

Programme

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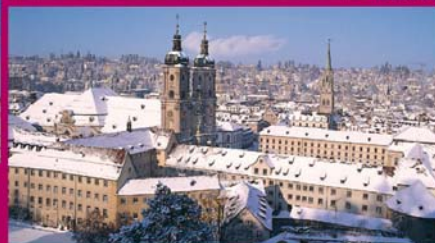
3rd St. Gallen International Gastrointestinal Cancer Conference: Primary Therapy of Early GI Cancer Focus on Pancreatic and Biliary Cancer

Under the auspices of EORTC

10–12 March 2016, St. Gallen/Switzerland



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Thursday, 10 March 2016

- 08.00 – 08.30 h **Opening**
- Welcome on behalf of SONK (Florian Otto, Switzerland)
 - Welcome on behalf of EORTC (Manfred Lutz, Germany)
- 08.30 – 10.00 h **Session 1: Cystic Neoplasms of the Pancreas**
Chairs: Jean-Charles Nault (France), Arnaud Roth (Switzerland)
- Discriminating pancreatic cystic neoplasms: histopathological and molecular features (Irene Esposito, Germany)
 - Differential diagnosis of pancreatic cystic neoplasms (Myriam Delhaye, Belgium)
 - Clinical relevance of pancreatic cystic neoplasms: treatment or watchful waiting? (Beat Gloor, Switzerland)
- 10.00 - 10.30 h Coffee break, poster exhibition, exhibition
- 10.30 – 12.00 h **Session 2: Biliary Tract - Extrahepatic Cholangiocarcinoma I**
Chairs: Daniela Aust (Germany), Florian Lordick (Germany)
- Molecular differences between intra- and extrahepatic cholangiocarcinoma (Jean-Charles Nault, France)
 - Patterns of recurrence after surgery for extrahepatic cholangiocarcinoma (Stefan Stättner, Austria)
 - Adjuvant chemotherapy for extrahepatic cholangiocarcinoma (John Bridgewater, UK)
- 12.00 – 12.30 h **Keynote I: Molecular biology of pancreatic cancer** Manuel Hidalgo, Spain
Chair: Florian Lordick (Germany)
- 14.00 – 15.30 h **Session 3: Biliary Tract - Extrahepatic Cholangiocarcinoma II**
Chairs: Rob Glynn-Jones (UK), Karin Haustermans (Belgium)
- Surgical approach to perihilar cholangiocarcinoma - improvement with neoadjuvant therapy? (Thomas Grünberger, Austria)
 - Improved outcome in extrahepatic cholangiocarcinoma with radiation therapy? (Gian Carlo Mattiucci, Italy)
 - Photodynamic therapy- adjunct to or replacement for surgery (Gernot Wolkersdörfer, Austria)
- 15.30 – 16.00 h Coffee break, poster exhibition, exhibition
- 16.00 – 17.30 h **Session 4: Cancer of the Ampulla of Vater**
Chairs: Irene Esposito (Germany), Markus Möhler (Germany)
- Histopathological differential diagnosis of ampullary cancer (Daniela Aust, Germany)
 - Molecular biology of ampullary cancer – is it all the same? (Pierre Laurent-Puig, France)
 - Diagnosis and endoscopic treatment of ampullary cancer (Thierry Ponchon, France)

Friday, 11 March 2016

- 08.30 – 10.00 h **Session 5: Understanding Pancreatic Cancer**
Chairs: Michel Ducreux (France), Jens Werner (Germany)
- Epidemiology and risk factors of pancreatic cancer (Patrick Maisonneuve, France)
 - Genetic predisposition for pancreatic cancer and opportunities for early detection (Marco Bruno, The Netherlands)
 - Prevention and screening in pancreatic cancer (Julia Mayerle, Germany)
- 10.00 – 10.30 h Coffee break, poster exhibition, exhibition
- 10.30 – 12.00 h **Session 6: Resectable Pancreatic Cancer**
Chairs: John P. Neoptolemos (UK), n.n.
- Why is there such little chance for cure in early pancreatic cancer? (Jens Werner, Germany)
 - Improving outcome: A case for neoadjuvant radiochemotherapy (Karin Haustermans, Belgium)
 - Improving outcome: A case for neoadjuvant chemotherapy (Thomas T. W. Seufferlein, Germany)
- 12.00-12.30 h **Keynote II: Complex roles of the stroma in pancreatic cancer**
Andrew Rhim, USA
Chair: John P. Neoptolemos (UK)
- 12.45 - 13.45 h Industry sponsored satellite symposium
- 12.30 - 14.00 h Lunch break, poster exhibition, exhibition
- 14.00 – 15.30 h **Session 7: Borderline Resectable Pancreatic Cancer**
Chairs: Theo Ruers (The Netherlands), Thomas T. W. Seufferlein (Germany)
- Making inoperable pancreatic cancer operable: is it worth the toxicity? (Jean-Robert Delpero, France)
 - Surgical exploration after preoperative therapy (Bruno M. Schmied, Switzerland)
 - Resection of metastases: a useful experiment? (Markus W. Büchler, Germany)
- 15.30 - 16.00 h Coffee break, poster exhibition, exhibition
- 16.00 – 17.30 h **Session 8: Improving Outcome in Pancreatic Cancer**
Chairs: Jean Luc van Laethem (Belgium), Bruno M. Schmied (Switzerland)
- Post-operative supportive care: improving quality of life (Marc Martignoni, Germany)
 - Additive strategies after R1 resection (Florence Huguet, France)
 - The future of adjuvant therapy (John P. Neoptolemos, UK)

Saturday, 12 March 2016

- 09.00 – 12.30 **Special session**
International St. Gallen Consensus: Optimal primary therapy of pancreatic cancer
Seeking consensus on evidence and opinions about the optimal treatment of pancreatic cancer
Chairs: Manfred Lutz (Germany) and John Zalcborg (Australia)
Secretary: Michel Ducreux (France)
- 10.30 – 11.00 Coffee break
- Special session (continuation):**
St. Gallen gastrointestinal cancer experts' consensus panel 2016:
Seeking consensus on evidence and opinions about optimal treatment of pancreatic cancer
- 12.30 Farewell