



## 2026 AABIP/AIPPD Mid-Year Advanced Bronchoscopy and Thoracoscopy Course for IP Fellows AGENDA Houston Methodist MITIE

### PRELIMINARY AGENDA

**Locations:** Houston Methodist MITIE  
**Pre-Course:** Learners to review flipped-classroom videos on IP Procedures  
Faculty to review station objectives and faculty development

#### Wednesday, January 28, 2026

8:00 pm – 3:00 pm Equipment set up

#### Thursday, January 29, 2026

8:00 pm – 3:00 pm Equipment set up  
6:00 pm – 9:00 pm Faculty Development Dinner

#### Friday, January 30, 2026 **Course Day 1: Cadaver Lab**

7:30 am – 8:00 am Coffee & breakfast  
7:30 am – 8:00 am Fellows Arrive and Register at MITIE  
8:00 am – 8:15 am Welcome – Course Chair and Co-Chairs  
8:15 am Transition into groups 1 and 2

##### **Group 1**

8:30 am – 8:45 am Advanced Diagnostic Bronchoscopy: Practical Knowledge – Guest Speaker (Conference Room)  
9:00 am – 12:00 pm Cadaver lab: 4 stations – RAB (Monarch, Ion, Galaxy) & Illumisite with advanced imaging (mobile 3D fluoroscopy and digital tomosynthesis)  
Lunch  
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm  
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm Cadaver lab: Rigid Thoracoscopy Assessments / Education  
2:00 pm – 4:00 pm Cadaver lab: Rigid Thoracoscopy, Pleural Biopsies, and TPC Hands-On: 5 stations x 120 minutes each (no rotation)  
Fellows will individually get pulled for RIGID-TASC assessment on 1 cadaver

##### **Group 2**

8:30 am – 9:30 am Cadaver lab: Rigid Thoracoscopy Assessments / Education  
9:30 am – 11:30 am Cadaver lab: Rigid Thoracoscopy, Pleural Biopsies, and TPC Hands-On: 5 stations x 120 minutes each (no rotation)  
Fellows will individually get pulled for RIGID-TASC assessment on 1 cadaver  
11:30 am – 12:30 pm Lunch  
12:30 pm – 1:00 pm Advanced Diagnostic Bronchoscopy: Practical Knowledge – Guest Speaker (Conference Room)  
1:00 pm – 4:00 pm Cadaver lab: 4 stations – RAB (Monarch, Ion, Galaxy) & Illumisite with advanced imaging (mobile 3D fluoroscopy and digital tomosynthesis)  
4:00 pm – 5:00 pm Visit Vendor Exhibits  
6:00 pm – 9:00 pm Welcome Dinner  
10 min: Welcome



10 min: Fostering IP Community through Volunteering – AABIP/AIPPD Leadership

**Saturday, January 31, 2026 Course Day 2: Cadaver Lab and Small Group Sessions**

7:30 am – 8:00 am Coffee & breakfast  
7:30 am – 8:00 am Fellows Arrive and Register at MITIE  
8:00 am – 8:15 am President’s Address  
8:15 am Transition into groups 1 and 2

**Group 1**

8:30 am – 9:00 am Cadaver lab: Serial Rigid Intubation x10 cadavers with gamification  
9:00 am – 12:00 pm Rigid Bronchoscopy/ Stents/ Thermal Therapy (6 cadavers x 90 min)  
Rigid Bronchoscopy/ Laser (2 cadavers x 45 min)  
Rigid Bronchoscopy/ Cryospray (2 cadavers x 45 min)  
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm Lunch  
1:00 pm – 2:30 pm Education session (*supported by Olympus*) x 90 minutes  
2:30 pm – 4:30 pm The group splits into the following 2 sessions and rotate every 60 minutes  
o Photodynamic Therapy  
o Stent Selection and Design/ T-tubes

**Group 2**

8:30 am – 10:00 am Education session (*supported by Olympus*) x 90 minutes  
10:00 am – 12:00 pm The group splits into the following 2 sessions and rotate every 60 minutes  
o Photodynamic Therapy  
o Stent Selection and Design/ T-tubes  
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm Lunch  
1:00 pm – 1:30 pm Cadaver lab: Serial Rigid Intubation x10 cadavers with gamification  
1:30 pm – 4:30 pm Rigid Bronchoscopy/ Stents/ Thermal Therapy (6 cadavers x 90 min)  
Rigid Bronchoscopy/ Laser (2 cadavers x 45 min)  
Rigid Bronchoscopy/ Cryospray (2 cadavers x 45 min)  
4:30 pm – 4:45 pm Announce Fellow Prizes/Adjourn