Sunday, September 18, 2016

18:00 - 19:00  Opening Ceremony  
Room: Garnet 213-218 / Plenary Hall

19:00 - 21:00  President’s Welcome Reception  
Room: Level 2 Foyer
PL01: Plenary Session 1: Epidemiology and Surveillance of Barrett’s Esophagus
Chairs: Kenneth Wang, USA & Prateek Sharma, USA
Room: Garnet 213-218 / Plenary Hall

- PL01.01: Is the rise in incidence of esophageal adenocarcinoma slowing down in the West? - Douglas Corley, USA
- PL01.02: Is the incidence of esophageal adenocarcinoma increasing in the East? - C. S. Pramesh, India
- PL01.03: The role of (central) obesity in the epidemic of esophageal adenocarcinoma - John Reynolds, Ireland
- PL01.04: Time frame of Barrett’s malignant degeneration and discrepancies in surveillance guidelines - Prateek Sharma, USA
- PL01.05: Risk stratification within Barrett surveillance programs to improve cost-effectiveness - Douglas Corley, USA

PL02: Plenary Session 2: Pretreatment Staging of Esophageal Cancer
Chairs: Simon Law, Hong Kong & Mark Ferguson, USA & Shoji Natsugoe, Japan
Room: Topaz 220-225

- PL02.01: How to improve N-staging? - Mark Ferguson, USA
- PL02.02: Is there any role for EUS without FNA/FNB? - Peter Siersema, Netherlands
- PL02.03: Is MRI ready for clinical application? - Richard van Hillegersberg, Netherlands
- PL02.04: New tracers in PET technology to improve sensitivity and specificity - Koji Murakami, Japan
- PL02.05: Need for a new classification system in EG junctional tumors - Christophe Mariette, France

FA01: Featured Abstracts 1: Minimally Invasive Esophagectomy (Malignant)
Chairs: Steven DeMeester, USA & Mark Smithers, Australia
Room: Topaz Concourse

- FA01.01: Survival after minimally invasive versus open oesophagectomy for patients with oesophageal cancer - Jennifer Straatman, Netherlands
- FA01.02: Comparison of minimally invasive esophagectomy with open esophagectomy: nationwide study in Japan - Hiroya Takeuchi, Japan
- FA01.03: Impact of minimally invasive surgery and gastric tube on the quality of life in patients with esophageal cancer - Ming Du, China
- FA01.04: Learning curve of minimally invasive Ivor-Lewis esophagectomy - Frans Workum, Netherlands
- FA01.05: Robot-assisted esophagectomy versus open esophagectomy in esophageal cancer: a propensity score matching study - Chang Hyun Kang, South Korea
• FA01.06: Worldwide trends in surgical techniques in the treatment of esophageal and gastroesophageal junction cancer - Maarten Seesing, Netherlands
• FA01.07: Single-port mediastinoscope-assisted transhiatal esophagectomy for esophageal cancer - Hitoshi Fujiwara, Japan
• FA01.08: Microanatomy-based lymph node dissection around the left recurrent laryngeal nerve for thoracoscopic esophageal cancer surgery - Yasuhiro Shirakawa, Japan

08:00 - 10:00 VS01: Video Session 1: Malignant 1
Chairs: Yuko Kitagawa, Japan & Arnulf Hölscher, Germany
Room: Garnet 212 & 219

• VS01.01: Larynx-preserving surgery for cervical esophageal carcinoma extending around the esophageal orifice - Yasuaki Nakajima, Japan
• VS01.02: Feeding tube insertion through the round ligament of liver and duodenum after esophagectomy - Takashi Ogata, Japan
• VS01.03: Minimal invasive esophagectomy - Arnulf Hölscher, Germany
• VS01.04: Lymphadenectomy with continuous vagus nerve stimulation for recurrent laryngeal nerve monitoring in thoracoscopic esophagectomy - Daniel Tong, Hong Kong
• VS01.05: Minimally invasive Ivor Lewis esophagectomy with intrathoracic stapled side-to-side anastomosis - Min Zhang, China
• VS01.06: Video assisted transcervical upper mediastinal dissection for esophageal carcinoma - Kazuhiko Mori, Japan
• VS01.07: Robot assisted transhiatal lower to medium mediastinal dissection for esophageal carcinoma - Yukinori Yamagata, Japan
• VS01.08: Anatomical feature during upper mediastinal lymph nodes dissection using a trans-bicervical approach under the pneumomediastinum - Yutaka Tokairin, Japan
• VS01.09: Perioperative outcomes of laparoscopic transhiatal esophagectomy with en-bloc dissection of middle and lower mediastinal lymph nodes - Atsushi Shiozaki, Japan

10:00 - 10:30 PS01: Poster Session 1
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10:30 - 12:00 PL03: Plenary Session 3: Detection and Management of Premalignant Barrett Lesions
Chairs: Frank McKeon, USA & Lawrence Ho, Singapore
Room: Garnet 213-218 / Plenary Hall

• PL03.01: Advanced imaging technologies for biopsy-based detection of dysplasia - Kenneth Wang, USA
• PL03.02: Real-time in vivo diagnosis of Barrett’s dysplasia - Vani Konda, USA
- PL03.03: Treatment of Barrett’s dysplasia: RFA versus ESD - Prateek Sharma, USA
- PL03.04: Low grade dysplasia: a convincing indication for endoscopic treatment? - Prateek Sharma, USA
- PL03.05: Robot-assisted endoluminal surgery: where are we? - Lawrence Ho, Singapore

10:30 - 12:00
JS01: Joint Session 1: ISDE-JES Session: Updated Strategies for Management of Esophageal Squamous Cell Carcinoma
Chairs: Hisahiro Matsubara, Japan & Jan van Lanschot, Netherlands & Wentao Fang, China
Room: Topaz 220-225
- JS01.01: Diagnosis and endoscopic treatment - Tsuneo Oyama, Japan
- JS01.02: Surgical treatment - intensive upper mediastinal lymph node dissection - Harushi Udagawa, Japan
- JS01.03: Multimodal treatment for resectable ESCC - Manabu Muto, Japan
- JS01.04: Novel strategies of radiation therapy - Shigeo Yasuda, Japan

10:30 - 12:00
RA01: Regular Abstracts 1: Surgical Treatment 1 (Malignant)
Chairs: John Reynolds, Ireland & Mark van Berge Henegouwen, Netherlands
Room: Topaz Concourse
- RA01.01: Is centralization needed for esophago-gastric cancer patients with low operative risk? A nationwide study - Christophe Mariette, France
- RA01.02: Education level affects treatment allocation in esophageal cancer in Sweden - Gustav Linder, Sweden
- RA01.03: Reducing anastomotic leak rate in Ivor-Lewis oesophagectomy - testing a change from mechanical to semi-mechanical anastomosis - Richard Berrisford, United Kingdom
- RA01.04: University hospital status and prognosis following surgery for esophageal cancer - Sheraz Markar, United Kingdom
- RA01.05: Does neoadjuvant treatment improve survival for oesophageal cancer when a two-field thoraco-abdominal esophagectomy is performed? - Michael Hermansson, Sweden
- RA01.06: Extent of lymph node harvest and survival from esophagectomy: systematic review and meta-analysis - Sheraz Markar, United Kingdom
- RA01.07: Costs of complications after esophagectomy for cancer - Lucas Goense, Netherlands
- RA01.08: Transitioning from thoracoscopic to robotic esophagectomy for esophageal cancer: are there outcome advantages? - Yin Kai Chao, Taiwan
- RA01.09: A delphi consensus study on designing a standardized minimally invasive esophagectomy training program in Europe - Peter van Rossum, Netherlands
10:30 - 12:00
RA02: Regular Abstracts 2: Surgical Treatment 2 (Malignant)
Chairs: Simon Law, Hong Kong & Richard van Hillegersberg, Netherlands
Room: Garnet 212 & 219

- RA02.01: Esophageal adenocarcinoma: impact of a large hiatal hernia on outcomes after surgery - Christophe Mariette, France
- RA02.02: Distribution of lymph node metastases in esophageal adenocarcinoma after neoadjuvant chemoradiation therapy: a prospective cohort study - Suzanne Gisbertz, Netherlands
- RA02.03: The common sites and frequency of lymphatic node metastasis in primary esophageal squamous carcinoma at neck and thoracic locations in China - Pei Nan Chen, China
- RA02.04: Prevalence of micronutrient deficiency following oesophagectomy for cancer of the upper gastrointestinal tract - Piers Boshier, United Kingdom
- RA02.05: Differences in oncologic esophageal surgery in terms of surgical approach and extent of lymphadenectomy: findings of an international survey - Suzanne Gisbertz, Netherlands
- RA02.06: Impact of extent of lymphadenectomy on survival post neoadjuvant chemotherapy and trans-thoracic esophagectomy - Alexander Phillips, United Kingdom
- RA02.07: Flow speed of indocyanine green fluorescence in the gastric conduit predicts the anastomotic leakage after esophagectomy - Kazuo Koyanagi, Japan
- RA02.08: Indocyanine green lymphography-guided thoracic duct ligation for chilothora after esophagectomy - Paolo Parise, Italy
- RA02.09: HALS is associated with less restrictive ventilatory impairment and lower risk for pneumonia in thoracoscopic oesophagectomy - Taro Oshikiri, Japan

12:15 - 13:15
MTE01: Meet the Expert Session 1: Gastroenterology
Chair: John Pandolfino, USA
Room: Topaz Concourse

- MTE01.01: Practical approach to interpretation of esophageal motility tests - John Pandolfino, USA

12:15 - 13:15
MTE02: Meet the Expert Session 2: Multidisciplinary Case Discussion on Management of Esophageal Cancer
Chair: Christophe Mariette, France
Discussants: Yuko Kitagawa, Japan & Donald Low, USA & Gilles Créhange, France & A. Craig Lockhart, USA
Room: Garnet 212 & 219

- MTE02.01: Case 1 - Alexander Phillips, United Kingdom
- MTE02.02: Case 2 - Sjoerd Lagarde, Netherlands

13:30 - 15:30
PL04: Plenary Session 4: Optimization of Neoadjuvant Treatment Regimens
Chairs: Yuko Kitagawa, Japan & Christophe Mariette, France
Room: Garnet 213-218 / Plenary Hall

- PL04.01: Theoretical background of new radiation techniques (protons, cyberknife etc) - Gilles Créhange, France
- PL04.02: Optimal radiation dose in neo-adjuvant radiochemotherapy for esophageal cancer - Maarten Hulshof, Netherlands
- PL04.03: Efficacy versus toxicity of current chemotherapy regimens - Ken Kato, Japan
- PL04.04: Limitation of negative impact on postoperative outcome - John Reynolds, Ireland
- PL04.05: Individualized therapy based on prediction of response - Ken Kato, Japan
- PL04.06: The search for targeted agents: dead end or road to success? - Ken Kato, Japan

13:30 - 15:30  PL05: Plenary Session 5: Achalasia
Chairs: John Pandolfino, USA & Luigi Bonavina, Italy
Room: Topaz 220-225

- PL05.01: Classification of subtypes with focus on clinical relevance - Albert Bredenoord, Netherlands
- PL05.02: Should forceful endoscopic dilation always be tried first? - Peter Kahrilas, USA
- PL05.03: Should treatment choice be guided by subtype classification? - Magnus Nilsson, Sweden
- PL05.04: POEM: relief of dysphagia, but induction of reflux - Payal Saxena, Australia
- PL05.05: Laparoscopic myotomy and anterior hemifundoplication: still standard of care? - David Watson, Australia

13:30 - 15:30  FA02: Featured Abstracts 2: Gastro-Esophageal Reflux Disease (Benign)
Chairs: Richard Holloway, Australia & Prateek Sharma, USA
Room: Topaz Concourse

- FA02.01: Baclofen treatment for rumination syndrome: a double-blind, placebo-controlled, cross-over study - Jan Tack, Belgium
- FA02.02: Electrical stimulation therapy of the LES is effective for refractory GERD- one year results of an international multicenter trial - Peter Siersema, Netherlands
- FA02.03: Waist hip ratio is a better predictor of esophageal acid exposure than body mass index - Claudia Ringhofer, Austria
- FA02.04: Notch signaling in the development of esophageal mucosal damage caused by gastroesophageal reflux: the first report from human model - Yong Yuan, China
- FA02.05: Prevalence of gastro-esophageal acid reflux in benign upper airway stenosis - Edno Bianchi, Brazil
FA02.06: Comparison of impedance planimetry (EndoFLIP®) and videofluoroscopy for the evaluation of esophagogastric junction opening width - Johannes Lenglinger, Switzerland
FA02.07: Endocytoscopic observation of esophagitis - Youichi Kumagai, Japan
FA02.08: One year following laparoscopic sleeve gastrectomy: patients develop severe gastro-esophageal reflux as evaluated by 24h MIIPH - Georgia Doulami, Greece

13:30 - 15:30 RS03: Regular Abstracts 3: Surgical Treatment 3 (Malignant)
Chairs: Donald Low, USA & Harushi Udagawa, Japan
Room: Garnet 212 & 219

RA03.01: Short-term outcomes of minimally invasive sweet esophagectomy for siewert type ? adenocarcinoma of the esophagogastric junction - Ming-ran Xie, China
RA03.02: Characteristics of multiple primary cancers in esophageal squamous cell carcinoma patients treated by esophagectomy: a propensity score matched analysis - Qianwen Liu, China
RA03.03: A comparison of postoperative complications between 2 and 3-fields lymphadenectomy - a propensity score-matched analysis - Kotaro Yamashita, Japan
RA03.04: Neuroendocrine carcinoma of the esophagus: prognostic evaluation of 49 cases with surgical resection - Han-Yu Deng, China
RA03.05: Thoracic and abdominal robotic x MI thoracoscopic esophagectomy: comparison of safety and lymphadenectomy in 127 cases - Rubens Sallum, Brazil
RA03.06: Impact of weekday of esophagectomy on short-term and long-term oncological outcomes - a population-based cohort study in the Netherlands - Els Visser, Netherlands
RA03.07: Prognostic impact of postoperative complications after curative surgery for patients with esophageal squamous cell carcinoma - Hiroshi Saeki, Japan
RA03.08: Narrow gastric tube with diameter smaller than 3cm can reduce postoperative complications of esophagectomy - Jiang Yuequan, China
RA03.09: The concept of upper mediastinal lymph node dissection during thoracoscopic esophagectomy in the prone position - Hiroyuki Daiko, Japan
RA03.10: The lymph node metastasis of esophageal cancer after CCRT: the result of minimal invasive esophagectomy with three field lymph node dissection - Cheng-Hung How, Taiwan
RA03.11: Cervical anastomosis and quality of life of long-term survivor after esophagectomy for cancer - Rita Alfieri, Italy
RA03.12: Surgically treated esophageal cancer developed in a radiated field: impact on peri-operative and long-term outcomes - Sheraz Markar, United Kingdom
15:30 - 16:00   PS01: Poster Session 1
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16:00 - 17:00   PL06: Plenary Session 6: Prognostication in the Era of Neoadjuvant Therapy
Chairs: Jan van Lanschot, Netherlands & Shoji Natsugoe, Japan
Room: Garnet 213-218 / Plenary Hall

- PL06.01: Classical prognosticators after neoadjuvant treatment - Bas Wijnhoven, Netherlands
- PL06.02: What is more important: pre- or post- treatment TNM? - Thomas Rice, USA
- PL06.03: The clinical value of molecular markers - Mark Smithers, Australia
- PL06.04: How to proceed with TNM-8? - Thomas Rice, USA

16:00 - 17:00   JS02: Joint Session 2: ISDE-INoEA Session: Eosinophilic Esophagitis / Paediatric Surgery
Chairs: Prateek Sharma, USA & Margaret Skinner, USA
Room: Topaz 220-225

- JS02.01: Pathogenesis, etiology and diagnosis of eosinophilic esophagitis - Vani Konda, USA
- JS02.02: Natural history and medical treatment options for eosinophilic esophagitis - Albert Bredenoord, Netherlands
- JS02.03: Laparoscopic thal fundoplication in children: a prospective 10- to 15-year follow-up study - David van der Zee, Netherlands
- JS02.04: Thoracoscopic repair for short-gap and long-gap atresia - Hiroo Uchida, Japan
- JS02.05: New guidelines for esophageal atresia - David van der Zee, Netherlands

16:00 - 17:00   FA03: Featured Abstracts 3: Organ Preserving Therapy for Cancer (Malignant)
Chairs: Lawrence Ho, Singapore & Magnus Nilsson, Sweden
Room: Topaz Concourse

- FA03.01: Risk factors of lymph node metastasis for T1aMM - T1bSM1 esophageal squamous cell carcinoma treated by Endoscopic Submucosal Dissection - Nobukazu Yorimitsu, Japan
- FA03.02: Long term prognosis of esophageal SCC treated by ESD - Akiko Takahashi, Japan
- FA03.03: Long term prognosis of Barrett's esophageal adenocarcinoma treated by ESD - Akiko Takahashi, Japan
- FA03.04: Endoscopic submucosal tunnel dissection for large superficial esophageal neoplastic lesions - Junchao Wu, China

16:00 - 17:00   RS04: Regular Abstracts 4: Chemo(radio-)therapy 1 (Malignant)
Chairs: Ken Kato, Japan & Maarten Hulshof, Netherlands
Room: Garnet 212 & 219

- RA04.01: Long-term quality of life after neoadjuvant chemoradiation followed by surgery compared to surgery alone - Bo Jan Noordman, Netherlands
- RA04.02: Multimodality treatment for esophageal adenocarcinoma: multi-center European comparative study - Sheraz Markar, United Kingdom
- RA04.03: Preoperative chemoradiotherapy versus perioperative chemotherapy for esophageal or gastroesophageal junction adenocarcinoma - Pieter van der Sluis, Netherlands
- RA04.04: Perioperative chemotherapy versus neoadjuvant chemoradiotherapy for esophageal or gastroesophageal junction adenocarcinoma - Lucas Goense, Netherlands
- RA04.05: Effect of failure to complete therapy on survival after neoadjuvant chemotherapy or chemoradiotherapy for resectable esophageal cancer - Jeremy Huddy, United Kingdom
- RA04.06: Outcome of planned esophagectomy in clinical responders after definitive chemoradiation in locally advanced squamous cell esophageal cancer - Chadin Tharavej, Thailand

17:00 - 18:00 JS03: Joint Session 3: ESDE-CSDE-JES Joint Video Session
Chairs: Peter Siersema, Netherlands & Zhentao Yu, China & Yuko Kitagawa, Japan
Room: Topaz 220-225

- JS03.01: VATS lymphadenectomy along bilateral recurrent laryngeal nerves - Yuko Kitagawa, Japan
- JS03.02: VATS lymphadenectomy along bilateral recurrent laryngeal nerves - Yongtao Han, China
- JS03.03: Endoscopic resection for esophageal neoplasia - Tsuneo Oyama, Japan
- JS03.04: Endoscopic esophageal submucosal multi-channel dissection for early cancers - Junchao Wu, China
- JS03.05: Laparoscopic repair of a large paraesophageal hernia and antireflux operation - Giovanni Zaninotto, United Kingdom
- JS03.06: Video on a minimally invasive approach to leiomyoma - Luigi Bonavina, Italy

17:00 - 17:30 SS01: Young Member Session
Chairs: Sheraz Markar, United Kingdom & Fredrik Klevebro, Sweden
Room: Topaz Concourse

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08:00 - 10:00  PL07: Plenary Session 7: Optimal Approach in Advanced Esophageal Cancer Surgery  
Chairs: Ulysses Ribeiro Jr., Brazil & Yuichiro Doki, Japan  
Room: Garnet 213-218 / Plenary Hall

- PL07.01: Cervical versus thoracic anastomosis - Simon Law, Hong Kong
- PL07.02: Hybrid minimally invasive procedure (laparoscopy and thoracotomy) - Christophe Mariette, France
- PL07.03: Robotic surgery: good for the patient or only for the surgeon? - Richard van Hillegersberg, Netherlands
- PL07.04: Quality of life after subtotal esophagectomy versus extended gastrectomy - Arnulf Hölscher, Germany
- PL07.05: Extent of lymphadenectomy after neoadjuvant treatment: more or less? - Yuko Kitagawa, Japan
- PL07.06: Totally minimally invasive procedure (laparoscopy and thoracoscopy) - John Hunter, USA

08:00 - 10:00  PL08: Plenary Session 8: Therapy Resistant Non-Achalasia Motor Disorders  
Chairs: John Pandolfino, USA & Albert Bredenoord, Netherlands  
Room: Topaz 220-225

- PL08.01: Functional heart burn - Ronnie Fass, USA
- PL08.02: Non-cardiac chest pain - Jan Tack, Belgium
- PL08.03: Reflux sensitivity - Ronnie Fass, USA
- PL08.04: Globus - John Pandolfino, USA
- PL08.05: The most recent update of the Rome-IV criteria - C Prakash Gyawali, USA
- PL08.06: The role of POEM and sildenafil in non-achalasia motor disorders - C Prakash Gyawali, USA

08:00 - 10:00  FA04: Featured Abstracts 4: Neo-Adjuvant Therapy (Malignant)  
Chairs: Maarten Hulshof, Netherlands & A. Craig Lockhart, USA  
Room: Topaz Concourse

- FA04.01: Anticancer properties of tamoxifen metabolites in esophageal adenocarcinoma cells - Steven Due, Australia
- FA04.02: Phase II randomized study to compare preoperative versus postoperative chemoradiotherapy for resectable locally advanced squamous cell carcinoma of esophagus - Yaping Xu, China
- FA04.03: The severity of complications following esophagectomy after neoadjuvant chemoradiotherapy assessed by the comprehensive complication index - Annelijn Slaman, Netherlands
- FA04.04: Trimodality versus Chemoradiation Therapy alone: the Role of Surgery in Locally Advanced Squamous Cell Carcinoma of Esophagus - Yaping Xu, China
• FA04.05: T2N0: surgical or neoadjuvant approach? - metanalyses - Flavio Roberto Takeda, Brazil
• FA04.06: Pre- and postoperative chemoradiotherapy for locally advanced esophageal squamous cell carcinoma - a propensity score-matched analysis - Po-Kuei Hsu, Taiwan
• FA04.07: Short-term quality of life after neoadjuvant chemoradiation followed by surgery compared to surgery alone - Bo Jan Noordman, Netherlands
• FA04.08: Neoadjuvant therapy for cancer of the oesophagus and gastro-oesophageal junction - Swedish population-based national register data - Fredrik Klevebro, Sweden

08:00 - 10:00 VS02: Video Session 2: Benign
Chairs: C. S. Pramesh, India & Luigi Bonavina, Italy
Room: Garnet 212 & 219

• VS02.01: Patient centred and perioperative outcomes for re-operative interventions following 2 or more antireflux surgeries - Saurabh Singhal, USA
• VS02.02: Results of tailoring the Heller-dor technique using real-time intraoperative HRM - Tania Triantafyllou, Greece
• VS02.03: Single incision multiport laparoscopic Heller's cardiomyotomy - a video presentation - Ramakrishnan Parthasarathi, India
• VS02.04: Laparoscopic vagal sparing transhiatal esophago-gastrectomy with stapled anastomosis for recurrent peptic stricture of esophagus - Natarajan Ramesh, India
• VS02.05: Case-series of Sato’s curved laryngoscope assistant endoscopic surgery for benign diseases around the esophageal orifice - Tomohito Morisaki, Japan
• VS02.07: Thoracoscopic retrieval of impacted foreign bodies in esophagus - Natarajan Ramesh, India
• VS02.08: A novel methylene blue staining technique for localizing small esophageal leiomyomas during thoracoscopic enucleation - Yongde Liao, China
• VS02.09: Video-assisted thoracoscopic enucleation of the giant leiomyoma of the esophagus - Aung Myint Oo, Singapore

10:00 - 10:30 PS02: Poster Session 2
Room: Level 2 Foyer

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10:30 - 12:00 PL09: Plenary Session 9: Management of Clinically Complete Responders after Neoadjuvant Treatment
Chairs: Maarten Hulshof, Netherlands & Jimmy So, Singapore
Room: Garnet 213-218 / Plenary Hall
• PL09.01: Accuracy of clinically complete response assessment - Arnulf Hölscher, Germany
• PL09.02: Active surveillance in clinically complete responders after nCRT - Jan van Lanschot, Netherlands
• PL09.03: Results of salvage surgery after active surveillance - Thomas Walsh, Ireland
• PL09.04: Quality of life and patients' preferences - Thomas Walsh, Ireland

10:30 - 12:00  JS04: Joint Session 4: ESDE Session: Multicenter, Randomized Trials in Esophageal Disease in Europe
Chairs: Manuel Pera, Spain & Peter Siersema, Netherlands & Keneng Chen, China
Room: Topaz 220-225

• JS04.01: Electrical stimulation therapy of the lower esophageal sphincter for refractory gastroesophageal reflux disease - Sham-controlled trial - Peter Siersema, Netherlands
• JS04.02: Radiotherapy dose escalation in definitive chemoradiotherapy for esophageal cancer (50.4 Gy vs. 64 Gy) - Gilles Créhange, France
• JS04.03: MAGIC vs. CROSS in junctional adenocarcinoma - John Reynolds, Ireland
• JS04.04: Timing of resective surgery after neoadjuvant chemoradiotherapy in cancer of the esophagus or gastric cardia - Magnus Nilsson, Sweden
• JS04.05: Clinically complete response vs pathologically complete response after neoadjuvant chemoradiotherapy - Jan van Lanschot, Netherlands
• JS04.06: Surgery vs. Surveillance in responders to CRT in esophageal cancer - Laurent Bedenne, France & Christophe Mariette, France

10:30 - 12:00  RA05: Regular Abstracts 5: Barretts Esophagus: Non-Invasive Neoplasia: Diagnosis and Treatment (Benign)
Chairs: Simon Law, Hong Kong & Kenneth Wang, USA
Room: Topaz Concourse

• RA05.01: Single cell clonal analysis reveals pre-determined malignant potential in non-dysplastic Barrett's esophagus - Sheila Krishnadath, Netherlands
• RA05.02: Development of a risk prediction model for Barrett's oesophagus - a case-control study - Colin Ireland, Australia
• RA05.03: Detection of Barrett's neoplasia in esophageal cells using infrared spectroscopy - Hugh Barr, United Kingdom
• RA05.04: In-depth analysis of Wnt/?-catenin-signalling molecules in the Barrett's esophagus - René Thieme, Germany
• RA05.05: Cholecystectomy-related bile reflux induces chronic esophageal mucosal injury - Thomas Walsh, Ireland
RA05.06: Clinical characterization of 1128 esophageal benign tumor in China - Wei Li Han, China
RA05.07: Esophago-gastric junction dilation in achalasia patients using a balloon with integrated impedance planimetry imaging (EsoFLIP®) - Johannes Lenglinger, Switzerland
RA05.08: The clinical significance of a hiatal hernia - Bengt Wallner, Sweden

10:30 - 12:00 RA06: Regular Abstracts 6: Perforation, Esophageal Motility Disorders, and GERD (Benign)
Chairs: S. Michael Griffin, United Kingdom & John Pandolfino, USA
Room: Garnet 212 & 219

- RA06.01: Lessons from a quarter of century treating esophageal perforations: a proposal of a decision-making algorithm - Hugo Santos Sousa, Portugal
- RA06.02: Management of esophageal perforation: validation of a severity score - Hugo Santos Sousa, Portugal
- RA06.03: Prospective evaluation of outcome after cardiomyotomy for achalasia using the Chicago classification - Peter Hamer, Australia
- RA06.04: Influence of national centralization of esophageal cancer upon the mortality from other emergency esophageal conditions - Sheraz Markar, United Kingdom
- RA06.05: Changes of acidity in the gastric tube after esophagectomy for esophageal cancer - Kazutaka Kadoya, Japan
- RA06.06: A randomized clinical trial comparing resection versus bypass procedure for corrosive esophageal strictures - Nihar Dash, India
- RA06.07: Outcome of colon Interposition with pharyngocolonic anastomosis in corrosive pharyngoesophageal strictures - Chadin Tharavej, Thailand
- RA06.08: Oesophageal physiology findings in 98 patients with recurrent dysphagia post-achalasia treatment: retest before re-treating - Joanne Ooi, United Kingdom

12:15 - 13:15 SS02: President’s Invited Lecture
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13:30 - 15:30 PL10: Plenary Session 10: Management of Disseminated or Irresectable Esophageal Cancer
Chairs: Ken Kato, Japan & John Reynolds, Ireland
Room: Garnet 213-218 / Plenary Hall

- PL10.01: Role of induction chemotherapy for distant lymphatic dissemination - A. Craig Lockhart, USA
- PL10.02: Surgical resection of oligometastatic disease in distant organs - S Michael Griffin, United Kingdom
- PL10.03: Surgical resection after chemoradiation for T4-disease - Donald Low, USA
PL10.04: Lessons to be learned from other malignancies (colorectal, breast, ovarian etc.) - A. Craig Lockhart, USA

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PL11: Plenary Session 11: Esophageal Emergencies
Chairs: C. S. Pramesh, India & Arnulf Hölscher, Germany
Room: Topaz 220-225

- PL11.01: Benchmarking the incidence of complications after esophagectomy - Donald Low, USA
- PL11.02: Current management of lye and acid ingestion - Ulysses Ribeiro Jr., Brazil
- PL11.03: Etiology and treatment of the black esophagus - Bas Wijnhoven, Netherlands
- PL11.04: Esophageal perforation: role for endoluminal stenting? - Peter Siersema, Netherlands
- PL11.05: Esophageal perforation: drainage, endosponge, local repair or deviation? - S Michael Griffin, United Kingdom

FA05: Featured Abstracts 5: Pathology and Prognostication (Malignant)
Chairs: Thomas Rice, USA & Thomas Walsh, Ireland
Room: Topaz Concourse

- FA05.01: Impact of extracapsular lymph node involvement after neoadjuvant therapy followed by surgery in carcinoma of the esophagus: a multicenter study - Lieven Depypere, Belgium
- FA05.02: The importance of neoadjuvant down staging for prognostication in carcinoma of the esophagus and gastro-esophageal junction - Maziar Navidi, United Kingdom
- FA05.04: Log odds of positive lymph nodes is a novel prognostic indicator for advanced ESCC after surgical resection - Zhentao Yu, China
- FA05.05: Prognostic value of the circumferential resection margin in esophageal cancer patients after neoadjuvant chemoradiotherapy - Lieven Depypere, Belgium
- FA05.06: Prognostic impact of the location of lymph node metastases of distal esophageal or gastro-esophageal junctional adenocarcinoma - Maarten Anderegg, Netherlands
- FA05.07: Can limit lymph node dissection be acceptable for clinical node negative squamous cell carcinoma of the esophagus? - Yasunori Akutsu, Japan
- FA05.08: Efficacy of lymph node dissection by node zones according to tumor location for esophageal squamous cell carcinoma - Yuji Tachimori, Japan

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RA07: Regular Abstracts 7: Others (Malignant) & Esophageal Function Testing (Benign)
Chairs: Mark Ferguson, USA & Peter Kahrilas, USA
Room: Garnet 212 & 219
RA07.01: Impact of waiting time to treatment on survival in esophageal cancer patients - a nation-wide cohort study in the Netherlands - Els Visser, Netherlands
RA07.02: The female patients with esophageal squamous cell carcinoma have a dramatic prolonged survival than male patients in Northern China - Xin Song, China
RA07.03: pN category for esophageal squamous cell carcinoma should be redefined based on the number of lymph node stations - Xiayu Fu, China
RA07.04: Elevated preoperative derived neutrophil-to-lymphocyte ratio predicts poor clinical outcome in patients with esophageal cancer - Zihui Tan, China
RA07.05: Induction therapy improve survival for clinical stage T3N0 esophageal cancer: a nationwide study - Chih Yi Chiang, Taiwan
RA07.06: Is quality of life different in upper GI malignancy patients treated with chemoradiotherapy with or without surgery? - Lauren O'Connell, Ireland
RA07.07: Clinical epidemiological changes and 5 year survival for 529 patients with primary esophageal small cell carcinoma in China - Tang Juan Zhang, China
RA07.08: Training in oesophageal cancer surgery does not compromise patient outcomes - Alexander Phillips, United Kingdom
RA07.09: Ambulatory high resolution oesophageal manometry: a novel tool to investigate noncardiac chest pain - Joanne Ooi, United Kingdom
RA07.10: The differences of manometric factors based on BMI classified - Shunsuke Akimoto, USA
RA07.11: Sensitivity and specifity of impedance planimetry (EndoFLIP®) to reveal functional or structural esophago-gastric junction pathology - Patricia Handschuh, Austria
RA07.12: New classification for LES-complex based on physiology - Shunsuke Akimoto, USA

15:30 - 16:00 PS02: Poster Session 2
Room: Level 2 Foyer
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16:00 - 17:00 PL12: Plenary Session 12: Giant Hiatal Hernia
Chairs: Mark Ferguson, USA & Steven DeMeester, USA
Room: Garnet 213-218 / Plenary Hall

- PL12.01: Advantages and risks of mesh repair - Ross Roberts, New Zealand
- PL12.02: Indications and results of redo surgery - Luigi Bonavina, Italy
• PL12.04: Impact of giant hiatal hernia repair on pulmonary function - Luigi Bonavina, Italy

16:00 - 17:00  JS05: Joint Session 5: ISDE-CSDE Session: Esophageal Squamous Cell Carcinoma: From Mass Screening to Advancing Multimodality Therapy
Chairs: Long-Qi Chen, China & Lawrence Ho, Singapore & Tiehua Rong, China
Room: Topaz 220-225

• JS05.01: Long-term follow-up study of endoscopy screening program: effect on mortality and incidence of esophageal cancer - Wen-Qiang Wei, China
• JS05.02: Advances in treatment modality for esophageal cancer in China: analysis of a national registry database - You-Sheng Mao, China
• JS05.03: The expression of miRNA in predicting the sensitivity to neoadjuvant therapy for esophageal carcinoma and associated mechanism - Hong Yang, China
• JS05.04: Integrated data from high incidence areas of China supports the lymph node station based N staging and lymphadenectomy for esophageal squamous cell carcinoma - Yin Li, China
• JS05.05: Progression and practice of minimally invasive esophagectomy for esophageal cancer in China - Lijie Tan, China

16:00 - 17:00  FA06: Featured Abstracts 6: Achalasia (Benign)
Chairs: Giovanni Zaninotto, United Kingdom & Albert Bredenoord, Netherlands
Room: Topaz Concourse

• FA06.01: Type of achalasia is a predictor of re-intervention after laparoscopic Heller myotomy - Siva Raja, USA
• FA06.02: Increased OGJ distensibility after laparoscopic Heller's myotomy is associated with the severity of post-operative heartburn - Andrei Ilczyszyn, United Kingdom
• FA06.03: Correlation between findings of timed barium esophagogram and post-operative symptoms in patients with achalasia - Se Ryung Yamamoto, Japan
• FA06.04: Incidence of achalasia in South Australia: a cohort study based on esophageal manometry - Jaime Duffield, Australia

16:00 - 17:00  RA08: Regular Abstracts 8: Early Cancer (Malignant)
Chairs: Vani Konda, USA & Christophe Mariette, France
Room: Garnet 212 & 219

• RA08.02: Long-term outcome after endoscopic resection for esophageal squamous cell carcinoma invading to the muscularis mucosa (pT1a-MM) - Takuya Hombu, Japan
• RA08.03: Prevalence of lymph node metastasis and extend of lymphadenectomy in pT1 esophageal squamous cell carcinoma - Han Tang, China
- RA08.04: Nomogram for predicting lymph node metastasis for patients with T1 esophageal carcinoma?a SEER population-based study - Su Yang, China
- RA08.05: Long-term prognosis of esophageal squamous cell carcinoma invading muscularis mucosae: a comparison between ER and radical surgery - Kenro Kawada, Japan
- RA08.06: Comparison of long term outcomes of esophagectomy and chemo-radiotherapy applied after endoscopic resection of pT1b esophageal cancer - Tsuyoshi Tanaka, Japan

18:30 - 19:30 Gala Dinner Reception
Location: Gardens by the Bay / Waterview Room

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08:00 - 10:00  PL13: Plenary Session 13: Gastro-Esophageal Reflux Disease
Chairs: Peter Kahrilas, USA & David Watson, Australia
Room: Garnet 213-218 / Plenary Hall

- PL13.01: The multifactorial pathogenesis of GERD - Peter Kahrilas, USA
- PL13.02: State of the art medical treatment - Peter Kahrilas, USA
- PL13.03: Novel pharmacological opportunities - Richard Holloway, Australia
- PL13.04: Pharmacological intervention in the acid pocket - Jan Tack, Belgium
- PL13.05: Definition and diagnostic work-up of refractory GERD - Steven DeMeester, USA

08:00 - 10:00  PL14: Plenary Session 14: Basic Science & Technology
Chairs: Donald Low, USA & Lawrence Ho, Singapore
Room: Topaz 220-225

- PL14.01: Cellular origins of Barrett's esophagus: Diagnostic and therapeutic implications - Frank McKeon, USA
- PL14.02: Cancer stem cells in Barrett's adenocarcinoma - Kenneth Wang, USA
- PL14.03: Tissue engineering of oesophagus: current status and challenges - Kerm Sin Chian, Singapore
- PL14.04: What is the future perspective OF surgical research? Report on web-based international database - Donald Low, USA
- PL14.05: Smart handling of big data for personalized medicine - Kevin White, USA

08:00 - 10:00  FA07: Featured Abstracts 7: Perioperative Management (Malignant)
Chairs: S. Michael Griffin, United Kingdom & Bas Wijnhoven, Netherlands
Room: Topaz Concourse

- FA07.01: Early oral feeding following McKeown minimally invasive esophagectomy: a randomized controlled study - Yin Li, China
- FA07.02: Improving postoperative management after esophagectomy for cancer positively affects patients - health providers relationship - Rita Alfieri, Italy
- FA07.03: Preoperative inspiratory muscle training to prevent postoperative pneumonia in esophagectomy patients (PREPARE trial): a multicenter RCT - Karin Valkenet, Netherlands
- FA07.04: Systematic review of the role of routine contrast studies in detecting post esophagectomy anastomotic leak - Cuong Duong, Australia
- FA07.05: Application of an ERAS standardized pathway for perioperative management of esophagectomy - Paolo Parise, Italy
- FA07.06: Study on safety and feasibility of early removal of nasogastric tube with thin gastric conduit following thoracolaparoscopic esophagectomy - Rong Hua, China
- FA07.07: Pulmonary vagotomy aggravates LPS induced lung injury in rats - Maarten Seesing, Netherlands
- FA07.08: The effect of physical activity on the risk of Barrett's oesophagus and oesophageal adenocarcinoma. A UK prospective cohort study - Stephen Lam, United Kingdom

08:00 - 10:00 VS03: Video Session 3: Malignant 2
Chairs: Long-Qi Chen, China & John Hunter, USA
Room: Garnet 212 & 219
- VS03.01: Minimally invasive robotic thoraco- laparoscopic esophagectomy - Jelle Ruurda, Netherlands
- VS03.02: Intrathoracic reconstruction for lower esophageal cancer using gastric conduit under the prone position - Masato Kondo, Japan
- VS03.03: A case of thoracic esophageal cancer in a diverticulum, which was resected during combined thoracoscopic-endoscopic surgery - Takuo Takehana, Japan
- VS03.04: Esophagectomy and lymphadenectomy for thoracic esophageal cancer with a double aortic arch: a case report - Reijiro Saito, Japan
- VS03.05: Esophageal cancer resection and complete situs inversus: left-sided thoracosopic approach in the prone position - Tetsuji Nobuhisa, Japan
- VS03.06: Feasibility of performing esophageal endoscopic submucosal dissection (ESD) using the master and slave transluminal endoscopic robot (MASTER) - Nobuyoshi Takeshita, Singapore
- VS03.07: Techniques and short-term outcomes for minimally invasive Ivor Lewis esophageal resection in distal esophageal and junction cancers - Jennifer Straatman, Netherlands
- VS03.08: Modified technology of thoracoscopic esophagogastric anastomosis in minimally invasive esophagectomy - Yun Wang, China
- VS03.09: Operative outcomes of laparoscopic gastric mobilization in esophagectomy for esophageal cancer - Nobuaki Kaibe, Japan

10:00 - 13:00 Networking Break
Room: Level 2 Foyer

10:30 - 12:00 PL15: Plenary Session 15: Gastro-Esophageal Reflux Disease
Chairs: Peter Kahrilas, USA & David Watson, Australia
Room: Garnet 213-218 / Plenary Hall
- PL15.01: Can the magnetic ring compete with conventional surgery? - Steven DeMeester, USA
- PL15.02: Combined pH-impedance monitoring in nonresponders to PPI - Richard Holloway, Australia
- PL15.03: Endoluminal treatment options - John Hunter, USA
- PL15.04: Partial fundoplication to avoid the side effects of Nissen - David Watson, Australia

10:30 - 12:00  
**PL16: Plenary Session 16: Diseases of the Esophagus Festival**  
Chairs: Giovanni Zaninotto, United Kingdom & Neil Gupta, USA  
Room: Topaz 220-225

- PL16.01: Early oral feeding following McKeown minimally invasive esophagectomy: a randomized controlled study - Yin Li, China
- PL16.02: Survival after minimally invasive versus open oesophagectomy for patients with oesophageal cancer - Jennifer Straatman, Netherlands
- PL16.03: Pulmonary vagotomy aggravates LPS induced lung injury in rats - Maarten Seesing, Netherlands
- PL16.04: Influence of national centralization of esophageal cancer upon the mortality from other emergency esophageal conditions - Sheraz Markar, United Kingdom
- PL16.05: Diagnosis of Type-I hiatal hernia: a comparison of high-resolution manometry and endoscopy - Steven DeMeester, USA

10:30 - 12:00  
**RA09: Regular Abstracts 9: Chemo(radio-)therapy 2 (Malignant)**  
Chairs: Maarten Hulshof, Netherlands & Manabu Muto, Japan  
Room: Topaz Concourse

- RA09.01: Neoadjuvant cisplatin/5-FU improves pathologic complete response and survival compared to carboplatin/paclitaxel in esophageal cancer - Kelly Haisley, USA
- RA09.02: Complex role of miR-148a in drug resistance, tumor cell survival and metastatic potential in ESCC - Ann-Kathrin Mueller, Germany
- RA09.03: The effect of perioperative chemotherapy for patients with an adenocarcinoma of the gastroesophageal junction: a propensity matched analysis - Peter van Rossum, Netherlands
- RA09.04: Anatomical distribution of residual tumors in esophageal cancer patients with near pathological complete response - Chang-Yo Tsai, Taiwan
- RA09.05: Prognosis of patients with esophageal cancer who achieve pathological complete response after chemoradiotherapy: a nationwide study - Yin Kai Chao, Taiwan
- RA09.06: High expression of homeobox C6 is correlated with chemotherapy sensitivity in esophageal squamous cell carcinoma patients - Ke-neng Chen, China
- RA09.07: Systemic effect of chemotherapy for head and neck squamous cell cancer on co-existing esophageal squamous cell cancer - Shiko Seki, Japan
- RA09.08: A network meta-analysis of the treatment strategies for resectable oesophageal carcinoma - Guang Yim, United Kingdom
• RA09.09: Salvage PDT for local failure after chemoradiotherapy for esophageal cancer - Manabu Muto, Japan

10:30 - 12:00  RA10: Regular Abstracts 10: Basic Research, Difficult Case, and New Diagnostic Modalities (Malignant)
Chair: Jan Tack, Belgium & Philippe Nafteux, Belgium
Room: Garnet 212 & 219

• RA10.01: Clinico-molecular study of synchronous head and neck squamous cell carcinoma (HNSCC) and esophageal squamous cell carcinoma (ESCC) - Somkiat Sunpaweravong, Thailand
• RA10.02: Prognostic significance of programmed death-1 and programmed death-ligand 1 expression in patients with esophageal squamous cell carcinoma - Dan Su, China
• RA10.03: CD151 gene and protein expression provides independent prognostic information in patients with esophageal adenocarcinoma - Oliver Fisher, Australia
• RA10.04: Clinical significance of circulating tumor cells in esophageal squamous cell carcinoma - Daisuke Matsushita, Japan
• RA10.05: Importance of serum SCC-Ag level as a surrogate marker in esophageal cancer patients undergoing esophagectomy after neoadjuvant chemotherapy - Yoshihiro Nabeya, Japan
• RA10.06: The analysis method of the histological effect of heavy ion radiotherapy for esophageal cancer using 11C-methionine PET-CT - Shinichi Okazumi, Japan
• RA10.07: Metabolic tumor volume of 18FDG-PET/CT promises to evaluate the esophageal cancer response to neoadjuvant chemotherapy - Yukiko Tani, Japan
• RA10.08: Diagnostic laparoscopy in the staging of esophagogastric cancer: a meta-analysis - Flavio Roberto Takeda, Brazil
• RA10.09: Accuracy of ultrasound in the diagnosis of cervical lymph node metastasis in esophageal cancer: a meta-analysis - Xue-Feng Leng, China