6TH INTERNATIONAL LIVE ENDOSCOPY COURSE
Milan 2015, June 18-20

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Welcome to IMAGE 2015
the 6th INTERNATIONAL LIVE ENDOSCOPY COURSE

We are very pleased to warmly welcome in Milan the Italian and International Colleagues who will be attending the 6th International Live Endoscopy Course - IMAGE 2015.

This year, as per tradition, we have an outstanding international faculty coming from all over the world. They will share with us knowledge and innovations through a combination of lectures, live cases, and discussions that will cover most of the hot topics in gastroenterology and digestive endoscopy.

For the first year gastroenterologists will meet pulmonologists during the lecture dedicated to EBUS and live cases will demonstrated how to approach the mediastinal ultrasonographic study.
As in the last edition, some of the major experts in IBD will join the meeting adding new expertise in the field of endoscopy of patients with IBD and updating us on the advances in IBD surgery.
A number of cutting-edge technologies, integrating minimally invasive surgery, flexible endoscopy and advanced techniques such as stenting for GI tract and biliary drainage will be presented and demonstrated during live cases.
Lectures will be dedicated to enteroscopy, bowel preparation, new oral anticoagulants, Barrett’s esophagus and other interesting issues.

As innovation for the 6th edition we created a dedicated App “My IMAGE” to share and make available a range of services and tools that will improve the fruition of the meeting.

Wishing everyone a fruitful and enjoyable time.

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08.00-09.15  REGISTRATION

09.15  WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION  
A. Repici, A. Malesci, S. Danese, M. Montorsi, L. Ravera

09.30-13.10  Moderators: T. Ponchon, A. Malesci, R. Bisschops

09.30  LECTURE  
Integrating minimally invasive surgery and flexible endoscopy: a new paradigm for better care of GI diseases  
**M. Morino**

10.00  LIVE ENDOSCOPY

12.20  LECTURE  
Enteroscopy in 2015: indications and therapeutic options  
**H. Yamamoto**

12.40  LECTURE  
Evolution of anti-TNF in UC management  
**S. Danese**

13.10-14.00  LUNCH

14.00-16.40  Moderators: Z. Liu, F. Radaelli

14.00  LECTURE  
EBUS for staging of pulmonary and GI diseases: how to do and who should do  
**J.T. Annema**

14.20  LIVE ENDOSCOPY

16.40-17.50  Moderators: C. Hassan, D.K. Rex

16.40  LECTURE  
New oral anticoagulants: what endoscopists should know  
**F. Radaelli**

17.00  LECTURE  
Advances in management of early rectal lesions  
**B.P. Saunders**

17.20  DISCUSSION

17.50  END OF THE DAY
FRIDAY JUNE 19th, 2015

08.00-13.00
Moderators: G.B. Haber, Y. Starkov

08.00 GRAND ROUND - STENTING FOR GI TRACT
- Esophageal stents for benign indications T.H. Baron
- Metal stent in benign biliary strictures D. Nageshwar Reddy
- Colorectal stenting: from new guidelines to real practice J.E. van Hooft

09.00 LIVE ENDOSCOPY

12.00 ACHALASIA IN 2015
A debate among experts T. Rösch, P. Zhou, R. Rosati

13.00-14.00 LUNCH

14.00-16.00
Moderators: S.A. Al Awadhi, M. Giovannini

14.00 LECTURE
- Optimization of bowel preparation for colonoscopy C. Hassan

14.20 LIVE ENDOSCOPY

16.00-18.00
Moderators: R. Bisschops, T. Rösch

16.00 LECTURE
- New approach to Barrett’s esophagus and reflux disease P. Sharma

16.20 LECTURE
- Tips and Tricks to scope patients with IBD R. Kiesslich

16.40 LECTURE
- Managing duodenal adenoma: how to resect and how to deal with complications M.J. Bourke

17.00 DISCUSSION

18.00 END OF THE DAY
08.00-11.40 Moderators: M.J. Bourke, J.E. van Hooft

08.00 THE BILIARY UPDATE
- EUS-guided biliary drainage: indications and results M. Giovannini
- Management of difficult biliary and pancreatic stones G.B. Haber

09.00 LIVE ENDOSCOPY

11.00 LECTURE
Is mucosal healing the holy grail in IBD? S. Vermeire

11.20 LECTURE
The (near) future of IBD surgery A. Spinelli

11.40-13.00 Moderators: C. Hassan, M. Korolev, A. Repici

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- Small an diminutive polyps: how to pick-up and how to remove D.K. Rex
- Management of large colonic adenoma: insights from “The Expert” M.J. Bourke
- ESD technology for the treatment of early gastrointestinal cancer Z. Liu

12.40 DISCUSSION

13.00-13.30 CME QUESTIONNAIRE
13.30 LIGHT LUNCH - END OF THE MEETING

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follows the ESGE Position Statement on Live Endoscopy Courses
Moderators: M.J. Bourke, J.E. van Hooft
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Sections with general information about organization, registration, meeting venue, accommodation and city tips.

**EXHIBITION AREA**  
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Pictures of daylife at the congress and gallery of the previous editions.

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MEETING VENUE

Humanitas Congress Center
Via Manzoni, 113
20089 Rozzano - Milano (Italy)

The hospital has six carparks available for a fee. Tickets can be paid directly to the automatic machines.

LANGUAGE

The course language is English. Simultaneous translation will be provided throughout the congress in Italian and Russian.

ACCREDITATION

CME credits for Italian Physicians
Discipline: Gastroenterology, General Surgery

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All visitors entering Italy must have a valid travel document. For European Community citizens an identity card is sufficient. Participants should check the Italian Embassy or Consulate in their Country regarding visa and health certificate requirements. The Scientific Secretariat can supply a letter of invitation if required.

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All participants are kindly requested to wear their badges throughout the Meeting Area in order to be admitted to the scientific sessions and to all the activities of the meeting.

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HOW TO REGISTER
Please register on our website www.imageliveendoscopy.com
The final registration date is May 31st, 2015

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Registration fee includes:
taxes, participation in scientific works, quick lunches, coffee breaks, congress kit,
attendance certificate and code to access “My IMAGE” App

PAYMENT METHOD
• Bank transfer
• Credit card

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Cancellation one month before the course starting date will not be refund
The Congress suggests to house in the following hotels close to the meeting venue:

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E-mail: nhmilanofiori@nh-hotels.com
Website: www.nh-hotels.it/hotel/nh-milanofiori

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Bookings have to be made on the website [www.imageliveendoscopy.com](http://www.imageliveendoscopy.com) in the Hotel Reservation page.
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BY TAXI
From every point in the city you have to tell the driver you have to go to the Congress Center of the Humanitas Research Hospital, located in Rozzano, Milan.

BY PUBLIC TRANSPORT
• Humanitas Shuttle Bus
  It leave every 20 minutes from the bus stop Piazza Abbiategrasso M2 in Milan. It is a private service so you have to buy your tickets on the bus - ATM tickets not valid

• Line 230 and Line 221
  They leave at a fixed timetable visible on www.humanitas.it from the bus stop Piazza Abbiategrasso M2 in Milan.

Approximate times and distances necessary to reach Humanitas from some strategic points of the city.

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