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SECOND ESTS ITALIAN CHAPTER MEETING

Milan, November 21st - 22nd, 2025

CONGRESS PRESIDENT: D. Tosi

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PRELIMINARY PROGRAM



ESTS European Society of Thoracic Surgeons

PROGRAM

DAY 1

9:00 PRE-CONFERENCE THEORETICAL AND PRACTICAL COURSE

Training on robotic platforms for limited number of participants

- AB Medica Training Center – Da Vinci XI
- San Donato Hospital – CMR Versius

14.00 PARTICIPANT REGISTRATION

14.30 PRESENTATION OF THE PROGRAM AND CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES

- Congress President: **D. Tosi**
- ESTS President: **P.E. Falcoz**
- SICT President: **M. Nosotti**
- University Department: **M. Lucchi**

15.00 – 16.30

SESSION 1: LUNG CANCER SURGERY INTEGRATED WITH NEW THERAPIES

CHAIRS: H. BATIREL, F. VENUTA, L. VOLTOLINI

Preoperative staging in the era of precision medicine.

A. PALLESCHI

Role of neoadjuvant chemoimmunotherapy in resectable NSCLC.

F. GROSSI

Surgical strategies and challenges after induction therapy.

M. NOSOTTI

Therapeutic options in the treatment of loco-regional advanced NSCLC.

G. MAURIZI

- **DISCUSSANT – F. ZARACA**

16.30 – 18.00

SESSION 2: THORACIC SURGERY EDUCATION

CHAIRS: R. CRISCI, A. BRUNELLI, N. NOVOA

Training programs in the modern thoracic surgery.

A. BERTANI

Simulation based learning in robotic surgery.

L. ROSSO

Mastering the Curve: Insights into the Learning Process of Minimally Invasive Thoracic Surgery

A. GONFIOTTI

- **DISCUSSANT – J. FURAK**

DAY 2

9.00 – 10.45

SESSION 3: ROBOT-ASSISTED LUNG SURGERY

CHAIRS: J.M. BASTE, I. OPITZ, A. BERTANI

Robotic lobectomy: technique and outcomes.

J.M. BASTE

Robotic segmentectomy: indications and benefits.

G. VERONESI

Management of intraoperative complications: tips and tricks.

E. BOTTONI

Complex case discussion with the audience (presented by residents)

**R. ORLANDI
G. MATTIONI**

Feasibility and Outcomes of Robotic Surgery After Induction Chemo-Immunotherapy: Experience from ESTS Robotic Academy Training Center

I. OPITZ

- **DISCUSSANT – M. JIMENEZ**

11.00 – 12.00

SESSION 4: ROBOT-ASSISTED MEDIASTINAL SURGERY

CHAIRS: E. RUFFINI, P.E. FALCOZ, C. POMPILI

Early experience with Davinci Single Port Thymectomy

R. PETERSEN

*Robotic excision of posterior mediastinal tumours:
Technique and surgical outcomes.*

I. BOUABDALLAH

Costs analysis of robotic assisted thoracic surgery versus video-assisted thoracic surgery

P.E. FALCOZ

- **DISCUSSANT – A. IMPERATORI**

12.00 – 13.00

ROUND TABLE: THE FUTURE OF ROBOTIC THORACIC SURGERY

- **EXPERT PANEL, OPEN DISCUSSION AND Q&A WITH THE AUDIENCE**

