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Online course on December 4, 2025
Congress on December 5-7, 2025



VIRTUAL CONFERENCE PROGRAMME 4 Dec 2025 Thursday ONLINE Program	
08:00 – 10:30	<p>Update on Immunotherapy as a standart of Care for Gastrointestinal Cancers - Part I Chairs: Hüseyin Abalı, Fuat Demirelli, Ido Wolf</p> <p>08:00 – 08:30 Basics and Rationale for IO Treatment in GI Cancer - Derya Kıvrak Salim 08:30 – 08:45 Esophageal Cancer - Dilşa Mızra Kaya 08:45 – 09:00 Gastroesophageal and Gastric Cancer - Gürkan Güner 09:00 – 09:15 Hepatocellular Cancer - Vladimir Nikolic 09:15 – 09:30 Biliary Cancers - Emir Sokolovic</p> <p>Update on Immunotherapy as a standart of Care for Gastrointestinal Cancers - Part II Chairs: Hüseyin Abalı, Fuat Demirelli, Ido Wolf</p> <p>09:30 – 09:45 Pancreatic Cancer - Elma Kapisazović 09:45 – 10:00 Colorectal Cancer - Nina Fokter Dvornik 10:00 – 10:15 Anal Cancer - Valeriya Semenisty 10:15 – 10:30 Discussion - TBA</p>
10:30 – 11:30	<p>Sociodemographic Factors in the Colon Cancer Chairs: Ola Khorsid, Ali Arcan, Nail Paksoy</p> <p>10:30 – 10:45 Early Onset Colon Cancer - İbrahim Halil Şahin 10:45 – 11:00 Colorectal Cancer in the Elderly - Baran Akagündüz 11:00 – 11:15 Gender Differences - Özlem Yersal 11:15 – 11:30 Colon Cancer in Turkey - Osman Sütcüoğlu</p>
11:30 – 11:50	<p>Artificial Intelligence in Oncology Chairs: Mustafa Erman, Zafer Akçalı</p> <p>Speaker: Ido Wolf Discussion: Yakup Ergün, TBA</p>
11:50 – 12:30	<p>Antibody-drug conjugates and CAR-T cell treatment in GI oncology: Where do we stand Chairs: Fatih Köse, İlkay Tuğba Ünek</p> <p>11:50 – 12:10 Antibody-drug conjugates - Fatih Köse 12:10 – 12:30 CAR-T cell treatment - Hakan Akbulut</p>
13:00 – 14:15	<p>Approved Targeted Therapies for Metastatic Colon Cancers: Basic Principles Chairs: Al B. Benson, Saadetin Kılıçkap</p> <p>13:00 – 13:15 Anti-VEGF Therapies - Deniz Can Güven 13:15 – 13:30 Anti-EGFR Therapies - Nilüfer Avcı 13:45 – 14:00 Anti-HER-2 Therapies - Tülay Kuş 14:00 – 14:15 Biomarkers - Dan Aderka</p>
14:15 – 16:15	<p>Update on the Supportive Care in GI Cancer Patients - Part I Chairs: Sema Uzunoğlu, Nina Fokter Dvornik</p> <p>14:15 – 14:30 Management of Chemotherapy Induced Neutropenia - Neyran Kertmen 14:30 – 14:45 Management of Chemotherapy Induced Emesis - Ali Alkan 14:45 – 15:00 Fertility Issues in GI Cancers - Didem Tunalı 15:00 – 15:15 Sexuality in GI Cancer Patients - Mehmet Gökhan Çulha</p> <p>Update on the Supportive Care in GI Cancer Patients - Part II Chairs: Alper Sevinç, Şeref Kömürçü</p> <p>15:15 – 15:30 Pain Management in GI Cancers - Tuğba Yavuzşen 15:30 – 15:45 Vaccination in Cancer Patients - Meliha Çağla Sönmez 15:45 – 16:00 Psychosocial Issues - TBA 16:00 – 16:15 Cancer related Anemia & Fatigue - Atilla Yıldırım</p>
16:15 – 16:55	<p>Management of Drug Complications Chairs: Zafer Ank, Tuğba Yavuzşen</p> <p>16:15 – 16:35 Diagnosis and management of drug allergies in cancer patients - Tuğçe Yakut 16:35 – 16:55 Chemotherapy and Drug and food interactions - İnci Türkoğlu</p>
16:55 – 17:25	<p>Oral Abstract Session - 1 Chairs: TBA</p>

15. IGICC CONFERENCE PROGRAMME (ONSITE)
4 Dec 2025, Thursday
ON SITE

HALL A		HALL B	
14:00 – 15:00	Management of GEP-NETs Chairs: Banu Öztürk, John Souglakos 14:00 – 14:20 Update on the Classification of GEPNET - Cenk Sökmensüer 14:20 – 14:40 Increasing Role of Nuclear Medicine - Bilge Volkan Salancı 14:40 – 15:00 Medical Oncologist View: Optimal Sequencing of Treatment Options in GEPNET - Philip Agop Philip	14:00 – 15:15	Gastric Cancer 2025: From Evidence to Everyday Practice Chairs: Nuri Karadummuş, David Ilson 14:00 – 14:20 Epidemiology, Etiopathogenesis, Risk Factors, and Clinical Presentation in Gastric Cancer Speaker: Faysal Dane (Global & regional differences, Emerging risk factors (obesity, H. pylori decline, dietary patterns), Clinical presentation in Western vs Eastern practice) 14:20 – 14:30 Staging in Stomach Cancer — Surgical Perspective Speaker: Nezih Akkapulu (Surgical staging principles, Importance of D2 lymphadenectomy in staging & prognosis) 14:30 – 14:40 Resectable Gastric Cancer — Pathology Perspective: What We Need to Know Speaker: Orhun Çiğ Taşkın (Histologic subtypes (intestinal, diffuse, signet ring), Pathologic features guiding therapy (LVI, PNI, margins), Biomarkers impacting treatment decisions (HER2, Claudin18.2, MSI) 14:40 – 14:50 Staging in Stomach Cancer — Nuclear Medicine Perspective Speaker: Murat Fani Bozkurt (PET/CT role in staging, Detecting occult metastases, Evolving role of molecular imaging) 14:50 – 15:05 Current Treatment Approaches in Resectable Gastric Cancer — MDT Perspective Speaker: Muhammet Ali Kaplan (Perioperative chemotherapy (FLOT), Integration of immunotherapy (CheckMate 577, MATTERHORN updates), HER2 & Claudin18.2 in perioperative setting, ctDNA to guide adjuvant strategy) 15:05 – 15:15 Panel & Audience Q&A (All Faculty)
15:00 – 15:30	Ask the expert: GEP-NETs Moderator: John Souglakos, Hakan Bozcuk Experts: Philip Agop Philip, Şuayib Yalçın, Bilge Salancı, Gürkan Tellioglu, Volkan Adsay, Barbaros Erhan Çil Panelists: Tülay Kuş, Ertuğrul Bayram	15:30 – 17:15	Advanced Gastric & Biliary Tract Cancers: From Targets to Practice Chairs: TBA, Gökhan Demir 15:30 – 15:45 Current Treatment Approaches in Advanced Gastric Cancer Speaker: Elizabeth Smyth (First-line strategies (chemo + IO), Maintenance and sequencing, Biomarkers guiding practice (PD-L1, HER2, MSI-H, Claudin18.2) 15:45 – 16:00 Targeted Therapies in Advanced Gastric Cancer Speaker: Mehmet Artaç (HER2 antibodies and ADCs (trastuzumab-deruxtecan, zanidatamab), Claudin18.2 antibodies (zolbetuximab), Emerging molecular subgroups 16:00 – 16:15 Introduction to Biliary Tract Cancers Speaker: Hakan Taban (Epidemiology & classification (ICCA, pCCA, gallbladder), Clinical challenges & unmet needs 16:15 – 16:30 Current Treatment Approaches in Advanced Biliary Tract Cancers Speaker: TBA First-line chemo + IO (TOPAZ-1, KEYNOTE-966), 16:30 - 16:45 Role of locoregional therapy in advanced disease Speaker: Okan Akhan 16:45 – 17:00 Molecular Analyses and Targeted Therapies in Biliary Tract Cancers Speaker: Erdoğan Selçuk Şeber (FGFR2, IDH1, BRAF, HER2 alterations, NTRK fusions, MSI-H, other rare targets, Practical approach to molecular testing in BTC 17:00 – 17:15 Panel & Audience Q&A (All Faculty)
15:30 – 16:35	GIST Chair: Derya Kıvrak Salim, Shouki Bazarbashi 15:30 – 15:45 Pathological Aspects of GIST - Sibel Erdamar 15:45 – 16:00 Molecular Biology of GIST: New Insights - Berksoy Şahin 16:00 – 16:15 Adjuvant - Librenjak Niksa 16:15 – 16:35 Metastatic - Ioannis Boukovinas		
16:35 – 17:00	Ask the expert: GIST Moderator: Ulus Ali Şanlı, İbrahim Petekkaya Experts: Özcan Yıldız, Ioannis Boukovinas, Sibel Erdamar Panelists:		

15. IGICC CONFERENCE PROGRAMME
05 December 2025, Friday
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HALL A	
	Current management of Esophageal Cancer Chairs: Berna Oksuzoglu, TBA
08:00 – 08:50	08:00 – 08:15 Approach to cervical esophageal cancer - Özgen Ahmet Yıldırım 08:15 – 08:30 Neoadjuvant chemotherapy or definitive Chemoradiotherapy in esophageal cancer: Choosing Right Strategy to the Right Patient - Anwaar Saeed 08:30 – 08:50 Systemic treatment for the advanced disease - Khaldoun Almhanna
08:50 – 09:50	Advances in the Treatment of Gastro Esophageal and Gastric Adenocarcinomas Chairs: Markus Moehler, Fuat Demirelli, Nuri Faruk Aykan 08:50 – 09:10: One size does not fit all: Clinical role of molecular markers (Her-2, Claudin 18-2 , FGFR, MSI, PD-L1, Hepatoid, All negative) - Ömer Dizdar 09:10 – 09:30: Perioperative Chemotherapy or Neoadjuvant Chemoradiotherapy for GEJ and Gastric Adenocancers: Choosing Right Strategy to the Right Patient - David Ilson 09:30 – 09:50: Standart and Emerging Systemic Treatment Options for Advanced GEJ and Gastric adenocarcinomas - Markus Moehler
09:50 – 10:20	Ask the expert: Esophagogastric Cancer Moderator: Markus Moehler, Jamal Khader Experts: Anwaar Saeed, Khaldoun Almhanna, David Ilson, Ahmet Rencüzoğulları Panelists: Osman Köstek, Osman Sutcuoglu, Elvina Almuradova
10:20 – 10:50	COFFEE BREAK & NETWORKING
10:50 – 11:20	INDUSTRIAL SYMPOSIUM
HALL A	
11:20 – 12:20	Screening and Surveillance Chair: Anes Pasic, Necdet Üskent, Fatih Selçukbiricik 11:20 – 11:35 Update on Molecular Tests for Screening and Early Detection in GI Malignancies - Taha Bahsi 11:35 – 11:50 Endoscopic Versus Molecular Screening in CRC - Cem Şimşek 11:50 – 12:05 ctDNA in GI Malignancies management - Mustafa Özdoğan 12:05 – 12:20 Discussion - Fatih Karataş, Metin Pehlivan Experts: Axel Grothey,Taha Bahsi, Mustafa Ozdogan, Cem Simsek Panelists: Özgür Tanrıverdi,Nebi Serkan Demirci, Yusuf Karakaş
12:20 – 13:30	LUNCH
13:30 – 14:40	Pancreatic Cancer Chairs: Bülent Karabulut, Ilias Athanasiadis 13:30 – 13:45 Is Screening for Pancreas Cancer a Valid Approach? - Deniz Can Guven 13:30 – 13:45 Impact of Clinicopathological Subtypes in the Management of Pancreatic Cancer - Mehmet Ali Nahit Şendur 13:45 – 14:05 Neoadjuvant/Perioperative Treatment - Philip Agop Philip 14:05 – 14:20 Role of Radiotherapy in Pancreatic cancer - Jamal Khader 14:20 – 14:40 Current Systemic Treatment for Metastatic Disease - Eric Van Cutsem
14:40 – 15:10	Ask the expert: Pancreatic Cancer Moderator: Khaldoun Almhanna, Alper Sevinç Experts: Philip Agop Philip, Eric Van Cutsem, TBA Panelists: Oktay Halit Aktepe, Ahmet Özveren, Gökmen Umut Erdem
15:10 – 15:40	INDUSTRIAL SYMPOSIUM
15:40 – 16:00	COFFEE BREAK & NETWORKING
HALL A	
16:00 – 17:00	Tissue Agnostics Pathways as Treatment Targets in GI Cancers Chairs: Abdurrahman Işıkdoğan, Richard Kim, Anwaar Saeed 16:00 – 16:10 Role of HRD/DDR in Treatment Decision - Tülay Akman 16:10 – 16:20 RET Alterations as Treatment Targets in GI Cancers - Bülent Orhan 16:20 – 16:30 NTRK Rearrangements in GI cancers - Emir Sokolovic 16:30 – 16:40 NRG1 and NRG2 & PIK3A3 Alterations in GI Cancers - İsmail Ertürk 16:40 – 16:50 POLE/POLD-1 in GI Cancer - Ivane Kiladze 16:50 – 17:00 Discussion - TBA
17:00 – 17:30	INDUSTRIAL SYMPOSIUM
HALL A	
17:30 – 18:30	Molecular targeted therapies in GI cancers Chairs: Claus-Henning Köhne, Nilufer Bulut, Mahmut İlhan 17:30 – 17:50 HER-2 Pathway Directed Therapies - Asimina Koulouridi 17:50 – 18:05 Targeting Claudins 18-2 in GI Cancers - Ofer Purim 18:05 – 18:20 Targeting FGFR gene alterations - Eda Çalışkan 18:20 – 18:30 Discussion - TBA
HALL B	
17:30 – 18:30	Hepatocellular Carcinoma/Biliary Tumor Board Moderator : Okan Akhan, Ahmed Kaseb, Şahin Laçın Case 1: HCC with preserved liver function and segmental portal vein invasion Case 2: Intrahepatic cholangiocarcinoma with driver mutation (FGFR2 fusion) Pathologist: Gülen Bülbül Doğusoy Hepatologist: Müjdat Zeybel Interventional Radiologist: Barbaros Erhan Çil, Özhan Özgür Surgeon (transplant/hepatic resection): Deniz Balcı, Ahmet Bülent Doğrul Medical Oncologist: Mustafa Karaağaç, Nazım Can Demircan Radiation Oncologist : Vildan Kaya, Evrim Kadriye Tezcanlı
HALL B	
17:30 – 18:30	Rectal Cancer Case-Based Session Moderator : Güngör Utkan , Bülent Karabulut Case: Stage II-III rectal cancer after TNT, complete clinical response Pathologist : TBA Medical Oncologist: Leyla Özer, Özkan Kanat Colorectal Surgeon: Emre Balık, Ethem Geçim Radiation Oncologist: Uğur Selek, Banu Atalar Radiologist (MRI re-evaluation): Bengi Gürses

15. IGICC CONFERENCE PROGRAMME
06 December 2025, Saturday
ONSITE

HALL A

08:00 – 09:15	A Closer Look on the Lines of Treatment in Colon Cancer-1 Chairs: Ioannis Boukovinas, Erdem Göker, Feyyaz Özdemir 08:00 – 08:15 Update on Neoadjuvant Treatment in Localized MSS Colon Cancer - Öztürk Ateş 08:15 – 08:30 Personalizing Adjuvant Treatment - John Souglakos 08:30 – 08:45 Who Should Get Triplet Regimen as First-Line Treatment - Jesus Garcia Foncillas 08:45 – 09:00 Immunotherapy in advanced MSS Colorectal Cancers - Dan Aderka 09:00 – 09:15 Role of Maintenance Therapy - Dirk Arnold
09:15 – 10:00	Systemic Treatment for Metastatic CRC Chairs: Eric Van Cutsem, İlhan Öztop, Aziz Karaoğlu 09:15 – 09:30 First line - Mohamed E. Salem 09:30 – 09:45 Second line - Claus-Henning Köhne 09:45 – 10:00 Third line and beyond - Axel Grothey
10:00 – 10:30	Ask the expert: Colon Cancer Moderator: Şuayib Yalçın , Mehmet Artaç Experts: Dirk Arnold, John Souglakos, Axel Grothey, Claus-Henning Köhne Panelists: Hasan Çağrı Yıldırım, Nargis Majidova, Veyssel Haksoyler, Cevat İltiş Kıkılı
10:30 – 11:00	COFFEE BREAK & NETWORKING
11:00 – 12:20	Hepatocellular Tumors Chairs: Maximiliano Gelli, İlhan Öztop, Mustafa Karaca 11:00 – 11:15 Emerging Role of Systemic Therapies at Earlier Stages - Domina Kekez 11:15 – 11:30 Treatment of BCLC-B Stage: New Approaches - Şahin Laçın 11:30 – 11:45 The role of locoregional treatments TARE, TACE, MWA/RFA in HCC management - Murat Cantaşdemir 11:45 – 12:00 Radiation Treatment for HCC: Which Patient and How - Vildan Kaya 12:00 – 12:10 Fibrolamellar HCC - Anes Pasic 12:10 – 12:20 Tace Plus Systemic Therapy - Arif Akıldız
12:20 – 12:50	Key Note Lecture Chairs: TBA 12:20 – 12:50 Optimal Sequencing of the Systemic Treatments – Ahmed Kaseb
12:50 – 13:50	LUNCH
13:50 – 14:50	Localized Rectal Cancer Chairs: Aytağ Üner, Domina Kekez, Işıl Somalı 13:50 – 14:05 Optimising the Role of Radiation in Localized Rectal Cancer - Uğur Selek 14:05 – 14:20 From the Medical Oncologist Perspective: What is the Current Standart? Is TNT Universal (About the Regimes and Duration)? Consolidation vs Induction - Ali Shamseddine 14:20 – 14:35 Organ preservation in rectal cancer - Demetris Papamichael 14:35 – 14:50 Neoadjuvant IO in colorectal cancer - Şuayib Yalçın
14:50 – 15:20	Ask the expert: Rectal Cancer Moderator: Axel Grothey, Özgür Özyilkın, Hakan Harputoğlu Experts: Uğur Selek, Ali Shamseddine, Demetris Papamichael, Erman Aytaç, Şuayib Yalçın Panelists: Arif Akıldız, Merih Yalçın, Atilla Yıldırım
15:20 – 15:50	INDUSTRIAL SYMPOSIUM
15:50 – 16:20	COFFEE BREAK & NETWORKING
16:20 – 16:50	Liver Transplantation for Colorectal Cancer Chairs: Cengiz Karaçın, Osman Abbasoğlu 16:20 – 16:35 Historical Development of Liver Transplantation to Date for Liver Metastatic Colorectal Cancer from SECA Trials to Transmet Trial - Volkan Doğru 16:35 – 16:50 Liver Transplantation Current Status - Maximiliano Gelli
16:50 – 18:35	Management of Biliary Cancers Chairs: Dirk Arnold, Banu Atalar, Ahmet Özet 16:50 – 17:05 Pathological Aspects of Biliary Cancer - Volkan Adsay 17:05 – 17:20 Radiological Assessment of Biliary Cancers - Vesna Sarajlic 17:20 – 17:35 Principles of Surgical Approach - Alberto Vanelli 17:35 – 17:50 Role of Radiotherapy - Yasemin Bölükbaşı 17:50 – 18:05 Adjuvant Treatment - Shouki Bazarbashi 18:05 – 18:20 Role of Hepatic Arterial Therapy Including HAIC, TARE and TACE - Gonca Eldem 18:20 – 18:35 Systemic Treatment: Options for the First Line and Beyond - Richard Kim
18:35 – 19:05	Ask the expert: Biliary Cancers Moderator: Ahmed Kaseb, Berksey Sabih Experts: Richard Kim, Shouki Bazarbashi , Gonca Eldem , Özhan Özetir Panelists: Özkan Alan , Atike Pinar Erdoğan , Hakan Taban, Esra Aydın , Nazan Demir

15. IGICC CONFERENCE PROGRAMME 7 December 2025, Sunday ONSITE			
HALL A		HALL B	
08:00 – 09:00	<p>Hepatocellular Cancer: It is Better to Prevent Than Treat Chairs: Halis Şimşek, Samira Mahmudova, Erkan Doğan</p> <p>08:00 – 08:10 Trend Change in Epidemiology of HCC - <u>Naziret Kise</u> 08:10 – 08:20 Screening and Surveillance - <u>Osman Çakır Bulutkoğlu</u> 08:20 – 08:30 When Alcohol and Smoking is a Risk Factor for HCC - Ayşegül Kargı 08:30 – 08:40 HCC specific issues in Patients with Viral hepatitis and MASH - Yasemin Balaban 08:40 – 08:50 The Role of Environmental Toxins and Aflatoxin in HCC Development - <u>Müjdat Zeyher</u> 08:50 – 09:00 Treatment of Obesity and Diabetes to Prevent HCC - Şeyda Gündüz</p>	08:00 – 09:00	<p>Metastatic Colorectal Cancer Tumor Board Moderators: Ahmet Demirkazık, <u>Ofer Purim</u>, Sema Sezgin Göksu</p> <p>Case: Potentially resectable liver metastatic colorectal cancer Panelists: TBA Patology: <u>Cenk Sökmensüer</u> Medical Oncology: Mehmet Artaç, Mohammed E. Saleem Surgical Oncology (Liver Surgery): Gürkan Tellioglu Radiology (Imaging): Afak Durur Karakaya, TBA Interventional Radiology (Ablation/Embolization): Murat Cantaşdemir Radiation Oncology (SBRT perspective): Banu Atalar</p>
09:00 – 10:00	<p>Exercise and Nutrition in GI Cancers Chairs: Tamer Elkıran, David Ilson</p> <p>09:00 – 09:15 Exercise and Cancer - İlias Athanasiadis 09:15 – 09:30 Diet and Cancer - Metin Demir 09:30 – 09:45 Nutrition in Cancer Patients - İrem Bilgetekin 09:45 – 10:00 Cannaboids - Tülay Eren</p>		
10:00 – 10:15	COFFEE BREAK & NETWORKING		
10:15 – 11:00	<p>Management of Rare Gastrointestinal Cancers Chairs: İbrahim Barışta, TBA</p> <p>10:15 – 10:30 Hemangioendothelioma - Gunel Musayeva 10:30 – 10:45 GI Lymphomas - Serkan Akın 10:45 – 11:00 Desmoid tumors - Türkan Öztürk Topcu</p>		
11:00 – 11:45	<p>Less Common Lower GI Tract Cancers Chairs: İdris Yücel, Hasan Şenol Coşkun</p> <p>11:00 – 11:15 Anal Cancer - Ece Esin 11:15 – 11:30 Appendiceal Cancer - Ola Khorsid 11:30 – 11:45 Discussion: TBA</p>		
11:45 – 12:00	Awards – Closing Remarks		