



## Guest Faculty

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**Julio Iglesias Garcia**, *University Hospital*  
(Santiago de Compostella, Spain)



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(Newcastle, UK)



**Thomas Rösch**, *Universitätsklinikum Eppendorf*  
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**Ilaria Tarantino**, *ISMETT*  
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**Frank Vleggaar**, *UMC Utrecht*  
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## Information

### Registration

Registration fee: €325 (before May 1, 2018)

€395 (after May 1, 2018)

ESGE individual members: €260 (early registration only)

Fellows/nurses: €225 (before May 1, 2018)

€295 (after May 1, 2018)

The registration fee covers course participation, coffee/tea, lunches and drinks.

Registration *only* via our website: [www.epgs.nl](http://www.epgs.nl).

We will reimburse 70% of the registration fee upon receipt of *written* cancellation **before May 1, 2018**. After this date no refund will be made.

### Venue

Academic Medical Center (AMC), Meibergdreef 9, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.  
Lecture hall 4.

### Language

English will be the official language.

### Hotel

The EPGS has reserved a number of hotel rooms in Amsterdam.  
Please visit the website [www.epgs.nl](http://www.epgs.nl) for hotel bookings or send us an email at [epgs@amc.uva.nl](mailto:epgs@amc.uva.nl).

### Accreditation

All participants will receive a certificate of attendance.  
EACCME accreditation will be requested.

### Information

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Jeanin van Hooft, Jacques Bergman & Paul Fockens

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Lecture Hall 4 / Accreditation: 12 hrs.

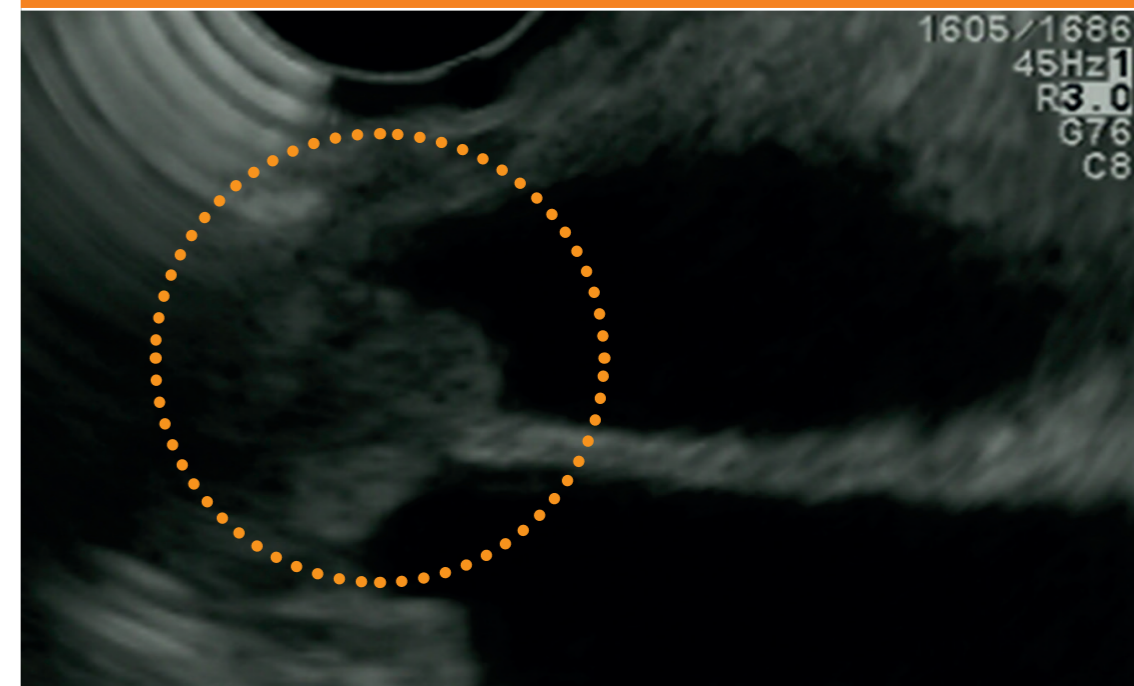


# EUS

## Live in Amsterdam

### 21th Annual Course

#### 14 & 15 June 2018



# PROGRAMME

Live in Amsterdam, Lecture Hall 4



# EUS2018

Dear EUS expert, trainee, nurse and/or fan!

We are preparing for the 21st edition of EUS live in Amsterdam, one of our longest running courses. Interesting enough the format hasn't changed much over the years. We still show a lot of live cases, performed by a relatively small faculty and have time for extensive discussions and exchange of opinions. We select our 'standard' EUS-cases like we do all through the year. We use different instruments and needles and we discuss and discuss and discuss all different aspects of EUS. We also have an on-site cytologist who shows immediately what we have given him. And this all in a very collegial relaxed atmosphere.

For our 21st edition we have of course invited our core team members **Robert Hawes** from Orlando, USA and **Thomas Rösch** from Hamburg, Germany. They haven't missed a course and we hope to see them again in June. Together with **Julio Iglesias Garcia** from Santiago de Compostella, Spain, **Kofi Oppong** from Newcastle, UK, **Frank Vleggaar** from Utrecht, the Netherlands and **Ilaria Tarantino** from Palermo, Italy, we expect the faculty will be able to offer you a highly interactive and highly educational program.

We hope this course will offer you an opportunity, maybe together with your EUS-nursing staff, to discuss the indications, technique and interpretation of images of still one of the most challenging endoscopic procedures; EUS. We look forward to seeing you (again) in June 2018 in Amsterdam!

Yours sincerely, on behalf of the entire  
EUS-team at AMC,  
Paul Fockens

## Thursday 14 June 2018

Chair: Rob Hawes & Guido Tytgat

08.30	Registration & coffee	
09.00	Introductory remarks	Paul Fockens
09.05	Lecture:	
	– Role of EUS in idiopathic recurrent acute pancreatitis (IRAP)	Rob Hawes
09.30	Live demonstrations	
10.30	Coffee-break	
11.00	Lecture:	
	– Cytology vs. histology	Ilaria Tarantino
	When to use which needle and what can the pathologist add?	
11.30	Live demonstrations	
12.30	Lunch break	
	Chair: Jeanin van Hooft & Kofi Oppong	
13.30	Live demonstrations	
14.30	Lecture:	
	– Ampullary tumors: role of endoscopy in diagnosis and therapy	Jeanin van Hooft
15.00	Tea-break	
15.30	Live demonstrations	
16.30	Lecture:	
	– Quality and quality measures for EUS	Kofi Oppong
	How do you show your excellence?	
17.00	Lecture:	
	– Pancreatic cysts: role of EUS in diagnosis & treatment	Paul Fockens
17.30	Drinks with the faculty	

## Friday 15 June 2018

Chair: Paul Fockens & Roos Pouw

08.30	Coffee	
09.00	Lecture:	
	– Changing role of EUS & ERCP in pancreatic cancer	Frank Vleggaar
09.30	Live demonstrations	
10.30	Coffee-break	
11.00	Lecture:	
	– Tissue characterization by EUS:	Julio Iglesias Garcia
	Elastography, contrast enhanced EUS, CLE and others	
11.30	Live demonstrations	
12.30	Lunch break	
	Chair: Jacques Bergman & Thomas Rösch	
13.30	Live demonstrations	
14.30	Lecture:	
	– EUS-guided biliary interventions: do or don't?	Thomas Rösch
15.00	Tea-break	
15.30	Live demonstrations	
16.30	Lecture:	
	– Is there still a role for EUS in upper-GI neoplasia?	Rogier Voermans
	How to measure, how to maintain and improve?	
17.00	Adjourn	

