OR as well as the ambulatory surgeries and emergency cases.
Their clinical hospital allowed me to observe in a variety of operative cases including the following:
---EIP---to---EPL transfer
---Distal radius fracture treatment
---Carpal tunnel and cubital tunnel releases
---arthroscopic shoulders and wrist damage
---Digital nerve repair
---epicondilitys elbow solved with TENEX SYSTEM
---Diagnostic arthroscopy and arthroscopic TFCC repair
---Metacarpal fractures
Interactions with international patients with telemedicine was great.
Patients traveled from as far as the continent for an appointment.
These clinics offered decision---making acumen from experience and I garnered clinical pearls that cannot be found in textbooks.
In addition to my clinical exposure, the cultural experience was also incredible.
In my short stay, I have been able to develop my conversational English.
Miami is a metropolitan city that makes it an appealing hub for travel.
I was able to embrace then American culture.
Overall, I am thrilled with my experience with Dr Badia and his team
I highly recommend this fellowship to any candidate wishing to experience
Hand and wrist surgery in a positive and innovative training center.
I am grateful to IBRA for providing me with this opportunity of a lifetime.
Sincerely,
Roberto Andreozzi