

Thursday 7th April 2011



08.00-09.00 Registration and welcome coffee
09.00 Opening and welcome Jürg Metzger, Lucerne

Evidence and Innovation in Rare, but Important Tumors for the Surgical Oncologist

organized and chaired by Jürg Metzger and Ueli Güller

09.10-09.30	Adrenal incidentaloma	Andreas Scheiwiller, Lucerne
09.30-10.00	Cystic pancreatic lesions	Beat Gloor, Berne
10.00-10.30	Retroperitoneal and intra-abdominal sarcomas	Christoph Kettelhack, Basel
10.30-11.00	Break	
11.00-11.30	Carcinoids of the gastro-intestinal tract	Calvin Law, Toronto
11.30-11.50	Appendiceal carcinoma	Markus Schäfer, Lausanne

Lunch Symposium

*organized by Markus Zuber
chaired by Christoph Kettelhack and Igor Langer*

12.00-12.50	Advances in the management of GIST	Peter Hohenberger, Mannheim Peter Reichart, Berlin
12.50-13.00	Swiss GIST guidelines: what's new?	Michael Montemurro, Lausanne
13.00-13.30	Interactive case discussion with an expert panel	Stefan Dirnhofer, Basel Peter Hohenberger, Mannheim Peter Reichart, Berlin Michael Montemurro, Lausanne

Lunch buffet

13.30-14.00



State of the Art Lecture

*organized by Markus Zuber
chaired by Stefan Breitenstein and Vital Schreiber*
Perioperative nutrition in cancer surgery Arved Weimann, Leipzig

Great Debates in Surgical Oncology

*organized by Daniel Oertli and Markus Zuber
chaired by Daniel Coit and Daniel Oertli*

14.30-15.30	Which treatment is standard of care for adenocarcinomas of the gastro-esophageal junction	More: Christian Seiler, Berne Less: Paul Schneider, Zurich
15.30-16.00	Break	
16.00-17.00	Neoadjuvant therapy of metachronous liver metastases of colorectal cancers <i>The audience can participate via a TED system</i>	Pro: Friedrich Herbst, Vienna Contra: Pierre-Alain Clavien, Zurich
17.00	End of the day's program	



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Friday 8th April 2011



09.00-10.30 Decision Making in Surgical Oncology – Tricky Cases

organized and chaired by Christoph Kettelhack and Carsten T. Viehl
Tricky cases in the field of upper GI, colorectal, or peritoneal cancer
The audience can participate via a TED system

10.30-11.00 **Break**

State of the Art Lecture

11.00-11.30 *organized by Christoph Kettelhack
chaired by Philippe Gertsch*
HIPEC in colorectal cancer – quo vadis? Dominique Elias, Paris

Lunch Symposium

*organized by Markus Zuber
chaired by Gilles Mentha*

11.30-11.55	New approaches in the treatment of advanced and synchronous colorectal liver metastases	Jean-Nicolas Vauthey, Houston
11.55-12.10	Importance of pathological response and liver protection	Laura Rubbia-Brandt, Geneva
12.10-12.45	Interactive case presentation with an expert panel	Gilles Mentha, Geneva Daniel Candinas, Berne Laura Rubbia-Brandt, Geneva

12.30-13.00 **Lunch buffet**

Evidence and Innovation in Rectal Cancer

*organized by Ueli Güller and Urban Laffer
chaired by Urban Laffer and Markus von Flüe*

13.00-13.20	Histo-pathological assessment of the rectal cancer specimen	Rosemarie Weinmann, Berne
13.20-13.50	Laparoscopic versus open rectal cancer resection: where do we stand?	Ueli Güller, Berne
13.50-14.20	Management of loco-regional recurrences after rectal cancer resection	Peter Sagar, Leeds
14.20-14.40	Quality of life after abdomino-perineal resection versus low anterior resection for low rectal cancer	Stephan Vorburger, Burgdorf
14.40-15.10	Break	
15.10-15.40	Technical aspects of abdomino-perineal resection for rectal carcinoma	Pascal Gervaz, Geneva
15.40-16.00	Is radiotherapy indicated for carcinomas of the upper third of the rectum?	Karl Beer, Biel-Bienne
16.00-16.20	Management of lung metastases from rectal cancer	Markus Furrer, Chur
16.20	Final remarks	Jürg Metzger, Lucerne
16.25	2013 perspective. the 12 th course	Urban Laffer, Biel-Bienne
16.30	Farewell and end of the symposium	



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