



ESTS - 8th INTERNATIONAL
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Symposium 2021

November 5th-6th 2021





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SCIENTIFIC RATIONALE

The event will consist of four sessions focused on specific topics of relevant interest in the field of **thoracic oncology**; controversial topics will be addressed and debated among health professionals, while there will also be a new session dedicated to the discussion of modern managerial theories concerning the increase of effectiveness, the reduction of errors and the reduction of costs.

At the end of the course participants will be able to:

- have a deeper knowledge of diagnostic modalities for thoracic malignancies
- be familiar with the most up to date form of treatment according to stage
- be able to choose and offer the patient several therapeutic modalities with an explanation of advantages and disadvantages
- be confident in drawing a treatment plan involving several specialists and treatment modalities (surgery, oncology and radiotherapy).

The aim of the course is to provide an integral update on the therapies of thoracic malignant tumors, evaluating in particular the importance of multimodal therapy; multidisciplinary therefore presupposes the presence of highly specialized professionals, namely thoracic surgeons, chest physicians and oncologists.

SCIENTIFIC DIRECTOR

Dr. Federico RAVEGLIA



08:15-08:45 Start of the connection to the WEBINAR and opening

08:45-09:00 Greetings from Scientific Director and Authorities

Session I HOW TO APPROACH IIIA STAGE NON SMALL CELL LUNG CANCER

09:00-09:20 Subgroups of Stage IIIA lung cancer: Does it matter?

09:20-09:40 Mediastinal staging: When and with which method?

09:40-10:00 Surgery versus Curative Chemoradiation: What does the evidence show?

10:00-10:20 Chemotherapy or ChemoRT: Impact on early surgical outcomes

10:20-10:40 How to approach locoregional failure after neoadjuvant or curative treatment?

10:40-11:00 Questions and discussion

11:00-11:30 *Break*

11:30-11:50 Could robotic surgery boost lung resection role in IIIA stage patients?

11:50-12:10 Update on ongoing clinical trials

12:10-12:30 Salvage surgery in IIIA

12:30-12:50 Surgery for IIIA in elderly patients

12:50-13:10 What is the best approach? Clinical examples T3N1M0 - T1-3N2M0 - T4N0M0

13:10-13:30 Questions and discussion

13:30-14:30 *Lunch*

Session II THYMOMA AND THYMIC CARCINOMA

14:30-14:50 Update on stage and classification

14:50-15:10 The role of imaging in Histology, Stage and Prognosis determination in patients referred to surgery for thymoma

15:10-15:30 Prognostic factors for surgically treated thymoma and thymic carcinoma

15:30-15:50 Surgery for recurrent thymoma or thymic carcinoma

15:50-16:00 Questions and discussion

16:00-16:30 *Break*

Session III CLINICAL CASES

16:30-16:50 Case one: stage IIIA (induction therapy)

16:50-17:10 Case two: IIIA (surgery upfront)

17:10-17:30 Case three: IIIA (salvage surgery)

17:30-17:50 Case four: surgery for recurrent thymoma

17:50-18:00 Questions and Closing Remarks



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Session IV OPTIMIZE RESOURCES AND DELIVER EXCELLENT PATIENT CARE IN THORACIC SURGERY

08:30-08:50 How to reduce mistakes in thoracic surgery

08:50-09:10 Improve Wait Time Performance in Diagnostic Assessment for Lung Cancer and patient experience of care

09:10-09:30 The role of Robotic surgery in a continuing process improvement program for thoracic surgery

09:30-09:50 LEAN lobectomy. Efficiency improvement in the operating room

09:50-10:10 Excellence also passes from surgeons' optimal physical, mental and emotional life

10:10-10:30 Fit for surgery, where do we draw the line?

10:30-11:00 Break

Session V MALIGNANT PLEURAL MESOTHELIOMA: AN UPDATE ON DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT OPTIONS

11:00-11:20 The role of surgery in the individualized treatment era for malignant mesothelioma

11:20-11:40 The role of biomarker-guided targeted and immunotherapies in mesothelioma

11:40-12:00 The role of imaging in malignant pleural mesothelioma: comparison between MRI and CT in the assessment of tumor volume

12:00-12:30 Focus on surgery: pro and contra. Experts in comparison

12:30-12:40 Questions and discussion

12:40-13:00 Closing remarks and greetings

GENERAL INFORMATION



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Webinar Edition

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Events Code: under processing

Accredited category: Medical Surgery, Medical Surgery Health Technician, Nurse, Physiotherapist

Main disciplines: Medical Surgery: Thoracic Surgery, Allergology and clinical immunology, Anesthesia and resuscitation, Clinical pathology (laboratory of chemical-clinical analysis and microbiology), Diseases of the respiratory system, General Surgery, Internal medicine, Nuclear medicine, Oncology, Pathological anatomy, Radiodiagnostics, Radiotherapy, Vascular Surgery

Training objective: Clinical Documentation. Clinical paths for diagnostic and rehabilitative care, care profiles - care profiles (Process training area)

N° of participants: 400

Origin of participants: International

Training hours: 12

Credits assigned: under processing

REGISTRATION FEE

ESTS members € 40,00 *VAT included*

ESTS NON members € 60,00 *VAT included*

ESTS trainees members Free

Registration cancellation policy: no refund will be possible after registration

REGISTRATION PROCEDURE

You can confirm your participation through the event web site <http://www.thoraciconcology.it>.



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