

BASL WINTER MEETING AND LIVER COURSE

DECEMBER 1st and 2nd 2017

AUDITORIUM4, Sint-Denijslaan 485, 9000 Gent

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Program winter meeting 2017 (Friday December 1st) :

08.30-09.00 Registration

09.00-10.20 **Session 1 : HEPATOCELLULAR CARCINOMA** (moderators : J. Delwaide, A. Geerts)

- **New emergent therapies in advanced hepatocellular carcinoma:** C. Verslype (KULeuven)
- **Place of radioembolisation in hepatocellular carcinoma in 2017 :** Elisabeth Dhondt (UZGhent)
- **Relevance of Pet-scan and other imaging modalities in Hepatocellular carcinoma :** Renaud Lhommel (UCL, Brussels)

10.30-11.00 COFFEE BREAK

11.00-12.30 **Session 2: NON-INTERACTIVE DISCUSSION OF CLINICAL CASES** (moderators : C. Van Steenkiste, P. Stärkel)

1. **A case of granulomatous hepatitis with a peculiar skin lesion** S. Vanden Bussche, K. Smets, T. Steelandt, P. Caenepeel, P. Van Eyken, G. Robaey (Ziekenhuis Oost Limburg, Genk, Belgium)
2. **Spectacular effect of anti-IL-6 therapy tocilizumab in a patient with Rosai-Dorfman sinus histiocytosis** M. Vandeputte, B. Vokaer, M. Maerevoet, ML Jullie, L. Verset, B. Couturier (CHU Bordeaux, ULB Belgium)
3. **Peliosis Hepatis: a diagnostic dilemma** Putignano A, Pezzullo M, Verset G, Degre D, Katsanos G, Lucidi V, Gustot T, Moreno C (ULB, Belgium)
4. **Cholestasis and irregular bile ducts: what is your diagnosis?** C. Hamoir, M. de Vos, F. Clinckart, G. Nicaise, M. Komuta, N. Lanthier (Hôpital de Jolimont, UCL, Belgium)
5. **Hepatic encephalopathy after liver transplantation - an unusual cause.** L. Baert, X. Verhelst, L. De Freyne, X. Rogiers, H. Van Vlierberghe, A. Geerts (UZ Ghent, Belgium)
6. **Don't forget the E! Chronic hepatitis E infection causing liver cirrhosis with need for liver and kidney transplantation after previous pulmonary transplantation.** Derdeyn J, Van Der Merwe S, Laleman W, Verslype C, Sainz Barriga M, Monbaliu D, Pirenne J, Nevens F (KUL, Belgium)
7. **When pulmonary shunting excludes a therapeutic option.** E. Vandekerckhove, H. Degroote, E. Dhondt, X. Verhelst, A. Geerts, L. Defreyne, H. Van Vlierberghe (UZ Ghent, Belgium)
8. **Cheesy liver lesions.** Wyffels K, Raptis A, Coubeau L, Dahlqvist G. (KUL, UCL, Belgium)

12.30-12.50 **Presentations BASL YOUNG INVESTIGATORS AWARD LAUREATES 2017 and short presentation by 2016 Laureates**

(J. Lambrecht & L. Weischelbaum)

12.50-13.00 **MSD Awards 2017: Best clinical and basic publication 2016**

13.00-14.00 LUNCH

14.00-15.15 **Session 3: HEPATOLOGY UPDATE** (moderators : S De Maeght, F. Nevens)

- **Endoscopic treatment of PSC: Is there something new?** Arnaud Lemmers (ULB, Brussels)
- **Management of severe alcoholic hepatitis after STOPAH trial:** Christophe Moreno (ULB, Brussels)
- **Diagnosis and management of malnutrition and sarcopenia in cirrhosis:** Ger Koek (Maastricht)

15.15-16.45 **Session 4 : VIRAL HEPATITIS** (moderators : JP. Mulkay, F. Sermon)

- **Management of Hepatitis C related extra-hepatic manifestations in the era of DAA :** Patrice Cacoub (Paris)
- **Hepatitis E: when to think about? How to treat?** H Wedemeyer (Hannover)
- **When to stop NUCs in chronic hepatitis B: Are Belgian reimbursement criteria adequate?** T Vanwolleghem (UZA,

Antwerp)

16.45 **CONCLUSIONS & FAREWELL**

Program Liver course 2017 (Saturday December 2nd) : NAFLD-NASH

8.30-10.30 Moderators: L Verbeeke (KUL), C Moreno (ULB)

- Epidemiology of NASH: is it really such a burden in Belgium? (prof. Sven Francque, UZA)
 - How to diagnose NASH: invasive vs. non-invasive techniques. (prof. Nicolas Lanthier, UCL)
 - NASH and 'lean NASH': when and how to consider alternative diagnosis. (prof. Marcin Krwaczyk, Homburg)
 - Pathophysiology of NASH: a general overview. (prof. Isabelle Leclercq, UCL)

10.30-11.00 COFFEE BREAK

11.00-12.30 Moderators: A Putignano (ULB), S Francque (UZA)

- Hepatocellular carcinoma in NASH: a challenging issue. (prof. Hans Van Vlierberghe, UZ Ghent)
 - Bariatric surgery in NASH: results, indications and contra-indications. (prof. Guillaume Lasailly, Lille, France)
 - Treatment for NASH: novel therapies in the pipeline. (prof. Vlad Raziu, Paris, France)
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