

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

Sunday, July 15, 2012

09:00 Registration, Coffee / Tea and Visit the Exhibition

09:45 - 10:00

Opening Session

OPENING REMARKS

A. Pikarsky, Symposium Co-Chair
Hadassah-Hebrew University Medical Center, Jerusalem
R. Alfici, Chairman, Israel Surgical Association

10:00 - 10:50

Session I

MRI VS. TRUS - THE PREFERRED IMAGING MODALITY FOR RECTAL CANCER STAGING

Chairperson: **S.D. Duek**, Israel

- 10:00 MRI
J. Sosna
Dept. of Radiology & Medical Imaging, Computerized Tomography Center,
Hadassah-Hebrew University Medical Center, Jerusalem, Israel
- 10:15 TRUS
J. Lysy
Dept. of Gastroenterology, Shaare Zedek Medical Center, Jerusalem,
Israel
- 10:30 Panel Discussion
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10:50 - 12:00

Session II

THE OPTIMAL APPROACH TO PILONIDAL SINUS EXCISION

Chairperson: **J. Sayfan**, Israel

- 10:50 OPEN APPROACH
Y. Edden
Dept. of Surgery, Shaare Zedek Medical Center, Jerusalem, Israel
- 11:05 CLOSED APPROACH
G. Milito
Dept. of Surgery, University Hospital Tor Vergata, Rome, Italy
- 11:20 Panel Discussion

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Session II (cont.)

11:30 **Keynote lecture**
RECENT ADVANCEMENTS IN MINIMALLY INVASIVE COLORECTAL SURGERY
E. Weiss
Dept. of Colorectal Surgery, Cleveland Clinic Florida, Weston, FL, USA

12:00 *Lunch Break and Visit the Exhibition*



13:30 - 14:20

Session III

METASTATIC COLON CANCER- SURGERY OR CHEMOTHERAPY FIRST?

Chairperson: **J.M. Klausner**, Israel

13:30 RESECTION
O. Jurim
Dept. of Surgery, Kaplan Medical Center, Rehovot, Israel

13:45 CHEMOTHERPAY
A. Hubert
Dept. of Oncology, Gastrointestinal Cancer Center,
Hadassah Hebrew University Medical Center, Jerusalem, Israel

14:00 Panel Discussion

14:20 - 15:05

Session IV

TO POUCH OR NOT TO POUCH A PATIENT WITH INDETERMINATE COLITIS?

Chairperson: **M. Rabau**, Israel

14:20 POUCH
E. Weiss
Dept. of Colorectal Surgery, Cleveland Clinic Florida, Weston, FL, USA

14:35 DO NOT POUCH
H. Tulchinsky
Proctology Unit, Dept. of Surgery B, Tel Aviv Sourasky Medical Center, Tel Aviv,
Israel

14:50 Panel Discussion

15:05 *Coffee Break and Visit the Exhibition*



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15:30 - 16:15

Session V

Chairperson: **O. Zmora**, Israel

- 15:30 ***Invited Lecture***
 THE IMPACT OF NEOADJUVANT THERAPY ON SPECIMEN EVALUATION
 M. Berho
 Dept. of Pathology, Cleveland Clinic Florida, Weston, FL, USA
- 15:45 ***Keynote Lecture***
 FECAL INCONTINENCE- THE ROLE OF RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN THE
 THERAPEUTIC APPROACH
 S. Wexner
 Dept. of Colorectal Surgery, Cleveland Clinic Florida, Weston, FL, USA
- 16:15 *Sheila Ferber Sings Alterman with Maya Belsitzman (Chelo and Vocals)*