

THURSDAY 2.00-5.00**Minimising the Morbidity of Oesophageal Resection**

14:00	Evolution of surgical treatment: Has morbidity been reduced; has survival been increased? Ruol Alberto , Padova - Italy
14:30	Thoracoscopic esophagectomy: when and how?". Bonavina Luigi , Milan - Italy
15:00	Thoracoscopic or Laparoscopic Esophageal Resection Mendes de Almeida JC. Lisbon - Portugal
15:30	Thoracoscopic Esophagectomy in Prone Position Nieuwenhuijzen, Gard. Eindhoven, Netherlands
16:30	Laparoscopic mobilisation of the stomach for esophageal replacement. Hölscher, Arnulf H. Cologne - Germany
17:00	Laparoscopic or Open Gastroplasty During Transthoracic Esophagectomy Rosati, Riccardo. Milan - Italy

FRIDAY 08:30 - 10:30 Transoral Intraluminal Therapy for GERD Symposium

08:30	Transoral Intraluminal Therapy for GERD. Bouvy, Nicole (Masstricht – The Netherlands)
09:00	Early Clinical and Functional Results of Endoluminal Fundoplication Fumagalli-Romario, Uberto. Milano - Italy
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10:00	COFFEE

FRIDAY 10:30 - 12:30**Barrett's Oesophagus**

10:30	Molecular Insights into Barretts Oesophagus. Fitzgerald, Rebecca C. Cambridge - UK
10:45	New Insights on the Origin of Barrett's Oesophagus. Pera, Manuel Barcelona - Spain
11:00	Animal models of Barrett's and Cancer Attwood, Stephen Teeside - UK
11:15	Stem Cell Biology in Barretts Oesophagus. Jankowski, Janosz Oxford - UK
11:30	Molecular Insights into the Inflammation to Adenocarcinoma Sequence in the Oesophagus" Reynolds, John. Dublin - Ireland
11:45	Endotherapy of HGD and early adenoca. Eil, Christian. Weisbaden - Denmark
12:00	Endoscopic Detection and Diagnosis. Tytgat, GN. Amsterdam, Netherlands
12:15	Invasive cancer is a failure of Barrett's surveillance? Stuart, Robert. Glasgow - UK
12:30	LUNCH

FRIDAY 14:00 - 17:30 Cancer

14:00	Staging oesophageal gastric cancer – how far do we need to go? Alderson, Derek. Birmingham - UK
14:15	Lymph node metastases in early squamous and adenocarcinoma. Hoelscher, Arnulf H. Cologne - Germany
14:30	Sentinel node and nodal metastasis in T1 ACA Oesophagus. Griffin, Michael. Newcastle-upon Tyne - UK
14:45	Predicting Long Term Survival in Patients with Esophageal Adenocarcinoma. Van Lanschot, Jan. Rotterdam - The Netherlands

15:00	Role of Surgery Alone in Oesophageal Cancer. Lerut, Toni. Leuven - Belgium
15:15	The role of Chemoradiotherapy in Oesophageal Cancer. Walsh, Thomas N. Dublin - Ireland
15:30	Neoadjuvant RCTX v. definitive RCTx for esophageal SCC. Stein, Hubert J. Salsburg - Austria
15:45	Non-responder to RCT: Who Will Benefit from Surgery? Triboulet, Jean-Pierre. Lille - France
16:00	COFFEE
16:30	Treatment of Squamous Cell Carcinoma of the Pharyngoesophageal Junction? Mariette, Christophe. Lille - France
16:45	Postoperative complications and mortality: Lessons learned in 1500 patients. Tilanus, Hugo. Rotterdam - The Netherlands
17:00	Reoperative Oesophageal Surgery. Fuchs, Karl H. Frankfurt - Germany
17:15	Two- and multistage esophageal reconstruction after emergency esophagectomies Horvath, Peter Ors. Pecs - Hungary
17:30	The Tom Hennessy Lecture Cancer Management in the Future. O'Sullivan, Gerald C. Cork - Ireland
18:15	General Assembly

SATURDAY 08:30 - 10:30 GERD

08:30	Diagnosing GERD in 2007: pH, Impedance Monitoring, Wireless pH Monitoring? Bredenoord, Albert. Utrecht - The Netherlands
08:45	GERD and FLIP technology. McMahon, Barry. Dublin - Ireland
09:00	From Reflux Event to Symptoms: New Insights in Reflux Composition, Stress, and Mucosal Resistance. Sifrim, Daniel. Leuven - Belgium
09:15	GERD is a Progressive Entity?" Quigley, Eamonn. Cork - Ireland
09:30	GERD is Several Discrete and Non-Progressive Entities?" Labenz, Joachim. Dresden - Germany
09:45	Evolution of GERD Therapy. Tack, Jan. Leuven - Belgium
10:00	Laparoscopic Nissen versus Esomeprazole. Lundell, Lars. Stockholm - Sweden
10:15	Evaluation of total fundoplication by mean of combined mano-impedance. Del Genio, Alberto Naples - Italy
10.30	COFFEE

SATURDAY 11:00 - 13:00 Esophagology in General

11:00	Duodenal Switch for duodeno-gastric reflux. Collard, Jean-Marie. Brussels - Belgium
11:15	Boerhaaves Syndrome. Salo, Jarmo. Helsinki - Finland
11:30	Corrosive Injury to the Upper GI Tract. Horvath, Peter Ors. Pecs - Hungary
11:45	Eosinophilic Esophagitis. Farrell, Richard. Dublin - Ireland

12:15	New techniques for the diagnosis of esophageal motility disorders. Smout, Andre. Utrecht - The Netherlands
12:00	Achalasia medical management 2007 Boeckxstaens Guy. Amsterdam - The Netherlands
12:30	Long term results following Achalasia treatment. Mattioli, Sandro. Bologna - Italy
12:45	Laparoscopic Heller myotomy for esophageal achalasia: Lessons learnt. Zaninotto, Giovanni. Padua - Italy
	"Helicobacter Pylori and GERD: Culprit or Innocent Bystander? Colm O'Morain. Dublin - Ireland
13:00	Metabolic Response on PET Scanning as a Predictor of Response to Chemotherapy in Esophageal Cancer. Ott Katja. Munich - Germany