GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS

**TITLE OF CONGRESS:** HOT ISSUES AND CONTROVERSIES IN MODERN GYNAECOLOGIC ONCOLOGY

**DATE:** 17-19 March 2023

**INSTITUTION:** 2nd Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece

*In association with* Institute of Gynecologic Oncology and Breast Oncology, Greece

**Congress venue:** Electra Hotel Palace, Thessaloniki, Greece (5*)

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SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM
FRIDAY MARCH 17, 2023

08:00-14:00 PRE-CONFERENCE SEMINAR (Video lectures explaining point by point surgical procedures)

Video session 1. Laparoscopic hysterectomy and adnexectomy: step by step procedure. (Frederic Guyon- Chrysoula Margioula-Siarkou)

Video session 2. Laparoscopic sentinel node for endometrial cancer: step by step procedure. (Henric Falconer)

Video session 3. Debulking surgery for ovarian cancer: step by step procedure. (Timoleon Dagres)

Video session 4. vNotes hysterectomy for endometrial cancer (Jan Baekelandt)

Video session 5. Laparoscopic and open pelvic and paraaortic lymphadenectomy: step by step procedure. (Stamatios Petousis- Frederic Guyon-Chrysoula Margioula-Siarkou)


14:00-17:00 BREAK

17:00-18:30 ROUND TABLE 1. PREVENTIVE GYNECOLOGICAL ONCOLOGY
Prof. Nikolaos Salakos, Professor Eleni Bili

1. Thickened endometrium before and after menopause. When and how is an investigation required? K. Pantazis
2. Cytology, HPV-DNA or mRNA for cervical screening? Which is the best screening option? G. Michael
3. Transvaginal ultrasound and tumor markers. Do they aid to prevent ovarian Ca; G. Androustopoulos
4. Prevention of breast cancer: Mammography, ultrasound or both? E. Mareti
5. IVF and risk of carcinogenesis. Is there a relationship? A. Koutlaki
18:30-19:30 ROUND TABLE 2. LAPAROSCOPY AND GYNECOLOGICAL ONCOLOGY
Professor G. Gkrimbizis, Professor N. Vlachos, Professor A. Protopappas

1. Laparoscopic treatment of early Endometrial Ca: Always, sometimes or never? Chrysoula Margioula-Siarkou
2. Sentinel lymph node in Endometrial and Cervical Ca. Always, sometimes or never; Henric Falconer (video lecture)
3. Treatment of early ovarian cancer. Is laparoscopy possible, feasible and safe? Stamatios Petousis
4. Laparoscopic radical hysterectomy after LACC trial. Is there still a place? Frederic Guyon

19:30-19:45 BREAK

19:45-20:15 INVITED LECTURE 1.
Presidents: Dr. Frederic Guyon (SFOG President), Ass. Professor Stamatios Petousis

The process and value of ESGO accreditation to enhance a Department’s potential
Professor Rene Verhaijen

20:15-21:00 INVITED LECTURE 2.
Presidents: Konstantinos Dinas, Anna Fagotti

The ESGO vision for Gynaecologic Oncology
Professor Nicole Concin

21:00-21:30 OPENING CEREMONY-AWARDS
SATURDAY MARCH 18, 2023

08:00-09:00 THE YOUNG FORUM SESSION (TBA)
Session organized by the Hellenic Society of Greek Medical Students to promote interest of young colleagues for Gynaecologic Oncology

09:00-10:30 ROUND TABLE 3. HOT TOPICS IN CERVICAL PATHOLOGY
Professor E.Paraskevaidis, Professor M. Kyrgiou, Associate Professor A. Danillidis

1. Abnormal cervical smear and negative colposcopy: what do I do? E. Bilirakis
2. Is there a real benefit to the use of mRNA in clinical practice? E. Paraskevaidis
3. Positive margins in cervical cone specimen: re-operation or follow-up? N. Tsampazis
4. Is conoid resection an acceptable treatment for early cervical cancer? M. Kyrgiou

10:30-11:00 BREAK

11:00-13:00 THE ESGO SECTION. MODERN HOT TOPICS IN GYNECOLOGIC ONCOLOGY
Professor Konstantinos Dinas, Associate Professor S.Petousis, Dr. Chrysoula Margioula-Siarkou

1. ESGO guidelines for endometrial cancer. N. Concin
2. ESGO guidelines for cervical cancer. I. Zapardiel
3. ESGO guidelines for ovarian cancer. Anna Fagotti
4. ESGO guidelines for vulvar cancer. R. Verheijen

13:00-13:30 INVITED LECTURE 3.
Trophoblastic disease and current management Ulrika Joneborg

13:30-14:30 TUMOR BOARD 1
A.Papanikolaou, G. Vorgias, P. Papakotoulas, T. Voulgaris, K. Boniou

14:30-16:00 BREAK
16:00-17:00 HOT TOPICS IN VULVAR AND VAGINAL PATHOLOGY
Associate Professor E. Kontomanolis, Dr. K. Pantazis

1. Precancerous vaginal lesions: how do I treat them? D. Tsolakidis
2. Precancerous lesions of the vulva: how do I treat them? I. Kalogiannidis
3. Incipient vulvar cancer: wide local excision or something more? E. Kontomanolis

17:00-18:30 ROUND TABLE 4. HOT TOPICS IN OVARIAN PATHOLOGY
Professor A. Rodolakis, Professor A. Papanikolaou, Dr. A. Sioutas

1. Incidental finding of malignancy at laparoscopy: what should I do? C. Theofanakis
2. Borderline Tumor management. Hysterectomy, appendectomy or even less? C. Kotanidis
3. Endometriosis and ovarian Ca. Is there a correlation? A. Daniilidis
4. Advanced ovarian Ca. Primary surgery or referral to the oncologist? D. Haidopoulus
5. ERAS protocol and modern perioperative treatment. N. Thomakos
6. HIPEC: does it have a place today for ovarian cancer? T. Panoskaltsis

18:30-19:00 BREAK

19:00-20:00 HOT DEBATES
Professor A. Daponte, Professor P. Drakakis, Professor G. Mavromatidis

1. Large uterine mass. Open or laparoscopic excision; T. Theodoridis
2. Endometrial pathology: is diagnostic safe, superior or totally necessary? G. Grimbizis
3. Suspicious ovarian tumor in a young patient. Frozen section or two-steps surgery? S. Petousis
08:00-09:00 FREE COMMUNICATIONS SECTION
T. Dagklis, E. Athanasiou, C. Margioula-Siarkou

09:00-10:30 ROUND TABLE 5. HOT TOPICS IN ENDOMETRIAL PATHOLOGY
Professor G. Antonakis, Professor M. Paschopoulos, Ass. Professor T. Mikos

1. Endometrial polyps during reproductive age. Malignancy potential and optimal management. L. Zepeiridis
2. Recurrent abnormal uterine bleeding during pre and postmenopausal period with negative histology: how I treat them? G. Grigoriadis
3. Endometrial hyperplasia: what is the optimal treatment? T. Vrekousis
4. Surgical management of uterine pathology: where the role of Gynaecologic Oncologist starts?

10:30-11:30 ROUND TABLE 6. CANCER AND PREGNANCY
Professor A. Sotiriadis, Professor G. Makridimas, Prof. A. Mamopoulos

1. Incidental uterus and ovarian finding during pregnancy. What should I do? A. Sotiriadis
2. Preinvasive cervical lesions during pregnancy. What is the optimal management? A-S Laganà
3. Pregnancies in women with history of gynaecologic cancer. Should we be afraid of obstetric complications? A. Gerede

11:30-11:45 BREAK

11:45-12:30 TUMOR BOARD 2
G. Papatheodorou, S. Petousis, C. Margioula-Siarkou, E. Fountzila, G. Plataniotis

12:30-14:00 ROUND TABLE 7. HOT TOPICS IN BREAST ONCOLOGY
Professor K. Dinas, Professor K. Dimitrakakis, Dr. G. Marinopoulos

1. BIRADS classification made easy. G. Pratilas
2. Breast lesions with benign imaging features: what is the optimal management? K. Dimitrakakis
3. Breast lesions during pregnancy and puerperium: how alert should we be? G. Marinopoulos
4. History of breast cancer: when the woman may get pregnancy and how should we treat pregnancy? E. Mareti