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# PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

## THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 2013

15:00-15:45	<b>PLENARY SESSION 1</b> <b>KEY NOTE LECTURE: CONTROVERSIES IN GASTROENTEROLOGY</b> <i>Chairperson:</i> Nobel Prize Laureate, <b>Aaron Ciechanover</b> , Israel <i>Speaker:</i> <b>C. Richard Boland</b> , USA ( <i>President of the American Gastroenterological Association</i> )
15:45-16:30	<b>SESSION 2</b> <b>PRESENTATION: CONTROVERSIES IN GASTROENTEROLOGY WITHIN ASIA</b> <b>Joseph Sung</b> , Hong Kong
16:30-17:00	Coffee Break
17:00-18:30	<b>SESSION 3</b> <b>CRC SCREENING: THE BEST MODALITY IS...</b> <i>Chairperson:</i> <b>David Ahlquist</b> , USA 1. Sigmoidoscopy: <b>Michael Bretthauer</b> , Norway 2. Colonoscopy: <b>Nadir Arber</b> , Israel 3. Virtual colonoscopy: <b>Arye Blachar</b> , Israel 4. Colonic capsule: <b>Rami Eliakim</b> , Israel 5. Stool DNA: <b>David Ahlquist</b> , USA
18:30-19:00	<b>SESSION 4</b> <b>TISSUE DIAGNOSIS: IS THE GOLD STANDARD CHALLENGED?</b> <i>Chairperson:</i> <b>Friedrich Hagenmüller</b> , Germany <i>Speaker:</i> <b>Ralf Kiesslich</b> , Germany
19:00-20:00	Welcome Reception

## FRIDAY, JUNE 14, 2013

08:15-09:00	SESSION 5,6,7: MEET THE PROFESSOR		
	<b>SESSION 5</b> <b>TREATMENT OF ENDOSCOPIC COMPLICATIONS</b> <i>Chairperson:</i> <b>Thomas Rösch</b> , Germany <i>Speaker:</i> <b>TBA</b>  <b>MICROBIOTOM IN IBS, IBD AND OBESITY</b> <i>Chairperson:</i> <b>TBA</b> <i>Speaker:</i> <b>TBA</b>	<b>SESSION 6</b> <b>TIPS AND TRICKS – IN THE RESECTION OF LARGE COLONIC POLYPS</b> <i>Chairperson:</i> <b>Erwin Santo</b> , Israel <i>Speaker:</i> <b>Bjorn Rembacken</b> , UK  <b>NOTES 2013: IS IT GOING TO CATCH UP?</b> <i>Chairperson:</i> <b>Julius Špičák</b> , Czech Republic <i>Speaker:</i> <b>TBA</b>	<b>SESSION 7</b> <b>GENETIC TESTING IN GASTROENTEROLOGY</b> <i>Chairperson:</i> <b>Cornelia Ulrich</b> , Germany <i>Speaker:</i> <b>David Kerr</b> , UK  <b>BURNING ISSUES WITH PPI</b> <i>Chairperson:</i> <b>TBA</b>  <b>IS THERE A NEED FOR NEW PPI?</b> <i>Speaker:</i> <b>TBA</b>  <b>NERD-ITS TIME TO LOWER OUR EXPECTATIONS</b> <i>Speaker:</i> <b>TBA</b>
	<b>GASTROENTEROLOGY (HALL A)</b>	<b>ENDOSCOPY (HALL B)</b>	
09:15-10:00	<b>SESSION 8</b> <b>H. PYLORI INFECTION SHOULD BE ERADICATED IN MOST INFECTED PATIENTS.</b> <i>Chairperson:</i> <b>Henry Cohen</b> , Uruguay Pro: <b>Menechem Moshkowitz</b> , Israel Con: <b>Haim Shirin</b> , Israel Is it mandatory to confirm eradication? <b>TBA</b>	<b>SESSION 9</b> <b>OCCULT SMALL BOWEL BLEEDING</b> <i>Chairperson:</i> <b>Friedrich Hagenmüller</b> , Germany Balloon enteroscopy first: <b>TBA</b> Video Capsule first: <b>Joseph Sung</b> , Hong Kong	



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	GASTROENTEROLOGY (HALL A)	ENDOSCOPY (HALL B)
10:00-10:45	<b>SESSION 10</b> <b>HCC: IS IT AN ONCOLOGICAL DISEASE?</b> <i>Chairperson: Mario Dicato, Luxembourg</i> Yes: <b>David Kerr, UK</b> No: <b>Oren Shibolet, Israel</b>	<b>SESSION 11</b> <b>ENDOSCOPIC RESECTION IN THE GI TRACT – WHEN AND HOW?</b> <i>Chairperson: TBA</i> Clinical Aspects: <b>Bjorn Rembacken, UK</b> Molecular Aspects: <b>Thomas Rösch, Germany</b>
10:45-11:15	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
11:15-12:45	<b>SESSION 12</b> <b>ASPIRIN FOR EVERYONE: HAS THE TIME COME OR NOT YET?</b> GI-Bleeding: perception versus data: <b>Chris Hawkey, UK</b> Aspirin and prevention of colorectal cancer: <b>Peter Rothwell, UK</b> Aspirin and prevention of overall cancer: <b>Andrew Chan, USA</b> Hereditary CRC: <b>John Burn, UK</b> Natural salicylates in cancer prevention: <b>Peter Elwood, UK</b> Benefit: risk balance to be consider for aspirin therapy: <b>Nadir Arber, Israel</b>	
12:45-13:30	<i>Lunch Session</i>	
13:30-14:15	<b>SESSION 13</b> <b>TOP-DOWN OR STEP-UP IN IBD</b> <i>Chairperson: Iris Dotan, Israel</i> The top-down approach to therapy of IBD is the standard of practice: <b>Yehuda Chowers, Israel</b> The step-up approach to therapy of IBD is the standard of practice: <b>Simon BarMeir, Israel</b>	<b>SESSION 14 - PANCREAS</b> <b>INCIDENTAL CYSTIC LESIONS OF THE PANCREAS, HOW FAR TO GO WITH DIAGNOSTICS?</b> <i>Chairperson: TBA</i> Pro: <b>Erwin Santo, Israel</b> Con: <b>Thomas Rösch, Germany</b>
14:15-15:00	<b>SESSION 15</b> <b>IS THERE A ROLE FOR MESALAMINE IN THE TREATMENT OF IBD</b> <i>Chairperson: Rami Eliakim, Israel</i> Pro: <b>Peter Lakatos, Hungary</b> Con: <b>Yehuda Chowers, Israel</b>	<b>SESSION 16</b> <b>VIDEO SESSION</b> 1. Video presentations 1 & 2 (upper GI) <b>Bjorn Rembacken, UK</b> 2. Video presentations 3 & 4 (lower GI) <b>Bjorn Rembacken, UK</b>
15:00-15:30	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
15:30-16:15	<b>SESSION 17</b> <b>RECTAL CANCER</b> Can patients with complete pathological response avoid operation <i>Chairperson: Mario Dicato, Luxembourg</i> Pro: <b>Marc Peeters, Belgium</b> Con: <b>Eric Van Cutsem, Belgium</b>	<b>SESSION 18</b> <b>VIDEO SESSION</b> 3. Video presentations 5 & 6 (CT Enterography): <b>Arye Blachar, Israel</b> 4. Video presentations 7 & 8 (ERCP): <b>Istvan Rác, Hungary</b>
16:15-17:00	<b>SESSION 19</b> <b>IBS IS CURABLE: NEW MEDICINES, OLD REMEDIES, AND LIFESTYLE MODIFICATIONS</b> <i>Chairperson: Angel Lanas, Spain</i> Speaker: <b>Jan Tack, Belgium</b>	<b>SESSION 20</b> <b>FATTY LIVER: TO BIOPSY OR NOT TO BIOPSY</b> <i>Chairperson: Oren Shibolet, Israel</i> Pro: <b>Rolf Hultcrantz, Sweden</b> Con: <b>Ran Oren, Israel</b>
17:00-17:45	<b>SESSION 21</b> <b>ANTI-TNF AND CYCLOSPORINE ARE IDENTICAL CHOICES FOR SEVERE ULCERATIVE COLITIS REFRACTORY TO STEROID THERAPY</b> <i>Chairperson: Yehuda Chowers, Israel</i> Pro: <b>Iris Dotan, Israel</b> Con: <b>Peter Lakatos, Hungary</b>	<b>SESSION 22</b> <b>POLYPS: RESECTS AND DISCARD</b> <i>Chairperson: Antoni Castells, Spain</i> Pro: <b>TBA</b> Cons: <b>Thomas Rösch, Germany</b>

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## SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 2013

08:15-09:00		SESSION 23,24,25: MEET THE PROFESSOR		
	<b>SESSION 23</b> <b>EMERGENCY ENDOSCOPY</b> <i>Chairperson: Istvan Rácz, Hungary</i> <i>Speaker: TBA</i>  <b>SNPS AND GI CANCER</b> <i>Chairperson: TBA</i> <i>Speaker: Cornelia Ulrich, Germany</i>	<b>SESSION 24</b> <b>HCV IN 2013</b> <i>Chairperson: Rolf Hultcrantz, Sweden</i> <i>Speaker: TBA</i>  <b>CLINICAL JUDGMENT IN GASTROENTEROLOGY</b> <i>Speaker: TBA</i>	<b>SESSION 25</b> <b>NEW TECHNIQUES TO REACH THE CECUM, IN A DIFFICULT COLON</b> <i>Chairperson: Julius Špičák, Czech Republic</i> <i>Speaker: Simon BarMeir, Israel</i>	
	<b>GASTROENTEROLOGY (HALL A)</b>	<b>ENDOSCOPY (HALL B)</b>		
09:15-10:00	<b>SESSION 26</b> <b>BARIATRIC SURGERY: WHEN, WHY, WHY NOT, INDICATIONS AND COMPLICATIONS</b> <i>Chairperson: TBA</i> <i>Speaker: TBA</i>	<b>SESSION 27 - PANCREAS</b> <b>PAINFUL CHRONIC PANCREATITIS</b> <i>Chairperson: Simon BarMeir, Israel</i> Pro Surgery: <b>TBA</b> Pro Endoscopy: <b>Julius Špičák, Czech Republic</b>		
10:00-10:45	<b>SESSION 28</b> <b>PERSONALIZED THERAPY: DO WE NEED BIGGER AND MULTIPLE BITES?</b> <i>Chairperson: Moshe Inbar, Israel</i> Pro: <b>Ravit Geva, Israel</b> Cons: <b>Marc Peeters, Belgium</b>	<b>SESSION 29</b> <b>SAVE THE COLON; WHO REALLY BENEFITS FROM ESD?</b> <i>Chairperson: Thomas Rösch, Germany</i> A plea for generous indication: <b>Bjorn Rembacken, UK</b> A plea for restrictive indication: <b>Friedrich Hagenmüller, Germany</b>		
10:45-11:15	<i>Coffee Break</i>			
11:15-12:00	<b>SESSION 30</b> <b>LONG TERM TREATMENT WITH PPI IS SAFE</b> <i>Chairperson: Bertram Wiedenmann, Germany</i> Pro: <b>Henry Cohen, Uruguay</b> Con: <b>Haim Shirin, Israel</b>	<b>SESSION 31</b> <b>SURVEILLANCE IN GASTROENTEROLOGY</b> <i>Chairperson: Istvan Rácz, Hungary</i> ICRC: <b>Ravit Geva, Israel</b> Serrated adenoma: <b>Antoni Castells, Spain</b> Hyperplastic polyps: <b>Robert Benamouzig, France</b>		
12:00-12:45	<b>PLENARY SESSION 32- PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS</b> <b>THE UBIQUITIN PROTEOLYTIC SYSTEM: FROM A VAGUE IDEA IN THE BACKYARD OF BIOLOGY TO A BROAD DRUG DEVELOPMENT PLATFORM</b> <i>Chairperson: C. Richard Boland, USA (President of the American Gastroenterological Association)</i> <i>Speaker: Nobel Prize Laureate, Aaron Ciechanover, Israel</i>			



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