



MSD Stand Alone Scientific Symposium

Dates: 7- 9 March 2018

Venue: Rome

Overall Program Objectives:

- Discuss the importance of collaboration between anaesthesiologists and surgeons for the benefit of the patients
- Explore the clinical aspects of management of paralysis using sustained deep neuromuscular blockade (NMB) to the end of surgery, focusing on perioperative surgical conditions and patients' outcomes
- Present unique consideration for special patient populations such as obesity, elderly, cardiovascular, respiratory, oncology undergoing surgical procedures requiring adequate relaxation and predictable and safe recovery of neuromuscular block
- Operative techniques in colorectal surgery as part of minimally invasive surgery
- Discuss evidence based blood management in perioperative care
- Learn about the new technologies and approaches of online medical training

PROGRAM AGENDA

MARCH 08, 2018

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| 07:00 – 08:30 | Breakfast | |
| 08:30 – 08:50 | <i>Chairman's welcome and introduction , welcome address from President of Italian Anaesthetists and Surgeons Association</i> | Prof B Plaud (France) Prof A Ahmed (UK) - TBC |

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| 08:50 – 09:15 | How Minimally Invasive surgery Changed Everything (plenary) Topic confirmed | Prof S Stein (US) |
| 09:15 – 09:40 | Outcomes after implementing the enhanced recovery after surgery protocol for patients undergoing colorectal surgery | Prof E Zarate (Columbia) |
| 09:40– 10:05 | Evidence based blood management or bloody mess? (plenary) Topic confirmed | Prof D Spahn (Switzerland) |
| 10:05-10:30 | Deep Block beyond comfort (plenary) Topic confirmed | Prof T Fuchs-Buder (FR) - TBC |
| 10:30 10:45 | Coffee Break | |
| 10:45 – 11:10 | Robot Assisted Surgery for Lung Cancer – the state of the art and perspectives (plenary) Topic confirmed | Prof G Veronesi (I) |
| 11:10 – 11:35 | Bridge the communication divide by removing the curtain | Dr C Martini (N) |
| 11:35 – 11:45 | Morning session chairman’s remark (stage set up for simulation) | Prof B Plaud (Fr) - TBC Prof A Ahmed (UK) - TBC |
| 11:45– 12:40 | Practical aspects of improving perioperative patient safety (on stage simulation) | Dr M Rall (D) Prof F Puhlinger (D) |
| 12:40 – 13:30 | Lunch followed by relocation into the workshops | |
| 13:30 – 15:30 | Workshop Sessions: | |

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| | Workshop 1 : Research off the beaten track | Prof T Ledowski (AUS) - TBC Prof A Dahan (N) |
| | Workshop 2 : Surgeons need their anesthetists to use lower intraabdominal pressure during laparoscopy (topic confirmed) | Dr D Madsen (DK) - TBC Dr M Warle (N) |
| | Workshop 3 Flirting with the safety margin (Topic confirmed) | Prof F Puhringer (D) Dr. M Rall (D) |
| | Workshop 4 Customized anesthesia care for high risk CRE patients (Clinical Cases Problem solving) | Prof K Khuenl Brady (AU) Dr. D Alcorn (UK) - TBC |
| | Workshop 5 High risk colorectal patient; what we need to know? (Clinical Case Discussion) | Prof S. Morales (S) Prof S Stein (US) |
| | Workshop 6 Can digital technology advance medical education? (AIS) | AIS |
| | Workshop 7 Quality of collaboration under Stress | Dr. C Martini (N) Dr. A Schepers (N) |
| | Workshop 8 How do I work up the morbidly obese patient? Clinical Case Discussion | Dr M Margaron (UK) - TBC Prof J Mulier (B) - TBC |
| | Workshop 9 Surgical Stillness When/Why – Does It matter? | Prof Rosenberg - TBC Prof T F Buder - TBC |
| | Workshop 10 (surgical workshop TBC) | |
| 15:30-15:45 | Coffee Break | |
| | Emerging Scientific Topics (short research presentations) 15 min | |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Retrospective data - deep block and low intra-abdominal pressure (Topic TBC) | Dr J Mulier (B) - TBC |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SIAARTI safety strategies and good clinical practices (Topic confirmed) | Prof F Petrini (I) |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can adequacy of anesthesia depth and quality of recovery be influenced by the level of neuromuscular blockade (Topic confirmed) | Prof P Amorim (P) |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Post-operative outcome in ambulatory surgery | Dr M Rodriguez (S) |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clinical applicability and relevance of surgical invasiveness scores (Topic confirmed) | Prof P Biro (CH) |
| 17:35 – 17:45 | Closing Remarks | |
| 17:45 - 19:00 | Adjourn Group Dinner- Departure | |

MARCH 09, 2018

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| 07:00 – 08:25 | Breakfast | ALL |
| 08:30 – 08:50 | Welcome from VP Managing Director MSD Italy Chairman’s introduction Day 2 | Nicoletta Luppi Prof B Plaud (FR) - TBC Prof A Ahmed (UK) - TBC |
| 08:50 – 09:15 | Airway complication in the PACU (plenary) | Dr E O’Sullivan (Ireland) |
| 09:15 – 09:40 | If Deep – is PTC-1 deep enough? (plenary) Topic confirmed | Prof T Fuchs Buder (FR) - TBC |
| 09:40– 10:05 | The Evolution of Neuromuscular Monitoring and patient safety (plenary) Topic confirmed | Prof E Agro (I) |
| 10:05– 10:30 | Clinical use of sugammadex for high risk patients: is this a growing problem? (plenary) | Dr D Alcorn (UK) - TBC |
| 10:30 - 10:45 | Coffee Break | |
| 10:45- 11:35 | Clinical Considerations for the Colorectal Oncology Patient (Clinical Cross Talk) | Dr A Dahan (N) moderator Dr G Slooter (N)- surgeon Prof G Dhonneur (FR)- TBC anesthesiologist Prof Santini (I) –oncologist |
| 11:35 – 12:00 | Improving clinical and non-clinical service efficiencies for bariatric patients (plenary) | Dr S Awad (UK) - TBC |

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| 12:00 -12:45 | Low vs Standard Intra-abdominal Pressure Pros/Cons (debate) | Prof F Corcione (I) (moderator) Prof J Mulier (B) - TBC Dr J Cousins (UK) - TBC |
| 12:45– 12:55 | Questions and Closing remarks | Prof B Plaud Dr A Ahmed |
| 13:00 | Adjourn and Lunch | |

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