

# Scientific programme

**Wednesday, 19 October 2022**

## *Breast*

### **Educational Workshop: Breast Educational Workshop: Moving forward in breast cancer surgery**

09:00 - 11:00

Room A

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Chair: Lynda Wyld (United Kingdom)

Co-chair: Nicola Rocco (Italy)

09:00 **The end of wired localization system in breast cancer surgery**

Speaker: Isabel T. Rubio (Spain)

09:20 **Arm reverse mapping- preventing lymphedema**

Speaker: Suzanne Klimberg (USA)

09:40 **Low-risk DCIS: best treatment to avoid overtreatment**

Speaker: Frederieke van Duijnhoven (Netherlands)

10:00 **MDT perspectives on de-escalation**

Speaker: Carmela Caballero (Belgium)

10:20 **Listening to patient perspective and experience before and after breast cancer surgery**

Speaker: TBC

10:40 **PP**

10:50 **PP**

## *Colorectal*

### **Educational Workshop: Colorectal Educational Workshop: The low rectal anastomosis**

09:00 - 11:00

Room B

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Chair: Geerard Beets (Netherlands)

Co-chair: TBC

- 09:00      **How to make a good low anastomosis (video)**  
Speaker: TBC
- 09:20      **The pull-through coloanal anastomosis (video)**  
Speaker: Sebastiano Biondo (Spain)
- 09:40      **Peri-operative care and the low anastomosis**  
Speaker: Elaine Burns (United Kingdom)
- 10:00      **Anastomotic leak and pelvic sepsis**  
Speaker: TBC
- 10:20      **Prevention and treatment of LARS**  
Speaker: Quentin Denost (France)
- 10:40      **The patient perspective on functional outcome**

### *H&N/Thyroid*

## **Educational Workshop: H&N/Thyroid Educational Workshop: Innovations in Thyroid / Head & Neck Surgery**

09:00 - 11:00

Room C

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- Chair: Kerstin Lorenz (Germany)  
Co-chair: Gilles Dolivet (France)
- 09:00      **Use of fluorescence-based techniques in thyroid cancer surgery**  
Speaker: Frédéric Triponez (Switzerland)
- 09:20      **Augmented reality in head and neck surgery**  
Speaker: Gilles Dolivet (France)
- 09:40      **Surgical techniques for recurrent laryngeal nerve repair**  
Speaker: Nada Santrac (Serbia)
- 10:00      **Endoscopic techniques in thyroid cancer**  
Speaker: Joaquín Gómez-Ramírez (Spain)
- 10:20      **Indeterminate Thyroid Nodules: The Revolution of Risk Stratification Beyond Cytological Diagnosis**  
Speaker: Pablo Valderrábano (Spain)
- 10:40      **PP**
- 10:50      **PP**

### *General*

## **Plenary Lecture: Opening & Lifetime Achievement Award**

11:00 - 12:00

Room A

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- 11:00      **Opening Address: ESSO President**  
Speaker: Domenico D'Ugo (Italy)
- 11:10      **Opening Address: Congress Chair**  
Speaker: Serge Evrard (France)
- 11:20      **Opening Address: ESSO 41 Scientific Chair**  
Speaker: Isabel T. Rubio (Spain)
- 11:30      **Presentation of the ESSO Lifetime Achievement Award**  
Speaker: Domenico D'Ugo (Italy)
- 11:35      **Award Lecture: Is there a surgical oncology?**  
Speaker: Graeme Poston (United Kingdom)

*Sponsored Sessions*

**Satellite Symposium: Satellite Symposium 1**

12:15 - 13:30

Room A

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*Sponsored Sessions*

**Satellite Symposium: Satellite Symposium 2**

12:15 - 13:30

Room B

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*Transversal*

**Young Mentorship Session: Mentorship session: Mentorship in Surgical Oncology**

12:15 - 13:30

Room C

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- 12:15      **Topic 1: Changing the norm towards gender equity in surgery**  
Speaker: Helen Mohan (Australia)

- 12:15      **Topic 2: Mentorship 2022 - the present and future**  
Speaker: Roger Olofsson Bagge (Sweden)
- 12:15      **Topic 3: Pros & Cons of traditional training**  
Speaker: Riccardo A. Audisio (Sweden)

*Transversal*

**Scientific Symposium: Robotic Surgery Scientific Symposium**

13:30 - 15:00

Room A

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- Chair: Richard van Hillegersberg (Netherlands)  
Co-chair: Helen Mohan (Australia)
- 13:30      **Robotic Surgery in upper GI for cancer**  
Speaker: Richard van Hillegersberg (Netherlands)
- 13:50      **Robotic colorectal surgery for cancer**  
Speaker: Jim Khan (United Kingdom)
- 14:10      **Robotic HPB surgery for cancer**  
Speaker: Moritz Schmezle (Germany)
- 14:30      **Robotic lobectomy for lung cancer**  
Speaker: Jean Marc Baste (France)
- 14:50      **Discussion or PP**

*Breast*

**Scientific Symposium: ESSO/SFCO Breast Scientific Symposium: Axillary treatment de-escalation after neoadjuvant chemotherapy**

13:30 - 15:00

Room B

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- Chair: Jean-Marc Classe (France)  
Co-chair: Isabel T. Rubio (Spain)
- 13:30      **Neoadjuvant setting: In case of cN+ to ypN1(mic):Is there a need for lymphadenectomy?**  
Speaker: Thorsten Kühn (Germany)
- 13:50      **Neoadjuvant setting: In case of cN0 to ypN1(mic):Axillary surgery depending on molecular subtypes?**  
Speaker: TBC

- 14:10 **Adjuvant setting: In case of mastectomy pN1(mic): Axillary lymphadenectomy or radiation therapy? Question of Surgery**  
Speaker: TBC
- 14:30 **Adjuvant setting: In case of mastectomy pN1(mic): Axillary lymphadenectomy or radiation therapy? Question of Radiation** Speaker: TBC
- 14:50 **PP**

### ***HPB***

#### **Educational Workshop: HPB Educational Workshop: Immunotherapy in HPB cancers**

13:30 - 15:00

Room C

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- Chair: Stefan Stättner (Austria)  
Co-chair: Florian Primavesi (Austria)
- 13:30 **Radiation therapy in HPB cancers current status. Future ... potentialization of immunotherapy**  
Speaker: TBC
- 13:50 **Surgery in locally advanced pancreatic cancer – when and how**  
Speaker: Elena Rangelova (Sweden)
- 14:10 **The Future of Precision Medicine in the Management of Pancreatic Cancer**  
Speaker: Michel Ducreux (France)
- 14:30 **PP**
- 14:40 **PP**
- 14:50 **PP**

### ***Colorectal***

#### **Scientific Symposium: Colorectal Scientific Symposium: Lymph nodes and colorectal cancer**

15:00 - 16:30

Room A

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- Chair: Sebastiano Biondo (Spain)  
Co-chair: TBC

- 15:00 **Risk of lymph node metastases in early rectal cancer**  
Speaker: Eric Rullier (France)
- 15:15 **Can radiotherapy sterilize mesorectal and extramesorectal lymph nodes? (15')**  
Speaker: TBC
- 15:30 **Complete mesocolic excision**  
Speaker: Helen Mohan (Australia)
- 15:45 **Low ligation IMA: rationale and indication**  
Speaker: TBC
- 16:00 **PP**
- 16:10 **PP**
- 16:20 **PP**

*Transversal*

**Scientific Symposium: Scientific Symposium: Young cancer patient pregnancy & fertility**

15:00 - 16:30

Room B

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- Chair: Pompiliu Piso (Germany)  
Co-chair: Delia Cortes Guiral (Saudi Arabia)
- 15:00 **Emotional support for patients and families**  
Speaker: TBC
- 15:20 **Preserving fertility in cancer patients**  
Speaker: Beate Rau (Germany)
- 15:40 **Adolescent and young adult program**  
Speaker: TBC
- 16:00 **Discussion**
- 16:10 **PP**
- 16:20 **PP**

*Melanoma*

**Scientific Symposium: Melanoma Scientific Symposium: Optimal locoregional management in the era of effective systemic therapies**

15:00 - 16:30

Room C

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- Chair: Jos van der Hage (Netherlands)  
Co-chair: Sandra Wong (USA)
- 15:00 **Locoregional therapies for melanoma**  
Speaker: Andréa Cavalcanti (France)
- 15:20 **Neo-adjuvant systemic therapy (NAST) for melanoma**  
Speaker: Roger Olofsson Bagge (Sweden)
- 15:40 **Surgery for stage IV melanoma**  
Speaker: Myles Smith (United Kingdom)
- 16:00 **PP**
- 16:10 **PP**
- 16:20 **PP**

*UGI*

**Debate: UGI Debate: Cytoreductive surgery for peritoneal metastatic gastric cancer**

17:00 - 18:30

Room A

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- Chair: Jan Willem Van Den Berg (United Kingdom)  
Co-chair: Beate Rau (Germany)
- 17:00 **Speaker in favour**  
Speaker: TBC
- 17:20 **Speaker against**  
Speaker: Florian Lordick (Germany)
- 17:40 **Discussion & voting**
- 18:00 **PP**
- 18:10 **PP**
- 18:20 **PP**

*Transversal*

**Scientific Symposium: Scientific Symposium: Women in Surgery:  
#Breakingthebarriers**

17:00 - 18:30

Room B

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Chair: Isabel T. Rubio (Spain)  
Speaker: Lynda Wyld (United Kingdom)  
Speaker: Suzanne Klimberg (USA)  
Speaker: Graeme Poston (United Kingdom)  
Speaker: Jos van der Hage (Netherlands)  
Speaker: Carmela Caballero (Belgium)  
Speaker: Sandra Wong (USA)  
Speaker: TBC

*PSM*

**Scientific Symposium: Peritoneal Scientific Symposium: The basis of intraperitoneal chemotherapy: basic/translational research**

17:00 - 18:30

Room C

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Chair: Olivia A Sgarbura (France)  
Co-chair: Wim Ceelen (Belgium)

17:00 **Current translational objectives in colorectal cancer**  
Speaker: Wim Ceelen (Belgium)

17:20 **Radiomics in PM: improving detection**

17:40 **How can we improve the role of perioperative detection?**  
Speaker: Delia Cortes Guiral (Saudi Arabia)

18:00 **PP**

18:10 **PP**

18:20 **PP**

*General*

**Social Programme: Welcome Reception & Poster Viewing**

18:30 - 20:00

Room A

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## Thursday, 20 October 2022

### *Breast*

#### **Meet the Expert Session: Breast Meet-the-expert session: How to tailor breast cancer surgery for young patients.**

08:00 - 09:00

Room A

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Chair: Isabel T. Rubio (Spain)

08:00 **Tailoring surgical options for young patients**

Speaker: Fabien Reyat (France)

08:20 **Managing secondary effects of endocrine therapy treatments. what breast surgeons need to know**

Speaker: Lynda Wyld (United Kingdom)

08:40 **Discussion**

### *Colorectal/HPB*

#### **Meet the Expert Session: Colorectal / HPB Meet-the-expert session: Decision making in stage IV rectal cancer**

08:00 - 09:00

Room B

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Chair: Geerard Beets (Netherlands)

Co-chair: Michel Rivoire (France)

08:00 **The metastatic disease treatment. impact on survival**

Speaker: Michel Rivoire (France)

08:15 **The primary tumor treatment. Impact on symptom control and quality of life**

Speaker: Elaine Burns (United Kingdom)

08:30 **Short clinical cases to highlight the problems**

**Panel of experts**

Speaker: Graeme Poston (United Kingdom)

Speaker: Michel Rivoire (France)

Speaker: Elaine Burns (United Kingdom)

Speaker: Geerard Beets (Netherlands)

Speaker: Andres Cervantes (Spain)  
Speaker: Michel Ducreux (France)

***UGI***

**Meet the Expert Session: UGI Meet-the-expert session: Esophageal carcinoma Mini-invasive surgery**

08:00 - 09:00

Room C

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Chair: Guillaume Piessen (France)

Co-chair: Carlo Castoro (Italy)

Co-chair: Laura Lorenzon (Italy)

08:00 Speaker: Richard van Hillegersberg (Netherlands)

***H&N/Thyroid***

**Meet the Expert Session: H&N / Thyroid Meet-the-expert session: Salvage surgery, rescue surgery (challenging cases)**

08:00 - 09:00

Room D

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Chair: Joaquín Gómez-Ramírez (Spain)

Co-chair: Nada Santrac (Serbia)

08:00 Speaker: TBC

***Sarcoma***

**Meet the Expert Session: Sarcoma Meet-the-expert session: 2 clinical cases of extremity sarcoma**

08:00 - 09:00

Room E

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Chair: Fiore Marco (Italy)

- 08:00      **Case presentation**  
Speaker: Alessandro Gronchi (Italy)
- 08:15      **Case presentation**  
Speaker: Sylvie Bonvalot (France)
- 08:30      **Discussion**

### *Melanoma*

#### **Meet the Expert Session: Melanoma Meet-the-expert session**

08:00 - 09:00

Room F

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Chair: Roger Olofsson Bagge (Sweden)  
Co-chair: Yvonne Schrage (Netherlands)  
Speaker: Dirk Grünhagen (Netherlands)

### *HPB*

#### **Scientific Symposium: HPB Scientific Symposium: Management of liver oligo-metastatic disease**

09:00 - 10:30

Room A

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- Chair: Michel Rivoire (France)  
Co-chair: Andres Cervantes (Spain)
- 09:00      **Resection for liver oligo-metastatic disease – current evidence and patient selection**  
Speaker: Hassan Malik (United Kingdom)
- 09:20      **Transplantation for liver oligo-metastatic disease (outside HCC)**  
Speaker: Cristina Dopazo (Spain)
- 09:40      **Non-surgical treatment for liver oligo-metastatic disease (OLIGOCARE registry)**  
Speaker: TBC
- 10:00      **PP**
- 10:10      **PP**
- 10:20      **PP**

*UGI*

**Scientific Symposium: UGI Scientific Symposium: Oligometastatic and locally advanced esophageal cancer**

09:00 - 10:30

Room B

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Chair: Richard van Hillegersberg (Netherlands)

Co-chair: Caroline Gronnier (France)

09:00 **Definition and treatment perspectives for oligometastatic UGI cancer**

Speaker: Jan Willem Van Den Berg (United Kingdom)

09:20 **Multimodality treatment and timing for conversion surgery**

Speaker: Domenico D'Ugo (Italy)

09:40 **Translating new data with immunotherapy to locally advanced and oligometastatic cancer**

Speaker: Florian Lordick (Germany)

10:00 **PP**

10:10 **PP**

10:20 **PP**

*Transversal*

**Educational Workshop: Anticancer Fund/Dragon's Den: Clinical research in surgical oncology: good practices & new ideas**

09:00 - 10:30

Room C

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Chair: Andreas Brandl (Germany)

Chair: Gauthier Bouche (Belgium)

09:00 **Part 1 – 40 min (09:00 – 09:40): Keynote: surgical trials methodology**

Speaker: Deborah Stocken (United Kingdom)

09:20 **Developing a surgical trial: Learning from a pancreatic cancer surgical trial**

Speaker: André Mihaljevic (Germany)

09:20 **Developing a surgical trial: learning from a sarcoma surgical trial**

Speaker: Sylvie Bonvalot (France)

- 09:40      **Part 2 - 50 min (9:40-10:30)**  
Jury: Wim Ceelen (Belgium), Laura Lorenzon (Italy), Deborah Stocken (United Kingdom)
- 09:40      **1. 3 trial proposals, a) Trial 1**
- 09:55      **1. 3 trial proposals, b) Trial 2**
- 10:10      **1. 3 trial proposals, c) Trial 3**
- 10:25      **2. Conclusion & prize announcement**

*General*

**Plenary Lecture: Presidential session & ESSO medal**

11:00 - 12:00

Room A

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- Chair: Domenico D'Ugo (Italy)  
Co-chair: Isabel T. Rubio (Spain)
- 11:00      **Presidential address**  
Speaker: Domenico D'Ugo (Italy)
- 11:10      **President-elect address**  
Speaker: Isabel T. Rubio (Spain)
- 11:30      **Presentation of the award**  
Speaker: Isabel T. Rubio (Spain)
- 11:35      **Award lecture: Title TBC**  
Speaker: Suzanne Klimberg (USA)

*Breast*

**Debate: Breast Debate: cT3 breast cancer can be safely treated with breast conservative surgery after neoadjuvant treatment**

12:00 - 13:00

Room A

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- Chair: Suzanne Klimberg (USA)  
Co-chair: Fabien Reyal (France)
- 12:00      **Speaker in favor**  
Speaker: Frederieke van Duijnhoven (Netherlands)
- 12:15      **Speaker against**  
Speaker: Thorsten Kühn (Germany)

12:30 **Discussion & voting**  
12:40 **PP**  
12:50 **PP**

### *PSM*

#### **Debate: Peritoneal Debate: PIPAC in peritoneal metastatic gastric**

12:00 - 13:00

Room B

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Moderator: Kusamura Shigeki (Italy)  
Moderator: Delia Cortes Guiral (Saudi Arabia)

12:00 **Should we design trials specific to peritoneal metastases of gastric cancer?**  
Speaker: TBC

12:15 **PIPAC in peritoneal metastatic gastric cancer – PIPAC or not PIPAC (i.e. IV only): Pro: when, what, how often, sequentially to CTx**  
Speaker: Marc Pocard (France)

12:30 **PIPAC in peritoneal metastatic gastric cancer – PIPAC or not PIPAC (i.e. IV only): contra: mol. marker based CTx**  
Speaker: Florian Lordick (Germany)

12:45 **Discussion & voting**

### *Melanoma*

#### **Debate: Melanoma Debate: Is there any role for CLND?**

12:00 - 13:00

Room C

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Moderator: Dirk Grünhagen (Netherlands)

12:00 **Pro**  
Speaker: Jos van der Hage (Netherlands)

12:15 **Contra**  
Speaker: Sandra Wong (USA)

12:30 **Vote & discussion**

12:50 **PP**

*Sponsored Sessions*

**Satellite Symposium: Satellite Symposium 3**

13:15 - 14:15

Room A

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*Sponsored Sessions*

**Satellite Symposium: Satellite Symposium 4**

13:15 - 14:15

Room B

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*Sponsored Sessions*

**Satellite Symposium: Satellite Symposium 5**

13:15 - 14:15

Room C

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*Transversal*

**Plenary Lecture: Plenary transversal session: The second victim**

14:15 - 15:15

Room A

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Chair: Isabel T. Rubio (Spain)

Co-chair: Serge Evrard (France)

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**What is the second victim?**

Speaker: Pompiliu Piso (Germany)

14:35

**Should I speak open about my failure?**

Speaker: Geerard Beets (Netherlands)

14:55

**Prevention of burn-out in surgeon**

Speaker: Andreas Brandl (Germany)

*Sarcoma*

**Scientific Symposium: Sarcoma Scientific Symposium: Challenges in sarcoma for surgical oncologists**

15:15 - 16:45

Room A

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Chair: Sylvie Bonvalot (France)

Co-chair: Myles Smith (United Kingdom)

15:15 **Indication of surgery in desmoids**

Speaker: Fiore Marco (Italy)

15:35 **Difficult decisions in surgery for GIST**

Speaker: Yvonne Schrage (Netherlands)

15:55 **Histology tailored surgical approach to retroperitoneal sarcoma**

Speaker: Dimitri Tzanis (France)

16:15 **PP**

16:25 **PP**

16:35 **PP**

*Colorectal*

**Debate: Colorectal Debate: Organ preservation in Rectal Cancer**

15:15 - 16:45

Room B

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Chair: TBC

Co-chair: Elaine Burns (United Kingdom)

15:15 **History of organ preservation in rectal cancer**

Speaker: Eric Rullier (France)

15:35 **Risks of organ preservation**

Speaker: Geerard Beets (Netherlands)

15:45 **Debate: How to increase response rates?: More radiotherapy**

Speaker: TBC

15:55 **Debate: how to increase response rates?: More systemic therapy**

Speaker: Michel Ducreux (France)

16:05 **Discussion**

16:15 **PP**



16:25 PP  
16:35 PP

### *H&N/Thyroid*

## **Scientific Symposium: H&N / Thyroid Scientific Symposium: Thyroid cancer: towards individualized treatment in thyroid cancer; shifting paradigms?**

15:15 - 16:45

Room C

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Chair: Jos van der Hage (Netherlands)  
Co-chair: Nada Santrac (Serbia)

15:15 **Sentinel lymph node biopsy in thyroid cancer. Should we incorporate it into our daily practice?**  
Speaker: Nada Santrac (Serbia)

15:35 **Management of low-risk papillary carcinoma, less is more?**  
Speaker: Kerstin Lorenz (Germany)

15:55 **“Extension of prophylactic surgery in Medullary thyroid carcinoma. Calcitonin levels are still useful?”**  
Speaker: Joaquín Gómez-Ramírez (Spain)

16:15 PP  
16:25 PP  
16:35 PP

### *Transversal*

## **Debate: Debate: Personalized cancer treatment**

17:15 - 18:15

Room A

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Chair: Pompiliu Piso (Germany)  
Co-chair: Beate Rau (Germany)

17:15 **Personalized cancer treatment using biologic information**  
Speaker: Andres Cervantes (Spain)

17:35 **Personalized surgical cancer treatment using artificial intelligence**  
Speaker: Eric Vibert (France)

17:55      **Discussion & voting**

*H&N/Thyroid*

**Debate: H&N/Thyroid Debate: Robotic Surgery: Do we need more evidence before starting a robotic surgery programme in Thyroid/Head & Neck Surgery?**

17:15 - 18:15

Room B

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Moderator: Frédéric Triponez (Switzerland)

17:15      **Speaker in favour**

Speaker: TBC

17:35      **Speaker against**

Speaker: Kerstin Lorenz (Germany)

17:55      **Discussion & voting**

*HPB*

**Debate: HPB Debate: Minimally invasive surgery : utile or futile?**

17:15 - 18:15

Room C

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Chair: Serge Evrard (France)

Co-chair: Cristina Dopazo (Spain)

17:15      Speaker: Stefan Stättner (Austria)

17:25      **Speaker in favour**

Speaker: Florian Primavesi (Austria)

17:40      **Speaker against**

Speaker: Graeme Poston (United Kingdom)

17:55      **Discussion & Voting**

*General*

**Miscellaneous: General Assembly**

18:15 - 19:30

Room A

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# Friday, 21 October 2022

## *Breast*

### **Educational Workshop: Breast Education Workshop: Improving Oncoplastic Surgery**

08:30 - 10:00

Room A

Chair: Ashutosh Kothari (United Kingdom)

Co-chair: Frederieke van Duijnhoven (Netherlands)

08:30 **VR breast cancer reconstruction tool for a better planification of complex oncoplastic surgery**

Speaker: Fabien Reyal (France)

08:45 **Large resection volumes, is OPS the option to preserve the breast?**

Speaker: Walter Weber (Switzerland)

09:00 **Textured or smooth implants: what are we dealing with?**

Speaker: Nicola Rocco (Italy)

09:15 **Discussion**

09:30 **PP**

09:40 **PP**

09:50 **PP**

## *UGI*

### **Educational Workshop: UGI Educational Workshop: Surgical approaches of Siewert type II tumors: current indications, tips & tricks including minimally invasive approach**

08:30 - 10:00

Room B

Chair: Caroline Gronnier (France)

Co-chair: Domenico D'Ugo (Italy)

08:30 **Hybrid Minimally Invasive Esophagectomy for Esophageal Cancer**

Speaker: Guillaume Piessen (France)

- 08:50 **Total gastrectomy extended to esophagus: reconstruction options**  
Speaker: Stefan Moenig (Germany)
- 09:10 **Comparison of Ivor-Lewis and Sweet esophagectomy for esophageal carcinoma**  
Speaker: Carlo Castoro (Italy)
- 09:30 **Discussion**

*PSM*

**Educational Workshop: Peritoneal Educational Workshop: Locoregional therapy Intraperitoneal Chemotherapy**

08:30 - 10:00

Room C

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- Chair: Florian Lordick (Germany)  
Co-chair: Beate Rau (Germany)
- 08:30 **PIPAC - How I do it**  
Speaker: Olivia A Sgarbura (France)
- 08:45 **HIPEC - How I do it**  
Speaker: Artur Reis (Brazil)
- 09:00 **NIPEC - How I do it**  
Speaker: Kusamura Shigeki (Italy)
- 09:15 **Surgery - How to improve the quality of the surgery?**  
Speaker: Andreas Brandl (Germany)
- 09:30 **Discussion**

*Colorectal*

**Debate: Colorectal Debate: The best way forward in TME resection is...**

10:00 - 11:00

Room A

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- Chair: Helen Mohan (Australia)  
Co-chair: Quentin Denost (France)
- 10:00 **Robotic surgery**  
Speaker: Jim Khan (United Kingdom)
- 10:15 **Transanal TME**  
Speaker: Antonino Spinelli (Italy)

10:30 **Discussion**  
10:40 **PP**  
10:50 **PP**

*Transversal*

**Scientific Symposium: Partner Societies' Session, Surgical Oncology  
Workforce in adverse situations**

10:00 - 11:00

Room C

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Chair: Domenico D'Ugo (Italy)  
Co-chair: Isabel T. Rubio (Spain)

10:00 **French society of surgical oncology (SFCO)**  
Speaker: Jean-Marc Classe (France)

10:15 **Ukrainian society of surgical oncology (USSO)**  
Speaker: TBC

10:30 **American society of surgical oncology (SSO)**  
Speaker: Sandra Wong (USA)

10:45 **European society of surgical oncology (ESSO)**  
Speaker: Domenico D'Ugo (Italy)

*Sarcoma*

**Debate: Sarcoma Debate: PRO/CONTRA neo-adjuvant Chemotherapy in  
soft tissue sarcoma**

10:00 - 11:00

Room C

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Moderator: Sandra Wong (USA)

10:00 **Speaker in favour (15' + 5' rebuttal)**  
Speaker: Alessandro Gronchi (Italy)

10:20 **Speaker against (15' + 5' rebuttal)**  
Speaker: Sylvie Bonvalot (France)

10:40 **Vote and discussion**

10:50 **PP**

*Colorectal/HPB*

**Educational Workshop: Colorectal/HPB Educational Workshop: Optimal management of stage IV rectal cancer**

11:30 - 13:00

Room A

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Chair: Cristina Dopazo (Spain)

Co-chair: Jim Khan (United Kingdom)

11:30 **Sequencing of medical/clinical oncological treatments in margin threatened stage IV rectal cancer**

Speaker: Andres Cervantes (Spain)

11:50 **Resection of metastatic disease with rectal cancer (not only liver)**

Speaker: Stefan Stättner (Austria)

12:10 **Which tumour board: hpb, colorectal, or both?**

Speaker: Quentin Denost (France)

12:20 **PP**

12:40 **PP**

12:50 **PP**

*Transversal*

**Educational Workshop: Educational Session: TBC**

11:30 - 13:00

Room B

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*Breast*

**Debate: Breast Debate: Challenging breast surgery**

11:30 - 13:00

Room B

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Chair: Riccardo A. Audisio (Sweden)

Co-chair: Carmela Caballero (Belgium)

- 11:30 **Risk reducing bilateral mastectomy in mutation carriers > 65 years old. Is it indicated? Speaker in favour**  
Speaker: Ashutosh Kothari (United Kingdom)
- 11:45 **Risk reducing bilateral mastectomy in mutation carriers > 65 years old. Is it indicated? Speaker against**  
Speaker: Lynda Wyld (United Kingdom)
- 12:00 **Discussion**
- 12:10 **Locoregional treatment in metastatic breast carcinoma - Speaker in favour**  
Speaker: Jean-Marc Classe (France)
- 12:25 **Locoregional treatment in metastatic breast carcinoma - Speaker against**  
Speaker: Walter Weber (Switzerland)
- 12:40 **Discussion**
- 12:50 **PP**

*General*

**Plenary Lecture: Congress Highlights & Closing Remarks**

13:00 - 13:30

Room A

- Chair: Domenico D'Ugo (Italy)  
Co-chair: Serge Evrard (France)
- 13:00 **Key figures of ESSO 41 (abstracts, registrations)**
- 13:03 **Best Proffered Paper Award, Best Poster Award, ESBQ Surgical Oncology exam medal**
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- 13:08 **Highlights in HPB/Colorectal cancer surgery**  
Speaker: TBC
- 13:13 **Highlights in breast cancer surgery**  
Speaker: Carmela Caballero (Belgium)
- 13:18 **Highlights in gastric cancer/PSM**  
Speaker: TBC
- 13:23 **Highlights in melanoma/sarcoma/H&N**
- 13:28 **Closing Remarks**