



## Day 1

### SUNDAY 6<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER 2020

**08:00 – 12:00**

**Introduction to Congress**

**Introduction to Live Surgery Programme and Chairs**

Master of Ceremony: Rudi Campo (Belgium) Stephan Gordts (Belgium)

**08:00 – 12:10**

**LIVE SURGERY MORNING PROGRAMME**

08:15

Live Surgery 1 | Industry Sponsored

09:30

Live Surgery 2 | Industry Sponsored

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Live Surgery 3 | Industry Sponsored

**12:00 – 12:15**

**BREAK**

**12:15 – 12:45**

**KEYNOTE LECTURE**

Chairs: Vasilios Tanos (Cyprus), Ursula Catena (Italy), Sarah Brucker (Germany)

12:15

The sustainable MIS-OR of the future: facts and vision

***Frank Willem Jansen (The Netherlands)***

12:40

Discussion

**12:45 – 13:00**

**BREAK**

**13:00 – 17:00**

**LIVE SURGERY AFTERNOON PROGRAMME**

13:00

Live Surgery 1 | Industry Sponsored

14:15

Live Surgery 2 | Industry Sponsored

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Live Surgery 3 | Industry Sponsored

**16:45 – 17:00**

**BREAK**

**17:00 – 18:30**

**HOT TOPICS IN ENDOMETRIOSIS**

Chairs: Istvan Argay (Hungary), Shaheen Khazali (United Kingdom), Jörg Keckstein (Austria)

17:00

Why does pain persist or recur after endometriosis surgery and how can we prevent it?

***Helder Ferreira (Portugal)***

17:18

Ablative laparoscopic surgery for ovarian endometriosis

***Massimo Candiani (Italy)***

17:36

Nerve sparing surgeries: surgical dissection vs non-touch techniques

***Benoit Rabischong (France)***

17:54

Epidemiologic evidence on endometriosis cancer association

***Marina Kvaskoff (France)***

18:12

Discussion



## Day 2

**MONDAY 7<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER 2020**

**08:30 – 09:50**

### **BEST SELECTED ABSTRACTS: BEST SELECTED ABSTRACTS 1**

Chairs: Michelle Nisolle (Belgium), Liliana Mereu (Italy), Fatih Sendag (Turkey), Brice Rodriguez (United Kingdom)

08:30

#### **Endometrial cancer staging: laparoscopy vs robotic surgery. A large single-institution retrospective analysis.**

Emanuele Perrone, Ilaria Capasso, Alessandro Gioè, Silvia Pelligra, Giovanni Scambia, Francesco Fanfani (Italy)

08:42

#### **Further evidence that endometriosis is related to adnexal cancer: A study of 271,444 inpatient women.**

Perrine Capmas, Eva Suarhana, Togas Tulandi (France)

08:48

Discussion

08:54

#### **Comparison of transvaginal sonography (TVS) and surgical staging of deep endometriosis (DE) using the Enzian classification**

Gernot Hudelist, Eliana Montanari, Bernhard Dauser, Zoltan Nemeth, Joerg Keckstein (Austria)

09:00

#### **Limited indications for preoperative ureteral stent in women with posterior deep infiltrating endometriosis and ureteral involvement. Are we correct?**

Anna Chiara Aru, Diego Raimondo, Giulia Borghese, Alessandro Babini, Manuela Maletta, Renato Seracchioli (Italy)

09:06

#### **A prospective, randomized, controlled clinical study on adhesion prevention after endometriosis resection with 4DryField® PH**

Bernhard Krämer, Stefan Kommos, Sascha Hoffmann, Jürgen Andress, Felix Neis, Alice Höller (Germany)

09:12

Discussion

09:18

#### **WAVES Study – Quantitative Ultrasound Measurement of Endometrial Waves in Adenomyosis**

Connie Rees, Celine Blank, Yizhou Huang, Federica Sammali, Massimo Mischi, Benedictus Christiaan Schoot (The Netherlands)

- 09:24 **Augmented reality in gynecologic endoscopy. trend or revolution?**  
Eleni Karatrasoglou, Nicolas Bourdel, Vasiliki Hatzirafail, Aliko Tserkezoglou (Greece)
- 09:30 **Robotic single-port surgery using the da Vinci SP® surgical system for benign gynecologic diseases; preliminary report**  
Hye-Sung Moon, HaeKyung Yoo, SoYun Park, Jung Hun Lee, KyungAh Jeong (Korea, Republic Of)
- 09:36 **Implementing robotic surgery for benign gynaecology, an observational study**  
Konstantinos Menexakis, Ebbe Thinggaard (Denmark)
- 09:42 Discussion

**09:50 - 10:00**

**BREAK**

**10:00 - 11:30**

**MANAGEMENT OF HEAVY MENSTRUAL BLEEDING IN COVID-19 TIMES**

Chairs: Vasilios Tanos (Cyprus), Nazar Amso (United Kingdom), Arvind Vashisht (United Kingdom)

- 10:00 **Diagnostic approaches to HMB during Covid-19 outbreak: remote and on-site management**  
 Joel Naftalin (United Kingdom)
- 10:18 **Non-surgical approaches to HMB in Covid-19 times: when and what?**  
 Ertan Saridogan (United Kingdom)
- 10:36 **Transcervical surgery for HMB in Covid-19 times**  
 Attilio Di Spiezio Sardo (Italy)
- 10:54 **Abdominal surgery (laparoscopic and open) for HMB in Covid-19 times**  
 Sven Becker (Germany)
- 11:12 Discussion

**11:30 - 12:00**

**KEYNOTE LECTURE**

Chairs: Sven Becker (Germany), Francesco Fanfani (Italy)

- 11:30 Management of cervical cancer after the LACC trial: ESGE | SERGS position  
***Giovanni Scambia (Italy)***
- 12:25 Discussion

**12:00 - 13:20**

**BEST SELECTED ABSTRACTS: BEST SELECTED ABSTRACTS 2**

Chairs: Judith Huirne (The Netherlands), Helder Ferreira (Portugal), Markus Wallwiener (Germany), George Pados (Greece)

- 12:00 **Favorable Surgical and Obstetric Outcomes in Pre- and Post-Conceptional Laparoscopic Abdominal Cerclage: A Large Multicenter Cohort Study**  
Nour Abdulrahman, Nicole Burger, Jon Einarsson, Judith Huirne (The Netherlands)

- 12:06 **A prospective pilot study comparing incidence and characteristics of cesarean scar defects after uterine closure by double-layer barbed or smooth suture**  
Fabio Barra, Simone Ferrero, Maria Grazia Centurioni, Michele Altieri, Salvatore Giovanni Vitale, Franco Alessandri (Italy)
- 12:12 **Doctor, I have niche - What does it mean?**  
Aya Mohr-Sasson, Tal Dadon, Ariel Brandt, Raanan Meyer, Michal Zajicek, Roy Mashiach (Israel)
- 12:18 Discussion
- 12:24 **Single or double-layer uterine closure techniques following cesarean: an ongoing debate**  
Şafak Yılmaz Baran, Hakan Kalaycı, Gülşen Doğan Durdağ, Selçuk Yetkinel, Songül Alemdaroğlu, Tayfun Çok (Turkey)
- 12:30 **Does the benefit of the repair of isthmocele persist after a subsequent cesarian section?**  
Stavros Karamelas, Claire Paquet, Marlie Abou Jaoude, Michelle Nisolle (Belgium)
- 12:36 **Reproductive performance of women with versus women without intrauterine adhesions following recurrent dilatation and curettage for miscarriage, follow-up of a randomized controlled trial.**  
Angelo Hooker, Robert De Leeuw, Jos Twisk, Hans Brölmann, Judith Huirne (The Netherlands)
- 12:42 Discussion
- 12:48 **Placenta accreta spectrum in subsequent pregnancy following myomectomy**  
Aya Mohr-Sasson, Idan Timor, Raanan Meyer, David Stockheim, Raoul Orvieto, Roy Mashiach (Israel)
- 12:54 **Predictive score for pre-operative adnexal torsion diagnosis**  
Nir Meller, Raanan Meyer, Adiel Cohen, Daphna Komem, Eiman Abu-Bandora, Gabriel Levin (Israel)
- 13:00 **A comparative study reviewing postoperative recovery outcomes for total laparoscopic hysterectomy with superior hypogastric plexus nerve block compared to standard technique using intraperitoneal local Anaesthetic**  
Nicola Ramshaw, Emma Cervenak, Ryan Wright, Mark Piper, Anthony Sproston (United Kingdom)
- 13:06 **Pregnancy rates after laparoscopic myomectomy using barbed versus non-barbed sutures.**  
Eugenia Degli Esposti, Alessandro Arena, Federica Manzara, Laura Cocchi, Giulia Cristiani, Renato Seracchioli (Italy)
- 13:12 Discussion

**13:20 – 13:30**

**BREAK**

**13:30 – 15:00**

**INDUSTRY SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM 1**

**15:00 – 16:25**

**BEST SELECTED ABSTRACTS: BEST SELECTED VIDEOS 1**

Chairs: Benoit Rabischong (France), Jean Dubuisson (Switzerland), Theodoros Theodoridis (Greece), Antoine Watrelot (France)

- 15:00 **Extraperitoneal para-aortic and pelvic lymphadenectomy via the robotic double bipolar method**  
Masaaki Andou, Shiori Yanai, Kiyoshi Kannno (Japan)
- 15:05 **Laparoscopic upper vaginectomy after cervical cancer treatment**  
Prescillia Marques, Mónica Cruz Pires, Vanda Patrício (Portugal)
- 15:10 **Surgical approach in uterine complete septum with cervical duplicity and vaginal septum**  
Maria Peñalver, Rocío Belda, Laura Martínez, Aitor Cuadros, Yolanda García, Juan Gilabert-Estelles (Spain)
- 15:15 **Fertility- and nerve-sparing laparoscopic eradication of deep endometriosis with anterior and posterior compartment peritonectomy**  
Kiyoshi Kanno, Masaaki Andou, Shiori Yanai (Japan)
- 15:20 Discussion
- 15:28 **Robot-assisted nerve-sparing eradication of deep endometriosis**  
Kiyoshi Kanno, Masaaki Andou, Shiori Yanai (Japan)
- 15:33 **Ovarian remnant with ureteral stenosis laparoscopic resection of ureteral endometrioma**  
Burghard Abendstein, Julia Ladurner (Austria)
- 15:38 **En-block resection of the "butterfly area" for deep infiltrative endometriosis**  
Konstantinos Kyriakopoulos, Shaheen Khazali (United Kingdom)
- 15:43 **Frozen pelvis surgical strategy in 10 steps**  
Madeleine Pellerin, Charline Calabre, Emilie Faller, Lise Lecointre, Thomas Boisramé, Cherif Akladios (France)
- 15:48 Discussion
- 15:56 **Surgical technique for the sentinel lymph node (SLN) mapping in 10 steps**  
Sara Paracchini, Nicolas Bourdel, Pauline Chauvet, Michel Canis (France)
- 16:01 **Laparoscopic approach to excision of Ureteric Endometriosis leading to gross Hydroureter and Hydronephrosis**  
Maribel De Gouveia De Sa, Lucky Saraswat, Kevin Cooper (United Kingdom)
- 16:06 **Aiming for a bloodless operative field -The double bipolar method in robotic radical trachelectomy.**  
Masaaki Andou, Shiori Yanai, Kiyoshi Kanno, Shintaro Sakate (Japan)
- 16:11 **Laparoscopic excision of retrocervical deep infiltrative endometriosis with bowel shaving**  
Sebile Guler Cekic, Uzeyir Kalkan, Ulkar Heydarova, Barış Ata (Turkey)
- 16:16 Discussion

**16:25 – 16:30**

**BREAK**

**16:30 – 18:00**

**HOT TOPICS IN ADENOMYOSIS**

Chairs: Arnaud Wattiez (France), Anis Feki (Switzerland)

16:30

Symptoms and classification of adenomyosis

***Grigoris Grimbizis (Greece)***

16:48

Non-invasive diagnosis of adenomyosis: diagnostic accuracy of imaging

***Tina Tellum (Norway)***

17:06

Fertility sparing surgery for adenomyosis

***Jörg Keckstein (Austria)***

17:24

Outcome and risks after invasive and non invasive therapy in adenomyosis

***Bernd Holthaus (Germany)***

17:42

Discussion

**18:00 – 19:00**

**INDUSTRY SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM 3**



Day 3

## TUESDAY 8<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER 2020

**08:30 – 10:00**

### **HOT TOPICS IN GYNAECOLOGICAL MIS**

Chairs: Grigoris Grimbizis (Greece), Mercedes Andeyro (Spain), Vesna Kopitovic (Serbia)

08:30

Morcellation 6 years later: legal consequences and statements

***Errico Zupi (Italy)***

08:48

Laparoscopic hysterectomy in severe and deep endometriosis: Tips and Tricks

***Athanasios Protopapas (Greece)***

09:06

The hysteroscopic treatment of challenging Type 2 and Type 3 myomas: tips and tricks

***Hervé Fernandez (France)***

09:24

Pain relief for outpatient hysteroscopy: what is the evidence?

***Justin Clark (United Kingdom)***

09:42

Discussion

**10:00 – 11:30**

### **INDUSTRY SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM 2**

**11:30 – 12:00**

### **KEYNOTE LECTURE**

Chairs: Giovanni Scambia (Italy), Peter O'Donovan (United Kingdom), Rudy Leon De Wilde (Germany)

11:30

Is it time to re-think the ambulatory hysteroscopy? The hysteroscopy digital clinic

***Rudi Campo (Belgium)***

11:55

Discussion



**12:00 – 13:30**

**BEST SELECTED ABSTRACTS: BEST SELECTED VIDEOS 2**

Chairs: Laurent De Landsheere (Belgium), Susana Maia (Portugal), Nikos Vlahos (Greece)

- 12:00 **Sacrocolpopexy for bladder prolaps with JAIMY innovating robotic system**  
Gabriel Stoica, Tudor Coroi, Souhail Regragui, Amine Slaoui, Adeline Ernout, Majd Haydar (France)
- 12:05 **Ureterolysis is the critical step for removing complex ovarian masses**  
Matthew Erritty, Benedetto Mondelli (United Kingdom)
- 12:15 **Laparoscopic treatment of Dolichodouglas pathology associated to pelvic organ prolapse**  
Benedetta Guani, Shabanov Stas, Talla Pascal (Switzerland)
- 12:20 Discussion
- 12:28 **Performing myomectomy prior to a challenging hysterectomy**  
Sebile Guler Cekic, Ulkar Heydarova, Bahar Shakerian, Barış Ata (Turkey)
- 12:33 **Primary ectopic pregnancy in the pouch of Douglas: an unlikely scenario**  
Dora Antunes, Daniela Melo, Sara Campos, Sofia Custódio, Francisco Falcão, Fernanda Águas (Portugal)
- 12:38 **Equivocal laparoscopic diagnosis of endometriosis. How to treat?**  
Benedetto Mondelli, Matthew Erritty (United Kingdom)
- 12:43 **Video demonstrating the procedure of Superior Hypogastric Plexus (SHP) nerve block during laparoscopic surgery, specifically total laparoscopic hysterectomy**  
Nicola Ramshaw, Anthony Sproston (United Kingdom)
- 12:48 Discussion
- 12:56 **Laparoscopic paravaginal mesh fixation during laparoscopic sacrocolpopexy – an important step to avoid anterior recurrence. A surgical Video**  
Evgenia Bousouni, Gabriel Schaer, Dimitri Sarlos (Switzerland)
- 13:01 **An incidental diagnosis of hemi-uterus with non-communicating rudimentary cavity**  
Kristina Hundarova, Maria João Fonseca, Filipa Coutinho, Dora Antunes, Maria João Carvalho, Fernanda Águas (Portugal)
- 13:06 **Ultrasound-guided hysteroscopy following endometrial ablation**  
Sarah Smith, Tina Ngan, Huse Kamencic (Canada)
- 13:11 **How challenging can an oophorectomy be?**  
Sebile Guler Cekic, Doğan Vatansever, Ceren Ünal, Tuncer Kumcular, Çağatay Taşkıran (Turkey)
- 13:16 Discussion

**13:25 – 13:30**

**BREAK**

**13:30 – 14:30**

**ESGE AWARDS CEREMONY**

Chairs: ESGE Executive Board

13:30 ESGE 2020 Awards Ceremony

**Attilio Di Spiezio Sardo (Italy)**

14:15 Laudation to Professor Hans Brölmann and announcement of Honorary ESGE Membership

**Judith Huirne (The Netherlands)**

- 14:20 Laudation to Professor Peter O'Donovan and announcement of Honorary ESGE Membership  
***Ellis Downes (United Kingdom)***
- 14:25 Closing comments ESGE President  
***Giovanni Scambia (Italy)***

## PARALLEL SESSIONS

### 14:30 – 16:00 GESEA DIPLOMA CENTRES SESSION: GESEA DIPLOMA CENTRE PANEL DISCUSSION

Chairs: Vasilios Tanos (Greece), Benoit Rabischong (France)

14:30 GESEA Diploma Centres presentations followed by panel discussion

14:30 GESEA Introduction

***Vasilios Tanos (Cyprus)***

14:35 GESEA Diploma: Laparoscopy

***Benoit Rabischong (France)***

14:42 GESEA Diploma: Hysteroscopy

***Vasilios Tanos (Cyprus)***

14:49 GESEA Diploma Society: UK

***Karolina Afors (United Kingdom)***

14:56 GESEA Diploma Centres: Italy

***Federica Campolo (Italy)***

15:03 GESEA Diploma Centres: Portugal

***Filipa Osorio (Portugal)***

15:10 GESEA Diploma Centre: France

***Benoit Rabischong (France)***

15:17 GESEA Diploma Centre: Belgium

***Michelle Nisolle (Belgium)***

15:24 GESEA Diploma Centre: Dubai

***Bedayah Amro (United Arab Emirates)***

15:31 GESEA Diploma Centre: South Africa

***Clive Van Geems (South Africa)***

15:38 Panel Discussion & Close

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**14:30 – 15:30**

**NON-SURGICAL ABLATIVE THERAPY OF BENIGN UTERINE DISEASE: ESGE WORKING GROUP**

14:30

**Treatment of symptomatic myomata without medication or surgery: a rising phoenix?**

Chairs: Rudy Leon De Wilde (Germany), Rajesh Devassy (United Arab Emirates), David Cranston (United Kingdom)

14:30

**Non-surgical ablative therapy in benign disease of the uterine wall**

Hugo Verhoeven (Germany)

14:50

**Why is HiFu a novel supplement to gynecological minimal-access surgery?**

K. W. Lee (Singapore)

15:10

**Questions & Answers**

Panelist: Friedrich Gil (Austria), Jordi Rodriguez (Spain), Antoni Pessarrodona Isern (Spain), K. W. Lee (Singapore), Hugo Verhoeven (Germany)

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**14:30 – 16:00**

**CORPORATE MEMBER SOCIETY SESSION | AGE | Arbeitsgemeinschaft Gynäkologische Endoskopie**

14:30

Why we need to change our concept of Lymphadenectomy in uterine cancer  
**Andreas Hackethal (Germany)**

14:45

Management of bladder-uretercomplications  
**Bernd Holthaus (Germany)**

15:00

Anatomical landmarks in the gynaecological field of surgery: examples from body donors!  
**Ibrahim Alkatout (Germany)**

15:15

LACC-trial revisited: the future of cervical cancer management  
**Sven Becker (Germany)**

15:30

Management of bowel complications  
**Erich Solomayer (Germany)**

15:45

Discussion & Close

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**14:30 – 16:00**

**CORPORATE MEMBER SOCIETY SESSION | BSGE | British Society of Gynaecological Endoscopy**

Chair: Donna Ghosh

14:30

Recruitment opportunities to important trials in gynaecological endoscopy from 2021: LAVA, REGAL, EsPRIT and DIAMOND  
**Justin Clark (United Kingdom)**

14:45

Lessons learned for the practice of endoscopic surgery from the Covid-19 pandemic  
**Rebecca Mallick (United Kingdom)**

15:00

How should we be evaluating post-menopausal bleeding in 2021?  
**Tracy Jackson (United Kingdom)**

- 15:15 The development of an annual standardised data set to evaluate and compare surgical and clinical outcomes following endometriosis surgery  
**Dominic Byrne (United Kingdom)**
- 15:30 Update on VNESS (Visual Numeric Endometriosis Staging System), a new endometriosis classification system  
**Shaheen Khazali (United Kingdom)**
- 15:45 Discussion & Close

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**14:30 – 16:00 CORPORATE MEMBER SOCIETY SESSION | SCGP | La Société de Chirurgie Gynécologique et Pelvienne**

Chairs: Philippe Deschamps (France), Hervé Fernandez (France)

- 14:30 La robotique: doit-on la limiter aux chirurgies complexes?  
**Vincent Lavoué (France)**
- 14:45 L'isthmocèle: une prise en charge qui se dégage?  
**Perrine Capmas (France)**
- 15:00 V-notes: une avancée irréversible, mais pour quelles indications?  
**Aslam Mansoor (France)**
- 15:15 Endométriiose: quelle chirurgie pour optimiser la fertilité?  
**Pierre Collinet (France)**
- 15:30 Les réalités chirurgicales issues de la Covid vont-elles devenir pérennes en endoscopie?  
**Michel Canis (France)**
- 15:45 Discussion & Close

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**14:30 – 16:00 CORPORATE MEMBER SOCIETY SESSION | SEGI | Societa Italiana di Endoscopia Ginecologica**

- 14:30 New trends and controversies in MIGS: the Italian view  
Moderators: Massimo Candiani (Italy), Errico Zupi (Italy), Renato Seracchioli (Italy), Valentini Bergamini (Italy), Enrico Vizza (Italy), Antonio Maiorana (Italy), Carlo De Angelis (Italy)
- 14:30 CO2 laser for endometrioma's treatment: can it be the new gold standard?  
**Jessica Ottolina (Italy)**
- 14:42 Discussion
- 14:47 Role of fluorescence angiography during deep endometriosis surgery  
**Diego Raimondo (Italy)**
- 14:59 Discussion
- 15:04 Cervico VS hysteropexy for pelvic organ prolapse: where are we now?  
**Alessio Perandini (Italy)**
- 15:16 Discussion
- 15:21 Minilaparotomy for uterine fibroids: old or new fashion style?  
**Gabriele Centini (Italy)**

15:33	Discussion
15:38	ICG guided lymph nodal mapping in endometrial and cervical cancer: Let's follow the path <b>Benito Chiofalo (Italy)</b>
15:50	Discussion
15:55	Discussion and Close