

FIRST INTERNATIONAL EFR MEETING IN VIENNA

Colorectal Cancer Final announcement



Spring Meeting

31st March – 2nd April, 2005

under the aegis of







Dr. Heinz FischerFederal President of the Republic of Austria

Dear participants,

Austrian medicine enjoys an excellent reputation worldwide. It is therefore with great pleasure that I assume the patronage of the Spring Meeting of the EFR-European Federation for coloRectal Cancer. I am convinced that this exchange of experience and in particular the establishment of an international network for the treatment of colorectal cancer will result in significant improvements in the medical care for and the quality of life of patients afflicted with this disease. I am certain that an intensive study of the second most common form of cancer will benefit many people and therefore I wish the members of the Federation all the best for their deliberations at their congress in Vienna.



Béla Teleky, MD, F.R.C.S. President of the FFR

Dear friends,

On behalf of the EFR, it is my pleasure and privilege to welcome you to the first spring meeting in Vienna. The congress programme created focuses on new development in the multidisciplinary setting of colorectal cancer treatment – from diagnosis to state-of-the-art treatment approaches. Colorectal cancer is still the second-leading cause of cancer-related deaths in Europe

In addition to rectal cancer operations with live transmission into the auditorium there will be scientific presentations and various symposia rounding off the subject of colorectal cancer. Diagnosis to state of the art treatment approaches and symposia complete the scientific programme.

We are confident that this meeting will be offering new insights presenting itself as a platform for scientific exchange and discussion as well as giving space to getting to know each other and making friends, preparing the soil for fruitful scientific co-operation in the field of coloproctology.

Apart from the scientific schedule you will certainly have the opportunity to get a taste of Vienna's artistic and cultural richness and splendour – exciting concerts, impressive exhibitions, culinary delights . There's more to Vienna than meets the eye!

I look forward to spending some inspiring days with you.

Thursday, March 31st



13.00 OPENING HS1

Krepler R: Medical Director of the Vienna General Hospital (AKH)
Eichler HG: Vice-President of the Medical University of Vienna

Rauch-Kallat Maria: Federal Minister for Health & Women

13.30 - 15.00 | SESSION 1: | HS1

Chairs: Nicholls RJ, Bartha I, Gnant M

Pfeifer J: Anatomy of the Pelvis: Challenge for the Surgeon?
Steitz H: Staging of Rectal Cancer by Endoluminal Ultrasound

Maier Andrea: Imaging of Rectal Cancer - MRI, CT

Kandioler Daniela: Gene Analysis for Prediction of Treatment Response

15.00 - 15.30 Coffee break

15.30 - 17.00 SESSION 2: HS1

Chairs: Karner-Hanusch Judith, Skricka T, Omejc M

Nicholls RJ: Rectal Cancer Treatment: Strategies and Management Planning
Scott N: Improving Outcome in Low Rectal Cancer - A Pathologist's Perspective

Wrba F: Clinical Pathology - Future Aspects in Colorectal Cancer

Goldenberg DM: Radioimmunotherapy Post Salvage Resection of Colorectal Liver Metastases

Improves Survival

17.00 - 17.30 Coffee break

17.30 - 18.30 ROCHE SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM HS3 **



New Treatment Standards for Patients with Colorectal Cancer: Xeloda and Avastin

20.00 - 22.00 WELCOME RECEPTION Billrothhaus, Frankgasse 8, A-1090 Vienna

Friday, April 1st



8.00 - 12.00 | SESSION 3: | HS1

Moderation: Herbst F, Teleky B

Live operations with transmission to the auditorium

Heald RJ: TME - open
Rullier E, Laurent CH: TME - laparoscopic

12.00 - 13.00 Lunch

13.00 - 15.00 | SESSION 4: | HS1

Chairs: Schiedeck T, Infantino A, Pötter R

Påhlman L: What is Evidence-Based in Radiation Technique in Rectal Cancer in 2005?

De Vries A: Combined Radio-Chemotherapy - Objectives Widder J: Viennese Experience with Short Term RTX

Heald RJ: Progress with Radio-Chemotherapy - New Problems for Surgeons and Oncologists.

Panel Discussion

15.00 - 15.30 Coffee break

15.30 - 17.30 SESSION 5: HS1

Chairs: Dziki A, Pavalkis D, Jakesz R

Goldberg S: Local Treatment of Rectal Cancer in 2005

Schiessel R: Long Term Results of Intersphincteric Resection for Low Rectal Cancer Rullier E: Is Minimally Invasive Surgery for Low Rectal Cancer Oncologicaly Safe? Intersphincteric Resection and Extended Resection of the External

Anal Sphincter with Anorectal Reconstruction as a Treatment Option

for Low Rectal Carcinomas.

Panel Discussion

17.30 - 18.30 SANOFI SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM HS3 **

Comprehensive management of colon and rectal cancer.

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20.00 GALA DINNER at the Rathaus, Wappensaal (Town Hall)

Saturday, April 2nd



8.30 - 10.00 SESSION 6: HS1

Chairs: Zielinski C, Kührer Irene, Kruzliak T

Zielinski C: Options for Target Therapy in Oncology - Standard Chemotherapy

Scheithauer W: New Chemotherapeutic Strategies in Colorectal Cancer Påhlman L: The Impact on Lymph Node Retrieval in Colorectal Cancer

Hoch J: No Surgery After Neoadjuvant Therapy in Rectal Cancer Patients?

10.00 - 10.30 Coffee break

10.30 - 12.00 **SESSION 7**: HS1

Chairs: Påhlman L, Nagy A, Tschmelitsch J

Heald RJ: 20 Years TME-Experience: "Skeleton in Cupboards" Krivokapic Z: Is TME always necessary for Colorectal Cancer?

Mellgren A Is There a Need for Anastomotic Protection in Low Rectal Cancer:

Ileostomy or Colostomy?

Herbst F: Multimodality Therapy of Rectal Cancer: Experience of the University Clinic of Vienna

12.00

Teleky B: Closing remarks

Faculty guests



BARTHA Iván (H), Surgical Dept., University of Debrecen

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DZIKI Adam (PL), Dept. General and Colorectal Surgery, University of Lodz

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WELCOME – March 31st, at 20:00

Festsaal - Billrothhaus, Frankgasse 8, A-1090 Vienna

The Gesellschaft der Ärzte (Society of Physicians) was founded in 1837. The building of the former Royal and Imperial Society was built by the architect Ludwig Richter under the reign of Emperor Franz Joseph I during the presidency of Dr. Theodor Billroth. Its opening ceremony was held on October 27th, 1893.

Busek E, Special Coordinator of the Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe: "The new house of Europe."

Musical Event:

Wiener Schubert Kammersolisten (Members of the Wiener Philharmoniker)

Welcome Reception



Wiener Rathaus, Wappensaal (Town Hall) Invitation of the Mayor of Vienna, Dr. Michael Häupl

Rathausplatz 1 A-1010 Vienna

Transportation guaranteed with shuttle busses. Limited place number.





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DISCOUNTED:	If received by Feb. 27 th , 2005	225.00
FULL/ ON-SITE:	If received after Feb. 27 th , 2005	290.00
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The Congress Registration and Information Desk will be open the following hours:

Thursday, March 31 12:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. Friday, April 1 7:30 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. Saturday, April 2 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

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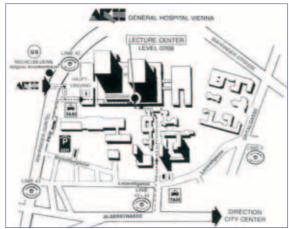
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LOCATION

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Währinger Gürtel 18-20, A-1090 Vienna (see pointer)

LECTURES

Hörsaal 1 (HS1)

SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM

Hörsaal 3 (HS3)

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