

# 8<sup>th</sup> ESDO MASTERCLASS Novel Strategies in GI Oncology



November 8 - 9, 2024  
Berlin, Germany

Venue: Arcotel John F. Berlin

## PROGRAMME

### Day 1 Friday 8 November 2024

17:00 - 17:05 Welcome: Thomas Seufferlein

**Session 1: Immunotherapy**  
**Chairs: Jaroslaw Regula, Warsaw and Alica Beutel, Ulm**

17:05 - 17:35 Lecture: The spectrum of immune checkpoints in cancer  
(and how they can be addressed) Leonidas Apostolidis, Heidelberg

Immunotherapy in:

17:35 - 17:55 Upper GI Cancer: Michael Quante, Freiburg

17:55 - 18:15 Colorectal Cancer Thomas Ettrich, Ulm

18:15 - 18:35 Hepatobiliary Cancer Yann Touchefeu, Nantes

18:35 - 19:00 Discussion

19:30 Dinner at Arcotel John F. Restaurant

### Day 2 Saturday 9 November 2024

**Session 2: Microbiome and cancer**  
**Chairs: Eric Van Cutsem, Leuven and Ana-Maria Bucalau, Brussels**

09:00 - 09:05 Introduction

09:05 - 9:40 Special lecture: Microbiome and Cancer Mathias Heikenwälder, Tübingen

**Session 3: Novel strategies in pancreatic cancer**  
**Chairs: Thomas Seufferlein, Ulm and Zineb Benbrahim, Fes**

09:40 - 09:55 CarT cells: Christoph Stein-Thöringer, Tübingen

09:55 - 10:10 Vaccination Naomi Hönisch Gravel, Tübingen

10:10 - 10:25 Locally advanced pancreatic carcinoma -  
surgical strategy Susanne Roth, Heidelberg

10:25 - 10:40 Locally advanced pancreatic cancer -  
oncology strategy Jean-Luc van Laethem, Brussels

10:40 - 10:55 Novel targets in PDAC Thomas Seufferlein, Ulm

10:55 - 11:10 Discussion

11:10 - 11:30 Break

#### **Session 4: Novel strategies in cholangiocarcinoma**

**Chairs: Thomas Gruenberger, Vienna and Jelena Jevtovic, Belgrade**

Molecular pathology of cholangiocarcinoma

11:30 - 11:45 HER 2 and others: Pieter-Jan Cuyle, Bonheiden

11:45 - 12:00 FGFR 2, IDH1/2: Arndt Vogel, Toronto

12:00 - 12:15 Is there an optimal (neoadjuvant) regimen in advanced BTC?

12:15 - 12:30 Discussion

**12:30 - 13:15 Lunch break**

#### **Session 5: Novel strategies in the treatment of colorectal cancer**

**Chairs: Thomas Seufferlein, Ulm and Michela Guardascione, Aviano**

13:15 - 13:30 Can robotics add to a potential curative approach in CRLM? Thomas Gruenberger, Vienna

13:30 - 13:45 Organ sparing strategies (MSI) -are we ready? Sebastian Stintzing, Berlin

13:45 - 14:00 Multidisciplinary approaches in CRC: Eric Van Cutsem, Leuven

14:00 - 14:15 Liquid biopsies - ready for treatment planning in CRC? Gunnar Folprecht, Dresden

14:15 - 14:30 Discussion

**14:30 - 14:50 Break**

#### **Session 6: Novel strategies outside study evidence – Molecular tumor board**

**Board: T. Seufferlein., E. Van Cutsem, T. Gruenberger, J. Regula, P. Wysocki**

14:50 - 15:05 Setting of a molecular tumor board Angelika Kestler, Ulm

15:05 - 15:30 Molecular analysis – Panels, WES, WGS Scores Albrecht Stenzinger, Heidelberg

15:30 - 15:40 1st case: Michela Guardascione, Aviano

15:40 - 15:50 2nd case: Elisabeth Stragier, Hasselt

15:50 - 16:00 3rd case: Manuel Arce von Herold, Costa Rica

16:00 - 16:20 Discussion

#### **Session 7: Update – what is new in 2024**

**Chairs: Pieter-Jan Cuyle, Bonheiden and Piotr Wysocki, Warsaw**

16:20 - 16:30 Upper GI cancer: Jelena Jevtovic, Belgrade

16:30 - 16:40 Colorectal cancer: Zineb Benbrahim, Fes

16:40 - 16:50 Liver and biliary tract cancer: Ana-Maria Bucalau, Brussels

16:50 - 17:00 Pancreatic cancer: Alica Beutel, Ulm

**17:00 - 17:15 Farewell**

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