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Wednesday, 6 June 2007

08:00 - 09:00 **SESSION 11: BEST POSTERS (MIXED)**
GA2

Moderated Poster 12 x 5' (3' presentation + 2' discussion)

Chairmen:

Kalliopi Athanassiadi, Germany - Adelheid End, Austria

Georges Decker, Luxembourg - Godehard Friedel, Germany

- 8:00 102-P [\(29685\) THE ROLE OF FDG-PET FOR DIFFERENTIATING BETWEEN MALIGN AND BENIGN PLEURAL DISEASES](#)
A Orki¹; H Ciftci¹; A E Tasci¹; O Akin¹; O Falay²; * G Olgac¹; * C A Kutlu¹
¹Sureyyapasa Chest Diseases and Chest Surgery Centre, Istanbul, Turkey;
²Medica Diagnosis Centre, Istanbul, Turkey
- 8:05 103-P [\(29592\) EARLY MORTALITY AND MORBIDITY AFTER PULMONARY RESECTION: IS VATS LOBECTOMY REALLY SUPERIOR TO OPEN SURGERY?](#)
G Casali; * W Walker
Cardiothoracic Department, Edinburgh, United Kingdom
- 8:10 104-P [\(29460\) 30D- MORTALITY AND MORBIDITY OF PNEUMONECTOMY AND SLEEVE LOBECTOMY IN PATIENTS OLDER VS YOUNGER THAN 70 YEARS](#)
E Melloul; T Krueger; C Cheng; B Egger; * H Ris
Centre Hospitalier Universitaire Vaudois, Lausanne, Switzerland
- 8:15 105-P [\(29605\) PROGNOSTIC VALUE OF WHO HISTOLOGIC CLASSIFICATION OF THYMOMAS](#)
* M Narski¹; B Papla²; L Rudnicka²; * J Kuzdzal¹; * M Zielinski¹
¹Department of Thoracic Surgery Pulmonary Hospital, Zakopane, Poland;
²Chair and Department of Pathology Jagiellonian University, Krakow, Poland
- 8:20 106-P [\(29692\) THE ROLE OF POSITRON EMISSION TOMOGRAPHY IN MEDIASTINAL LYMPHATIC STAGING OF NSCLC](#)
H Melek; M Z Gunluoglu; A Demir; H Akin; A Olcmen; S I Dincer
Yedikule Teaching Hospital for Chest Diseases and Thoracic Surgery
Department of Thoracic Surgery, Istanbul, Turkey
- 8:25 107-P [\(29535\) THE DECISION TO OPERATE: ROLE OF FUSION FDG PET-CT IN STAGING OESOPHAGEAL AND OESOPHAGOGASTRIC JUNCTION CANCER BY THE MULTIDISCIPLINARY TEAM.](#)
* R G Berrisford¹; W Wong²; G Farrant¹; E Toy¹; K Mitchell¹; S Wajed¹
¹Royal Devon and Exeter NHS Foundation Trust, Exeter, United Kingdom;
²Paul Strickland Scanner Centre, Northwood, United Kingdom
- 8:30 108-P [\(29474\) EXTRACAPSULAR LYMPH NODE INVOLVEMENT IS A STRONG NEGATIVE PROGNOSTIC FACTOR IN LOCALLY ADVANCED OESOPHAGEAL CANCER PATIENTS](#)

- * X B D'Journo; J P Avaro; L Dahan; A M Tasei; * C Doddoli; R Giudicelli; * P A Fuentes; J F Seitz; * P A Thomas
University of The Mediterranean Assistance Publique Hopitaux de Marseille, Marseille, France
- 8:35 109-P [\(29816\) MULTIPLE BILATERAL PRIMARY NON-SMALL CELL LUNG CANCER. A SPECIAL FOCUS ON SYNCHRONOUS DISEASE.](#)
D Trousse; * X B D'Journo; J P Avaro; * C Doddoli; R Giudicelli; * P A Fuentes; * P A Thomas
University of the Mediterranean Assistance Publique Hopitaux de Marseille Sainte Marguerite Hospital, Marseille, France
- 8:40 110-P [\(29765\) EARLY RESULTS OF A COMPARATIVE STUDY OF TECHNIQUES FOR INTRAOPERATIVE PLEURAL LAVAGE CYTOLOGY IN NSCLC : METHODOLOGY MATTERS !](#)
* A J Poncelet; C Coulon; J Cornet; * P Noirhomme; P Collard; B Weynand
Cliniques Universitaires Saint Luc, Brussels, Belgium
- 8:45 111-P [\(29509\) THE PLACE OF PLEURAL FLUID CULTURE FOLLOWING THORACIC SURGERY](#)
* J Pilling; J Phadnis; A Rashid; * P Goldstraw; * G Ladas; * M Dusmet
Royal Brompton Hospital, London, United Kingdom
- 8:50 112-P [\(29434\) IS IT NECESSARY TO HAVE TWO CHEST DRAINS AFTER A LOBECTOMY?](#)
D Mittapalli; M Devbhandari; MT Jones; * R Shah
South Manchester University Hospital, Manchester, United Kingdom
- 8:55 113-P [\(29833\) EARLY OUTCOME OF LUNG TRANSPLANTS WITH DONORS AGED 50 AND OLDER](#)
J Moradiellos¹; P Gámez¹; M Córdoba¹; D Gómez¹; R Laporta²; C García-Gallo²; * A Varela¹
¹Thoracic Surgery Department Puerta de Hierro University Hospital, Madrid, Spain; ²Pneumology Department Puerta de Hierro University Hospital, Madrid, Spain
- 08:00 - 09:00 **SESSION 12: VIDEO (MIXED)**
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- Video 6 x 10 minutes (8' presentation + 2' discussion)**
- Chairmen:**
Philippe Nafteux, Belgium - Danail Petrov, Bulgaria
- 08:00 072-V [\(29634\) THYMECTOMY IN MYASTHENIA GRAVIS VIA VIDEO-ASSISTED INFRA-MAMMARY COSMETIC INCISION.](#)
P Granone; E Meacci; * S Margaritora; V Porziella; G Cusumano; M Vita
Thoracic Surgery Unit Catholic University of Sacred Heart, Rome, Italy
- 08:10 073-V [\(29486\) A CHALLENGE IN THORACOSCOPIC SYMPATHECTOMY: PULMONARY AZYGOS LOBE.](#)
* J Miranda; J C Mota; M M Vieira
Unit of Cardiac and Thoracic Surgery of Casa de Saude da Boavista, Porto, Portugal
- 08:20 074-V [\(29620\) MULTIPLE PULMONARY METASTASES OF RENAL-SARCOMA – CASE REPORT OF SUCCESSFUL MANAGEMENT OF 269 METASTASES RESECTED BY A NEW LASER SYSTEM.](#)
* A Rolle; A Pereszlenyi; A Schilling; B Rudek
Centre of Pneumology Thoracic and Vascular Surgery, Coswig, Germany

- 08:30 075-V [\(29749\) SUTURELESS NONANATOMICAL PULMONARY RESECTION](#)
Z Szántó; * O Kovács; T Dinka
County Hospital Szolnok, Szolnok, Hungary
- 08:40 076-V [\(29793\) NOVEL VIDEO-ASSISTED TECHNIQUE FOR RESECTION OF LARGE MEDIASTINAL HEMANGIOMA](#)
* H Sirbu; W Schreiner; * R Autschbach
Department of Thorax and Cardiovascular Surgery, Aachen, Germany
- 08:50 077-V [\(29468\) MODIFIED TRANSMANUBRIAL OSTEOMUSCULAR SPARING APPROACH FOR RESECTION OF T1 VERTEBRAL TUMOR](#)
* G Di Rienzo¹; * C Surrente¹; * C Lopez¹; * G Greco¹; L Garrisi¹; * A L Urgese¹; * A Lacitignola¹; A Montinaro²
¹Thoracic Surgery Unit, Lecce, Italy; ²Neurosurgery Unit, Lecce, Italy
- 09:00 - 10:30 **JOINT ERS - ESTS SESSION**
GA2 **"Mediastinal Staging for NSCLC"**
- Chairmen:**
Sylvia Hartl (secretary-general elect, ERS) - Dirk Van Raemdonck (general secretary, ESTS)
Ryosuke Tsuchiya, Japan
- [This session is organised in collaboration with ERS](#)
- 11:00 - 13:00 **SESSION 13: MIXED MALIGNANT**
GA2 **Forum 12 x 10' (7' presentation + 3' discussion)**
- Chairmen:**
Andrew Thorpe, United Kingdom - Mariano Garcia-Yuste, Spain
- 11:00 078-F [\(29607\) SLEEVE LOBECTOMY OR PNEUMONECTOMY AFTER INDUCTION CHEMORADIOTHERAPY: RESULTS OF A SINGLE-CENTRE EXPERIENCE.](#)
* S Margaritora; V Porziella; E Meacci; A Cesario; A Piraino; T Congedo; S Cafarotti; P Granone
Division of Thoracic Surgery Catholic University of Sacred Heart, Rome, Italy
- 11:10 079-F [\(29533\) INDUCTION THERAPY DOES NOT INCREASE MORBIDITY AFTER SLEEVE LOBECTOMY OR PNEUMONECTOMY](#)
* D Lardinois; S Wrann; * P Kestenholz; * D Schneider; * W Weder
Division of Thoracic surgery University Hospital Zurich, Zurich, Switzerland
- 11:20 080-F [\(29794\) TRACHEAL SLEEVE PNEUMONECTOMY FOR NON SMALL CELL LUNG CANCER \(NSCLC\): SHORT AND LONG TERM RESULTS IN A SINGLE INSTITUTION EXPERIENCE.](#)
* F Rea¹; * G Marulli¹; M Schiavon¹; * A Zuin¹; M Loy¹; A Hamad¹; P Feltracco²; F Sartori¹
¹Thoracic Surgery Department of Cardilogic Thoracic and Vascular Sciences University of Padua, Padua, Italy; ²Anaesthesiology University of Padua, Padua, Italy

- 11:30 081-F [\(29687\) SLEEVE PNEUMONECTOMY FOR LUNG CANCER. SURVIVAL AND COMPLICATIONS](#)
D R Subotic; D V Mandaric; N D Atanasijadis; L M Andric
Institute for Lung Diseases Clinical Centre of Serbia, Belgrade, Serbia and Montenegro
- 11:40 082-F [\(29442\) OUTCOME AFTER EXTRAPLEURAL PNEUMONECTOMY FOR MALIGNANT PLEURAL MESOTHELIOMA](#)
* C Aigner; M Reza Hoda; * G Lang; * S Taghavi; G Marta; * W Klepetko
Medical University of Vienna, Vienna, Austria
- 11:50 083-F [\(29573\) MANAGEMENT OF SOLITARY FIBROUS TUMOR OF THE PLEURA \(SFTP\) – A TWO INSTITUTION EXPERIENCE](#)
M Krüger³; S Decker²; M Tönnies¹; M Ermitsch³; * D Kaiser¹
¹*Thoraxchirurgie Lungenklinik Heckeshorn, Berlin, Germany;*
²*Thoraxchirurgie Klinik Loewenstein, Loewenstein, Germany;*
³*Thoraxchirurgie Johanniter Krankenhaus, Treuenbrietzen, Germany*
- 12:00 084-F [\(29584\) DOES VIDEO-MEDIASTINOSCOPY IMPROVE THE RESULTS OF CONVENTIONAL MEDIASTINOSCOPY?](#)
* G Leschber; J Merk; D Sperling; W Klemm
ELK Chest Hospital Berlin, Berlin, Germany
- 12:10 085-F [\(29766\) VIDEO-ASSISTED MEDIASTINOSCOPIC LYMPHADENECTOMY \(VAMLA\) VERSUS OPEN LYMPHADENECTOMY](#)
* B Witte; A Messerschmid; M Wolf; * M Huertgen
Department of Thoracic Surgery Katholisches Klinikum Koblenz, Koblenz, Germany
- 12:20 086-F [\(29750\) TRANSCERVICAL EXTENDED MEDIASTINAL LYMPHADENECTOMY \(TEMLA\) – RESULTS OF STAGING IN 284 PATIENTS WITH NON-SMALL-CELL LUNG CANCER \(NSCLC\)](#)
* M Zielinski¹; * L Hauer¹; * J Kuzdzal¹; * J Hauer¹; J Pankowski²; T Nabialek³
¹*Department of Thoracic Surgery Pulmonary Hospital, Zakopane, Poland;*
²*Department of Pathology Pulmonary Hospital, Zakopane, Poland;*
³*Department of Anesthesiology and Intensive Care Pulmonary Hospital, Zakopane, Poland*
- 12:30 087-F [\(29845\) OUTCOME FOLLOWING RESECTION OF PULMONARY METASTASES FROM UTERINE CANCER](#)
D Rice; A Correa; R Wynn; P Ramirez; W Hofstetter; R Mehran; S Swisher; A Vaporciyan; J Roth
The University of Texas M D Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, United States
- 12:40 088-F [\(29699\) SECONDARY LYMPH NODE INVOLVEMENT IN PATIENTS WITH PULMONARY METASTASES.](#)
A Reshetov; P Yablonsky; R Orlova; F Markin; A Pichurov
Multifield City Hospital, St. Petersburg, Russian Federation
- 12:50 089-F [\(29490\) RESECTIONS LARGER THAN PNEUMONECTOMY - LONG TERM SURVIVAL](#)
* T Grodzki; J Alchimowicz; A Kozak; * B Kubisa; * J Pierog; * J Wojcik
Thoracic Surgery Clinic of Pomeranian Medical University, Szczecin, Poland
- 11:00 - 13:00 GA1 **SESSION 14: MIXED BENIGN**

Forum 12 x 10' (7' presentation + 3' discussion)

Chairmen:

Sandro Mattioli, Italy - Pavel Pafko, Czech Republic

- 11:00 090-F [\(29753\) USE OF PLEURX CATHETER TO MANAGE MALIGNANT PLEURAL EFFUSIONS](#)
W H Warren
Rush University Medical Center, Chicago, United States
- 11:10 091-F [\(29808\) WHO WILL DEVELOP PLEURODESIS FAILURE AFTER VATS TALC POWDRAGE ? THE ROLE OF INTRAPLEURAL C-REACTIVE PROTEIN](#)
R I Gasparri; * F Leo; A Borri; G Veronesi; P Solli; F Petrella; D Galetta; P Scanagatta; * L Spaggiari
European Institute of Oncology, Milano, Italy
- 11:20 092-F [\(29648\) VATS OR OPEN PLEURECTOMY FOR SPONTANEOUS PNEUMOTHORAX](#)
* R A Qureshi
Department of CardioThoracic Surgery, Coventry, United Kingdom
- 11:30 093-F [\(29821\) PNEUMOTHORAX AFTER NUSS PROCEDURE- IS THIS A SERIOUS CLINICAL PROBLEM?](#)
* J Adamczak; K Pawlak; * W Dyszkiewicz; P Zielinski; * M Kasprzyk; C Piwkowski
University of Medical Sciences, Poznan, Poland
- 11:40 094-F [\(29682\) STERNAL RESECTION AND RECONSTRUCTION FOR PRIMARY OR SECONDARY TUMORS: OUR EXPERIENCE.](#)
* A Gonfiotti¹; P M Gigli¹; M Dini²; R Capanna³; D Campanacci³; A Janni¹
¹Thoracic Surgery, Florence, Italy; ²Plastic Surgery, Florence, Italy;
³Orthopedic Oncology, Florence, Italy
- 11:50 095-F [\(29587\) DIAGNOSTIC ALGORITHM AND INVASIVE DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURES IN TIETZE'S SYNDROME](#)
* T Kaplan¹; * S Han⁴; * B Koçer¹; S Naldöken²; G Gülbahar¹; A Özsoy³; Ü Sakıncı¹
¹Department of Thoracic Surgery Ankara Numune Teaching and Research Hospital, Ankara, Turkey; ²Department of Nuclear Medicine Ankara Numune Teaching and Research Hospital, Ankara, Turkey; ³Department of Radiology Ankara Numune Teaching and Research Hospital, Ankara, Turkey;
⁴Department of Thoracic Surgery, Guven Hospital, Ankara, Turkey
- 12:00 096-F [\(29564\) LEARNING CURVE IN VIDEOTHORACOSCOPIC THYMECTOMY: HOW MANY OPERATIONS AND WHICH SITUATIONS ?](#)
* A Tokar; * S Tanju; S Ziyade; * S Dilege
Istanbul University Istanbul Medical School Department of Thoracic Surgery, Istanbul, Turkey
- 12:10 097-F [\(29501\) BILATERAL THORACOSCOPIC SYMPATHECTOMY : RESULTS AND LONG TERM FOLLOW-UP](#)
R Jeganathan; * S Jordan; S Grant; O Diamond; M Jones; P Sidhu; A Graham; * K McManus; * J McGuigan
Royal Victoria Hospital, Belfast, United Kingdom
- 12:20 098-F [\(29788\) CHANGING PROGNOSIS OF SPONTANEOUS ESOPHAGEAL PERFORATION: A PERSONAL EXPERIENCE OF 55 CASES IN A SINGLE CENTER](#)

J A Salo; J V Räsänen; M Hynninen; E I Sihvo
*Helsinki University Central Hospital Division of General Thoracic and
Esophageal Surgery Dept of Cardiothoracic Surgery, Helsinki, Finland*

12:30 099-F [\(29629\) LEFT THORACIC-LAPAROSCOPIC COLLIS-NISSEN
ANTIREFLUX PROCEDURE FOR THE SURGICAL TREATMENT OF
GASTRO-OESOPHAGEAL REFLUX DISEASE.](#)

M Mandrioli¹; * S Mattioli¹; M L Lugaresi¹; V Pilotti¹; L Ferruzi¹; * F
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Italy; ²Columbia University, New York, United States

12:40 100-F [\(29716\) LONG TERM RESULTS OF REDO GASTRO-ESOPHAGEAL
REFLUX DISEASE SURGERY](#)

J P Avaro; * X B D'Journo; * C Doddoli; R Giudicelli; * P A Fuentes; * P
A Thomas

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France*

12:50 101-F [\(29831\) INTERMEDIATE RESULTS OF PRIMARY AND REDO
TRANSTHORACIC REPAIRS OF PARAESOPHAGEAL HERNIAS](#)

M D Taylor; A S Nagji; B D Kozower; T M Daniel; * D R Jones

University of Virginia, Charlottesville, United States