



INSTITUT DE LA MAIN *Clinique Jouvenet*

Chirurgie de la main, du coude et de l'épaule



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Introduction

As a military doctor serving in airforce of Greece, soon after my residency years I will be a Faculty member in the Orthopedics Department of Airforce Hospital of Greece in Athens. This responsibility to be undertaken fills me up with even more stamina to endeavor for the best possible education edging each possible way of training.

Aim

There were two main goals behind my application for FESSH Fellowship Award.

First was to acquire and apply more and new knowledge and experience in clinical management of hand surgery. I find essential to expand my personal experience sourced from exchange and fellowship programs.

Secondly to transmit new knowledge and skills to my country, as I used to do after my previous foreign exchanges and training visits since I will disseminate all acquired knowledge to my colleagues.

Opportunities-Activities obtained in Paris-Institut de la Main

- ◆ High volume hand surgery center (5 operating rooms x 8-10 operations/day)
- ◆ High volume Super-specialized hand- surgeons
- ◆ Daily activities: Monday to friday 7:30- 19:00 operating theatre or consultation
- ◆ Over 100 operations observed
- ◆ Weekly Hand related Thematic lectures
- ◆ Monthly Staff meeting and case report consultation
- ◆ Opportunity to acquire Microsurgery Diploma participating in a 3 month course
- ◆ Cadaver dissection courses in Paris

Next step

Forthcoming goal is to validate all the expertise I gather during residency after sitting the European Board Examination in Hand Surgery (FESSH).

Epilogue

I have to admit that travelling to a major reconstructive surgery center of the upper extremity helped me validate current practice. Moreover unfolded new horizons in topics that I was not familiar with or never had the chance to cope with!

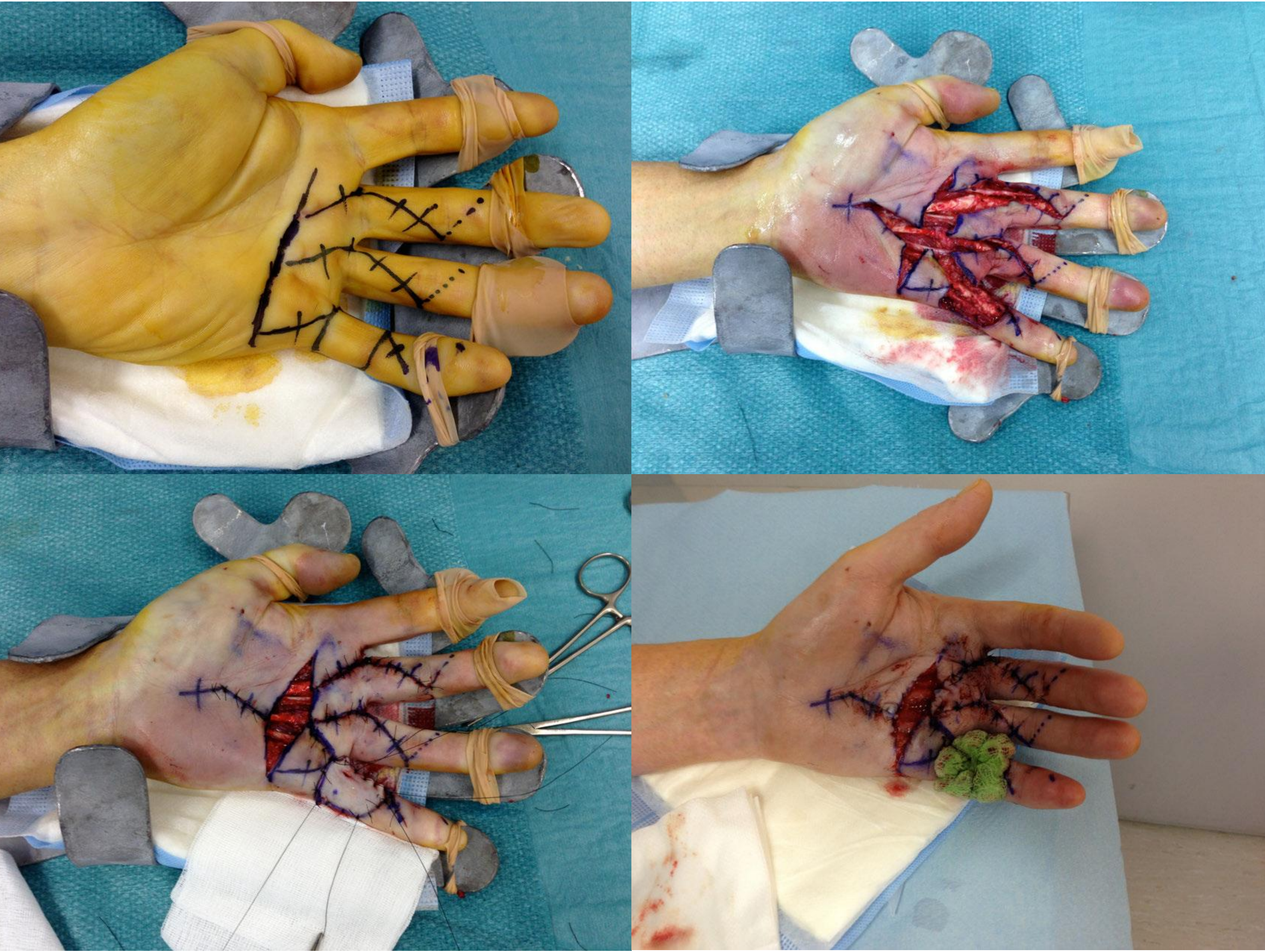
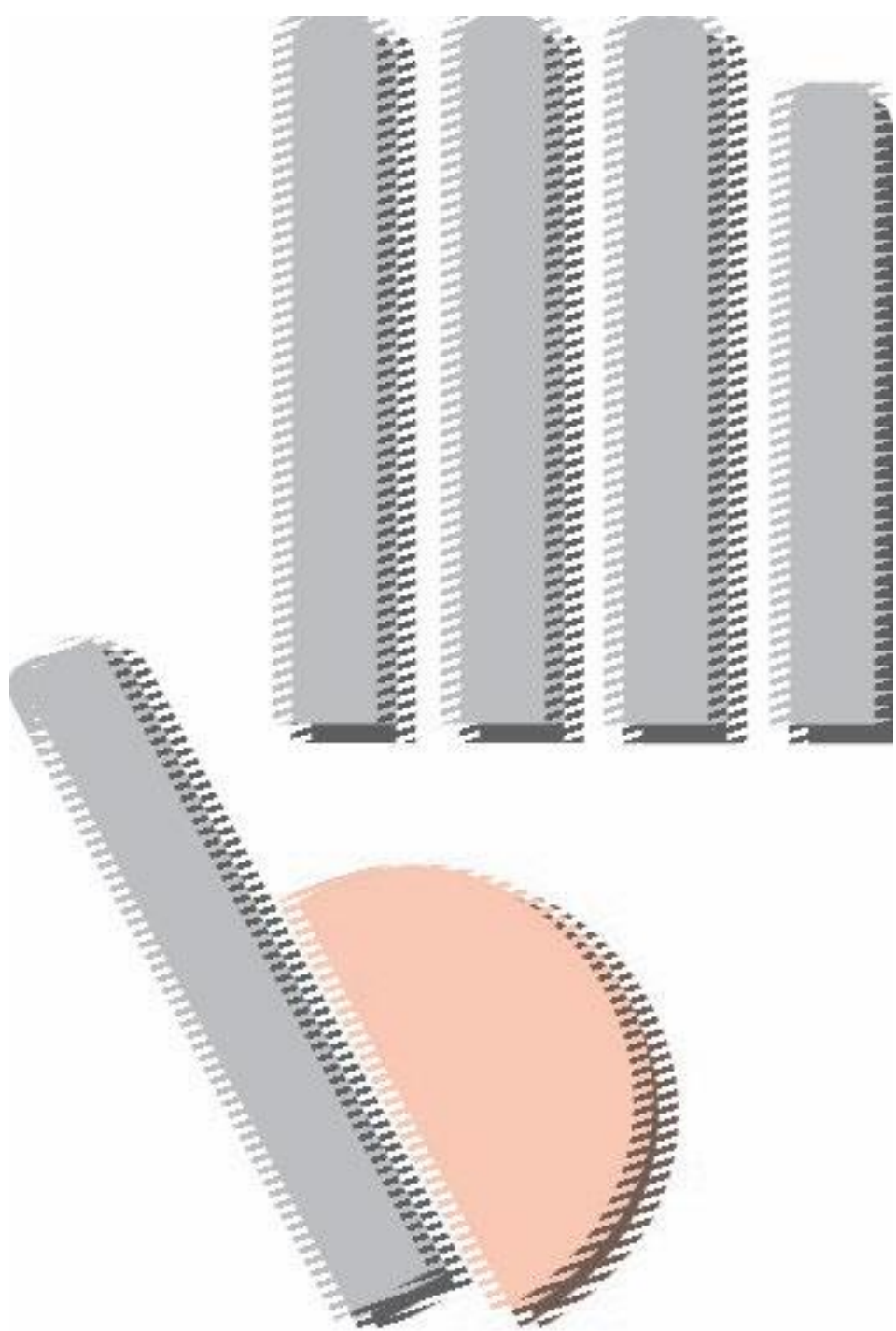
FESSH Fellowship was an ingenious opportunity to augment my experience in the state-of-the-art center *Institut de la Main, Paris, France* (chirurgie de la main. du coude et de l' épaule), thus I feel greatly honoured that I have been selected.

Illustrated Cases

THANK YOU FESSH

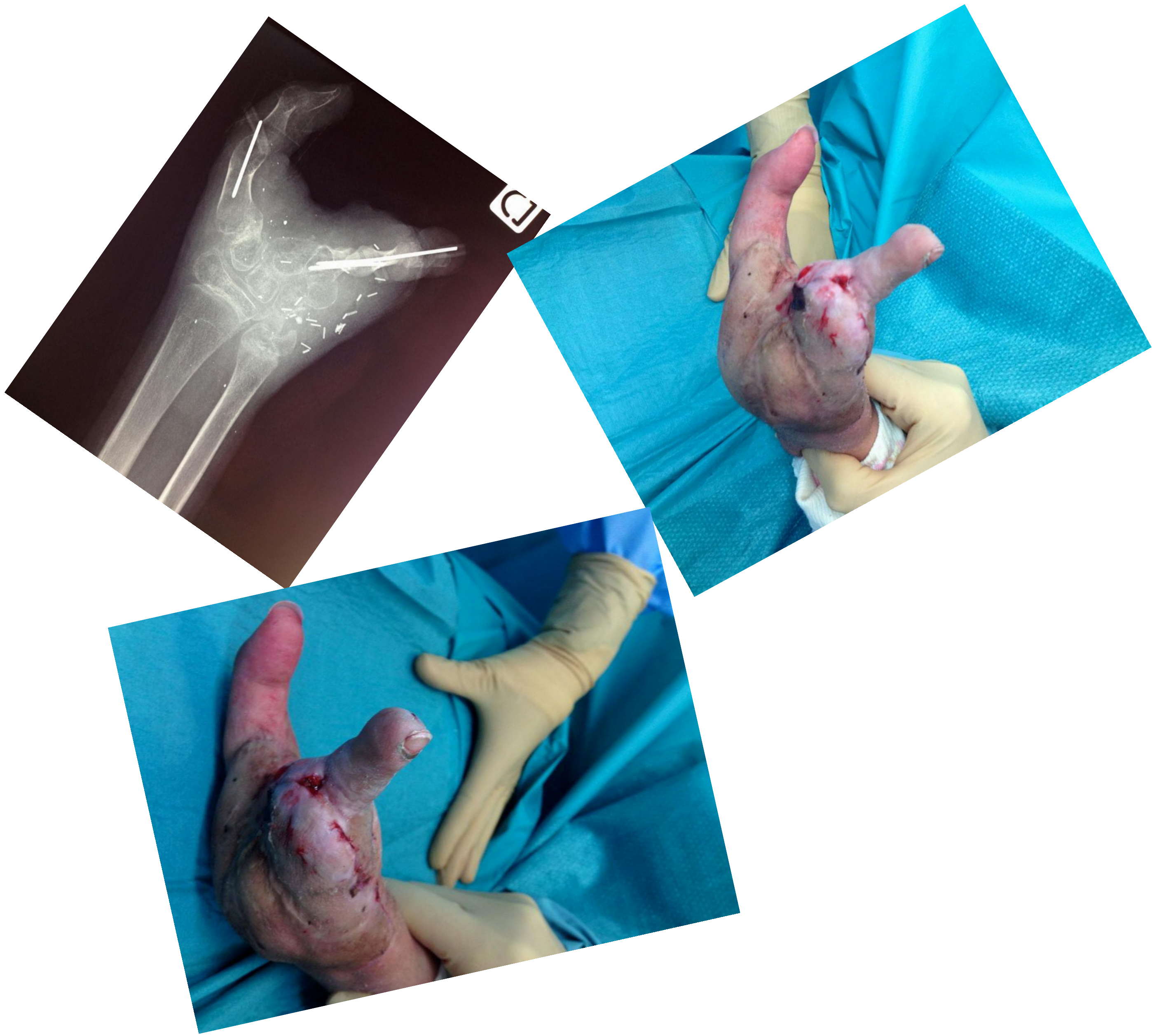
A

fasciectomy + dermofasciectomy + Mac Cash technique
performed by Dr Caroline Leclercq



B

Traumatic digit amputation -Toe to Hand transfer
Performed by Dr Philippe Valenti



A dream, a trip, a course I'll never regret, I'll never forget!