



Surgical Innovations (SI), the designer and manufacturer of creative solutions for Minimally Invasive Surgery ('MIS'), was delighted to welcome Belgian surgeon and Bariatric specialist Denis Pitot to its headquarters in Leeds last week.

The three day visit was organised in line with Surgical Innovation's vision to work closely with national and international surgeons

in order to constantly improve existing products and create new, innovative devices that help surgeons overcome the difficulties they are facing.

The visit included a tour around the manufacturing facilities and an in-depth presentation about the history of SI and the product ranges that we are offering. Dr Pitot also had the opportunity to build a scissor in the Clean Room and give live feedback to the design team at SI, while using the products on the lap trainer facility.

Denis Pitot said: "It is useful for a surgeon to see all the steps behind the design and manufacture of the products and understand how the devices are made."

"Everyone at SI is very friendly and it is obvious that the company has a clear vision of its work and follows its mission."

Denis is currently working as a bariatric surgeon at the CHU Charleroi in Brussels, Belgium and told SI during his visit that he is "very excited to try the 3mm products SI got to offer, especially the 3mm PretzelFlex. 3mm instruments will certainly be better for the patient needs and have a positive impact on the healing process."

Being co-founded by a surgeon, Surgical Innovations understands how essential the constant collaboration between surgeons and engineers is in order to meet the clinical need, which is why we value visits from surgeons like Dr Pitot.