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WELCOME MESSAGE

Dear Friends,

It is a great honour that Valladolid, Spain has been chosen by the ESTS to organise the forthcoming Annual Meeting of our Society in 2010.

Valladolid, Castile y Leon's capital, has more than 500,000 inhabitants; its international airport and high speed-train make it an inland destination that is easily accessible to everyone wishing to discover it.

Valladolid, where once the Kings and Queens held court, today is a modern city with an impressive monumental and artistic heritage that visitors can explore in different manners. Among others, the College of Santa Cruz and the University square hold the original University building, the Cathedral designed by Juan de Herrera and the church of the Antigua. Other important monuments are the National Sculpture Museum of San Gregorio, the church of San Pablo with its excellent facade, the Palace of Pimentel, where Philip II was born, and the Royal Palace. More than 20,000 students visit Valladolid's renowned university, which can look back on a rich history dating back to the XIIIth century.

The ESTS Meeting will take place at Valladolid Congress Centre, a modern architectural complex that regularly hosts important socio-economic and scientific events, ideally complemented by a wide range of hotels of various categories, most of them near the centre.

As for the social activities, the Welcome Reception will be held in the Congress Centre. Meanwhile, the Gala Dinner will be held at the Spanish Contemporary Art Museum which is located in one of the three cloisters of the San Benito monastery, built during the XIVth century.

The province of Valladolid's cultural heritage bears exceptional witness to its history: palaces and noble houses, monasteries, churches and castles, Roman paved roads and bridges from different eras and styles can all be visited following different province tourism routes. In addition, a wine tourism route lets more and more people discover our wineries around the city every year: on the banks of the river Duero, surrounded by vineyards and hills, world-famous wineries as well as towns are located, offering visitors a chance to experience traditional local flavours.

We hope that all participants will thoroughly enjoy their stay in our city during the next ESTS Annual Meeting 2010. We are waiting for you.

Mariano García Yuste, MD
Chairman LOC



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Colleagues, Dear Friends,

What is the reason for travelling around the globe to meet with a group of people being equally busy with helping another group of people in need? You could probably read a few papers and get access to just about all of the information that will be communicated at these conferences. As a bonus, reading is faster than speaking, so you could probably see double the information in half the time. Don't think like this. This international meeting on General Thoracic Surgery offers to you:

New Ideas – we are not only talking about what works today, we are also talking about where things are going. You are guaranteed to come away with many things to try, usually too many to start on right away. **Sharing what works** – there are endless opportunities to talk to other people who face the exact same problems as you do. Not only do you learn from others, you can form networks of people to talk with throughout the year. **Re-energising** – you can be exhausted at the end of a meeting, but when you get back to the office you are off and running. And don't forget about the opportunity to exchange ideas on a personal level and off protocol and the chance to meet with friends and their partners enjoying attractive locations and learning about other ways of living and working.

ESTS has tried to meet all of these aspects during the past years and we may say we really had a good time and very positive feedback from participants. In fact, ESTS has become the home of the vast majority of General Thoracic Surgeons in Europe and has grown to be the biggest medical society dedicated to this specialty in the world. We are proud of this development, but it is less the success of a few people, a concept or a society, it's the precipitation of a commonly felt need for an international emancipation and homing of specialists to the good of our patients.

The ESTS annual meeting 2010 will host an absolute novelty and highlight, a postgraduate course organised by three scientific societies – ESTS, AATS and STS. International top speakers from both sides of the Atlantic will work together to give lectures on various hot topics in General Thoracic Surgery for your convenience.

Why Valladolid? Many of our colleagues prefer attending meetings in exclusive venues, somewhat outside of busy metropolises, and combining the settings of modern convention centres with ancient and modern culture, beautiful historical architecture, delicacies of the local cuisine and beautiful surroundings. Valladolid is a charming city and certainly a perfect place to meet at, discuss and enjoy. I personally want to invite you to join us for some memorable impressions.

Michael Rolf Mueller, MD, PhD
ESTS President



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Saturday, 29 May:	17:00 - 19:00
Sunday, 30 May:	06:30 - 19:00
Monday, 31 May:	07:00 - 19:00
Tuesday, 1 June:	07:00 - 18:30
Wednesday, 2 June:	06:30 - 13:00

To avoid unnecessary delays on Sunday morning, participants are strongly advised to register and collect meeting documentation on Saturday evening, 17:00 - 19:00.

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For participants who are already registered. Please have the confirmation letters sent by Mondial Congress & Events close at hand. Registered participants will receive their conference documents, name badge and congress bag at this counter.

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Please note: At this counter you may also secure one of the few remaining tickets for the Gala Dinner on Tuesday, 1 June 2010, available for a EUR 80,- contribution.

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DETAILED REGISTRATION INFORMATION

ON-SITE REGISTRATION FEES

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CONFERENCE FEES (in EURO)	On-Site Registration Fee
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High-Middle income countries*	EUR 75,00
Low-Middle income countries*	EUR 50,00
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ESTS Member Fee (High-Middle income)*	EUR 100,00
ESTS Member Fee (Low-Middle income)*	EUR 50,00
ERS Member Fee	EUR 200,00
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Trainee ESTS Member	EUR 100,00
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Day Ticket	EUR 150,00
Breakfast Session (per Session)	EUR 15,00
Accompanying Person	EUR 35,00
Techno Meeting	INCLUDED
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Social Programme (in EURO)	
Opening Ceremony and Welcome Reception	INCLUDED
Dinner at Bodegas Arzuago	EUR 50,00
Gala Dinner	EUR 80,00

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** please bring a letter of chief of department/institution to Mondial Congress & Events to confirm trainee status

Accompanying Persons' Registration Fee includes:

- Opening Ceremony and Welcome Reception
- Admission to general areas of the conference venue (not to scientific sessions, except for the presidential address and the invited guest lecture)
- Half-day guided walking tour of Valladolid

Ticket for the Dinner at Bodegas Arzuago includes:

- Bus transportation from/to Valladolid
- Guided tour of the winery
- Dinner incl. drinks

Gala Dinner Fee includes:

- Gala Dinner in the Arcades of the Museo Patio Herreriano, incl. drinks

Important Notice: Membership Fee is applicable to all those who have applied for ESTS membership and have paid the 2010 membership fee.

Participant's Registration Fee includes: (Members, Non-Members, Trainees)

- Admission to all scientific sessions
- Admission to poster area and commercial exhibition
- Conference material (congress bag, conference programme, abstract publication, name badge)
- Certificate of attendance
- Coffee breaks
- Lunch
- Opening Ceremony and Welcome Reception

NAME BADGES

Participants will receive their name badges when collecting their conference documentation. You are kindly requested to wear your name badge during all conference events, including the Opening Ceremony, and the Welcome Reception. Please note that admission to scientific sessions is strictly restricted to participants wearing their badges. Accompanying persons are not entitled to attend the scientific sessions, except for the presidential address and the invited guest lecture.

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ABSTRACT BOOK

The ESTS 2010 Abstract Book is included in the conference bag.

CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE

Your Certificate of Attendance will be included in your conference material available at the registration desk.

CONFERENCE LANGUAGE

The official language of the meeting is English. No simultaneous interpretation will be provided.

CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION (CME) CREDITS

The scientific programme of the 18th European

Conference on General Thoracic Surgery is accredited by the European Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (EACCME) to provide the following CME activity for medical specialists. The EACCME is an institution of the European Union of Medical Specialists (UEMS), www.uems.net.

The 18th European Conference on General Thoracic Surgery is designated for a maximum of 21 hours of European external CME credits. Each medical specialist should claim only those hours of credit that he/she actually spent in the educational activity.

EACCME credits are recognized by the American Medical Association towards the Physician's Recognition Award (PRA). To convert EACCME credit to AMA PRA category 1 credit, contact the AMA.

Please note that CME credit certificates will be available for downloading online after the meeting.

CONFERENCE INFORMATION**PREVIEW ROOM**

The preview room is located on the first floor of the Feria de Valladolid, main building. Please follow the signage. Staff and equipment will be available for you to arrange and preview your PowerPoint presentation. Please find more detailed information on page 18.

INTERNET ACCESS

Internet Points are available in the main building, first floor right, in front of the preview room and meeting rooms.

Kindly note that the Internet Points will not be available on Monday, 31 May, from 13:00 – 14:00 h. Free Wireless Lan (W-LAN) will be available for all conference participants and exhibitors.

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For matters regarding ESTS membership and other ESTS activities, participants are cordially invited to visit the ESTS booth in the registration area, ground floor in the "Auditorium I" building.

CLOAKROOM

A cloakroom area and luggage storage facilities are available in the Registration Area, ground floor in the "Auditorium I" building.

SMOKING

For health and security reasons and as a courtesy to non-smoking participants, you are kindly requested to refrain from smoking inside the conference venue.

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The Mondial Congress & Events team members are present at the registration counter and Conference hostesses are present in all lecture rooms as well as at the preview room and as badge monitors. Do not hesitate to approach them with queries – they will gladly assist you.

LUNCH AND REFRESHMENTS

Coffee and tea will be available in the Exhibition Area during designated coffee break times and is included in the registration fee.

Lunch will be available Sunday, 30 May between 12:45 - 13:45 hrs. for participants of the Post-Graduate Symposium and will be served in the Restaurant on the lower level (ticket requested).

On Monday, 31 May and Tuesday, 1 June, lunch will be served in the restaurant on the lower level. There will also be lunch symposia.

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GENERAL INFORMATION ON VALLADOLID



Valladolid, the capital of Castilla y León, is a university city with more than 500.000 inhabitants. It is a point of reference for Spain's inland culture and the cradle of Castilian tradition and lifestyle. Numerous museums as well as the wine tourism have turned it into an important cultural centre in the region. More than 20.000 students attend its university.

Formerly the city where royalty held court, it offers numerous churches and convents, examples of religious architecture of the XVth-XVIIIth centuries, containing countless antique sculptures and paintings. The National Sculpture Museum, the Patio Herreriano Modern Art Museum, the Science Museum as well as the Provincial Wine Museum all are well worth a visit.

Due to its pleasant geographic location, the international airport, dual carriageway network and high-speed train, Valladolid is an inland destination easily accessible to anyone wishing to discover Castilla y León's cultural richness.

Its cultural life, present all year round, its traditions, gastronomy, internationally renowned wines as well as its many resources make it a province with a great potential for business meetings, combining the flavour of history with the latest modern conveniences.

CLIMATE

Situated 200 km from the north coast of Spain and around 720m above sea level on the central plateau, Valladolid has a continental climate with cold winters and warm summers. The weather in Valladolid in summer is comfortably warm, with very little rain in July and August. The temperature in June is approximately 20°C.

ELECTRICITY

The main voltage in Spain is 220V, 50Hz. The standard two-pin European style plugs are used.

TIME

Valladolid is in the Central European Time Zone, 1 hour ahead of Greenwich Mean Time (GMT + 1)

SHOPPING

Valladolid's city centre offers shops of all kinds. Most shops and restaurants accept credit cards (Mastercard, Visa, Amex, Diners Club etc.).

TIPPING

Tipping is not customary in Spain, but small gratuities of 10% can be offered for excellent service.

VISA REQUIREMENTS /LETTERS OF INVITATION

Spain is a member of the European Union (Schengen). Passport holders from a Schengen country as well as from North America, Canada, Japan, Switzerland and Australia do not need a visa to enter Spain. Citizens of some non-EU countries may need a visa. Check passport and visa requirements in due time before your departure. For further information, please contact the Spanish Embassy in your specific country or visit the homepage of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation. Letters of invitation required to meet administrative and legal regulations of some countries are issued upon request. Such letters should not be construed as a financial commitment on the part of the organisers. Please note that in various countries, the visa application procedure can take up to several months. Therefore, an early application is recommended.

INSURANCE AND LIABILITY

Delegates are advised to arrange health and accident insurance prior to travelling to the Conference. ESTS is not responsible for any personal injury, loss, damage, accident to private property or additional expense incurred as a result of delays or changes in air, rail, sea, road or other services, strikes, sickness, weather or any other cause.



**GUIDELINES & INFORMATION
FOR SPEAKERS, CHAIRPERSONS AND POSTER PRESENTERS**

Opening hours Preview Room	Monday, 31 May:	07:00 - 18:00	
Saturday, 29 May:	17:00 - 19:00	Tuesday, 1 June:	07:00 - 18:00
Sunday, 30 May:	06:30 - 19:00	Wednesday, 2 June:	06:30 - 11:00

IF YOU ARE A CHAIRPERSON

1. Please locate your session room in due time. Please be at your session room **at least 15 minutes prior to the start of the session.**
2. We may remind you that speakers need to strictly observe the time schedule. Participants in the discussion should not speak before they are recognized by the chair and must first clearly state their name, institution and country of origin. Hostesses will be distributing and collecting the discussion cards in the plenary lecture hall / Auditorium I "F Paris".

IF YOU ARE A SPEAKER IN A SESSION

1. Please locate your session room in due time. Please be at your session room **at least 15 minutes prior to the start of the session.**
2. Speakers should deliver and view/check their **PowerPoint presentations** at the preview room (first floor of the Feria de Valladolid, Main Building, please follow the signage) **at least 2 hours prior to the start** of the respective session for organisational reasons. **For Breakfast Sessions**, the PowerPoint presentations should be delivered **the previous day.**
 - In order to avoid any delays, speakers are kindly requested to hand in their PowerPoint presentations on an electronic support (**CD-ROM or USB**).
 - Failure to check in presentations on time may result in them being unavailable for projection when required.
 - Technical personnel will be available in the preview room to assist you loading your presentation
 - Presentations will be transferred from a server to the session room electronically.
 - **Speakers are not permitted to take PowerPoint presentations directly to the technical assistant in the session rooms.**
 - The use of personal laptops in the session rooms is strictly prohibited.
 - Protection of copyright will be guaranteed.
 - Please note that presentation time is strictly limited, no exceptions. Time your presentation carefully according to the time dedicated in each session:

Oral Sessions	8' presentation + 7' discussion
Forum Sessions	7' presentation + 3' discussion
Interesting Cases	10' interactive presentation
Video Session	7' presentation and 3' discussion
Moderated Poster Session	3' presentation and 2' discussion
Brompton Session	8' presentation, 4' invited discussant, 8' discussion

- **Discussion and questions in ORAL sessions will be taped to be included in the manuscript:** ESTS expects that all speakers of Oral presentations submit **full manuscripts** for review to the European Journal of Cardio-Thoracic Surgery (EJCTS) before the meeting. This ensures that the key proceedings from the congress are accurately recorded in the Association's journal along with the ensuing discussion. Note that the Programme Committee will consider the previous manuscript submission record of ALL speakers when preparing future ESTS meetings.
- Submission for review of forum, interactive presentations, posters and video presentations to either EJCTS or ICVTS is optional but welcomed.
- Manuscripts should be prepared and submitted according to the Instructions to Authors. The manuscript submission is online only at: <http://submit-ejcts.ctsnetjournals.org> Please mention "Presented at the 18th European Conference on General Thoracic Surgery of the European Society of Thoracic Surgeons, Valladolid, 30 May - 2 June 2010" on the title page of the manuscript.
- **The audio-visual recording of the scientific presentations will be the property of the ESTS.**

IF YOU ARE A POSTER PRESENTER

The poster area is located on the first floor in the "Auditorium 1" building, in front of the Auditorium 1 "Francisco París".

Please attach the poster to the board with the corresponding poster placement number. Tape for mounting the posters will be available in the poster area. Please note that only this tape may be used for mounting posters to avoid damaging the panel surface.

Display time of a poster will be **one day only.**

Posters have to be mounted according to the following schedule:

Sunday Posters - 30 May 2010

Poster fixing time:	
Saturday, 29 May 2010	17:00 - 19:00
Sunday, 30 May 2010	07:00 - 08:30
Display time:	08:30 - 17:00
Poster removal time:	
Sunday, 30 May 2010	17:00 - 17:30

Tuesday Posters - 1 June 2010

Poster fixing time:	
Monday, 31 May 2010	17:30 - 19:00
Tuesday, 1 June 2010	07:00 - 08:30
Display time:	08:30 - 17:00
Poster removal time:	
Tuesday, 1 June 2010	17:00 - 17:30

Monday Posters - 31 May 2010

Poster fixing time:	
Sunday, 30 May 2010	17:30 - 19:00
Monday, 31 May 2010	07:00 - 08:30
Display time:	08:30 - 17:00
Poster removal time:	
Monday, 31 May 2010	17:00 - 17:30

If you have any questions regarding your poster(s), please do not hesitate to contact the staff at the registration desk.

PRIZES AND AWARDS

PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED FOR:

ESTS - Brompton Prize - 2000 EUR

The Brompton Prize is offered for the best thoracic presentation by an ESTS member at the Brompton Session and comes courtesy of the Trustees of the fund initiated by Professor Peter Goldstraw. It is an annual prize instituted at the 8th European Conference on General Thoracic Surgery held in London November 2000.

ESTS - Young Investigators Award - 2000 EUR

To stimulate research, the ESTS has instituted a prize for the best presentation on topics of clinical or experimental research in the field of thoracic surgery by an ESTS member below the age of 35 years.

ESTS - Grillo Prize - 1000 EUR

The prize is offered by ESTS to the best abstract in the session "Experimental/Innovative Techniques" and is named after our deceased honorary member Hermes Grillo (Boston).

The initial awarding of the prize in 2009 was by Dr. Grillo's colleague and friend, Professor Douglas Mathisen of the Massachusetts General Hospital.

ESTS - Dutch Society for Lung Surgery Travel Grant - 1000 EUR

This grant is offered by the Dutch Society for Lung Surgery and was created to support a young abstract presenter from a low/middle income country. The winner is selected by the Annual Meeting Programme Committee.

ESTS - Greek Pioneers Prize - 500 EUR

This prize is offered for the best poster presentation and comes courtesy of a fund chaired by Dr. Kalliopi Athanassiadi in the name of the first three Greek thoracic surgeons.

ESTS - Covidien Prize - VATS Masterclass Elancourt

This prize is offered to the best case presentation and comes courtesy of a donation by Covidien.



2nd ESTS - ACECP Travelling Fellowship Award - 10.000 EUR

The ACECP was established in 2006 by Laureano Molins MD, Ramon Rami-Porta MD and Enriqueta Felip MD with the priority goal of offering to young surgeons grants to broaden their training and increase international contacts. The ACECP Travelling Fellowship has been offered to ESTS for three years from 2009 to provide thoracic surgeons with a unique opportunity to visit medical institutions and learn valuable skills and techniques from some of the leading European thoracic surgeons. The Fellowship provides a stipend of 10.000 EUR.

The prizes and awards will be presented at the Gala Dinner on Tuesday, 1 June 2010.

OFFICIAL SOCIAL PROGRAMME

OPENING CEREMONY & OPENING RECEPTION

SUNDAY, 30 May 2010

18:00 - 19:00 Auditorium I "F. PARIS" - Opening Ceremony

- Welcome by Dr. Mariano García Yuste, Chairman LOC
- Welcome by Prof. Michael Rolf Mueller, President ESTS
- Musical Interlude: Trio Hamilton "String Trio - Corelli"
- Welcome to Valladolid by Francisco Javier Alvarez Guisasola, Castilla y León Board Health Regional Minister
- Welcome to Valladolid by Francisco Javier León de la Riva, Mayor of Valladolid
- Musical Interlude: Trio Hamilton "Cantata 147 - Bach", "Wachet Auf - Bach", "Winter 2nd movement - Vivaldi"
- Closing remarks by Dr. Mariano García Yuste, Chairman LOC

19:00 - 20:00 Exhibition Hall / Restaurant Area - Opening Reception

The official Opening Ceremony of the Conference for registered participants, accompanying persons and exhibitors will take place at the meeting venue, the Feria de Valladolid, with introductory speeches and musical performance.

Then, toast to the success of the Conference at the Welcome Reception at the venue, where drinks and snacks are offered. The remainder of the evening is at your disposal, to offer you an opportunity to explore Valladolid and its many (culinary) highlights.

OFFICIAL CONGRESS EVENT - Spanish Evening

MONDAY, 31 May 2010, 19:30 - approx. 23:30

An exceptional evening awaits you! First, you are taken by bus from the Feria de Valladolid to the surroundings of Valladolid, to one of the most famous wineries in the "Ribera del Duero" area, the "Bodega Arzuaga Navarro". At "Bodega Arzuaga Navarro", the most prestigious red wines of the region, "Crianza", "Reservas" and "Grand Reservas" are produced. The famous Arzuaga Navarro winery is located in the village of Quintanilla de Onésimo, east of Vall-



adolid, in the western corner of Ribera Del Duero. The winery rises near the Duero river, alongside the historical Castilian road which connects Valladolid to Soria. Built completely in stone, solid and rustic, reflecting a monastic spirit with its arches and towers and, in its centre, a bell tower crowned by a weather vane. The reassuring sturdiness of the stone exterior and the warmth of elm wood within provide a welcoming atmosphere, preparing the visitor for the experience of these special wines. After a guided visit through the wine cellar, enjoy a delicious Spanish Dinner at the traditional wine tavern, accompanied by famous wines produced at the very winery and spend a splendid evening with your colleagues and friends. Afterwards, busses take you back to the city.

Dress code: casual, come as you are
Contribution per person: EUR 50,-

Tickets: Limited number of tickets still available - ask at the "Pre-registration" counter in the Registration Area.

GALA DINNER

TUESDAY, 1 June 2010, 20:00 - 24:00

The official Conference Dinner will take place at the "Museo Patio Herreriano", located in Valladolid's city centre.

The "Museo Patio Herreriano" owns a large collection of contemporary Spanish art from 1918 to the present and is housed in one of the cloisters of the "Monasterio de San Benito", built by Renaissance architect Juan de Ribero Rada.

Cocktail and Dinner will take place in the cloister surrounding the main patio with the picturesque monument of the "Kings of Spain". While the aperitif is being served, you will have time to explore the cloisters of the museum.

Designed as an opportunity to celebrate the Conference's success and to bid farewell to your colleagues and friends, this evening will be one to treasure - make sure not to miss it!

The prizes and awards will be presented at the Gala Dinner as well.



A seating-plan will be available at the Registration Desk. Please exchange your Gala Dinner voucher for a seating card prior to the Gala Dinner.

Dress code: formal
Contribution per person: EUR 80,-

Tickets: Limited number of tickets still available - ask at the "Pre-registration" counter in the Registration Area.

EXTRAORDINARY GUEST LECTURER



Juan Perez Mercader
Director Spanish Astrobiology Centre
Centro de Astrobiología (CSIC-INTA)
Associated to the NASA Astrobiology Institute

"Life Beyond Earth"

One of the most prestigious Spanish scientists, but who is also closest to the public, because among his greatest accomplishments is that of popularizing science. From the Centre for Astrobiology, of which he has been the director and creator, he raises his eyes to discover the keys to life on the planets of our solar system.

The lectures of Perez Mercader are interesting, fun and sprinkled with anecdotes which soften the scientific knowledge. The audience laughs, learns and returns home wondering if we will ever find life on Venus or Mars. Similarly, this scientist investigates whether life is a consequence of the evolution of the Universe and develops new instrumentation for detecting life on other planets. So far, he has already managed for NASA to carry an instrument of Spanish technology on board its 2009 mission to Mars.

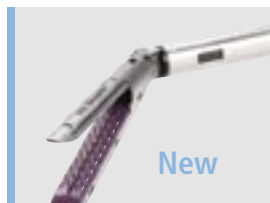
TOURS AND EXCURSION

If you have booked a tour in advance, your voucher will be handed out with the registration materials.

Meeting point for all tours is in the Registration Area 10 minutes before the tour starts. For further information, please contact the staff at the "Pre-registration" counter - they will be happy to inform you in detail.



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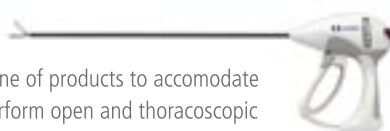
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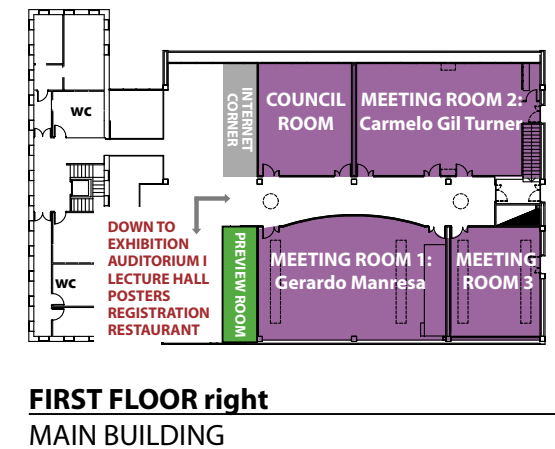
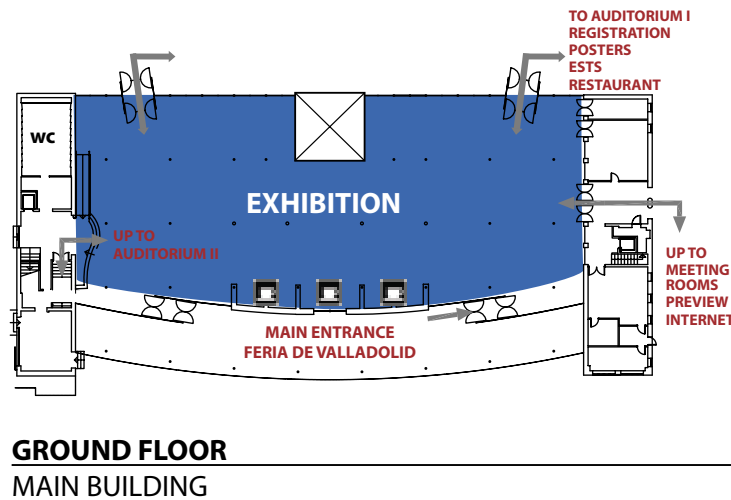
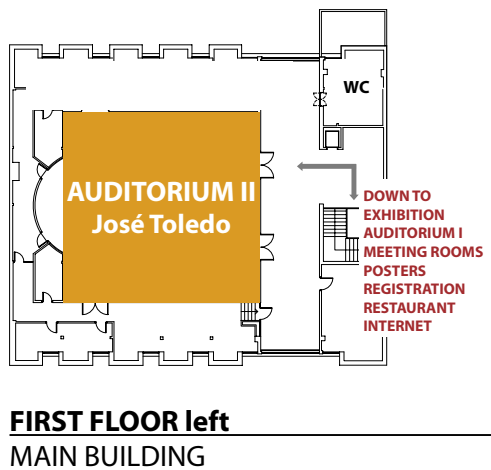
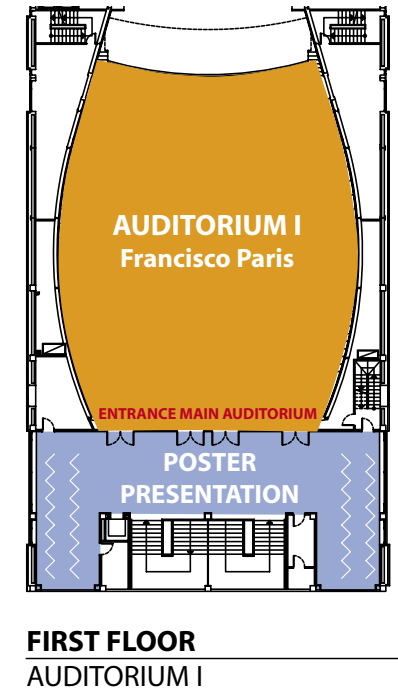
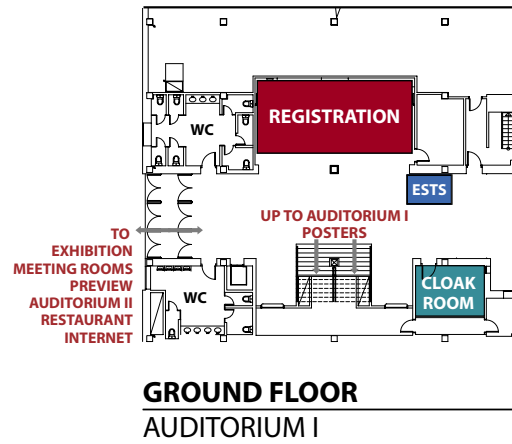
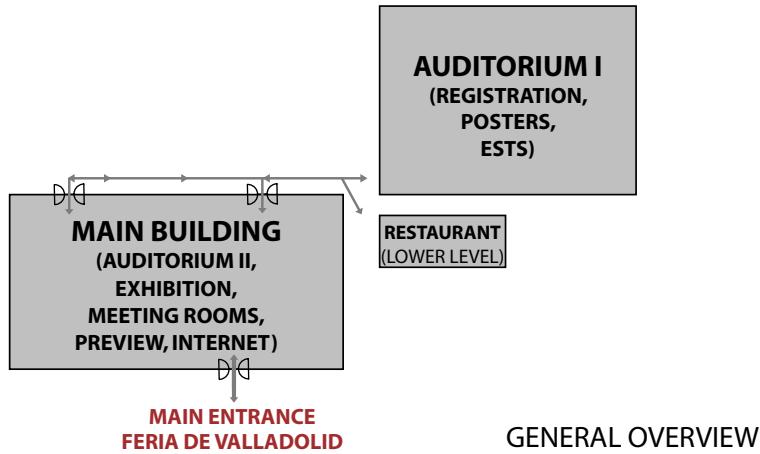
► SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME



PROGRAMME AT A GLANCE

	SATURDAY 29 May	SUNDAY 30 May	MONDAY 31 May	TUESDAY 1 June	WEDNESDAY 2 June
07:00-18:00		Registration Open	Registration Open	Registration Open	Registration Open
08:30-17:00		Poster Display (40)	Poster Display (40)	Poster Display (40)	
07:00-07:30		2nd Collaborative Postgraduate Course			Breakfast Session 5 / Thymectomy
07:30-08:00		Session I: Introduction	Breakfast session 1 / Lung	Breakfast session 3 / Lung	Breakfast Session 6 / Sympathectomy
08:00-08:30		Session II	Session 1	Techno Meeting	Session 11 Best Posters Moderated 12 x 5'
08:30-09:00		New TNM Staging	Brompton Session		Session 12 Video Moderated 6 x 10'
09:00-09:30		Coffee Break	Mixed	Part 1	Joint STS-ESTS Symposium Quality & Outcome
09:30-10:00		Session III	Oral 6 x 20'	Coffee Break	Joint ESTS-Spanish Thoracic Surgeons Symposium
10:00-10:30		Barrett's and GERD	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break
10:30-11:00		Featured abstract 1 x 15'	Session 2: Case 3 x 10'	Part 2	Session 13 Mixed Malignant
11:00-11:30		Invited Lect: M. Barbacid		Extra Lecture J. Perez Mercader	Session 14 Mixed Benign
11:30-12:00		Lunch	Presidential Address M. Mueller		Forum 12 x 10'
12:00-12:30		Session IV	Lunch Symposium GSK	Lunch Symposium Covidien	Forum 12 x 10'
12:30-13:00		How to do it	Lunch Symposium Medela	Lunch Symposium KLS Martin Group	
13:00-13:30		Session V	Session 3	Session 7	Session 8
13:30-14:00		Postoperative Care	Pulmonary Neoplastic	Chest Wall/Diaphragm/Pleura	Pulmonary Neoplastic
14:00-14:30		Coffee Break	Oral 6 x 15'	Oral 6 x 15'	Forum 9 x 10'
14:30-15:00		Session VI	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break
15:00-15:30		Masters' Cup	Session 5	Session 9	Session 10
15:30-16:00		Registration	Pulmonary Non-Neoplastic	Oesophagus/Mediastinum	Airway/Transplantation
16:00-16:30		Open	Oral 6 x 15'	Forum 9 x 10'	Oral 6 x 15'
16:30-17:00		Opening Ceremony	History Symposium War Surgery	Symposium Training in Thoracic Surgery	General Assembly
17:00-17:30		Opening Reception			
17:30-18:00					
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Social Event					
19:30-20:00			Dinner		
20:00-20:30			Bodegas Arzuaga	Patio Herreriano Museum Contemporary Spanish Art	
20:30-21:00					
21:00-21:30			Spanish Evening		
21:30-22:00				Gala Dinner & Awards	
22:00-22:30					
22:30-23:00					
23:00-23:30					
23:30-24:00					

FLOOR PLAN



GENERAL ASSEMBLY

The ESTS General Assembly will be held on Tuesday, 1 June at 17:30 - 19:00 in the Auditorio II "J. Toledo".

The agenda of the meeting will be distributed to all members in advance. All ESTS members are encouraged to attend. Only full and ordinary members are allowed to vote.

BUSINESS MEETINGS

Friday, 28 May 2010		
15:00 - 18:00	Thoracic Board Exams	Feria de Valladolid Meeting Room 2-3
Saturday, 29 May 2010		
09:00 - 13:00	Thoracic Board Exams	Feria de Valladolid Meeting Room 1-2-3
10:00 - 11:00	Marseille 2011 Meeting	Feria de Valladolid Council Room
11:00 - 13:00	Thoracic School Meeting	Feria de Valladolid Council Room
13:00 - 18:00	Council Meeting	Feria de Valladolid Council Room
Sunday, 30 May 2010		
11:45 -12:45	ESTS Working Groups - Thymoma - Tissue Engineering - Eastern Europe	Feria de Valladolid, Meeting Room 1 Meeting Room 2 Meeting Room 3
17:00 - 18:00	ESTS Text Book Committee	Feria de Valladolid, Meeting Room 1
17:00 - 18:00	ESTS Database & Audit Committee	Feria de Valladolid, Meeting Room 2
Monday, 31 May 2010		
15:30 - 16:00	Ad Hoc Committees	Feria de Valladolid Council Room
Tuesday, 1 June 2010		
13:00 - 14:00	Council & Regents Meeting	Feria de Valladolid, Meeting Room 2
15:30 - 16:00	Presidents National Societies	Feria de Valladolid, Meeting Room 2
17:30 - 19:00	General Assembly	Auditorium 2 J. Toledo
Wednesday, 2 June 2010		
07:00 - 08:00	Council Meeting	HQ Hotel Melia Recoletos Meeting Room

▶ LECTURES AND SYMPOSIA

SUNDAY, 30 MAY 2010, 07:55 - 17:00
**The 2nd Collaborative Symposium on General Thoracic Surgery
ESTS-AATS-STS Postgraduate Course**
Organisers:
Gaetano Rocco (Naples), Frank Detterbeck (New Haven), David R Jones (Charlottesville)
07:55 SESSION I: Introduction

ESTS hosting the "Collaborative PG Course"

Welcome: *Gaetano Rocco (ESTS), Frank Detterbeck (AATS), David R Jones (STS)*
8:00 - 9:30 SESSION II: The New Staging System
Moderator: *Alec Patterson, St. Louis*

08:00	T, N, M descriptors	<i>(R Rami-Porta, Barcelona)</i>
	Methodology and Grouping	
08:30	SCLC and Carcinoid	<i>(P Postmus, Amsterdam)</i>
08:45	Prognostic Factors	<i>(J P Sculier, Brussels)</i>
09:00	Histologic Classification	<i>(E Brambilla, Grenoble)</i>
09:15	Issues for Refinement	<i>(F Detterbeck, New Haven)</i>
09:30 - 10:00	Coffee break	

10:00 - 11:45 SESSION III: Barrett's and GERD
Moderator: *David Fullerton, Aurora*

10:00	Update on the Pathobiology of Barrett's Esophagus	<i>(D R Jones, Charlottesville)</i>
10:15	Radiofrequency Ablation for Barrett's Esophagus: Indications and Results	<i>(H C Fernando, Boston)</i>
10:30	Partial vs. Complete Fundoplication: Does it matter?	<i>(S Mattioli, Bologna)</i>
10:45	Technique of Laparoscopic Repair of Giant Paraesophageal Hernia	<i>(M Maddaus, Minneapolis)</i>
11:00	Intermediate and Long-term Results of Laparoscopic Anti-Reflux Surgery	<i>(M Maddaus, Minneapolis)</i>
11:15	Update on the Staging System for Esophageal Cancer	<i>(C Wittekind, Leipzig)</i>
11:30	Surgery for Esophageal Cancer - Why are the Results Improving?	<i>(T Lerut, Leuven)</i>
11:45 - 12:45	Lunch	

12:45 - 13:50 SESSION IV: How to do it - Technical Details
Moderator: *Federico Venuta, Rome*

12:45	Pancoast - St. Louis Approach	<i>(A Patterson, St. Louis)</i>
12:55	Pancoast - Milan Approach	<i>(L Spaggiari, Milan)</i>
13:05	Discussion	
13:10	T4 Vertebral - intralesional	<i>(G Walsh, Houston)</i>
13:20	T4 Vertebral - en bloc	<i>(D Grunewald, Paris)</i>
13:30	Discussion	
13:35	Hand assisted VATS	<i>(T C Mineo, Rome)</i>
13:40	Hand assisted VATS	<i>(F Detterbeck, New Haven)</i>
13:45	Discussion	

13:50 - 15:05 SESSION V: Postoperative Care
Moderator: *Michael Mueller, Vienna*

13:50	Chest Drain/Air Leak	
	- Number, type, position, duration	<i>(G Varela, Salamanca)</i>
14:00	Chest drain/Air Leak	
	- Postoperative Management	<i>(A Brunelli, Ancona)</i>
14:10	Discussion	
14:15	Pain Management	<i>(T Demmy, Buffalo)</i>
14:25	Pain Management	<i>(F Detterbeck, New Haven)</i>
14:35	Discussions	
14:40	Residual Space Intraoperative Measures	<i>(G Rocco, Naples)</i>
14:50	Residual Space Postoperative Measures	<i>(S Cassivi, Rochester)</i>
15:00	Discussion	
15:05 - 15:30	Coffee break	

15:30 - 17:00 SESSION VI: Masters' Cup
Coordinators:
Gaetano Rocco (ESTS), Frank Detterbeck (AATS), David R Jones (STS)

Presentations of challenging clinical situations

ESTS Team *Michael Mueller - Dirk Van Raemdonck - Gunda Leschber - Toni Lerut*
AATS Team *Alec Patterson - Frank Detterbeck - Garrett Walsh - Todd Demmy*
STS Team *Douglas Wood - David R Jones - Stephen Cassivi - Michael Maddaus*



BREAKFAST SESSIONS

Organisers: *Federico Venuta (Rome)* and *Thomas Rice (Cleveland)*

Monday 31 May 2010: Meet the Expert 07:30 - 08:20

- 1) **Lung:** Vascular resection and reconstruction in the chest
(P De Leyn, Leuven)
- 2) **Oesophagus:** Intraoperative strategies in oesophageal cancer surgery
(S Cassivi, Rochester)

Tuesday 1 June 2010: Debate 07:30 - 08:20

- 3) **Lung metastases: Surgical approach**
Open: *(U Pastorino, Milan)* vs Thoracoscopic *(T D'Amico, Durham)*
- 4) **COPD: Surgical treatment**
LVRS: *(D Lardinois, Basel)* vs Transplantation *(D Van Raemdonck, Leuven)*

Wednesday 2 June 2010: How to do it 07:00 - 07:50

- 5) **Thymectomy** *(E Pompeo, Rome)*
- 6) **Sympathectomy** *(L Molins, Barcelona)*

MONDAY, 31 MAY 2010, 17:30 - 19:00

ESTS History Symposium

Organised by ESTS Ad Hoc Committee on First Intervention Thoracic Surgical Task Force

Organiser: *Tamas F Molnar (Pecs)*

Chairmen: *Tamas F Molnar (Pecs), Ludwig Lampl (Augsburg), Witold Rzyman (Gdansk)*

The topic to be covered would be the impact of the greatest catastrophies, Wars, on the development of our specialty. The presentations would cover the milestones of thoracic surgery in trauma and its influence on development of chest surgery, in general from the very beginnings to 1945.

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| 17:30 - 17:35 | Introduction: Explanation of Topic Outline and Aim of the Session
<i>(T F Molnar, Pecs)</i> |
| 17:35 - 17:45 | The origins of Military Surgery: What the chest wounds teach
<i>(L Lampl, Augsburg)</i> |
| 17:45 - 17:55 | From Baron Larrey to the Boer War
<i>(W Rzyman, Gdansk)</i> |
| 17:55 - 18:05 | Birth of Chest Surgery: World War One
<i>(T F Molnar, Pecs)</i> |
| 18:05 - 18:15 | Between Two Great Wars:
Spanish Civil War and others
<i>(G Ramos, Valladolid)</i> |

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| 18:15 - 18:25 | WW2 : Thoracic Surgery in the Allied Forces: UK and USA
<i>(W Walker, Edinburgh)</i> |
| 18:25 - 18:35 | WW2 : Thoracic Surgery in Germany
<i>(L Lampl, Augsburg)</i> |
| 18:35 - 18:45 | Thoracic Surgeons from War to War: Italy 1916-1945
<i>(V Pagan, Venice)</i> |
| 18:45 - 18:55 | Interactive Forum |
| 18:55 - 19:00 | Take Home Message
<i>(L Lampl, Augsburg)</i> |

MONDAY, 31 MAY 2010, 17:30 - 19:00

ESTS Training in Thoracic Surgery Symposium

Organised by ESTS Ad Hoc Committee on Training in Thoracic Surgery

Organisers: *Antonio Martin-Ucar (Nottingham), Frank Beckers (Cologne), Niccolo Daddi (Perugia)*

Introduction: *Antonio Martin-Ucar (Nottingham)*

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| 17:30 - 17:45 | Results of the Training in Thoracic Surgery Online Survey
<i>(N Daddi, Perugia)</i> |
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Discussion

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| 17:45 - 18:15 | Training with a Suitcase
The Positives
The Negatives
The Junior Trainee Experience | Chairman: <i>Antonio Martin-Ucar (Nottingham)</i>
<i>(F D'Ovidio, New York)</i>
<i>(D Trousse, Marseille)</i>
<i>(S Tomaszek, Germany)</i> |
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| 18:15 - 18:45 | The Trainers
Online Training Curriculum
How to Increase your chances of additional training abroad
How to Increase your chances of additional training in the US | Chairman: <i>Frank Beckers (Cologne)</i>
<i>(K Harrison Phipps, London)</i>
<i>(T Lerut, Leuven)</i>
<i>(D R Jones, Charlottesville)</i> |
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| 18:45 - 19:00 | Reminder of Training Opportunities
ESTS School of Thoracic Surgery
ESTS Travel Fellowship
ESTS-ACECP Travelling Fellowship | Chairman: <i>Gaetano Rocco, (Naples)</i>
<i>(F Venuta, Rome)</i>
<i>(M Mueller, Vienna)</i>
<i>(L Molins, Barcelona)</i> |
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TUESDAY, 1 JUNE 2010, 08:30 - 12:30**Thoracic Techno Meeting****Organiser:** Michael Mueller (Vienna), Konstantinos Papagiannopoulos (Leeds)**Chairmen:** Michael Mueller (Vienna) & Konstantinos Papagiannopoulos (Leeds)

- 08:30 Conventional ambulatory technology can result in improved outcomes after pulmonary resections when incorporated into a standard clinical pathway
(N M Cohen, Baltimore)
Pleural drainage after pulmonary lobectomy; technical improvements for better outcomes
(G Varela, Salamanca)
Sponsored by Atrium
- 09:00 Permacol™ Biological implant in Thoracic surgery soft tissue reconstruction
(A Martin-Ucar, Nottingham)
Sponsored by Covidien
- 09:30 Complete Endoscopic Ultrasound Staging of the Mediastinum
(M Krasnik, Copenhagen)
(A Szlubowski, Krakow)
- 10:00 Emphysema and Air leak treatment with IBV Intra Bronchial Valves
Emphysema treatment options with intra bronchial valves (10 min.)
(M Krasnik, Copenhagen)
Treatment of prolonged air leaks with intra bronchial valves (10 min.)
(O Jorgensen, Odense)
Treatment of complicated chronic air leaks with combination of intra bronchial valves and myoplasty.
(C Della-Pona, Sondalo)
Sponsored by Olympus
- 10:30 - 11:00 Coffee break
- 11:00 Lung Sealing in VATS
(P Díaz-Agero, Madrid)
Sponsored by Baxter Deutschland GmbH
- 11:30 Thoracic Trauma
(M Bemelman, Utrecht)
Sponsored by Synthes
- 12:00 TissuePatch adhesive film for air leak reduction: Introducing the VATS delivery system
(D Mandley, Leeds)
Sponsored by Tissuemed
- 12:30 - 13:00 Extraordinary Lecture by Juan Perez Mercader
- 13:00 - 14:00 Lunch

TUESDAY, 1 JUNE 2010, 11:00 - 12:30**European Benchmarking and Certification in Thoracic Surgery****Organised by:** Ad Hoc Audit and Clinical Excellence and Database Committees**Organiser:** Gonzalo Varela (Salamanca) & Alessandro Brunelli (Ancona)**Part 1: Quality in Thoracic Surgery****Chairmen:** Gaetano Rocco (Naples), Gonzalo Varela (Salamanca)

- Thoracic Surgeons are more Interested than Managers in Quality Issues and Cost Containment (G Varela, Salamanca)
Databases: Advantages and Limitations (P E Falcoz, Strasbourg)
Benchmarking: the Top 20 Hospital Experiences
(A Arias, Barcelona)
Discussion

Part 2: First European Experience in Benchmarking for Thoracic Surgery**Chairmen:** Alessandro Brunelli (Ancona), Antoni Arias (Barcelona)

- ESTS Quality certification program: the use of the composite score
(A Brunelli, Ancona)
How do we do it: Best global performer unit representative
(J Hendriks, Antwerp)
How do we do it: Best outcomes performer unit representative
(P Froeschle, Exeter)
Discussion



WEDNESDAY, 2 JUNE 2010, 09:00 - 10:30

Joint STS - ESTS session on Quality and Outcomes in Thoracic Surgery

Organisers: *Stephen Cassivi, Rochester (STS), Alessandro Brunelli, Ancona (ESTS)*

- 09:00 - 09:10 Professional Society Databases: a European Perspective
(A Brunelli, Ancona)
- 09:10 - 09:20 Professional Society Databases: a North American Perspective
(B D Kozower, Charlottesville)
- 09:20 - 09:30 Administrative Databases - How to use these to measure outcome data
(F Detterbeck, New Haven)
- 09:30 - 09:40 Professional Guidelines - How outcomes evidence can shape clinical practice
(T Treasure, London)
- 09:40 - 09:50 Patient Safety Measures in Cardiothoracic Surgery
(B Marshall, Washington)
- 09:50 - 10:00 Patient Satisfaction - measuring and making adjustments to practice
(G Varela, Salamanca)
- 10:00 - 10:10 Developing Measures of Quality in Thoracic Surgery - Lessons learned and necessary tools for the profession
(S Cassivi, Rochester)
- 10:10 - 10:25 Discussion

WEDNESDAY, 2 JUNE 2010, 09:00 - 10:30

ESTS - Spanish Thoracic Surgeons Symposium

Organized jointly with the Spanish LOC Thoracic Surgeons

Organisers: *Laureano Molins (Barcelona), Mariano Garcia-Yuste (Valladolid)*

A symposium with participation of young thoracic surgeons from Spain. This symposium is aimed to inform the audience in depth the thoracic surgery development and activities in Spain and to enhance the scientific and professional interaction among thoracic surgeons.

Videothoracoscopy for the anterior approach of the thoracic spine
(M Cañizares, Vigo)

Improving treatment strategies in lung neuroendocrine carcinomas
(J Matilla, Valladolid)

Development of a Model of lung autotransplantation
(C Simón, Madrid)

Non heart beating donors: a valuable resource for lung transplantation
(F Hernando-Trancho, Madrid)

Pathologic effects of clipping and unclipping in the sympathetic chain; Experimental study
(M Congregado, Sevilla)

International Fellowships: real opportunities for career development
(J Fibla, Barcelona)

Symposia

MONDAY, 31 MAY 2010, 13:00 - 14:00

GLAXOSMITHKLINE SYMPOSIUM



New paradigms in adjuvant treatment in resected NSCLC

- 13:00 - 13:05 Chairman's introduction
- Co-chairs: *Paul De Leyn (Leuven), David Harpole (Durham)*
- 13:05 - 13:17 Advances in surgical techniques for the treatment of NSCLC
(D R Jones, Charlottesville)
- 13:17 - 13:29 The evolving staging classification of NSCLC - possible impact on therapeutic options?
(P Goldstraw, London)
- 13:29 - 13:41 Treating NSCLC beyond the scalpel - Dawn of a new era
(N Thatcher, Manchester)
- 13:41 - 13:53 Biomarkers - Benefiting patients through optimising treatment
(D Harpole, Durham)
- 13:53 - 14:00 Q&A and conclusion

MONDAY, 31 MAY 2010, 13:00 - 14:00

MEDELA SYMPOSIUM



New clinical evidence in the objective management of chest drains

- Chair:** *Laureano Molins (Barcelona)*
- Digital chest drainage systems: from translational research to clinical practice
(A Brunelli, Ancona)
- The correct timepoint for removal of the chest drain
(A Linder, Bremen)
- Experiences in transitioning from water seal to digital
(W Rzyman, Gdansk)
- A transition from analog to digital scoring of air leaks post thoracic surgery and provision of standardized management of chest tubes following chest surgery
(K Papagiannopoulos, Leeds)
- Panel Discussion

TUESDAY, 1 JUNE 2010, 08:30 - 10:30

CAREFUSION SYMPOSIUM



New Alternatives to the Treatment of Malignant Pleural Effusions with Indwelling Catheters

Presenter: *William H. Warren (Chicago)*

TUESDAY, 1 JUNE 2010, 13:00 - 14:00

KLS MARTIN GROUP SYMPOSIUM



Pulmonary Metastasectomy: Standards, Technical Innovations and Controversies

Chair: *Genaro Galan-Gil (Valencia), Bernward Passlick (Freiburg)*

- 13:00 - 13:20 Pulmonary metastasectomy: Indications and outcome
(T Graeter, Loewenstein)
- 13:20 - 13:40 Pulmonary metastasectomy: Standard techniques and innovative laser surgery
(B Passlick, Freiburg)
- 13:40 - 14:00 Lymphadenectomy in pulmonary metastasectomy: Does it make sense?
(S Welter, Essen)

TUESDAY, 1 JUNE 2010, 13:00 - 14:00

COVIDIEN SYMPOSIUM



Management of Air Leaks

Moderator: *Gaetano Rocco (Naples)*

- 13:00 - 13:05 Introduction
(G Rocco, Naples)
- 13:05 - 13:20 Surgical techniques for minimizing air leakage
(H Hansen, Copenhagen)
- 13:20 - 13:35 Unusual indications for the use of Ligasure in thoracic surgery
(G Rocco, Naples)
- 13:35 - 13:50 European multiCentre randomized study on the use of PleuraSeal™ to treat air leaks
(P De Leyn, Leuven)
- 13:50 - 14:00 Questions - Answers

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► **ABSTRACT SESSIONS**



Sunday, 30 May 2010

07:55 - 17:00 Auditorium F. PARIS	2nd Collaborative Symposium on General Thoracic Surgery ESTS-AATS-STS Postgraduate Course
08:30 - 17:00 Foyer Auditorium F. PARIS	Poster Display (P-101 / P-140)
18:00 - 19:00 Auditorium F. PARIS	Opening Ceremony
19:00 - 20:00 Restaurant / Exhibition Hall	Opening Reception

Monday, 31 May 2010

07:30 - 08:20 Room G. MANRESA	Breakfast Session 1: Lung
07:30 - 08:20 Room C. GIL TURNER	Breakfast Session 2: Oesophagus
08:30 - 17:00 Foyer Auditorium F. PARIS	Poster Display (P-141 / P-180)
08:20 - 08:25 Auditorium F. PARIS	Opening Remarks Michael Mueller, President
08:25 - 08:30 Auditorium F. PARIS	Report Programme Committee Dirk Van Raemdonck, Chair
08:30 - 10:30 Auditorium F. PARIS	Session 1 - Brompton Session (Mixed) ESTS-Brompton Prize (2000 EUR) for best abstract by first author ESTS member Oral Session (8' presentation + 4' invited discussant + 8' discussion) Chairmen: Michael Mueller, President - Dirk Van Raemdonck, General Secretary - Eric Lim, Brompton Hospital
08:30	0-001 SINGLE LUNG TRANSPLANTATION: DOES SIDE MATTER? S. Tsagkaropoulos ¹ , D.E. Van Raemdonck ² , G.M. Verleden ² , W. Coosemans ² , H. Decaluwé ² , P. De Leyn ² , P. Nafteux ² , T. Lerut ² ; ¹ Rome/IT, ² Leuven/BE Invited Discussant: A. Patterson, <i>St Louis, MO/US</i>
08:50	0-002 TASK-INDEPENDENT METRICS TO ASSESS THE DATA QUALITY OF MEDICAL REGISTRIES USING THE ESTS DATABASE M. Salati ¹ , A. Brunelli ¹ , M. Dahan ² , G. Rocco ³ , D.E. Van Raemdonck ⁴ , G. Varela ⁵ ¹ Ancona/IT, ² Toulouse/FR, ³ Napoli/IT, ⁴ Leuven/BE, ⁵ Salamanca/ES Invited Discussant: B.D. Kozower, <i>Charlottesville, VA/US</i>
09:10	0-003 THYMOMA: INTER-RELATIONSHIPS AMONG WHO HISTOLOGY, MASAOKA STAGING AND MYASTHENIA GRAVIS AND THEIR INDEPENDENT PROGNOSTIC SIGNIFICANCE. A SINGLE-CENTRE EXPERIENCE E. Ruffini, P.L. Filosso, D. Novero, P. Lista, R. Giobbe, A. Oliaro; <i>Torino/IT</i> Invited Discussant: F. Detterbeck, <i>New Haven, CT/US</i>
09:30	0-004 VALUE OF THE AVERAGE BASAL DAILY WALKED DISTANCE MEASURED USING A Pedometer TO PREDICT VO2MAX IN PATIENTS UNDERGOING LUNG RESECTION N.M. Novoa, G. Varela, M.F. Jimenez, J. Ramos; <i>Salamanca/ES</i> Invited Discussant: G. Rocco, <i>Naples/IT</i>
09:50	0-005 ALTERNATIVE PARATRACHEAL LYMPH NODE DISSECTION IN LEFT SIDED HILAR LUNG CANCER PATIENTS. COMPARING THE NUMBER OF LYMPH NODES WITH RIGHT SIDED MEDIASTINAL DISSECTIONS A. Toker, S. Tanju, S. Ziyade, S. Kaya, S. Erus, D. Yilmazbayhan, <i>Istanbul/TR</i> Invited Discussant: R. Rami-Porta, <i>Barcelona/ES</i>



10:10	0-006	EARLY OUTCOMES OF SURGERY FOR OESOPHAGEAL CANCER IN A THORACIC REGIONAL UNIT. CAN WE MAINTAIN TRAINING WITHOUT COMPROMISING RESULTS? D.M.S. Handagala, L. Beggs, D. Beggs, J.P. Duffy, A.M. Majewski, A.E. Martin-Ucar <i>Nottingham/UK</i> Invited Discussant: M. Ferguson, <i>Chicago, IL/US</i>
10:30 - 11:00		Coffee Break Exhibition Hall
11:00 - 11:30		Session - Featured Abstract Oral Session (10' presentation + 5' discussion) Chairmen: Gunda Leschber, President-elect
11:00	0-007	PERFORMANCE INDICATORS FOR LUNG CANCER SURGERY IN THE NETHERLANDS W. Plaisier ¹ , R.A.M. Damhuis ² ¹ Dordrecht/NL, ² Rotterdam/NL Invited Discussant: D. R. Jones, <i>Charlottesville, VA/US</i>
11:15		THE IMPACT OF VOLUME ON OUTCOME IN THORACIC SURGERY D. R. Jones, <i>Charlottesville, VA/US</i>
11:00 - 11:30		Session 2 - Interesting Cases ESTS-Covidien Prize (free VATS Masterclass Elancourt) for best interactive presentation, <i>Sponsored by Covidien</i> Interactive Session (10' interactive presentation) Chairmen: Kostas Papagiannopoulos, <i>Leeds/UK</i> - Alper Toker, <i>Istanbul/TK</i>
11:00	I-008	POSTOPERATIVE PARAPLEGIA AFTER THE RESECTION OF A GIANT POSTERIOR MEDIASTINAL TUMOUR. ROLE OF THE ADAMKIEWICZ ARTERY J. Furak, T. Geczi, A. Wolfard, L. Tiszlavicz, G. Lazar, <i>Szeged/HU</i>
11:10	I-009	SURGICAL TREATMENT OF AN EXTENSIVE PRIMARY SPINAL THORACIC CHONDROSARCOMA M.F. Jimenez, J.M. Gonçalves, N.M. Novoa, G. Varela, <i>Salamanca/ES</i>
11:20	I-010	SINGLE CASE OF MULTIPLE RIGHT PULMONARY NODULES. ADVANCED CANCER OR RESECTABLE EARLY STAGE TUMOR? F. Raveglia, D. De Toma, V. Valenti, A. Leporati, A.M. Calati, A. Baisi, <i>Milano/IT</i>
11:30 - 12:00		Invited Lecture Introduction: Mariano Garcia-Yuste, Chair LOC "MOUSE MODEL OF LUNG CANCER"- Prof Mariano BARBACID <i>Director, Centro Nacional de Investigaciones Oncologicas (CNIO)</i> <i>Spanish National Cancer Centre, Madrid/SP</i>

12:00 - 12:45		Presidential Address Introduction: Gunda Leschber, President-elect "The Driving Force" Michael Mueller, President
13:00 - 14:00		Lunch Break Restaurant / Exhibition Hall
13:00 - 14:00		Satellite Symposium GSK Lunch sponsored by GSK
13:00 - 14:00		Satellite Symposium Medela Lunch sponsored by Medela
14:00 - 15:30		Session 3 - Pulmonary Neoplastic Oral Session (8' presentation + 7' discussion) Chairmen: Frank Detterbeck, <i>New Haven, CT/US</i> - Gunda Leschber, <i>Berlin/DE</i>
14:00	0-011	SEASON VARIATION INFLUENCES OUTCOMES FOLLOWING LUNG CANCER RESECTIONS D.J. LaPar, A.S. Nagji, C.M. Bhamidipati, B.D. Kozower, C.L. Lau, G. Ailawadi, D.R. Jones, <i>Charlottesville/US</i>
14:15	0-012	BRONCHIAL RESECTION MARGIN LENGTH AND CLINICAL OUTCOME IN NON-SMALL CELL LUNG CANCER S.C. Tomaszek, Y.S. Kim, S.D. Cassivi, M.S. Allen, K.R. Shen, F.C. Nichols, C. Deschamps, D.A. Wigle, <i>Rochester, MN/US</i>
14:30	0-013	CLINICAL RESULTS OF MICROSCOPICALLY INCOMPLETE RESECTION (R1 RESECTION) FOR NON-SMALL CELL LUNG CANCER D.K. Kang, D.K. Kim, H.R. Kim, Y.H. Kim, S.I. Park, <i>Seoul/KR</i>
14:45	0-014	EN-BLOC RESECTION OF MULTIMODALITY TREATED NON-SMALL CELL LUNG CANCER INVADING THE SPINE J. Schirren, T. Dönges, M. Melzer, S. Böllükbas, <i>Wiesbaden/DE</i>
15:00	0-015	A RISK MODEL FOR MORBIDITY AFTER LUNG RESECTION IN OCTOGENARIANS M. Berry, M. Onaitis, B. Tong, D. Harpole, T. D'Amico, <i>Durham, NC/US</i>
15:15	0-016	PREDICTIVE VALUE FOR POSTOPERATIVE COMPLICATIONS OF THE CYCLOERGOMETER DESATURATION TEST AND PODLCO IN ONCOLOGICAL PULMONARY RESECTION S. Cabanyes Candela, A.M. Arévalo Parda, B. Gregorio Crespo, J.M. Matilla González, M. Castanedo Allende, F. Heras Gómez, J.L. Duque Medina, M. García Yuste, <i>Valladolid/ES</i>



14:00 – 15:30 Auditorium J. TOLEDO	Session 4 - Young Investigator (Mixed) ESTS-YIA Prize (2000 EUR) for best research paper by first author < 35 years Forum Session (7' presentation + 3' discussion) Chairmen: Thomas D'Amico, <i>Durham, NC/US</i> - Niccolo Daddi, <i>Perugia/IT</i>
14:00 F-017	RANDOMIZED DOUBLE-BLIND COMPARISON OF PHRENIC NERVE INFILTRATION AND SUPRASCAPULAR NERVE BLOCKADE FOR IPSILATERAL SHOULDER AND THORACOTOMY PAIN AFTER THORACIC SURGERY C. Martinez-Barenys, J. Busquets, P.E. Lopez de Castro, R. Garcia-Guasch, J. Perez, E. Fernandez, M. Mesa, J. Astudillo, <i>Badalona/ES</i>
14:10 F-018	QUALITY OF LIFE AFTER MEDIASTINAL TUMOR RESECTION: A PROSPECTIVE STUDY COMPARING OPEN WITH ROBOT-ASSISTED RESECTION B. Balduyck, J. Hendriks, P. Lauwers, P. Van Schil, <i>Edegem/BE</i>
14:20 F-019	PREDICTORS OF POSTOPERATIVE DECLINE IN QUALITY OF LIFE AFTER MAJOR LUNG RESECTIONS C. Pompili, A. Brunelli, M. Refai, F. Xiumé, M. Salati, A. Sabbatini, <i>Ancona/IT</i>
14:30 F-020	REPEAT MEDIASTINOSCOPY IN ALL ITS INDICATIONS: EXPERIENCE OF 101 CASES S. Call, R. Rami-Porta, C. Obiols, M. Serra-Mitjans, G. Gonzalez-Pont, R. Bastús-Piulats, S. Quintana, J. Belda, <i>Terrassa/ES</i>
14:40 F-021	SURGICAL TREATMENT OF LUNG CANCER IN THE OCTOGENARIANS: RESULTS OF A NATIONAL-WIDE AUDIT C. Rivera ¹ , M. Dahan ² , A. Bernard ³ , P.-E. Falcoz ⁴ , P.A. Thomas ⁵ ¹ Paris/FR, ² Toulouse/FR, ³ Dijon/FR, ⁴ Strasbourg/FR, ⁵ Marseille/FR
14:50 F-022	THE RADIOLOGICAL DETECTION OF LUNG METASTASIS AND HISTOLOGICAL CONFIRMATION BY SURGERY - A COMPARISON OF DIFFERENT AND COMPLEMENTARY METHODS A. Schramm, J. Merk, D. Wormanns, G. Leschber, <i>Berlin/DE</i>
15:00 F-023	A PROSPECTIVE STUDY TO DETECT WHETHER VIDEO-ASSISTED MEDIASTINOSCOPY IS SUPERIOR TO STANDARD MEDIASTINOSCOPY IN STAGING NSCLC G. Ergene, V. Baysungur, G. Sevilgen, C. Tezel, E. Okur, A. Atasalihi, S. Halezeroglu, <i>Istanbul/TR</i>
15:10 F-024	ANIMAL MODEL OF LUNG EDEMA AFTER BRAIN DEATH AND EX VIVO RECOVERY F.J. Moradiellos Díez, P. Sánchez, J.L. Campo-Cañaverl de la Cruz, S. Crowley, M. Córdoba, D. Gómez de Antonio, A. Varela de Ugarte, <i>Majadahonda (Madrid)/ES</i>

15:20 F-025	SHORT-TERM EFFECTS OF INHALATIVE TIOTROPIUM/FORMOTEROL/ BUDENOSIDE VS. TIOTROPIUM/FORMOTEROL IN SURGERY PATIENTS WITH NEWLY DIAGNOSED COPD: A PROSPECTIVE RANDOMIZED TRIAL S. Böllükbasi ¹ , M. Eberlein ² , J. Eckhoff ¹ , J. Schirren ¹ ¹ Wiesbaden/DE, ² Baltimore, MD/US
15:30 – 16:00 Exhibition Hall	Coffee Break
16:00 – 17:30 Auditorium F. PARIS	Session 5 - Pulmonary Non-Neoplastic Oral Session (8' presentation + 7' discussion) Chairmen: Eveline Internullo, <i>Genua/IT</i> - Antonio Martin-Ucar, <i>Nottingham/UK</i>
16:00 0-026	VIDEO-ASSISTED THORACOSCOPIC PLACEMENT OF PARAVERTEBRAL CATHETER, A TECHNIQUE FOR POSTOPERATIVE ANALGESIA IN THORACOSCOPIC SURGERY. A RANDOMIZED TRIAL J.J. Fibla, L. Molins, J.M. Mier, A. Sierra, D. Carranza, G. Vidal, <i>Barcelona/ES</i>
16:15 0-027	DIGITAL MEASUREMENTS OF AIR LEAK FLOW AND INTRAPLEURAL PRESSURES IN THE IMMEDIATE POSTOPERATIVE PERIOD PREDICT RISK OF PROLONGED AIR LEAK AFTER PULMONARY LOBECTOMY A. Brunelli ¹ , S.D. Cassivi ² , L. Di Nunzio ¹ , L.A. Halgren ² , M. Salati ¹ , J. Fibla ³ , C. Pompili ¹ , D.A. Wigle ³ , ¹ Ancona/IT, ² Rochester, MN/US, ³ Rochester/US
16:30 0-028	A PROSPECTIVE RANDOMIZED CONTROLLED STUDY TO ASSESS THE EFFECTIVENESS OF COSEAL® TO SEAL AIR LEAKS IN LUNG SURGERY C. Tan, M. Uteley, C. Paschalides, J. Pilling, J.D. Robb, K. Harrison-Phipps, L. Lang-Lazdunski, J. King, T. Routledge, T. Treasure, <i>London/UK</i>
16:45 0-029	IS ADMITTING TIME WHITE BLOOD CELL COUNTING RISK FACTOR FOR MORTALITY IN THORACIC TRAUMA? A. Avci, S. Eren, <i>Diyarbakir/TR</i>
17:00 0-030	PROSPECTIVE EXTERNAL CONVERGENCE EVALUATION OF TWO DIFFERENT QUALITY OF LIFE INSTRUMENTS (SF36 VS. EORTC) IN LUNG RESECTION PATIENTS C. Pompili, A. Brunelli, F. Xiumé, M. Refai, M. Salati, A. Sabbatini, <i>Ancona/IT</i>
17:15 0-031	LUNG RESECTION IN HEMATOLOGIC PATIENTS WITH INVASIVE PULMONARY ASPERGILLOSIS C.A. Nebiker, D. Lardinois, L. Junker, F. Gambazzi, P. Matt, M. Stern, A. Buser, M. Tamm, <i>Basel/CH</i>

16:00 - 17:30 Auditorium J. TOLEDO	Session 6 - Experimental/Innovative Techniques ESTS-Grillo Prize (1000 EUR) for best experimental/innovative abstract Forum Session (7' presentation + 3' discussion) Chairmen: Douglas Wood, <i>Seattle, WA/US</i> - Walter Weder, <i>Zurich/CH</i>
16:00 F-032	LUNG EDEMA MONITORING BY MICROWAVE REFLECTOMETRY K. Nowak ¹ , W. Gross ² , K. Nicksch ¹ , C. Hanusch ¹ , M. Helbig ³ , P. Hohenberger ¹ , M.M. Gebhard ² , M. Schäfer ² , ¹ Mannheim/DE, ² Heidelberg/DE, ³ Illmenau/DE
16:10 F-033	A NOVEL TEMPORARY JUGULO-FEMORAL SHUNT FOR SUPERIOR VENA CAVA REPAIR J.Y. Perentes, C. Erling, L. Magnusson, H.-B. Ris, J.-M. Corpataux, <i>Lausanne/CH</i>
16:20 F-034	ANALYSIS OF OUTCOMES OF THORACIC SURGICAL PRACTICE FROM A METROPOLITAN CATCHMENT AREA AND VALIDATION WITH PROPENSITY SCORE BY THE DATABASE OF THE EUROPEAN SOCIETY OF THORACIC SURGEONS: FROM SINGLE UNIT TO REGIONAL GROUP PRACTICE TO IMPROVE QUALITY OF CARE N. Martucci, C. Curcio, G. Vicidomini, G. Guggino, M. Valente, G. Monaco, M. Vasta, C. Bergaminelli, M. Santini, G. Rocco, <i>Naples/IT</i>
16:30 F-035	V.A.C.® THERAPY OF CERVICAL LYMPH NODE TUBERCULOSIS E. Stubenberger, S.B. Watzka, M. Marcher, R. Rumetshofer, M.R. Müller, <i>Vienna/AT</i>
16:40 F-036	BRONCHOSCOPIC LUNG VOLUME REDUCTION AS A BRIDGE TO LUNG TRANSPLANTATION IN COPD PATIENTS D. Diso, F. Venuta, M. Anile, T. De Giacomo, D. Vitolo, M. Brunori, E. Rendina, M. Rolla, C. Ricella, G.F. Coloni, <i>Rome/IT</i>
16:50 F-037	MESOTHELIOMA CELL PROLIFERATION IS CONTROLLED BY MITOGEN ACTIVATED PROTEIN KINASE ERK1/2 AND P38 AND SUBSEQUENT C/EBP-BETA ACTIVATION J. Zhong, M. Roth-Chiarelo, M. Tamm, D. Lardinois, <i>Basel/CH</i>
17:00 F-038	LOW PROTEIN CONTENT OF THE DRAINAGE FLUID IS A GOOD PREDICTOR FOR EARLIER CHEST TUBE REMOVAL AFTER LOBECTOMY G. Olgac, O. Akin, T. Cosgun, A. Ozdemir, C.A. Kutlu, <i>Istanbul/TR</i>
17:10 F-039	DOES LUNG ISCHEMIA AND REPERFUSION HAVE AN IMPACT ON CORONARY FLOW? A QUANTITATIVE CORONARY BLOOD-FLOW ANALYSIS WITH INFLAMMATORY CYTOKINE PROFILE N. Tsirikos-Karapanos, P.J. Wettstein, Z. Li, S.J. Park, C. Deschamps, S.D. Cassivi, <i>Rochester, MN/US</i>
17:20 F-040	FLUID AND ELECTROLYTE BALANCE ANALYSIS AFTER MAJOR THORACIC SURGERY BY BIO-IMPEDANCE AND ENDOCRINE EVALUATION L. Cagini, R. Capozzi, V. Tassi, C. Savignani, G. Quintaliani, M. Ragusa, G. Angeletti, F. Puma, <i>Perugia/IT</i>

17:30 - 19:00 Auditorium F. PARIS	Symposium on War Surgery <i>Organized by Ad Hoc Committee First Intervention Thoracic Surgical Work Force</i>
17:30 - 19:00 Auditorium J. TOLEDO	Symposium on Training in Thoracic Surgery <i>Organized by Ad Hoc Committee Training in Thoracic Surgery</i>
19:30 - 23:00 BODEGA ARZUAGA	Wine Dinner - Spanish Evening Bus Transfer

Tuesday, 1 June 2010

07:30 - 08:20 Room G. MANRESA	Breakfast Session 3: Lung Metastases
07:30 - 08:20 Room C. GIL TURNER	Breakfast Session 4: COPD
08:30 - 17:00 Foyer Auditorium F. PARIS	Poster Display (P-181 / P-220)
08:30 - 12:30 Auditorium F. PARIS	Techno Meeting <i>Corporate Sponsors</i>
08:30 - 10:30 Room G. MANRESA	Symposium CareFusion <i>Sponsored by CareFusion</i>
10:30 - 11:00 Exhibition Hall	Coffee Break
11:00 - 12:30 Auditorium J. TOLEDO	Symposium Benchmarking & Certification <i>Organized by Ad Hoc Committee - Audit & Clinical Excellence</i>
12:30 - 13:00 Auditorium F. PARIS	Extraordinary Lecture Introducer: Mariano Garcia-Yuste, Chair LOC "LIFE BEYOND EARTH" - Prof Juan PEREZ MERCADER <i>Director, Centro de Astrobiologia (CSIC-INTA)</i> <i>Spanish Astrobiology Centre (Associated to NASA), Madrid/SP</i>
13:00 - 14:00 Restaurant / Exhibition Hall	Lunch Break
13:00 - 14:00 Auditorium F. PARIS	Satellite Symposium Covidien <i>Lunch sponsored by Covidien</i>
13:00 - 14:00 Auditorium J. TOLEDO	Satellite Symposium KLS Martin Group <i>Lunch sponsored by KLS Martin Group</i>
14:00 - 15:30 Auditorium F. PARIS	Session 7 - Chest Wall / Diaphragm / Pleura Oral Session (8' presentation + 7' discussion) Chairmen: Laureano Molins, <i>Barcelona/ES</i> - Isabelle Opitz, <i>Zurich/CH</i>
14:00	0-041 VATS BULLECTOMY VERSUS LASER ABLATION IN THE TREATMENT OF PRIMARY SPONTANEOUS PNEUMOTHORAX: A PROSPECTIVE RANDOMIZED STUDY A.S. Bayram, M. Koprucuoglu, M. Aygun, C. Gebitekin, <i>Bursa/TR</i>
14:15	0-042 PLEUROPULMONARY SEPSIS IN A TERTIARY THORACIC CENTRE: IMPACT OF BRITISH THORACIC SOCIETY (BTS) GUIDELINES AND MRSA PREVENTION ON ANTIBIOTIC CHOICE S. Rathinam, J. Cuell, S. Sivalingam, P. Cornejo, M. Kalkat, P.B. Rajesh <i>Birmingham/UK</i>

14:30	0-043 EXTENDING THE USE OF NUSS PROCEDURE IN PATIENTS OLDER THAN 30 YEARS H.K. Pilegaard, <i>Aarhus N/DK</i>
14:45	0-044 THORACOSCOPIC DIAPHRAGMATIC PPLICATION USING THREE 5 MM PORTS D.H. Kim, J.J. Hwang, K.D. Kim, <i>Daejeon/KR</i>
15:00	0-045 CLINICAL AND PATHOLOGICAL FEATURES OF LONG-TERM SURVIVORS OF MALIGNANT PLEURAL MESOTHELIOMA FOLLOWING EXTRAPLEURAL PNEUMONECTOMY D.J. Sugarbaker, A.S. Wolf, L. Chirieac, J. Godleski, T. Tillemann, M.T. Jaklitsch, R. Bueno, W.G. Richards, <i>Boston/US</i>
15:15	0-046 THE ROLE OF PET-CT DURING DIAGNOSIS AND MULTIMODALITY THERAPY FOR MALIGNANT PLEURAL MESOTHELIOMA I. Opitz, M. Tutic, P.B. Kestenholz, T. Frauenfelder, R. Stahel, W. Weder, <i>Zurich/CH</i>
14:00 - 15:30 Auditorium J. TOLEDO	Session 8 - Pulmonary Neoplastic Forum Session (7' presentation + 3' discussion) Chairmen: Federico Venuta, <i>Rome/IT</i> - Jaroslaw Kuzdzal, <i>Krakow/PL</i>
14:00	F-047 THE VALIDITY OF PREOPERATIVE LYMPH NODE STAGING GUIDE LINES OF ESTS IN NON-SMALL CELL LUNG CANCER PATIENTS M.Z. Gunluoglu ¹ , H. Melek ² , B. Medetoglu ¹ , A. Demir ¹ , H.V. Kara ¹ , S.I. Dincer ¹ <i>¹Istanbul/TR, ²Istanbul/TR</i>
14:10	F-048 ULTRASOUND CRITERIA APPLIED WITH INTRAOPERATIVE MEDIA-STINOSCOPIC ULTRASOUND (MUS) IN PRETHERAPEUTIC T-STAGING OF LUNG TUMORS SHOW SUPERIOR CORRELATION WITH PATHOLOGIC T-STAGE THAN T-STAGING WITH COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY M. Wolf, B. Witte, H. Hillebrand, R. Lachmann, S. Herber, M. Hürtgen, <i>Koblentz/DE</i>
14:20	F-049 LUNG CANCER WITH CHEST WALL INVASION AND PROGNOSIS RELATED TO NEW REVISED IASLC STAGING SYSTEM C. Lequaglie, G. Giudice, <i>Rionero In Vulture PZ/IT</i>
14:30	F-050 REFLECTION ON FROZEN SECTION! IS IT NECESSARY TO INVESTIGATE THE BRONCHIAL RESECTION MARGIN? R. Kortekaas ¹ , W. Barendregt ² , <i>¹Schiedam/NL, ²Nijmegen/NL</i>
14:40	F-051 THE EFFICACY OF RADIOFREQUENCY ABLATION OF LUNG NEOPLASMS - RESULTS OF AN "ABLATE AND RESECT" STUDY T. Schneider, D. Reuss, A. Warth, A. Deimling von, P. Schnabel, H. Dienemann, H. Hoffmann, <i>Heidelberg/DE</i>
14:50	F-052 PRIMARY LYMPHOMA OF THE LUNG: CLINICAL FEATURES, PROGNOSTIC FACTORS, AND OUTCOMES D. Galetta ¹ , A. Borri ¹ , F. Petrella ¹ , R.I. Gasparri ² , S. Donghi ¹ , J. Guarize ¹ , B.G. Agogli ¹ , L. Spaggiari ¹ , <i>¹Milan/IT, ²Milano/IT</i>
15:00	F-053 IMPACT OF PULMONARY LUNG FUNCTIONS FOLLOWING NEOADJUVANT THERAPY ON SURGICAL MORBIDITY AND MORTALITY IN STAGE IIIB NON SMALL CELL LUNG CANCERS (NSCLC) J.Y. Perentes, S. Bopp, P.-Y. Jayet, F. Mittieux, T. Krueger, H.-B. Ris, <i>Lausanne/CH</i>



15:10	F-054	QUALITY OF LIFE AFTER SURGERY FOR LUNG CANCER IN THE BREATHLESS: THE "VOLUME REDUCTION" EFFECT? A.E. Martin-Ucar, S.E. Deacon, L. Beggs, D. Beggs, J.P. Duffy, A.M. Majewski <i>Nottingham/UK</i>
15:20	F-055	COMPLICATIONS AND POSTOPERATIVE RESPIRATORY FUNCTION FOLLOWING SEGMENTECTOMY OF THE LUNG - COMPARISON OF THE METHODS OF MAKING AN INTER-SEGMENTAL PLANE Y. Miyasaka, K. Suzuki, Y. Tushima, S. Oh, Y. Anami, K. Takamochi, <i>Tokyo/JP</i>
15:30 - 16:00		Coffee Break Exhibition Hall
16:00 - 17:30		Session 9 - Oesophagus / Mediastinum Forum Session (7' presentation + 3' discussion) Chairmen: Mark Ferguson, <i>Chicago, IL/US</i> - Georges Decker, <i>Luxembourg/LU</i>
16:00	F-056	SENTINEL LYMPH NODE MAPPING USING NOVEL RECEPTOR BINDING AGENT (TECHNETIUM-99M NEOMANNOSYL HUMAN SERUM ALBUMIN, 99MTC-MSA) IN ESOPHAGEAL CANCER; COMPARATIVE STUDY WITH 99MTC-PHYTATE H.K. Kim, S. Kim, D.-Y. Kang, J.M. Jeong, Y.H. Choi, <i>Seoul/KR</i>
16:10	F-057	ESOPHAGEAL ADENOCARCINOMA ARISING AFTER FUNDOPLICATION: A POPULATION BASED ANALYSIS J.A. Salo, T. Kauttu, J. Kauppi, J. Räsänen, T. Rantanen, E. Sihvo, <i>Helsinki/FI</i>
16:20	F-058	SURGERY FOR HIGH-GRADE DYSPLASIA OF THE ESOPHAGUS T.W. Rice, S.C. Murthy, D.P. Mason, L.A. Rybicki, L.M. Yerian, J.A. Dumot, C.P. Rodriguez, E.H. Blackstone, <i>Cleveland, OH/US</i>
16:30	F-059	POOR AWARENESS OF SYMPTOMS OF OESOPHAGEAL CANCER V. Tentzeris, B. Lake, T. Cherian, J. Milligan, A. Sigurdsson, <i>Telford/UK</i>
16:40	F-060	RESULTS OF PRIMARY SURGERY IN LYMPH NODE STAGE IVA(M1A) AND IVB(M1B) DISTAL THIRD ESOPHAGEAL ADENOCARCINOMA P. Nafteux, J. Moons, W. Coosemans, D.E. Van Raemdonck, P. De Leyn, H. Decaluwé, G. Decker, A. Lerut, <i>Leuven/BE</i>
16:50	F-061	LONG TERM OUTCOME OF PLEUROPLEURONECTOMY FOR MASAOKA STAGE IVA THYMOMA D. Fabre, E. Fadel, R. Grima, S. Mussot, O. Mercier, P.G. Darteville <i>Le Plessis Robinson/FR</i>
17:00	F-062	THYMOMA AND MYASTHENIA GRAVIS: CLINICAL ASPECTS AND PROGNOSIS C. Zisis, D. Rontogianni, C. Vahlas, D. Tzertzemelis, K. Athanassiadi, C. Tzavara, A. Psevdi, I. Bellenis, <i>Athens/GR</i>

17:10	F-063	IS THERE A RELATION BETWEEN THE NUMBER OF VATS THYMECTOMIES PERFORMED AND LEARNING CURVE FOR VATS RESECTION OF THYMOMA IN PATIENTS WITH MYASTHENIA GRAVIS ? A. Toker, S. Erus, B. Ozkan, S. Ziyade, S. Tanju, <i>Istanbul/TR</i>
17:20	F-064	SURGICAL APPROACHES, MANAGEMENT AND OUTCOMES OF THYROIDECTOMY FOR CERVICOMEDIASTINAL GOITERS P. Moreno, A. Alvarez, J. Illana, D. Espinosa, C. Baamonde, F. Cerezo, F.J. Algar, A. Salvatierra, <i>Cordoba/ES</i>
16:00 - 17:30		Session 10 - Airway / Transplantation Oral Session (8' presentation + 7' discussion) Chairmen: Alec Patterson, <i>St Louis, MO/US</i> - Clemens Aigner, <i>Vienna/AT</i>
16:00	0-065	SPRAY CRYOSURGERY; A NEW TREATMENT FOR NON-MALIGNANT AIRWAY STRICTURES H.C. Fernando ¹ , D. Dekeratry ² , G. Downie ³ , D. Finley ⁴ , R. Sales dos Santos ⁵ , V. Sullivan ⁶ , S. Sakar ⁷ , R. Rivas ⁸ , W. Krimsky ⁷ ¹ Boston, MA/US, ² Tempe, TX/US, ³ Mount Pleasant, TX/US, ⁴ New York, NY/US, ⁵ Sao Paulo/BR, ⁶ Ann Arbor, MI/US, ⁷ Baltimore, MD/US, ⁸ Boston/US
16:15	0-066	IS BRONCHOSCOPY NECESSARY TO CONFIRM THE POSITION OF DOUBLE LUMEN TUBES AT THE TIME OF THORACIC ANESTHESIA? M. de Bellis, R. Accardo, M. di Maio, F. Scognamiglio, G.B. Rossi, E. de Luca, P. Marone, V. Romano, A.M. Tempesta, G. Rocco, <i>Napoli/IT</i>
16:30	0-067	PRIMARY MAJOR AIRWAY TUMORS; MANAGEMENT AND RESULTS M. Shadmehr, R. Farzanegan, P. Grilli, M. Javaherzadeh, M. Arab, S. Pejhan, A. Daneshvar, A. Abbasidezfouli, <i>Tehran/IR</i>
16:45	0-068	FIRST SUCCESSFUL TRANSPLANTATIONS AFTER EX VIVO EVALUATION OF UNCONTROLLED NON HEART-BEATING DONOR HUMAN LUNGS F.J. Moradiellos Díez, J.M. Naranjo, M. Córdoba, C. Salas, J. Álvarez, M. Valle, D. Gómez de Antonio, J.L. Campo-Cañaveral, S. Crowley, A. Varela de Ugarte <i>Majadahonda (Madrid)/ES</i>
17:00	0-069	OUTCOME OF LUNG TRANSPLANTATION IN ELDERLY RECIPIENTS S.C. Tomaszek, J.J. Fibla, J.P. Scott, K.R. Shen, D.A. Wigle, W.K. Kremers, S.D. Cassivi, <i>Rochester, MN/US</i>
17:15	0-070	LUNG TRANSPLANTATION FOR CYSTIC FIBROSIS: A SINGLE CENTER EXPERIENCE WITH 100 CONSECUTIVE CASES I. Inci, P.B. Kestenholz, M. Hofer, S. Hillinger, D. Schneiter, A. Boehler, W. Weder <i>Zurich/CH</i>
17:30 - 19:00		ESTS General Assembly Members only Auditorium J. TOLEDO
20:00 - 24:00		Gala Dinner Individual Transportation PATIO HERRERIANO

Wednesday, 2 June 2010

07:00 – 07:50 Room G. MANRESA	Breakfast Session 5: Thymectomy
07:00 – 07:50 Room C. GIL TURNER	Breakfast Session 6: Sympathectomy
08:00 – 09:00 Auditorium F. PARIS	Session 11 – Moderated Posters (Mixed) Poster Session (3' presentation + 2' discussion) Chairmen: Kalliopi Athanassiadi, <i>Athens/GR</i> – Thorsten Walles, <i>Gerlingen/DE</i>
08:00 P-151	SURVIVAL AFTER CURATIVE RESECTION FOR ADENOCARCINOMA AT THE GASTRO-ESOPHAGEAL JUNCTION WITH ADJUVANT POSTOPERATIVE CHEMORADIOTHERAPY OR SURGERY ALONE S. Kofoed, L. Baeksgaard, B. Brandt, M. Siemsen, L.B. Svendsen, <i>Copenhagen/DK</i>
08:05 P-113	SHFJV (SUPERIMPOSED HIGH FREQUENCY JET VENTILATION) IS A FEASIBLE METHOD TO ACHIEVE ADEQUATE OXYGENATION DURING LUNG SURGERY G. Koller-Halmer, H. Koller, E. Deusch, S.B. Watzka, M.R. Müller, I. Schindler, <i>Vienna/AT</i>
08:10 P-103	PULMONARY FUNCTIONS IN THE LATE POSTOPERATIVE PERIOD ARE BETTER PRESERVED AFTER VIDEO-ASSISTED THORACOSCOPIC SURGERY LOBECTOMY THAN LOBECTOMY VIA STANDARD THORACOTOMY E. Okur, V. Baysungur, C. Tezel, G. Ergene, G. Sevilgen, I. Yalcinkaya, S. Halezeroglu, <i>Istanbul/TR</i>
08:15 P-118	ELECTIVE PECTUS BAR REMOVAL FOLLOWING NUSS PROCEDURE FOR PECTUS EXCAVATUM: A SINGLE-INSTITUTION EXPERIENCE C. Nyboe, M.R. Knudsen, H.K. Pilegaard, <i>Århus/DK</i>
08:20 P-145	IS THERE ANY MAXIMUM STANDARDIZED UPTAKE VALUE DIFFERENCE AMONG PET/CT SCANNERS FOR MEDIASTINAL STAGING IN NSCLC PATIENTS? I. Iskender ¹ , S.Z. Kadioglu ² , A. Kosar ² , A. Atasalihi ² , A. Kir ² , ¹ Sirnak/TR, ² Istanbul/TR
08:25 P-162	CHEST TUBE MANAGEMENT FOLLOWING PULMONARY LOBECTOMY: CHANGE OF PROTOCOL RESULTS IN FEWER AIR LEAKS J. Bertholet ¹ , J. Joosten ² , M. Keemers-Gels ¹ , F. van den Wildenberg ¹ , W. Barendregt ¹ , ¹ Nijmegen/NL, ² Hoorn/NL
08:30 P-165	LUNG CANCER CT SCREENING FACILITATES MINIMALLY INVASIVE THORACIC SURGERY R.H. Petersen ¹ , H. Jessen Hansen ¹ , A. Dirksen ² , J.H. Pedersen ¹ ¹ Copenhagen/DK, ² Hellerup/DK

08:35 P-174	SURGICAL APPROACH FOR PULMONARY METASTASECTOMY. DOES IT REALLY MATTER? R. Embun, I. Royo, J. Hernández, E. Ramírez, P. Menal, J.L. Recuero, F.J. García Tirado, J.J. Rivas, <i>Zaragoza/ES</i>
08:40 P-178	PHOTODYNAMIC THERAPY ENHANCES LIPODOXORUBCIN DISTRIBUTION IN SARCOMA LUNG METASTASIS BY LOWERING TUMOR INTERSTITIAL FLUID PRESSURE IN A RODENT MODEL J.Y. Perentes, M. Gonzalez, C. Cheng, H.-B. Ris, T. Krueger, <i>Lausanne/CH</i>
08:45 P-184	SAFETY AND LONG TERM EFFICACY OF LEFT THORACOSCOPIC ROBOT-ENHANCED THYMECTOMY IN PATIENTS WITH MYASTHENIA GRAVIS G. Marulli, M. Schiavon, E. Perissinotto, A. Zuin, F. Di Chiara, A. Rebusso, L. Battistella, F. Rea, <i>Padua/IT</i>
08:50 P-191	USE OF PROTEOLYTIC ENZYMES IN THE TREATMENT OF ESOPHAGEAL FOOD IMPACTION H. Wang, D.M. Donahue, J.S. Allan, J. Garrity, C.R. Morse, Boston, MA/US
08:55 P-197	SHOULD CONSERVATIVE TREATMENT BE ADVISED IN GRADE II CAUSTIC INGESTION BURNS ? J. Jougon, M. Thumerei, H. Roze, A. Rodriguez, F. Delcambre, F. Gomez, J.-F. Velly, <i>Pessac/FR</i>
08:00 – 09:00 Auditorium J. TOLEDO	Session 12 – Video (Mixed) Video Session (7' video presentation + 3' discussion) Chairmen: John Duffy, Nottingham/UK – Henrik Hansen, Copenhagen/DK
08:00 V-071	MINIMALLY INVASIVE APPROACH FOR THORACIC DISK HERNIA: VIDEOTHORACOSCOPIC SURGERY N.J. Martínez Hernández, M. Sanfeliu Giner, R. Guijarro Jorge, J.M. Galbis Caravajal, S. Figueroa Almánzar, J. Martínez Baños, A. Arnau Obrer, G. Bordon <i>Valencia/ES</i>
08:10 V-072	PNEUMONECTOMY FOR LUNG CANCER IN A PATIENT WITH HOMOLATERAL TRAUMATIC DIAPHRAGMATIC HERNIA M.F. Jimenez, G. Varela, N.M. Novoa, J.L. Aranda, E. del Barrio, J.M. Rodriguez <i>Salamanca/ES</i>
08:20 V-073	THE HELLER-DOR OPERATION FOR THE THERAPY OF OESOPHAGEAL ACHALASIA 1979-2009. HISTORY, RATIONALE, TECHNIQUE AND DEFINITIVE RESULTS S. Mattioli ¹ , F. D'ovidio ² , A. Ruffato ¹ , V. Pilotti ¹ , M. Lugaresi ¹ ¹ Bologna/IT, ² New York/US
08:30 V-074	A NEW ENDOSCOPIC TECHNIQUE FOR INTRALUMINAL REPAIR OF POSTERIOR TRACHEAL LACERATION S. Welter, J. Jacobs, G. Stamatis, <i>Essen/DE</i>



08:40	V-075	SURGICAL TREATMENT OF COMPLEX SUBGLOTTIC LARYNGO-TRACHEAL STENOSIS. J. Pac Ferrer, R. Rojo Marcos, J.C. Rumbero Sánchez, J. Casanova Viúdez, N. Uribe-Etxebarria Lugariza-Aresti, M. Lorenzo Martín, U. Jiménez Maestre, L. Hernández Pérez, <i>Baracaldo/ES</i>
08:50	V-076	REITERATIVE AND EXTENDED SURGERY FOR A RECURRENT THYMOMA WITH 20-YRS SURVIVAL. THE SEVENTH OPERATION: CONCURRENT RESECTION OF GIANT CHEST WALL RECURRENCE AND MULTIPLE LIVER METASTASES S. Margaritora, F. Lococo, L. Vita, E. Meacci, V. Porziella, P. Granone, <i>Rome/IT</i>
09:00 - 10:30	ESTS - STS Symposium on Quality & Outcome Auditorium F. PARIS <i>Organized jointly with the Society of Thoracic Surgeons</i>	
09:00 - 10:30	ESTS - Spanish Thoracic Surgeons Symposium Auditorium J. TOLEDO <i>Organized jointly with the Spanish Thoracic Surgeons of the Local Organizing Committee</i>	
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee Break Exhibition Hall	
11:00 - 13:00	Session 13 - Mixed Malignant Auditorium F. PARIS Forum Session (7' presentation + 3' discussion) Chairmen: Ramon Rami-Porta, <i>Barcelona/ES</i> - Cengiz Gebitekin, <i>Bursa/TK</i>	
11:00	F-077	THE ROLE OF SLEEVE RESECTIONS IN ADVANCED NODAL DISEASE J. Schirren, N. Kudelin, A. Fischer, S. Bölükbas, <i>Wiesbaden/DE</i>
11:10	F-078	LYMPH NODE DISSECTION IN STAGE I NSCLC L. Romero, M. Deu, I. Lopez, J. Sole, A. Jauregui, A. Ojanguren, J. Rosado, R. Zapata, M. Canela, <i>Barcelona/ES</i>
11:20	F-079	THE ROLE OF EXTENDED CERVICAL MEDIASTINOSCOPY IN THE STAGING OF LEFT BRONCHOGENIC CARCINOMA AND COMPARISON WITH INTEGRATED POSITRON EMISSION TOMOGRAPHY AND COMPUTER -TOMOGRAPHY; DOES INTEGRATED POSITRON EMISSION TOMOGRAPHY AND COMPUTER -TOMOGRAPHY REDUCE IN THE INVASIVE STAGING? M. Metin, N. Citak, A. Sayar, A. Pekcolaklar, H. Melek, A. Kok, A. Gurses <i>Istanbul/TR</i>
11:30	F-080	EARLY POST-OPERATIVE CT SCAN (ECT) FOR THE POST SURGICAL FOLLOW UP OF NON SMALL CELL LUNG CANCER (NSCLC) M. Mandrioli ¹ , F. D'ovidio ² , M. Zompatori ¹ , V. Pilotti ¹ , A. Ruffato ¹ , S. Mattioli ¹ ¹ <i>Bologna/IT</i> , ² <i>New York/US</i>

11:40	F-081	POMERANIAN LUNG CANCER SCREENING TRIAL - PRELIMINARY RESULTS W. Rzyman, R. Dziedzic, M. Jelitto-Gorska, Z. Zielska, J. Ksiazek, I. Biadacz <i>Gdansk/PL</i>
11:50	F-082	INTRAPLEURAL ADJUVANT TREATMENT OF MESOTHELIOMA: THE COMBINATION OF CISPLATIN-PEMETREXED IN RAT TUMOUR MODEL L. Ampollini, F. Sonvico, R. Bilancia, A. Cavazzoni, S. Barbieri, P.G. Petronini, A.M. Cantoni, A. Fusari, M. Rusca, P. Carbognani, <i>Parma/IT</i>
12:00	F-083	THE ROLE OF TC-99M-2-METHOXY-ISOBUTYL-ISONITRILE SINGLE PHOTON EMISSION COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY (99MTC-MIBI-SPECT) IN VISUALIZING ANTERIOR MEDIASTINAL TUMOR AND DIFFERENTIATING HISTOLOGIC TYPE OF THYMOMA A. Fiorelli, A. Perrone, F. Napolitano, G. Messina, G. Vicidomini, P.F. Rambaldi, L. Mansi, A. Rotondo, M. Santini, <i>Naples/IT</i>
12:10	F-084	PROTEOMIC ANALYSIS OF RESECTABLE NON-SMALL CELL LUNG CANCER: POSTOPERATIVE SAMPLE MAY BE A BETTER CONTROL IN IDENTIFYING POTENTIAL MARKERS S. Rathinam, A. Alzetani, J. Starczynski, D.G. Ward, N.D. James, P.J. Johnson, A. Martin, P.B. Rajesh, <i>Birmingham/UK</i>
12:20	F-085	PRIMARY GASTRIC CANCER IN ESOPHAGEAL GASTRIC GRAFT AFTER ESOPHAGECTOMY Y.S. Yoon, H.K. Kim, Y.S. Choi, J. Kim, K. Kim, Y.M.S. Young Mog Shim, <i>Seoul/KR</i>
12:30	F-086	BODY MASS INDEX KINETICS AFTER RADICAL ESOPHAGECTOMY FOR CANCER M. Ouattara, X.B. Djourno, D. Trousse, B. Orsini, C. Doddoli, P.A. Thomas, <i>Marseille/FR</i>
12:40	F-087	MINIMALLY INVASIVE ESOPHAGECTOMY OF 99 CONSECUTIVE CASES: LEARNING CURVE AND LESSONS LEARNED Y. Zhang, L. Tan, M. Feng, H. Wang, Q. Wang, <i>Shanghai/C</i>
12:50	F-088	TALC PLEURODESIS IN THE MANAGEMENT OF MALIGNANT PLEURAL EFFUSION: TALC POUDRAGE OR TALC SLURRY? J. Cárdenas-Gómez, J.C. Vázquez-Pelillo, R. Vicente-Verdú, Y. Bellido-Reyes, P. Díaz-Agero, E. Corpa-Rodríguez, J.L. Gil-Alonso, J. García-Sánchez-Girón, <i>Madrid/ES</i>



11:00 - 13:00 Auditorium J. TOLEDO		Session 14 - Mixed Benign Forum Session (7' presentation + 3' discussion) Chairmen: Thomas Kiefer, Konstanz/DE - Jozsef Furak, Szeged/HU
11:00	F-089	IMPACT OF POSTPNEUMONECTOMY EMPYEMA ON SURVIVAL AFTER RESECTION OF THORACIC MALIGNANCIES D. Schneiter, M. Tutic, I. Opitz, S. Hillinger, P.B. Kestenholz, W. Weder, Zurich/CH
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11:30	F-092	DEVELOPMENT OF A NEW TRANS-ORAL ENDOSCOPIC APPROACH FOR MEDIASTINAL SURGERY ON THE BASIS OF NATURAL ORIFICE SURGERY: PRECLINICAL STUDIES ON SURGICAL TECHNIQUE, FEASIBILITY AND SAFETY T.W. Wilhelm ¹ , W. Klemm ² , G. Leschber ² , J.J. Harlaar ³ , A.L.A. Kerver ³ , G.-J. Kleinrensink ³ , A. Nemat ⁴ , ¹ Borna/DE, ² Berlin/DE, ³ Rotterdam/NL, ⁴ Erfurt/DE
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12:20	F-097	VIDEOTHORACOSCOPIC LUNG BIOPSY IN THE DIAGNOSIS OF INTERSTITIAL LUNG DISEASE. A SPANISH PROSPECTIVE MULTICENTRIC STUDY WITH 224 PATIENTS J.J. Fibla ¹ , L. Molins ¹ , A. Blanco ² , I. Royo ³ , P. Martínez Vallina ³ , N.J. Martínez Hernández ⁴ , A. Arnau ⁴ , S. Garcia Barajas ⁵ , A. Gomez ⁶ , E. Canalis ⁷ ¹ Barcelona/ES, ² Sevilla/ES, ³ Zaragoza/ES, ⁴ Valencia/ES, ⁵ Badajoz/ES, ⁶ Madrid/ES, ⁷ Tarragona/ES
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A. Gurses²
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Daejeon/KR
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Monday 31 May 2010	08:30 - 10:30	Brompton	Session 1	Chairperson, Jury	Eric	Lim	Strategen	Consultant
Monday 31 May 2010	14:00 - 15:30	Young Investigators Award	Session 4	Chairperson	Thomas	D'Amico	Covidien	Consultant
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Monday 31 May 2010	16:00 - 17:30	Innovative/ Experimental	Session 6	Chairperson	Douglas	Wood	Spiration	Consultant, Research Funding
Tuesday 1 June 2010	07:30 - 08:20	Breakfast Session	Transplantation for COPD	Invited Speaker	Dirk	Van Raemdonck	Vitrolife AB Sweden	Research Support
Tuesday 1 June 2010	07:30 - 08:20	Breakfast Session	Lung metastases - surgical approach	Invited Speaker	Thomas	D'Amico	Covidien	Consultant
Tuesday 1 June 2010	07:30 - 08:20	Breakfast Session	Lung metastases - surgical approach	Invited Speaker	Thomas	D'Amico	Scanlan	Consultant
Tuesday 1 June 2010	11:00 - 12:30	European Benchmarking and Certification in Thoracic Surgery		Chairperson, Invited Speaker	Antoni	Arias	IASIST, SAU	Executive Director
Tuesday 1 June 2010	08:30 - 9:00	Techno Meeting	Conventional ambulatory technology can result in improved outcomes after pulmonary resections when incorporated into a standard clinical pathway	Invited Speaker	Neri	Cohen	Atrium Medical	Consultant
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Tuesday 1 June 2010	08:30 - 9:00	Techno Meeting	Pleural drainage after pulmonary lobectomy; technical improvements for better outcomes	Invited Speaker	Gonzalo	Varela	Atrium	International Advisor
Tuesday 1 June 2010	10:00 - 10:30	Techno Meeting	Treatment of prolonged air leaks with intra bronchial valves	Invited Speaker	Ole	Jorgensen	Olympus	
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Tuesday 1 June 2010	11:00 - 11:30	Techno Meeting	Lung Sealing in VATS	Invited Speaker	Prudencio	Diaz-Agero	Baxter	Travel Support
Tuesday 1 June 2010	12:00 - 12:30	Techno Meeting	TissuePatch adhesive film for air leak reduction: Introducing the VATS delivery system	Invited Speaker	David	Mandley	TissueMed Limited	Employee
Wednesday 2 June 2010	08:00 - 09:00	Video	Session 12	Chairperson	Henrik	Hansen	Covidien	Teacher
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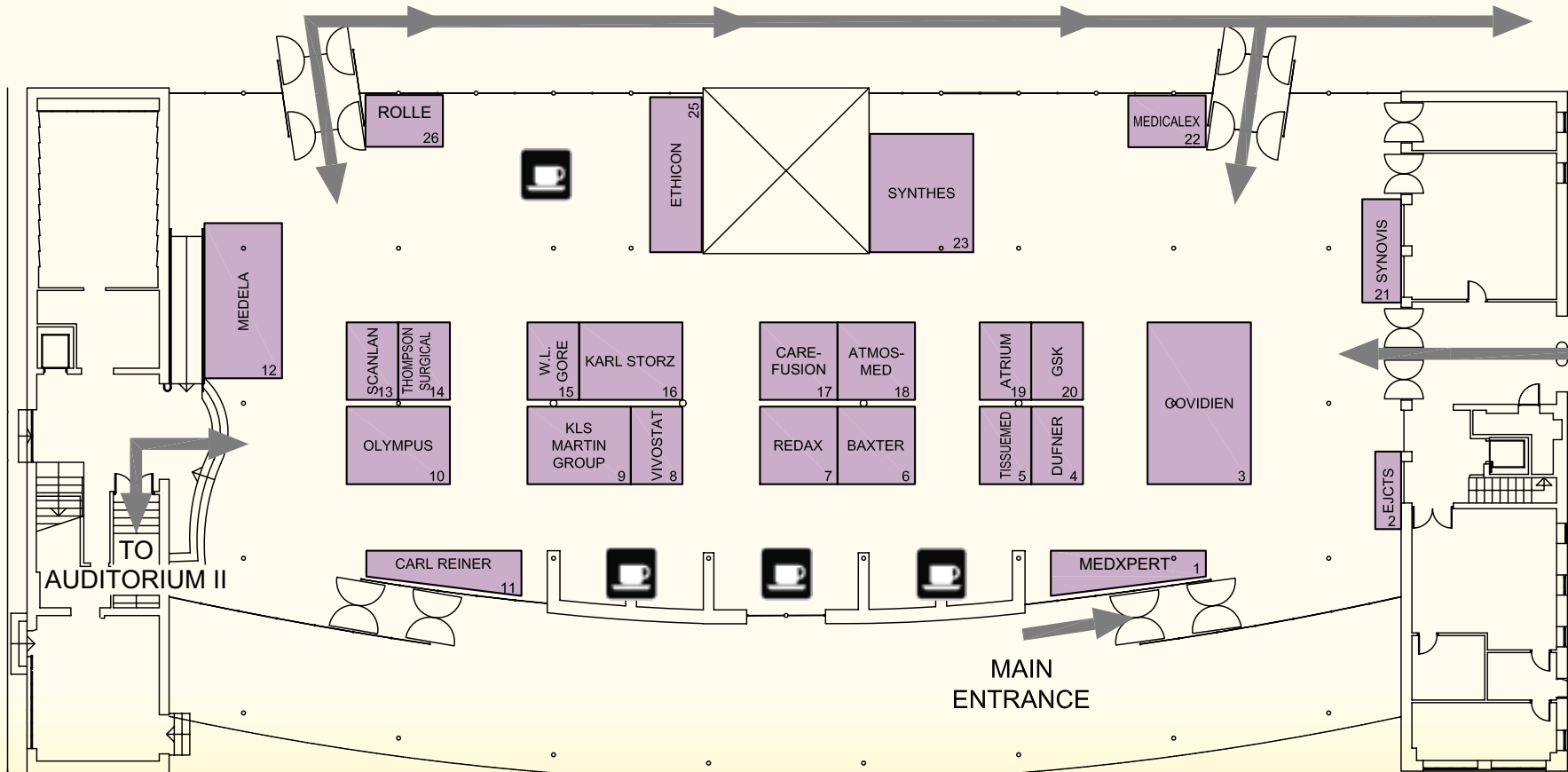
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