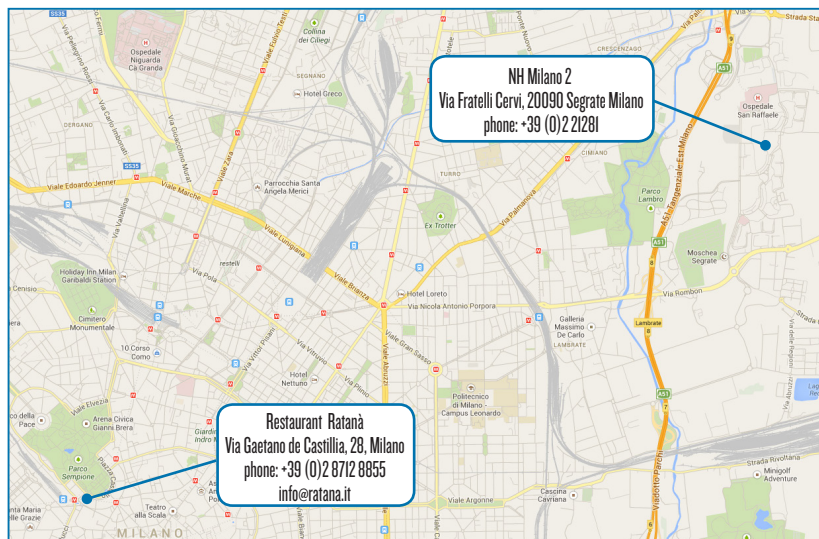


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# Maze IV

## TRAINING EVENT

**OS** Ospedale San Raffaele  
 Milan, Italy  
 28 March 2014

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### Course overview:

AtriCure is committed to a disciplined strategy in physician training for the treatment of atrial fibrillation. This day-long program is specifically designed for physicians desiring to learn the Maze IV procedure and offers a complete experience related to the management of atrial fibrillation. Topics that will be covered during this event include:

- Addressing questions surrounding the clinical relevance of AF therapy and what it means to the patient, the practicing physician and the medical center
- Providing an overview of the medical, cardiologic, electrophysiologic and surgical therapy and focusing on a detailed overview of surgical AF treatment
- Presenting viewpoints related to surgical left atrial appendage (LAA) management
- Demonstrating the proper use of devices for surgical AF therapy and patient management including a wet lab training
- Reviewing appropriate patient selection criteria for the Maze IV procedure
- Discussing operative techniques, perioperative patient management and follow up criteria

### Program:

Arrival: March 27th  
Accommodations: NH Milano 2  
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19:30 Faculty Dinner  
Restaurant Ratanà  
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### Course curriculum:

March 28th

08:30 - 09:00	Electrophysiology of AF
09:00 - 09:30	Concomitant treatment
09:30 - 10:30	Surgical techniques & video
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee pause
11:00 - 11:30	Perioperative and post-operative patient management
11:30 - 12:00	LAA Management
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch
13:00 - 14:30	OR Live Case
14:30 - 15:30	Wet Lab
15:30 - 16:00	Q&A and lessons learned
16:30	Departures