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POSTGRADUATE COURSE IN GASTROENTEROLOGY

Wednesday, 4th of March, 2020.

We are pleased to announce part 2 of the Belgian Postgraduate Course in Gastroenterology within the framework of the Belgian Week of Gastroenterology! Last year’s first edition was very well attended and we received great feedback. We can’t wait to present you part 2 of the PGC!

The invited speakers will focus on new diagnostic and therapeutic insights into a specific GI disorder with direct impact on daily clinical practice. All fields of our broad specialty will be covered: gastroenterology, hepatology, pancreatology, digestive oncology, endoscopy and proctology.

The program is oriented towards clinical gastroenterologists, fellows and trainees. For the latter, a 3-year postgraduate program has been created covering all fields and updates in our great specialty.

PUSH YOUR PRACTICE TO THE NEXT LEVEL AND ATTEND THE BELGIAN POSTGRADUATE COURSE IN GASTROENTEROLOGY!

The detailed 2020 program is available on the website of the BWGE: www.bwge.be

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### Satellite Symposia

#### Wednesday March 4, 2020

- 15:30 > 16:00
  - Takeda
- 17:15 > 18:00
  - Pfizer

#### Thursday March 5, 2020

- 8:00 > 8:30
  - Elsal
- 10:30 > 11:00
  - Biogen
- 10:00 > 10:30
  - Bayer
- 12:30 > 13:15
  - Janssen-Cilag
- 13:15 > 14:00
  - Gilead
- 17:15 > 17:45
  - Alnylam

#### Friday March 6, 2020

- 8:30 > 9:00
  - Lilly
THE BSGIE announces with great pleasure our program for the 32nd edition of the Belgian Week of Gastroenterology.

We continue our effort to promote quality in endoscopy. This year we will focus on the quality in ERCP and EUS. For this purpose we are honoured to welcome Dr Peter Meier (Hamburg, Germany) and Dr Andrea Tringali (Rome, Italy) for an invited state of the art on endoscopic management of common bile duct stones and chronic pancreatitis, during our Thursday afternoon session.

In addition, we have selected 10 abstracts for oral presentation. Due to the high quality and variability of the submitted abstract, we are happy to provide an attractive program with a focus on new therapeutic and diagnostic innovations and quality in endoscopy. In addition, a poster tour is organized just prior to our Thursday afternoon meeting. We invite you to attend the oral presentations of this research and challenge the researchers and presenters with your questions and criticism.

Friday morning, we will further illustrate the importance of quality in ERCP and EUS during our live demonstration. We are grateful to the Erasme Hospital in Brussels to host and organise for the fourth time the live endoscopy demonstration during the Belgian Week of Gastroenterology. We will show different diagnostic and therapeutic interventions with a focus of what will be of interest to your daily endoscopy practice.

We are looking forward to welcome you at the BSGIE sessions. We are convinced that our program will improve your knowledge on innovations and new trends in gastrointestinal endoscopy.

Raf Bisschops
President of BSGIE
# Overview

## Wednesday 04/03

### Belle Epoque
- **10:10-10:40** Post Graduate Course
- **10:40-10:50** Coffee break
- **10:50-10:55** Satellite Symposium JANSSEN-CILAG
- **13:45-15:25** Post Graduate Course
- **16:00-17:15** Post Graduate Course

### Lijn
- **08:30-10:10** Post Graduate Course
- **10:40-12:20** Post Graduate Course
- **12:20-14:00** Lunch

### Teun
- **11:10-12:30** BIRD Clinical / BeSPGHAN
- **12:30-13:15** Satellite Symposium JANSSEN-CILAG
- **13:00-14:00** BSgie e-Poster Session
- **14:00-15:30** BSgie
- **16:00-17:30** BSgie
- **17:30-18:15** BygGIE Meeting

### Sancy
- **14:00-15:30** Young BASL
- **15:30-17:15** Satellite Symposium GILEAD
- **17:45-18:00** General Assembly IBD

## Thursday 05/03

### Belle Epoque
- **10:00-10:45** Post Graduate Course
- **10:25-10:55** Satellite Symposium BIOGEN
- **11:10-12:30** BIRD Clinical / BeSPGHAN
- **12:30-13:15** Satellite Symposium JANSSEN-CILAG
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### Teun
- **08:30-09:30** Breakfast Symposium ELI LILLY
- **09:30-10:00** Brohee Lecture
- **10:00-10:30** Satellite Symposium BAYER
- **10:45-12:30** BASL
- **13:15-14:00** Satellite Symposium GILEAD
- **14:00-15:30** BSgie
- **16:00-17:15** Satellite Symposium ALNYLAM
- **17:45-18:00** BASL Prizes & General Assembly

### Sancy
- **09:00-10:15** Case Report Gastroenterology
- **10:45-12:00** Case Report Gastroenterology
- **13:00-14:00** BeSPGHAN General Assembly
- **16:00-15:00** BeSPGHAN
- **15:00-17:00** BeSPGHAN
- **18:00-19:00** ACTA General Assembly

## Friday 06/03

### Belle Epoque
- **10:30-11:00** Coffee break
- **10:30-12:30** Working Group of Digestive Pathology
- **12:30-13:00** GBS-VBS General Assembly
- **13:30-15:00** Working Group of Digestive Pathology
- **15:30-16:30** Working Group of Digestive Pathology

### Lijn
- **09:00-10:00** Working Group of Digestive Pathology
- **10:30-12:30** Working Group of Digestive Pathology
- **12:30-13:00** GBS-VBS General Assembly
- **13:30-15:00** Working Group of Digestive Pathology
- **15:30-16:30** Working Group of Digestive Pathology

### Teun
- **08:30-09:30** Breakfast Symposium ELI LILLY
- **09:00-10:15** Case Report Hepatology
- **10:45-12:00** Case Report Hepatology

### Sancy
- **09:00-10:15** Case Report Gastroenterology
- **14:00-15:30** Belgian Pancreatic Club
- **15:00-17:00** Belgian Pancreatic Club
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Dear colleagues and friends,

This year, the Belgian week organises once again a practical, hands on session in ultrasound on Wednesday afternoon.

The course will focus on general principles of abdominal ultrasound, knobology and normal anatomy (including gastrointestinal tract (appendix, stomach,…). The course aims at trainees in gastroenterology and general medicine with little or no ultrasound experience.

After a short theoretical introduction, participants will be able to practice on healthy volunteers. In the beginning of the session, participants will be divided according to their level of experience.

We would encourage all physicians responsible for the training of gastroenterologists to give their junior fellows the opportunity to participate to this course, to make them (more) familiar with the abdominal ultrasound examination.
Friday, 6th March, 2020

Proctology is fun and hemorrhoids are especially fun... Therefore, the steering committee has chosen "Hemorrhoidal disease" as the central theme for the 2020 annual symposium.

Lots of patients suffer from – or think they suffer from – hemorrhoids. A lot of medical health practitioners also think hemorrhoids are the only anal pathology... And there are a bunch of therapies available, with or without an established evidence-base.

Danny De Looze (Gent) will explain what symptomatic hemorrhoidal disease really is. Laurent Siproudhis (Rennes, France) will critically appraise the latest interventional treatments. Heiko De Schepper (Antwerp) and Dirk Vandeputte (Gent) will present the new Belgian guidelines on hemorrhoidal disease.

We end the symposium with a general proctological quiz: you will not only learn a lot, but you could also win a great prize!

We hope to see you all on Friday afternoon at the BWGE in Antwerp!
DINNER & PARTY

FELIX PAKHUIS

THURSDAY MARCH 5TH

VENUE:  Felix Pakhuis
         Godefridoskaai, 30 – 2000 Antwerp

Time:  7:30 pm  Aperitive
       8:30 pm  Award Ceremony
       8:45 pm  Dinner & Party

Bus transfers:  7:00 pm  Departure from the Hilton Hotel
                11:00 pm – 12:00 pm – 1:00 am  Departures from Felix Pakhuis

Registration:  35€ for registered participants
               80€ for an accompanying person

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BWGE GRANTS

The Belgian Week awards 3 basic or clinical research grants of 2.500€ to young researchers. The Belgian Week offers 4 travel grants of 750€ + free income for foreign researchers of whom an abstract has been accepted for oral presentation. Further information on these grants and the application modalities can be found on the website.

ACTA Gastroenterologica awards a grant of 500 € to the best 2019 publication.

AWARDS

• BASL session: 2 awards (1 in Basic Research and 1 in Clinical Research) for the best oral presentation, awarded on Thursday afternoon.
• BGDO, BIRD and BeSPGHAN will all grant 1 award.
• Working Group of Digestive Pathology best oral presentation and best poster awarded on Friday afternoon.
• BWGE Best Poster Award: 2 awards (1 in Basic Research and 1 in Clinical Research).
• BWGE Best Case Report Award.

The awards will be handed over during the Thursday evening dinner or during the respective sessions!

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

An overview of the presentations of the different sessions is available on the website via an interactive program tool. The program allows you to access the abstracts that have been accepted for presentation.

Abstracts accepted for presentation (oral/poster) at the 32nd Belgian Week of Gastroenterology will be published in Acta Gastroenterologica Belgica (AGEB 2020, fasc1).

CASE REPORT SESSION

Two interactive case report sessions will be organised on Thursday and Friday morning, offering the opportunity to present and discuss rare cases.

E-POSTER SESSIONS

Selected posters will be exposed electronically on several screens in the exhibition area. The best posters will be presented and discussed during specific oral poster sessions as indicated in the program. Two Best Poster Awards of 250€ will be offered during the the Award Ceremony.

ACCREDITATION

CME credits will be provided by online submission to the registered delegates who have attended the sessions. The file from the online accreditation registrations will be sent to the INAMI/ RIZIV end of April 2020.