

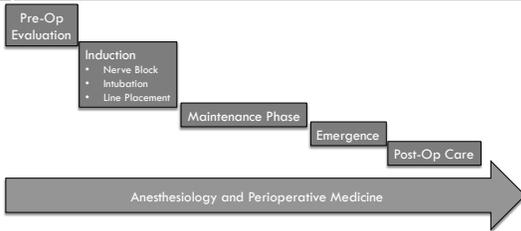
# ROBOTICS IN ANESTHESIA & AIRWAY MANAGEMENT: WHAT DOES THE FUTURE HOLD?

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## Objectives

- The History of Robotics in Anesthesia: An Elemental Approach
- The UF Simulation Experience
  - Fiberoptic Tracheal Intubation
  - Peripheral Nerve Catheter
  - Subclavian CVL Insertion
- Future Directions

## An Elemental Approach



## Preoperative Evaluation

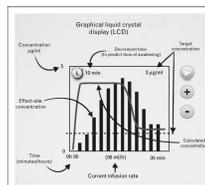
- Northern Ontario Remote Telecommunication Health Network (1998)
- 2 cameras
- Digital stethoscope
- Multi-position exam of airway



Wang DT, Manning D, Sawinski ME, Gu K, Kahn C, Chung F. Preoperative anesthesia consultation using telemedicine technology: a pilot study. Anesthesiology. 2004 Jun; 100(5):1060-1067.

## Maintenance of Anesthesia

- **Target-Controlled Infusion (Schwilden, 1990)**
  - Prevalence of 25% of TIVA in Europe
  - Automatically computes effect-site target concentration
    - 3-compartment model

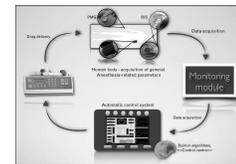


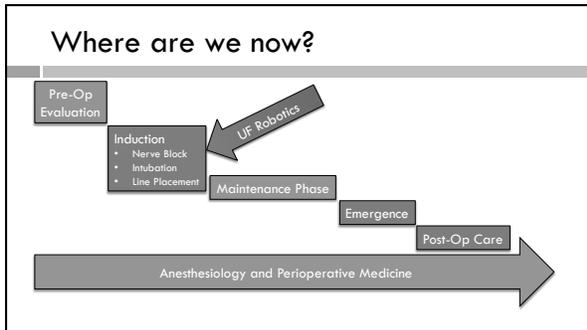
Note the estimated time of emergence if the infusion is stopped.

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- **Closed-Loop Anesthesia**
  - Hemmerling et al from McGill University
  - Automated titration of propofol infusion using EEG-based Bispectral Index (BIS monitor)
  - **McSleepy**



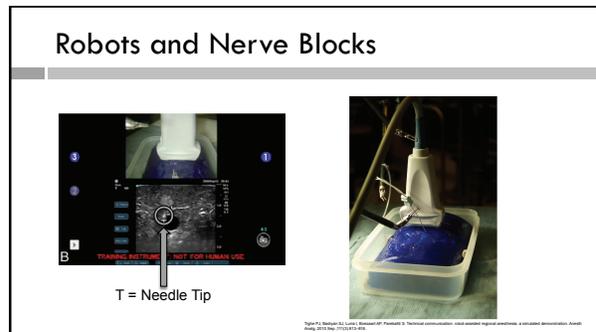
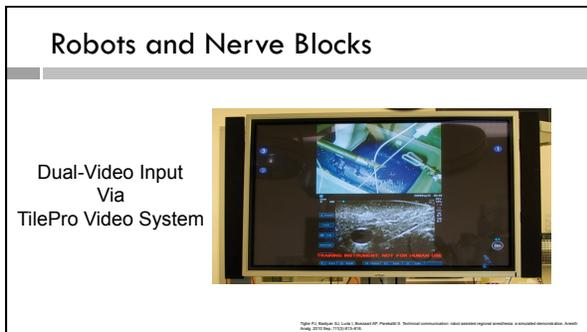
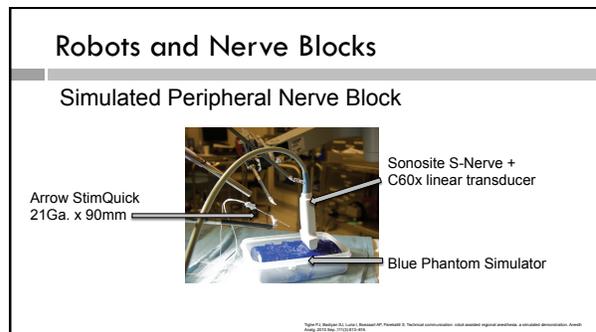
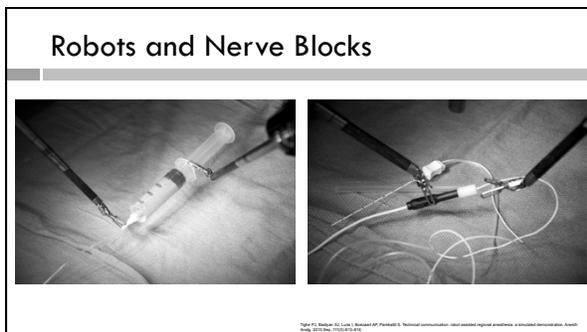


### Robots and Nerve Blocks

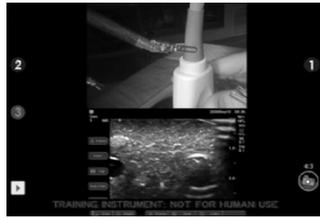
#### Robot-Assisted Regional Anesthesia: A Simulated Demonstration

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### Robots and Nerve Blocks: Single-Shot



### Robots and Nerve Blocks: Catheter

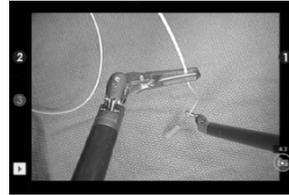


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### Robots and Nerve Blocks: Conclusion

“ This simulation proved that robotic-assisted regional anesthesia is feasible using existing clinical equipment. The DVS easily adapted off-the-shelf equipment for US-guided placement of both single-injection and perineural catheter-based nerve blocks. Additionally, the DVS easily connected and adjusted nerve stimulation equipment, suggesting that similar techniques could be applied to a stimulating needle or catheter-based approach to robotically assisted nerve block. No permanent modifications to robotic or nerve block equipment were required for successful completion of this simulation. ”

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#### Robot-Assisted Airway Support: A Simulated Case

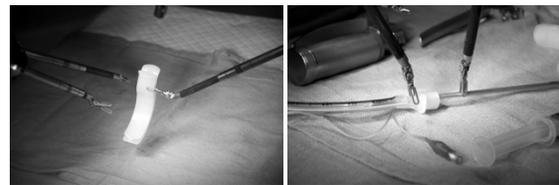
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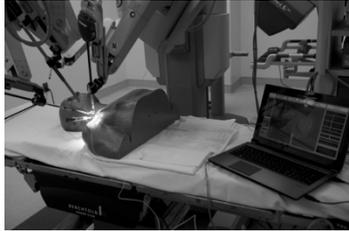
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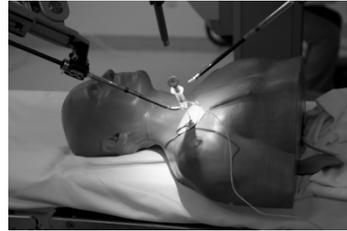
- Site of Placement: Subclavian
- Components to Simulate
  - *Needle positioning*
  - *Catheter placement*

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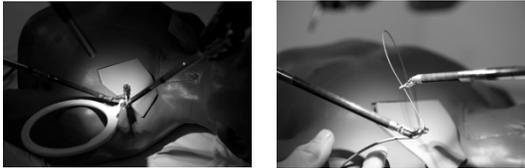
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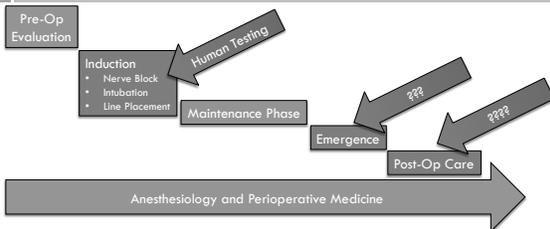
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## Perioperative Robotics!



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