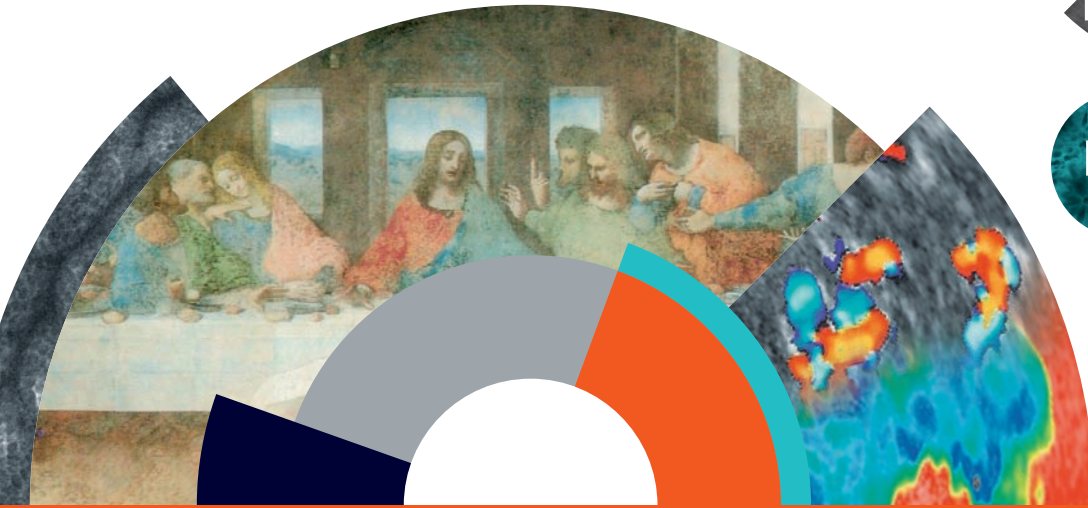


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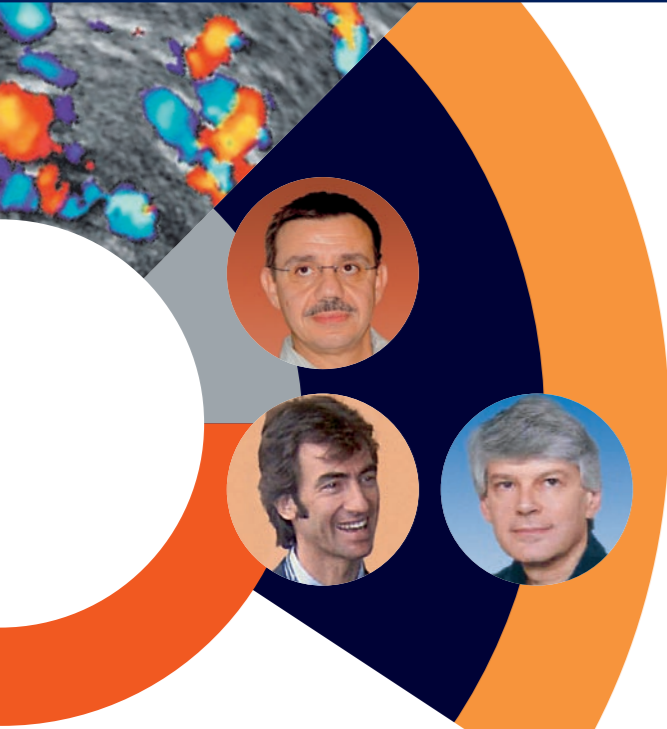
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**Dear Colleagues,**

It is our pleasure to invite you to the 6<sup>th</sup> Euro EUS Congress and the 1<sup>st</sup> International Endomicroscopy Meeting in Milan the 3, 4 and 5<sup>th</sup> of April 2008.

Endoscopic Ultrasound Scanning (EUS) has become an integrated part of modern gastrointestinal endoscopy. EUS is today one of the best techniques for diagnosing and staging GI and pancreatico-biliary diseases. EUS guided fine needle aspiration biopsy (EUS-FNA) is at present performed on a routine basis in many endoscopic centers and it is evident that this procedure has a major impact on therapeutic management of the patients by obtaining a tissue diagnosis from lesions outlined by endosonography.

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We have invited worldwide experts on EUS and Endomicroscopy, they will give state of the art lectures and will demonstrate the last developments of these technologies during 3 days of live demos. On behalf of the Scientific Committees, we would like to wish you a pleasant stay and a successful meeting in Milano.

  
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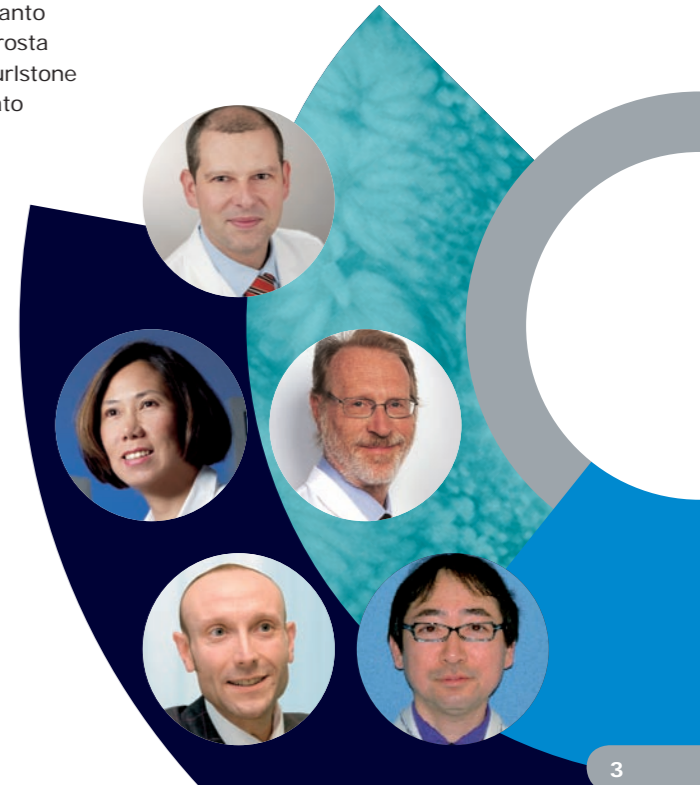
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## Thursday, 3 April 2008

08:00	Registration
08:30	<b>Welcome</b> by P. A. Testoni (Italy) S. Campion (COOK Medical): <b>Voting system explanations</b> ● Moderator: F. Hagenmüller (Germany)
08:40	<b>State of the art lecture</b> <b>A. Sahai (Canada): EUS guided celiac plexus neurolysis. How – to whom – when?</b>
09:00	<b>Live Demonstrations</b> Comment from the podium: A. Larghi (Italy)
09:50	<b>Round Table: Pancreatic pseudocyst drainage</b> Chairman: F. Hagenmüller (Germany) Introduction: overview of literature Panel: G. Costamagna (Italy): Endoscopic approach E. Burmester (Germany): EUS approach
10:20	Coffee Break
10:50	<b>Live Demonstrations</b> Comment from the podium: E. Buscarini (Italy)
11:40	<b>Free Papers Presentation</b> Moderators: E. Buscarini (Italy), A. Larghi (Italy)
12:05	<b>Round Table: How to stage HGD BE? EUS/IDUS/Endomicroscopy/EMR – All for one, one for all?</b> Chairman: M. Conio (Italy) Panel: R. De Franchis (Italy): Esophageal capsule A. Soweid (Lebanon): EUS/IDUS R. Kiesslich (Germany): Endomicroscopy O. Pech (Germany): EMR

12:40	<b>Live Demonstrations</b> Comment from the podium: T. Federici (Italy)
13:05	Lunch Break
	● Moderator: F. Hagenmüller (Germany)
14:00	<b>Round Table: EUS staging of lung cancer</b> Chairman: P. Vilmann (Denmark) Panel: A. Fritscher-Ravens (UK): EUS J. Annema (The Netherlands): EBUS
14:30	<b>Live Demonstrations</b> Comment from the podium: E. Meroni (Italy)
15:15	<b>Free Papers Presentation</b> Moderators: T. Federici (Italy), E. Meroni (Italy)
15:40	Coffee Break
16:00	<b>Live Demonstrations</b> Comment from the podium: M. Graffeo (Italy), F. Di Matteo (Italy)
16:45	<b>Free Papers Presentation</b> Moderators: M. Graffeo (Italy), F. Di Matteo (Italy)
17:10	<b>State of the art lecture</b> <b>P. Deprez (Belgium): EUS-CP (Cholangio-Pancreatic Procedure). Are we ready yet?</b>
17:30	Video Contest
18:00	End of the day
20:00	Dinner

## Friday, 4 April 2008

	● Moderator: F. Hagenmüller (Germany)
08:45	<b>Live Demonstrations</b> Comment from the podium: N. Muscatiello (Italy)
09:45	<b>Round Table: How to diagnose early chronic Pancreatitis? EUS/MRCP/ERCP</b> Chairman: P. A. Testoni (Italy) Panel: A. Sahai (Canada): EUS R. Manfredi (Italy): MRCP H. J. Schulz (Germany): ERCP
10:15	<b>S. Carrara (Italy): EUS guided hybrid therapy of pancreatic solid focal lesions</b>
10:30	Coffee Break
11:00	<b>Live Demonstrations</b> Comment from the podium: C. Crosta (Italy), N. Muscatiello (Italy)
11:45	<b>Round Table: Differential diagnosis of solid pancreatic lesions and lymph nodes</b> Chairman: J. Meenan (UK) Panel: P. Vilmann (Denmark): EUS Elastasonography C. F. Dietrich (Germany): EUS contrast media
12:15	<b>Free Papers Presentation</b> Moderators: C. Crosta (Italy), G. Rubis Passoni (Italy)
12:40	<b>State of the art lecture</b> <b>W. Brugge (USA): EUS guided therapy – has the time come?</b>
13:00	Lunch Break
	● Moderator: F. Hagenmüller (Germany)
14:00	<b>Live Demonstrations</b> Comment from the podium: G. Rubis Passoni (Italy)
14:45	<b>Round Table: Management of pancreatic cystic lesions and IPMN</b> Chairman: W. Brugge (USA) Panel: R. Ponudurai (Malaysia): EUS cystic lesions E. Bories (France): EUS IPMN
15:15	<b>Free Papers Presentation</b> Moderators: G. Rubis Passoni (Italy), S. Carrara (Italy)
15:40	Coffee Break
16:00	<b>Live Demonstrations</b> Comment from the podium: S. Carrara (Italy)
16:45	<b>State of the art lecture</b> <b>W. Brugge (USA): EUS-notes – the future or utopia?</b>
17:05	Video Contest
17:30	P. A. Testoni (Italy): Closing remarks
17:40	H. J. Schulz (Germany): Euro EUS 2009 Berlin, Presentation
18:00	End of the Program

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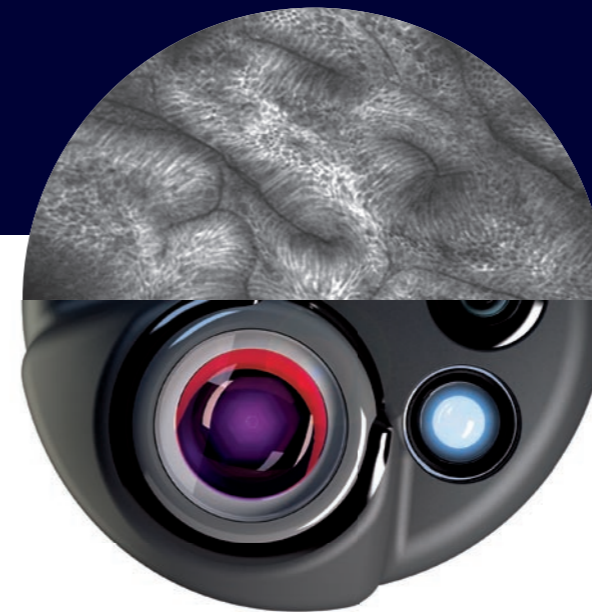
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**Saturday, 5 April 2008**

09:10	<b>Introduction and Welcome</b> by R. Kiesslich (Germany)
<b>Session 1: Endomicroscopy in the Upper GI-tract</b> Chairs and Moderators: P. R. Galle (Germany), J. Sung (China), E. Santo (Israel)	
09:35	<b>Live Demonstrations</b> <b>Case 1: Barrett Esophagus</b> M. Canto (USA), C. Pesenti (France), V. Villanacci (Italy) <b>Case 2: Gastric Cancer</b> R. Kiesslich (Germany), T. Kato (Japan), M. Vieth (Germany) <b>Case 3: Celiac Disease</b> C. Crosta (Italy), A. Zambelli (Italy), V. Villanacci (Italy)
10:35	<b>Endomicroscopy of Esophageal Diseases</b> M. Canto (USA)
10:55	<b>Endomicroscopy in Gastritis and Gastric Cancer</b> K. Wirths (Germany)
11:15	<b>Coffee Break</b>
11:45	<b>Live Demonstrations</b> <b>Case 4: Colon Cancer (rectum)</b> C. Pesenti (France), R. Bruck (Israel), V. Villanacci (Italy) <b>Case 5: Ulcerative Colitis</b> P. Hurlstone (UK), J. Sung (China), M. Vieth (Germany) <b>Case 6: Colorectal Adenoma</b> M. Goetz (Germany), P. A. Testoni (Italy), V. Villanacci (Italy)
10:35	<b>Endomicroscopy in the Small Bowel</b> C. Crosta (Italy)

13:05	<b>Lunch Break</b>
<b>Session 2: Endomicroscopy in the Lower GI-tract</b> Chairs and Moderators: M. F. Neurath (Germany), P. A. Testoni (Italy), V. Villanacci (Italy)	
14:00	<b>Endomicroscopy for Colonic Diseases</b> P. Hurlstone (UK)
14:20	<b>Live Demonstrations</b> <b>Case 7: Crohn's Disease</b> C. Crosta (Italy), M. Goetz (Germany), M. Vieth (Germany) <b>Case 8: Microscopic Colitis</b> R. Bruck (Israel), A. Zambelli (Italy), V. Villanacci (Italy) <b>Case 9: Flat adenoma with resection</b> R. Kiesslich (Germany), F. Hagenmüller (Germany)
15:20	<b>Endomicroscopy in Ulcerative Colitis</b> R. Kiesslich (Germany)
15:40	<b>Future of Endomicroscopy</b> P. Delaney (Australia)
16:00	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>Session 3: Free Papers Presentation</b> Chairs and Moderators: P. A. Testoni (Italy), M. Zeitz (Germany), F. Hagenmüller (Germany)	
16:30	<b>Free Papers Presentation</b>
17:15	<b>Endomicroscopy – The Pathologist Perspective</b> M. Vieth (Germany)
17:30	<b>Closing Remarks</b> R. Kiesslich (Germany)
18:00	<b>End of the Program</b>

## Congress

### Dates:

- **Euro EUS**  
Thursday, 3 April 2008 and Friday, 4 April 2008
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Saturday, 5 April 2008

All scientific sessions will take place at the Congress site:

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**Registration Deadline:** Friday, 28 March 2008

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You are kindly invited to submit abstracts describing original research work on **EUS** or **Endomicroscopy** and very instructive clinical cases that you wish to present at the Congress as an oral communication.

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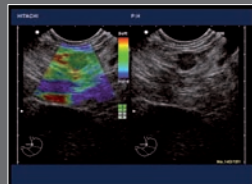
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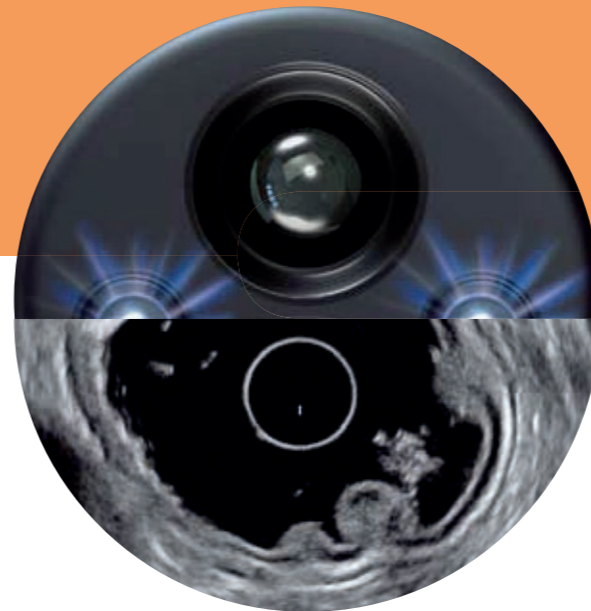
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