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Letter of Welcome

Dear Colleagues,

It is a great pleasure to announce that the 34th ESSO Congress in partnership with BASO 2014 will be held in Liverpool from 29 to 31 October 2014. ESSO 34 – BASO 2014 is a unique event: the Congress is held in joint partnership to mark the historical relationship between ESSO and BASO. And without doubt, this Congress is being held in a city hosting many world-class oncology experts and expects to attract over 1 200 surgeons from around the globe.

Designed to promote the highest standards of surgical care in the management of cancer patients with solid tumours, the general theme for the 2014 Congress is **Quality Outcome, Global Perspective**. The new Congress format will include six tracks: Breast, Colorectal, Oesophago-Gastric, HPB, Nursing and Miscellaneous (head & neck, sarcoma/melanoma, pelvic cancer).

The top-quality scientific programme includes an unparalleled panel of speakers presenting the very latest developments and trends within the field. Back by popular demand are the 'Meet-the-Expert' Breakfast Sessions and Debate Sessions in recognition of the importance of a multidisciplinary approach to cancer patient care. The number of Joint Society Symposia, involving experts in different disciplines, has also been increased for 2014. Video sessions will now include cutting edge expert videos providing delegates with a unique educational opportunity.

This Congress will provide participants with additional educational opportunities, and an excellent platform for collegial networking, as well as a perfect opportunity to gain further insight into state-of-the-art technology, latest healthcare services and solutions within the field of surgical oncology.

We believe that all delegates can play a key role in building the success of ESSO 34 – BASO 2014 and ensuring its place as not only the largest, but the most important European congress for cancer surgeons.

We look forward to welcoming you for what promises to be an outstanding educational event and mark another highly successful milestone in the fight against cancer at Liverpool on 29-31 October 2014.

Kind regards,

Professor Riccardo Audisio
BASO President & Congress Chair

Professor Graeme Poston
ESSO President & Scientific Chair



Programme at a Glance

Exhibition opening times

Wednesday: 12:30 - 20:00

Thursday: 10:30 - 16:30

Friday: 10:30 - 14:30

Wednesday 29 October

	Hall 1A	Hall 11	Hall 3A	Hall 3B	Hall 4A	Hall 4B
8:00 - 9:15						
9:30 - 10:00	Opening Ceremony <i>Welcome and Lifetime Achievement Award</i>					
10:00 - 11:30	Symposium <i>EURECCA on Breast Cancer</i>	Symposium <i>New Technologies in Colorectal Cancer Surgery</i>	Debate <i>This House Believes That Neoadjuvant Chemoradiotherapy is Beneficial for Resectable Oesophageal Cancer</i> <i>Special Lecture: Japanese Perspective</i>	Debate <i>This House Believes That There is a Role for R2 (Debulking) Resection in the Management of Colorectal Liver Metastases</i> <i>Special Lecture: US Perspective</i>	Symposium <i>Global Perspective of Travelling Fellowships</i>	Video Session
11:30 - 12:30	Proffered Paper Sessions					
12:30 - 14:00	Lunch / Poster Viewing / Satellite Symposia					
14:00 - 14:30	ESSO Medal Plenary Lecture					
14:30 - 16:00	Joint Symposium with Association of Breast Surgery (ABS) <i>Breast Cancer Surgery; Standards and Practice</i>	Joint Symposium with European Society of Coloproctology (ESCP) <i>Advanced Management of Colorectal Tumours</i>	Symposium <i>Genomics in Oesophago-Gastric Cancers</i>	Symposium <i>EURECCA on HPB</i>	Symposium <i>Controversies in Sarcoma Management</i>	Video Session
16:00 - 16:30	Coffee Break					
16:30 - 18:00	Symposium <i>Familial Breast Cancer</i>	Symposium <i>Recurrent Cancer in the Pelvis</i>	Symposium <i>Improving the Patient's Experience in Oesophago-Gastric Cancer Management</i>	Symposium <i>Controversies in the Management of Neuroendocrine Tumours</i>	Symposium <i>Controversies in the Management of Malignant Melanoma</i>	Video Session
18:15 - 20:00	Welcome Reception in Trade Exhibition					

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 Breast Cancer
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 Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary Cancer
 Miscellaneous

 Nursing in Surgical Oncology
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9:00 - 10:30	Symposium <i>Locally Advanced Breast Cancer</i>	Symposium <i>Controversies in Early Colorectal Cancer</i>	Symposium <i>Defining Resectability of Gastric Cancer</i>	Joint Symposium with European Society for Medical Oncology (ESMO) <i>Borderline Resectable Colorectal Liver Metastases</i>	Symposium <i>Rare Cancers</i>	Joint Symposium with European Oncology Nursing Society (EONS) <i>Effect of Pre-Operative Radiation and Chemotherapy on Wound Healing</i>
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee Break					
11:00 - 11:30	Ernest Miles Award Lecture					
11:30 - 12:30	Niall O’ Higgins Award Session					
12:30 - 14:00	Lunch / Poster Viewing / Satellite Symposia					
14:00 - 15:00	Debate <i>Which is Superior Neoadjuvant Therapy: Endocrine or Systemic Chemotherapy?</i>	Debate <i>This House Believes That Escalation Therapy for Colorectal Cancer is Inevitable</i>	Debate <i>This House Believes That Minimally Invasive Surgery Should be the Standard for Oesophago-Gastric Cancer Resection</i>	Debate <i>Controversies in Biliary Cancer</i>	Joint Symposium with European Organisation for Research and Treatment of Cancer (EORTC) <i>Surgery and Clinical Trials</i>	Joint Symposium with European Oncology Nursing Society (EONS) <i>Pain Management After Surgery; do we Meet Patients Needs in 2014?</i>
15:00-16:00	Raven Prize Papers Session					
16:00 - 16:30	Coffee Break					
16:30 - 18:00	Symposium <i>Reconstructive and Oncoplastic Surgery</i>	Symposium <i>EURECCA on Colorectal Cancer</i>	Symposium <i>EURECCA on Oesophago-Gastric Cancer</i>	Joint Symposium with Society of Surgical Oncology (SSO) <i>Controversies in the Management of Pancreatic Cancer</i>	Symposium <i>ESSO Young Surgeons and Alumni Club (EYSAC)</i>	Joint Symposium with European Oncology Nursing Society (EONS) <i>Early Discharge, Nursing Interventions and Follow-up for Successful Post-Surgery Management</i>
18:15 - 18:45	ESSO AGM					
18:45 - 19:15	BASO AGM					

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8:00 - 8:45	Meet the Expert Breakfast Session <i>Improving the Safety of Oncoplastic Breast Surgery: New UK Guidelines and Long Term Outcomes</i>	Meet the Expert Breakfast Session <i>Lymphadenectomy for Gastric Cancer</i>	Meet the Expert Breakfast Session HIPEC	Meet the Expert Breakfast Session <i>Writing a Scientific Paper</i>	Meet the Expert Breakfast Session <i>ROLL and SEEDS</i>	Joint Symposium with European Oncology Nursing Society (EONS) <i>Imagery Used in Pre-Operative Oncology Surgery Decision Making</i>
9:00 - 10:30	Joint Symposium with European Society for Radiotherapy & Oncology (ESTRO) <i>Managing Long Term Morbidity Among Breast Cancer Survivors</i>	Debate <i>This House Believes That Aggressive Treatment of Peritoneal Disease is Cost Effective</i>	Symposium <i>Cancer in Older Patients</i>	Symposium <i>Interventions for Unresectable Liver Tumours</i>	Joint Symposium with Indian Association of Surgical Oncology (IASO) <i>Challenges and Controversies in Head and Neck Cancer Surgery</i>	Joint Symposium with European Oncology Nursing Society (EONS) <i>Pre-Operative Laboratory Tests: What is Important, why These are Necessary</i>
10:30 - 11:00						
11:00 - 11:30	British Journal of Surgery (BJS) Plenary Lecture					
11:30 - 12:30	Proffered Paper Sessions					
12:30 - 14:00	Lunch / Poster Viewing / Satellite Symposia					
14:00-14:30	European Journal of Surgical Oncology (EJSO) Award Lecture					
14:30-15:30	Debate <i>What is Intra-Operative Radiotherapy all About?</i>	Joint Symposium with European Society of Coloproctology (ESCP) <i>Overview of Clinical Trials in Europe</i>	Symposium <i>Building-up Evidence in Peritoneal Surface Oncology</i>	Debate <i>Liver Transplantation for Cancer</i>	Debate <i>Surgery +/- Transoral Laser Therapy is Superior to Chemoradiotherapy in the Management of Oropharyngeal Cancers</i>	Joint Symposium with European Oncology Nursing Society (EONS) <i>Nurse led Endoscopy: Expanding Professional Opportunities</i>
15:30 - 16:00	Farewell					

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Detailed Advance Programme

**Wednesday
29 October 2014**

GENERAL

Opening Ceremony: Welcome and Lifetime Achievement Award

9:30 - 10:00

Hall1A

ESSO President welcome address

Speaker: G. Poston (United Kingdom)

BASO President welcome address

Speaker: R.A. Audisio (United Kingdom)

Lifetime Achievement Award

Awardee: L. Blumgart (USA)

BREAST CANCER



Scientific Symposium: EURECCA on Breast Cancer

10:00-11:30

Hall1A

Chair: R.A. Audisio (United Kingdom)

Chair: P. Poortmans (The Netherlands)

Over and under treatment in elderly breast cancer patients

Speaker: R.A. Audisio (United Kingdom)

Radiation

Speaker: P. Poortmans (The Netherlands)

Medical oncology

Speaker: M. Piccart (Belgium)

UK perspective

Speaker: G. Lawrence (United Kingdom)

COLORECTAL CANCER

Scientific Symposium: New Technologies in Colorectal Cancer Surgery

10:00 - 11:30

Hall11

Chair: R. Kennedy (United Kingdom)

Chair: H. Rutten (The Netherlands)

TAMIS

Speaker: P. Rouanet (France)

eFLEX

Speaker: R. Kennedy (United Kingdom)

NOTES

Speaker: M. Morino (Italy)

Robotics

Speaker: D. Jayne (United Kingdom)

ESOPHAGO-GASTRIC CANCER

Debate: This House Believes That Neoadjuvant Chemoradiotherapy is Beneficial for Resectable Oesophageal Cancer

10:00 - 11:30

Hall3A

Moderator: W. Allum (United Kingdom)

Moderator: T. Sano (Japan)

Speaker in Favour: B.P.L. Wijnhoven (The Netherlands)

Speaker Against: D. Alderson (United Kingdom)

Seconder in Favour: J.V. Reynolds (United Kingdom)

Seconder Against: A. Davies (United Kingdom)

Special Lecture: Japanese perspective

Speaker: T. Sano (Japan)

HEPATO-PANCREATO-BILIARY CANCER

Debate: This House Believes That There is a Role for R2 (Debulking) Resection in the Management of Colorectal Liver Metastases

10:00-11:30

Hall 3B

Moderator: J. Vauthey (USA)

Moderator: L. Blumgart (USA)

Speaker in Favour: T. Gruenberger (Austria)

Speaker Against: G.J. Toogood (United Kingdom)

Seconder in Favour: G. Poston (United Kingdom)

Seconder Against: S. Eurard (France)

Special Lecture: US perspective

Speaker: J. Vauthey (USA)

MISCELLANEOUS

Scientific Symposium: Global Perspective of Travelling Fellowships

10:00 - 11:30

Hall4A

Chair: J.R. Van der Vorst (The Netherlands)

Chair: D. Landon (United Kingdom)

Report on project by Major ESSO fellow for 2012

Speaker: K. Lasithiotakis (Greece)

Report on project by Major ESSO fellow for 2012

Speaker: W. Van de Water (The Netherlands)



Report on project by Major ESSO fellow for 2013

Speaker: E. Boerma (The Netherlands)

Report on project by Ronald Raven Travelling fellow for 2013

Speaker: P. Sutton (United Kingdom)

Report on project by Ronald Raven Travelling fellow for 2013

Speaker: D. Leff (United Kingdom)

GENERAL

ESSO Medal Plenary Lecture

14:00 - 14:30

Hall1A

Chair: G. Poston (United Kingdom)

Chair: R.A. Audisio (United Kingdom)

Title to be announced

Speaker: J. Vauthey (USA)

BREAST CANCER



Joint Symposium with Association of Breast Surgery (ABS) - Breast Cancer Surgery; Standards and Practice

14:30 - 16:00

Hall1A

Chair: K. Horgan (United Kingdom)

Standard setting in breast surgery training. Harmonisation across Europe?

F. MacNeill (United Kingdom)

Discussion

Axillary reverse mapping for the prevention of lymphoedema

Speaker: S. Klimberg (USA)

How to decrease the rates of re-excision after breast conservation surgery

Speaker: R. Rainsbury (United Kingdom)

The decision-making tree in immediate postmastectomy breast reconstruction in 2014

Speaker: V. Ramakrishnan (United Kingdom)

Discussion

COLORECTAL CANCER



Joint Symposium with European Society of Coloproctology (ESCP) - Advanced Management of Colorectal Tumours

14:30 - 16:00

Hall11

Chair: P.J. Nilsson (Sweden)

Chair: A.G. Renehan (United Kingdom)

Anal cancer pathology and staging

Speaker: N. Haboubi (United Kingdom)

Place of local excision

Speaker: S.P. Bach (United Kingdom)

Chemoradiation: When and who?

Speaker: R. Glynn-Jones (United Kingdom)

Locally recurrent/advanced disease

Speaker: A.G. Renehan (United Kingdom)

OE SOPHAGO-GASTRIC CANCER

Scientific Symposium: Genomics in Oesophago-Gastric Cancers

14:30 - 16:00

Hall3A

Chair: H. Rutten (The Netherlands)

Chair: To be announced

OCCAMS

Speaker: R.C. Fitzgerald (United Kingdom)

Inherited susceptibility

To be announced

HDGC

Speaker: F. Roviello (Italy)

Prognostic signatures

Speaker: C.J. Peters (United Kingdom)

HEPATO-PANCREATO-BILIARY CANCER



Scientific Symposium: EURECCA on HPB

14:30 - 16:00

Hall3B

Chair: G. Poston (United Kingdom)

Chair: B. Bonsing (The Netherlands)

An update from Sweden

Speaker: P. Naredi (Sweden)

An update from United Kingdom

Speaker: S.W. Fenwick (United Kingdom)



An update from The Netherlands

Speaker: B. Bonsing (The Netherlands)

An update from Norway

Speaker: A. Wibe (Norway)

MISCELLANEOUS

Scientific Symposium: Controversies in Sarcoma Management

14:30 - 16:00

Hall4A

Chair: A. Hayes (United Kingdom)

Chair: S. Bonvalot (France)

Does systemic therapy play a role?

Speaker: I. Judson (United Kingdom)

Is there any role for radiation therapy?

Speaker: V. Valentini (Italy)

Can limbs be salvaged?

Speaker: R.J. Grimer (United Kingdom)

What are the limits in resecting retroperitoneal sarcomas?

Speaker: S. Bonvalot (France)

BREAST CANCER

Scientific Symposium: Familial Breast Cancer

16:30-18:00

Hall1A

Chair: G. Evans (United Kingdom)

Chair: M. Leidenius (Finland)

Genetics for breast surgeons

Speaker: L. Walker (United Kingdom)

Risk-reduction mastectomy: Long-term oncological & quality of life outcomes

Speaker: K. Sandelin (Sweden)

Strategies for breast cancer prevention in high risk women

Speaker: G. Evans (United Kingdom)

Clinical phenotypes and therapies for familial breast cancer

Speaker: S. O'Reilly (United Kingdom)

COLORECTAL CANCER

Scientific Symposium: Recurrent Cancer in the Pelvis

16:30 - 18:00

Hall11

Chair: T. De Reijke (The Netherlands)

Chair: P. Dawson (United Kingdom)

Bladder/prostate cancer

Speaker: T. De Reijke (The Netherlands)

Rectal cancer

Speaker: P.J. Nilsson (Sweden)

Gynaecological cancer

Speaker: R. Naik (United Kingdom)

Role of radiotherapy

Speaker: V. Valentini (Italy)

ESOPHAGO-GASTRIC CANCER

Scientific Symposium: Improving the Patient's Experience in Oesophago-Gastric Cancer Management

16:30 - 18:00

Hall3A

Chair: W. Polkowski (Poland)

Chair: To be announced

Evaluating oesophago-gastric cancer surgery: The need for consistency, consensus and core

Speaker: J. Blazeby (United Kingdom)

Oesophageal Patients Association representative

To be announced

Cancer nurse specialist

To be announced

Specialist dietician

To be announced

HEPATO-PANCREATO-BILIARY CANCER

Scientific Symposium: Controversies in the Management of Neuroendocrine Tumours

16:30 - 18:00

Hall3B

Chair: E. Linhares Riello de Mello (Brazil)

Chair: A. Frilling (United Kingdom)

Resect mid-gut carcinoid tumours in the presence of incurable metastases?

Speaker: P. Hellman (Sweden)

Gastric carcinoid

Speaker: M. Pritchard (United Kingdom)

Is targeted radiation therapy beneficial?

Speaker: S. Vinjamuri (United Kingdom)

Does hepatectomy improve survival?

Speaker: A. Frilling (United Kingdom)



MISCELLANEOUS

Scientific Symposium: Controversies in the Management of Malignant Melanoma

16:30 - 17:30

Hall4A

Chair: C.M. Balch (USA)

Chair: M. Wouters (The Netherlands)

Melanoma in old patients

Speaker: C.M. Balch (USA)

The value of sentinel node

Speaker: O. Zoras (Greece)

Can you treat liver metastases?

Speaker: S.W. Fenwick (United Kingdom)

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BREAST CANCER

Meet the Expert Breakfast Session: Oncoplastic Surgery: The 3D Breast, Morphology, Coning and Cancer Excision; Contralateral Symmetrisation, Timing and Procedure; Controversies Surrounding Contralateral Mastectomy for the Unaffected Breast

8:00 - 8:45

Hall1A

Speaker: A.D. Baildam (United Kingdom)

COLORECTAL CANCER

Meet the Expert Breakfast Session: Lymphadenectomy for Gastric Cancer

8:00 - 8:45

Hall11

Speaker: T. Sano (Japan)

PERITONEAL SURFACE ONCOLOGY

Meet the Expert Breakfast Session: HIPEC

8:00 - 8:45

Hall3A

Speaker: S. Gonzalez-Moreno (Spain)

HEPATO-PANCREATO-BILIARY CANCER

Meet the Expert Breakfast Session: Managing the Empty Pelvis

8:00 - 8:45

Hall3B

Speaker: T. Wiggers (The Netherlands)

BREAST CANCER

Meet the Expert Breakfast Session: ADM and Dermal Sling Based Reconstruction

8:00 - 8:45

Hall4A

Speaker: T. Kovács (United Kingdom)

COLORECTAL CANCER

Meet the Expert Breakfast Session: Technical Issues in Low Rectal Cancer Surgery

8:00 - 8:45

Hall4B

Speaker: P. Tekkis (United Kingdom)

BREAST CANCER

Scientific Symposium: Locally Advanced Breast Cancer

9:00 - 10:30

Hall1A

Chair: L. Wyld (United Kingdom)

Chair: K. Horgan (United Kingdom)

Local recurrence after breast conservation - is mastectomy always needed?

Speaker: O. Gentilini (Italy)

Angiosarcoma after breast cancer surgery

Speaker: R.J. Young (United Kingdom)

Extensive local recurrence - the role of thoracic wall reconstruction

Speaker: E. Tukiainen (Finland)

The influence of local recurrences on survival

Speaker: M. Leidenius (Finland)

COLORECTAL CANCER

Scientific Symposium: Controversies in Early Colorectal Cancer

9:00 - 10:30

Hall11

Chair: S. Laurberg (Denmark)

Chair: D. Morton (United Kingdom)

Chemoprevention

Speaker: J. Burn (United Kingdom)

Is screening effective?

Speaker: R.J.C. Steele (United Kingdom)

Does contact radiotherapy work?

Speaker: A. Sun Myint (United Kingdom)

Transanal endoscopic microsurgery

Speaker: S.P. Bach (United Kingdom)

ESOPHAGO-GASTRIC CANCER

Scientific Symposium: Defining Resectability of Gastric Cancer

9:00 - 10:30

Hall3A

Chair: M. Hallissey (United Kingdom)

Chair: W. Polkowski (Poland)

Does chemoradiation therapy compensate for poor surgery

Speaker: C.J.H. Van de Velde (The Netherlands)

Lymphadenectomy - how far do we go?

Speaker: T. Sano (Japan)

Should we do laparoscopic surgery for gastric cancer?

Speaker: D. D'Ugo (Italy)

Optimal clinical staging for gastric cancer

Speaker: M. Hallissey (United Kingdom)

HEPATO-PANCREATO-BILIARY CANCER



Joint Symposium with European Society for Medical Oncology (ESMO) - Borderline Resectable Colorectal Liver Metastases

9:00 - 10:30

Hall3B

Chair: G. Poston (United Kingdom)

Chair: A. Cervantes (Spain)

Systemic chemotherapy/biological

Speaker: F. Ciardiello (Italy)

Regional treatments

Speaker: J. Evans (United Kingdom)

2-stage procedure or ALPPS?

Speaker: J. Vauthey (USA)

1 stage resect + ablates

Speaker: S. Eurard (France)

MISCELLANEOUS

Scientific Symposium: Rare Cancer

9:00 - 10:30

Hall4A

Chair: S. Sandrucci (Italy)

Chair: A.P. Dei Tos (Italy)

Epidemiological outlook

Speaker: G. Gatta (Italy)

Pathological assessment

Speaker: A.P. Dei Tos (Italy)

Medical oncology approach

Speaker: P.G. Casali (Italy)

Surgical oncology approach

Speaker: S. Sandrucci (Italy)

NURSING IN SURGICAL ONCOLOGY



Joint Symposium with European Oncology Nursing Society (EONS) - Effect of Pre-Operative Radiation and Chemotherapy on Wound Healing

9:00 - 10:30

Hall4B

Chair: E. van Muilekom (The Netherlands)

Chair: A. Margulies (Switzerland)

Normal wound healing - a review

Speaker: G. Gethin (Ireland)

Effect of radiotherapy and chemotherapy in wound healing process

Speaker: L. Sahlberg (Sweden)

Wound care strategies in complex wound healing after surgery

Speaker: E. De Laat (The Netherlands)

GENERAL

Ernest Miles Award Lecture

11:00 - 11:30

Hall1A

Chair: R.A. Audisio (United Kingdom)

Chair: W. Allum (United Kingdom)

50-year evolution of gastric cancer surgery in Japan

Speaker: T. Sano (Japan)

BREAST CANCER

Debate: Which is Superior Neoadjuvant Therapy: Endocrine or Systemic Chemotherapy?

14:00 - 15:00

Hall1A

Moderator: F. MacNeill (United Kingdom)

Moderator: I.T. Rubio (Spain)

Pro endocrine

Speaker in Favour: M. Dixon (United Kingdom)

Pro neoadjuvant chemotherapy

Speaker in Favour: E.J.T. Rutgers (The Netherlands)

Pro endocrine

Second in Favour: C. Palmieri (United Kingdom)



Pro neoadjuvant chemotherapy
Seconder in Favour: G. Curigliano (Italy)

COLORECTAL CANCER

Debate: This House Believes That Escalation Therapy for Colorectal Cancer is Inevitable

14:00 - 15:00 Hall11

Moderator: P. Dawson (United Kingdom)
Moderator: P. Tekkis (United Kingdom)
Speaker in Favour: R. Glynne-Jones (United Kingdom)
Speaker Against: V. Valentini (Italy)
Seconder in Favour: S. Laurberg (Denmark)
Seconder Against: D. Morton (United Kingdom)

OESOPHAGO-GASTRIC CANCER

Debate: This House Believes That Minimally Invasive Surgery Should be the Standard for Oesophago-Gastric Cancer Resection

14:00 - 15:00 Hall3A

Moderator: T. Sano (Japan)
Moderator: W. Allum (United Kingdom)
Speaker in Favour: H.-K. Yang (Korea)
Speaker Against: To be announced
Seconder in Favour: To be announced
Seconder Against: A.H. Hölscher (Germany)

HEPATO-PANCREATO-BILIARY CANCER

Debate: Controversies in Biliary Cancer

14:00 - 15:00 Hall3B

Moderator: D. Grünhagen (The Netherlands)
Moderator: G. Poston (United Kingdom)

Should a 1-2 cm gallbladder polyp always be resected?

Speaker in Favour: S.W. Fenwick (United Kingdom)
Speaker Against: T. Gruenberger (Austria)

Is there a role for peri-operative chemotherapy in surgery for biliary cancers?

Speaker in Favour: H. Malik (United Kingdom)
Speaker Against: S. Misra (India)

MISCELLANEOUS



Joint Symposium with European Organisation for Research and Treatment of Cancer (EORTC) - Surgery and Clinical Trials

14:00 - 15:00 Hall4A

Chair: S. Eurard (France)
Chair: S. Burock (Belgium)

CLIMB Project

Speaker: S. Burock (Belgium)

The role of the surgeon in tissue collection

Speaker: S. Coupland (United Kingdom)

Statistical aspects of surgery in clinical trials

Speaker: L. Collette (Belgium)

NURSING IN SURGICAL ONCOLOGY



Joint Symposium with European Oncology Nursing Society (EONS) - Pain Management Pain Management After Surgery; do we Meet Patients Needs in 2014?

13:30 - 15:00 Hall4B

Chair: E. van Muilekom (The Netherlands)
Chair: A. Margulies (Switzerland)

Epidemiology of chronic pain after breast cancer surgery

Speaker: J. Bruce (United Kingdom)

Pre-operative patient education; assessment to improve post-operative pain control

Speaker: B. Quinn (United Kingdom)

Pain management after visceral surgery

Speaker: D. Vissers (The Netherlands)

BREAST CANCER

Scientific Symposium: Reconstructive and Oncoplastic Surgery

16:30 - 18:00 Hall1A

Chair: L. Martin (United Kingdom)
Chair: T. Kovács (United Kingdom)

Acellular dermal matrix

Speaker: M. Douek (United Kingdom)

Oncoplastic outcomes

Speaker: Z. Winters (United Kingdom)

Oncoplastic treatment decisions

Speaker: R. Rainsbury (United Kingdom)

Correctional surgery after poor conservation outcomes

Speaker: A.D. Baildam (United Kingdom)

COLORECTAL CANCER



Scientific Symposium: EURECCA on Colorectal Cancer

16:30 - 18:00

Hall11

Chair: C.J.H. Van de Velde (The Netherlands)
Chair: P. Naredi (Sweden)

Surgery

Speaker: C.J.H. Van de Velde (The Netherlands)

Radiotherapy

Speaker: V. Valentini (Italy)

Medical oncology

Speaker: A. Cervantes (Spain)

UK perspective

Speaker: P.J. Finan (United Kingdom)

ESOPHAGO-GASTRIC CANCER



Scientific Symposium: EURECCA on Oesophago-Gastric Cancer

16:30 - 18:00

Hall3A

Chair: W. Allum (United Kingdom)
Chair: To be announced

EURECCA - progress to date

Speaker: W. Allum (United Kingdom)

Comparison of European outcomes

Speaker: W. de Steur (The Netherlands)

Oesophago-Gastric cancer service provision

Speaker: To be announced

Oesophago-Gastric cancer neoadjuvant therapy

Speaker: To be announced

HEPATO-PANCREATO-BILIARY CANCER



Joint Symposium with Society of Surgical Oncology (SSO) - Controversies in the Management of Pancreatic Cancer

16:30 - 18:00

Hall3B

Chair: R. Weigel (USA)
Chair: B. Bonsing (The Netherlands)

Role of adjuvant therapies

Speaker: J. Neoptolemos (United Kingdom)

Managing complication of pancreatotomy

Speaker: J.A. Drebin (USA)

Defining resectability

Speaker: G. Kito Fusai (United Kingdom)

Non-surgical options

Speaker: J. Valle (United Kingdom)

MISCELLANEOUS

Scientific Symposium: ESSO Young Surgeons and Alumni Club (EYSAC)

16:30 - 18:00

Hall4A

Chair: J.R. Van der Vorst (The Netherlands)
Chair: D. Fontein (The Netherlands)

Surgical oncology training: The European perspective

Speaker: D. Fontein (The Netherlands)

Surgical oncology training: The UK perspective

Speaker: D. Landon (United Kingdom)

EYSAC fellowship grant presentation

Speaker: P. Sutton (United Kingdom)

Promising trial by a surgical Flims fellow

Speaker: S. Hadad (United Kingdom)

Influence of social media in surgical oncology

Speaker: I. Montroni (Italy)

NURSING IN SURGICAL ONCOLOGY



Joint Symposium with European Oncology Nursing Society (EONS) - Early Discharge, Nursing Interventions and Follow-up for Successful Post-Surgery Management

16:30 - 18:00

Hall4B

Chair: E. van Muilekom (The Netherlands)
Chair: A. Margulies (Switzerland)

Clinical pathways to organise care promote early discharge without decreasing quality

Speaker: K. Vanhaecht (Belgium)

Fast track surgery - possibilities and limitations

Speaker: B.G. Mertz (Denmark)

Post operative wound care at home

Speaker: K. Creemers (The Netherlands)



Friday 31 October 2014

BREAST CANCER

**Meet the Expert Breakfast Session:
Improving the Safety of Oncoplastic Breast
Surgery: New UK Guidelines and Long Term
Outcomes**

8:00 - 8:45

Hall1A

Speaker: R. Rainsbury (United Kingdom)

COLORECTAL CANCER

**Meet the Expert Breakfast Session:
Lymphadenectomy for Gastric Cancer**

8:00 - 8:45

Hall11

Speaker: G. De Manzoni (Italy)

PERITONEAL SURFACE ONCOLOGY

Meet the Expert Breakfast Session: HIPEC

8:00 - 8:45

Hall3A

Speaker: F. Quenet (France)

MISCELLANEOUS

**Meet the Expert Breakfast Session: Writing a
Scientific Paper**

8:00 - 8:45

Hall3B

Speaker: D. Alderson (United Kingdom)

MISCELLANEOUS

**Meet the Expert Breakfast Session: ROLL and
SEEDS**

8:00 - 8:45

Hall4A

Speaker: R.A. Audisio (United Kingdom)

Speaker: M. Leidenius (Finland)

NURSING IN SURGICAL ONCOLOGY



**Joint Symposium with European Oncology
Nursing Society (EONS) - Imagery Used in
Pre-Operative Oncology Surgery Decision
Making**

8:00 - 9:00

Hall4B

Chair: E. van Muilekom (The Netherlands)

Chair: A. Margulies (Switzerland)

Mammography

Speaker: R. Thind (United Kingdom)

CT/MR

Speaker: D. White (United Kingdom)

Nuclear imagery

Speaker: S. Vinjamuri (United Kingdom)

BREAST CANCER



**Joint Symposium with European Society
for Radiotherapy & Oncology (ESTRO) -
Managing Long Term Morbidity Among
Breast Cancer Survivors**

9:00 - 10:30

Hall1A

Chair: C. Chan (United Kingdom)

Chair: P. Poortmans (The Netherlands)

Chronic pain

Speaker: M. Leidenius (Finland)

Lymphoedema

Speaker: J. Masià (Spain)

Fertility issues

Speaker: A. Pacey (United Kingdom)

Long term sequelae after radiotherapy

Speaker: P. Poortmans (The Netherlands)

PERITONEAL SURFACE ONCOLOGY

**Debate: This House Believes That Aggressive
Treatment of Peritoneal Disease is Cost
Effective**

9:00 - 10:00

Hall11

Moderator: S. Gonzalez-Moreno (Spain)

Moderator: F. Quenet (France)

Speaker in Favour: B. Rau (Germany)

Speaker Against: S. Eurard (France)

Seconder in Favour: F. Mohamed (United Kingdom)

Seconder Against: P.J. Sanchez (Argentina)

MISCELLANEOUS



Scientific Symposium: Cancer in Older Patients

9:00 - 10:30

Hall3A

Chair: L. Wyld (United Kingdom)

Chair: A. Pettitt (United Kingdom)

Lessons from epidemiological data

Speaker: T. Moran (United Kingdom)



Nursing older cancer patients

Speaker: A. Young (United Kingdom)

Rectal cancer: A surgical approach

Speaker: H. Rutten (The Netherlands)

Rectal cancer: Radiation therapy for older patients

Speaker: A. Sun Myint (United Kingdom)

HEPATO-PANCREATO-BILIARY CANCER

Scientific Symposium: Interventions for Unresectable Liver Tumours

9:00 - 10:30

Hall3B

Chair: T. Gruenberger (Austria)

Chair: S.W. Fenwick (United Kingdom)

Microwave ablation

Speaker: S. Stättner (Austria)

Irreversible electroporation

Speaker: J. Evans (United Kingdom)

Bead embolisation

Speaker: H. Malik (United Kingdom)

SIRT

Speaker: H. Wasan (United Kingdom)

MISCELLANEOUS



Joint Symposium with Indian Association of Surgical Oncology (IASO) - Challenges and Controversies in Head and Neck Cancer Surgery

9:00 - 10:30

Hall4A

Chair: J. Brown (United Kingdom)

Chair: R. Rajaraman (India)

Recurrent thyroid cancer

Speaker: R. Weigel (USA)

Advanced oral cavity cancers

Speaker: D. Savant (India)

HPV

Speaker: A. Schache (United Kingdom)

Management of the neck in previously untreated and post chemoradiotherapy patients in oral cavity cancers

Speaker: K. Gopinath (India)

NURSING IN SURGICAL ONCOLOGY



Joint Symposium with European Oncology Nursing Society (EONS) - Pre-Operative Laboratory Tests: What is Important, why These are Necessary

9:00 - 10:00

Hall4B

Chair: E. van Muilekom (The Netherlands)

Chair: A. Margulies (Switzerland)

Understanding tumour markers

Speaker: P. Naredi (Sweden)

Managing sepsis in cancer patients

Speaker: R.W.I. Cooke (United Kingdom)

Calcium disturbance in cancer

Speaker: W.D. Fraser (United Kingdom)

GENERAL

BJS

British Journal of Surgery (BJS) Plenary Lecture

11:00 - 11:30

Hall1A

Chair: G. Poston (United Kingdom)

Chair: D. Alderson (United Kingdom)

The future of surgical oncology

Speaker: C.M. Balch (USA)

GENERAL

EJSO
EUROPEAN JOURNAL OF
SURGICAL ONCOLOGY

European Journal of Surgical Oncology (EJSO) Award Lecture

14:00 - 14:30

Hall1A

Chair: G. Poston (United Kingdom)

Chair: R.A. Audisio (United Kingdom)

Translation into clinical practice

Speaker: A.L. Børresen-Dale (Norway)



BREAST CANCER

Debate: What is Intra-Operative Radiotherapy all About?

14:30 - 15:30

Hall1A

Moderator: R.A. Audisio (United Kingdom)
Moderator: P. Poortmans (The Netherlands)

Introduction

Speaker: P. Poortmans (The Netherlands)

Radiobiology and physics for surgeons

Speaker: D.A.L. Morgan (United Kingdom)

TARGET

Speaker: J. Vaidya (United Kingdom)

ELIOT

Speaker: R. Orecchia (Italy)

Discussion and conclusions

Speaker: P. Poortmans (The Netherlands)

COLORECTAL CANCER



Joint Symposium with European Society of Coloproctology (ESCP) - Overview of Clinical Trials in Europe

14:30 - 15:30

Hall11

Chair: S. Laurberg (Denmark)
Chair: G. Beets (The Netherlands)

Radiotherapy

Speaker: B. Glimelius (Sweden)

Chemotherapy

Speaker: R. Glynn-Jones (United Kingdom)

Surgery

Speaker: D. Morton (United Kingdom)

PERITONEAL SURFACE ONCOLOGY

Scientific Symposium: Building-up Evidence in Peritoneal Surface Oncology

14:30 - 15:30

Hall3A

Chair: S. Gonzalez-Moreno (Spain)
Chair: B. Rau (Germany)

What questions need to be answered today in peritoneal surface oncology and how should they be addressed?

Speaker: S. Gonzalez-Moreno (Spain)

HIPEC versus no HIPEC in peritoneal carcinomatosis: PRODIGE-7 and GASTRICHIP

Speaker: F. Quenet (France)

Prophylactic HIPEC: ProphylloCHIP trial

Speaker: D. Elias (France)

Discussion

HEPATO-PANCREATO-BILIARY CANCER

Debate: Liver Transplantation for Cancer

14:30 - 15:30

Hall3B

Moderator: H. Malik (United Kingdom)

Moderator: M. Rivoire (France)

Speaker in Favour: V. Mazzaferro (Italy)

Speaker Against: D. Manas (United Kingdom)

Seconder in Favour: E. Hoti (Ireland)

Seconder Against: G. Poston (United Kingdom)

MISCELLANEOUS

Debate: Surgery +/- Transoral Laser Therapy is Superior to Chemoradiotherapy in the Management of Oropharyngeal Cancers

14:30 - 15:30

Hall4A

Moderator: D. Savant (India)

Moderator: K. Gopinath (India)

Speaker in Favour: M. Vijaykumar (India)

Speaker Against: K. Harrington (United Kingdom)

Seconder in Favour: V. Paleri (United Kingdom)

Seconder Against: To be announced

NURSING IN SURGICAL ONCOLOGY



Joint Symposium with European Oncology Nursing Society (EONS) - Nurse led Endoscopy: Expanding Professional Opportunities

14:30 - 15:30

Hall4B

Chair: E. van Muilekom (The Netherlands)

Chair: A. Margulies (Switzerland)

History of the nurse endoscopist

Speaker: R. Sturgess (United Kingdom)

Benefits for the business

Speaker: V. Jackson (United Kingdom)

Training of the nurse endoscopist

Speaker: J. McPhillips (United Kingdom)

Experience of the role

Speaker: L. Dwyer (United Kingdom)

Call for Abstracts

Abstracts submission opens:	<i>25 February 2014</i>
Abstract submission closes:	<i>25 April 2014</i>
Abstracts can only be submitted online at:	<i>www.ecco-org.eu/ESSO34</i>

For more information on abstract topics, format, submission and selection process, please visit the Congress website:
www.ecco-org.eu/ESSO34

Fellowship Grants

The ESSO 34 – BASO 2014 Scientific Committee will award a number of Fellowship Grants to participants from emerging countries* to attend the Congress.

To meet the requirements to be considered for a fellowship grant the applicant should:

- Be a member of ESSO;
- Be under the age of 40;
- Submit an abstract for ESSO 34 – BASO 2014. Applicants whose abstracts have been accepted for oral or poster presentation will be considered first;
- Submit a letter explaining the benefit to attend the ESSO 34 – BASO 2014;
- Provide a two-page CV (including date of birth and list of 5 publications);
- Provide a letter of support from the Head of the Department / Organisation stating that the applicant is not the recipient of any other financial support;
- Provide a copy of the submitted abstract.

The deadline for receipt of applications is **25 April 2014** (abstract submission deadline). Please note that incomplete applications will not be considered.

A maximum of 10 Congress Fellowships will be offered. Each travel grant will include:

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Participants are encouraged to register online. Please note that online registration closes 24 September 2014 at 24:00 GMT.

REGISTRATION FEES

Register early to attend ESSO 34 – BASO 2014 Congress and benefit from significant savings on fees. Pre-registration and corresponding payment must be received by the deadlines indicated.

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Deadline:	<i>Monday 9 June 2014</i>
Early Rate Member*	395 €
Early Rate Non Member	580 €
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Early Day rate	200 €

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Regular Day rate	250 €

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Late Rate Member*	615 €
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Late Rate Students/residents in training/nurses**	360 €
Late Day rate	280 €

On site Rate

	<i>As of 29 October 2014</i>
On site Rate Member*	655 €
On site Rate Non Member	830 €
On site Rate Students/residents in training/nurses**	470 €
Onsite Day rate	315 €

Congress Networking Event****

Rate	65 €
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All registration fees include local VAT (20%). Deadlines are all at 24:00 CET Brussels Time on the given date.

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**** The Congress Networking Event will take place on 30 October 2014 at 20.00.



Meet-the-Experts Breakfast Sessions

Limited attendance. Upon pre-registration only.

Registration

25 EUR

Thursday 30 October 2014, 8:00 – 8:45

Session 1: Oncoplastic Surgery: The 3D Breast, Morphology, Coning and Cancer Excision; Contralateral Symmetrisation, Timing and Procedure; Controversies Surrounding Contralateral Mastectomy for the Unaffected Breast

Speaker: A.D. Baildam (United Kingdom)

Session 2: Lymphadenectomy for Gastric Cancer

Speaker: T. Sano (Japan)

Session 3: HIPEC

Speaker: S. Gonzalez-Moreno (Spain)

Session 4: Managing the Empty Pelvis

Speaker: T. Wiggers (The Netherlands)

Session 5: ADM and Dermal Sling Based Construction

Speaker: T. Kovács (United Kingdom)

Session 6: Technical Issues in Low Rectal Cancer Surgery

Speaker: P. Tekkis (United Kingdom)

Friday 31 October 2014, 8:00 – 8:45

Session 1: Improving the Safety of Oncoplastic Breast Surgery: New UK Guidelines and Long Term Outcomes

Speaker: R. Rainsbury (United Kingdom)

Session 2: Lymphadenectomy for Gastric Cancer

Speaker: G. De Manzoni (Italy)

Session 3: HIPEC

Speaker: F. Quenet (France)

Session 4: Writing a Scientific Paper

Speaker: D. Alderson (United Kingdom)

Session 5: ROLL and SEEDS

Speaker: R.A. Audisio (United Kingdom) & M. Leidenius (Finland)

GROUP REGISTRATION

The group registration procedure must be followed for groups of 10 or more registrants. To register a group, please contact Riitta.Kettunen@ecco-org.eu



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29 October 2014

12:30-14:00

Hall 3A and Hall 12

30 October 2014

12:30-14:00

Hall 3A and Hall 12

31 October 2014

12:30-14:00

Hall 3A and Hall 12

CURRENCY

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To view the ESSO 34 – BASO 2014 list of exhibitors and a detailed floor plan please visit: www.ecco-org.eu/ESSO34

Entrance to the exhibition is free for all registered participants.

EXHIBITION OPENING HOURS

29 October 2014

12:30-20:00

30 October 2014

10:30-16:30

31 October 2014

10:30-14:30

Companies and organisations that would like to participate in the exhibition or organise a satellite symposium can download the Invitation to Industry brochure from the Congress website www.ecco-org.eu/ESSO34 or contact Bruno De Man, E-mail: bruno.deman@ecco-org.eu, Tel.: +32 (0)2 775 02 04.

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Hotel accommodation at reduced rates for both individuals and groups can be booked online at:

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The official language of the Congress is English. No simultaneous translations will be provided.

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NETWORKING EVENTS

29 October 2014

All registered delegates are invited to join us at 18:15 for the Welcome Reception. This reception will take place in the Exhibition area. Come and network with your friends and colleagues in a relaxed setting.

30 October 2014

A Congress Networking Event is organised at the PanAm and will start at 20:00. PanAm is a contemporary bar and restaurant located in the Grade 1 listed Britannia Pavilion on the Albert Dock, overlooking fabulous views towards Liverpool's Three Graces.



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