



## THIRD GEC-ESTRO WORKSHOP

### “Tips and tricks for expanding the role of brachytherapy”

19 November 2015 | Brussels, Belgium

Venue  
 Sheraton Brussels  
 Place Charles Rogier, 3  
 Brussels 1210

#### PROGRAMME

08.00-08.45	Registration and welcome coffee
08.45-09.00	<b>WELCOME AND RULES OF ENGAGEMENT</b> Jacob C. Lindegaard (DK), <i>Chair GEC-ESTRO Committee</i>
<b>09.00-15.50   GEC-ESTRO WORKING GROUPS:</b> Urogec, Brachyqs, H&N, Gynae and Ano-rectal, will run a practical session that will be repeated four times. This will give a chance to delegates to take part in four different topical practical sessions.	
09.00-10.00	<b>PARALLEL PRACTICAL SESSIONS 1:</b> UroGEC, Brachyqs, H&N, Breast, Gynae, Ano-rectal
10.00-10.30	Coffee break
10.30-11.30	<b>PARALLEL PRACTICAL SESSIONS 2:</b> UroGEC, Brachyqs, H&N, Breast, Gynae, Ano-rectal
11.30-12.30	<b>PARALLEL PRACTICAL SESSIONS 3:</b> UroGEC, Brachyqs, H&N, Breast, Gynae, Ano-rectal
12.30-14.00	Lunch
13.15-14.00	<b>ELEKTA SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM: EXPLORING ENHANCEMENTS IN BRACHYTHERAPY TREATMENT SAFETY AND ACCURACY.</b> <i>Electro-magnetic tracking in brachytherapy; experience at University Clinic Erlangen.</i> Christoph Bert (DE)
14.00-15.00	<b>PARALLEL PRACTICAL SESSIONS 4:</b> UroGEC, Brachyqs, H&N, Breast, Gynae, Ano-rectal
15.00-15.30	Coffee break
15.30-17:15	<b>SYMPOSIUM: EXPANDING THE ROLE OF BRACHYTHERAPY IN RADIATION ONCOLOGY</b> Moderators: Bradley Pieters (NL) and José Luis Guinot (ES) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 15.30 <i>Is BT in danger of being obsolete?</i> Christian Kirisits (AT)</li> <li>• 15.50 <i>How to revitalize BT in the radiation oncology community?</i> Kari Tanderup (DK)</li> <li>• 16.10 <i>Is there a business case for BT?</i> Eric van 't Hooft (BE)</li> <li>• 16.30 <i>How to investigate the health economics of BT?</i> Cai Grau (DK)</li> <li>• 16.50 <i>Where is BT on the oncopolicy agenda?</i> Philip Poortmans (BE)</li> </ul>
17.15-17.30	<b>WRAPPING UP AND END OF MEETING</b> Christian Kirisits (AT), <i>Chair-elect GEC-ESTRO Committee</i>

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