

ENYGO Newsletter 6/2015



Dear colleagues,

Before summer time we want to share with you the latest news and insight of ENYGO.

Past ENYGO workshops

Different types of workshops have been organized by ENYGO since the last newsletter. We also introduced a new system of evaluation aiming to obtain accurate feed back, in order to improve future activities.

- *Abdominal Procedures in Gynecologic Oncology - Cadaveric workshop, Graz Austria,*

The workshop, organized by dr. Rene Laky and prof Tamussino, was held in the Anatomy department of Graz medical university on the 30th-31st of January 2015. 25 participants, from 13 different countries, arrived in Austria to attend the workshop. Well-known professors presented different lectures to refresh the attendee's anatomical knowledge and the steps of the major gynecological oncological procedure. During the practical training on cadavers, all the participants were divided in small groups. Each group had a mentor, who guided the participants and corrected their surgical technique. On the 2nd day there was a practical demonstration by prof. Andreas du Bois who rotated in all the groups to show directly his technique, focusing mainly on his way to perform liver resection.



- *Colposcopy and Lower Genital Tract Disorders Workshop, Istanbul, Turkey*



The workshop organised by dr. Polat Dursun and prof. Vesna Kesic in cooperation with Turkish Society for Gynecologic Oncology and Turkish Society for Cervical Pathology and Colposcopy, was held in Istanbul on the 13th-14th of March 2015. 25 participants, from 15 countries, attended for a comprehensive workshop including theoretical lecture and presentations of colposcopy pictures showing the major cervical and vulvar conditions

- *2nd Medical Writing Workshop, Valencia, Spain*

After the successful first medical writing workshop, we decided to re-organize a new edition of this important workshop, which was held in Valencia on 12th -13th of June. Prof. Christina Fotopoulou, prof. Sean Kehoe and Cristina Zoreno illustrated the main skills required to prepare a scientific paper. They also shared with the 24 colleagues, the main stratagems



for preparing an interesting poster/oral presentation. During the workshop, we organized a group working section ending in a simulation of a conference, in which all the attendee had the opportunity to present their works.

Future ENYGO Courses and Workshops

- *19th ESGO meeting*, Nice, France, 24-27 October 2015 <http://www.esgo2015.esgo.org/>
During the meeting, different attractive events have been organized specifically for the young gynecological oncologists. Here are some of them: .

- **ENYGO Tree Planting ceremony** – the old ENYGO tradition, will take place on Sunday the 25th of October 2015.
- **ENYGO Networking Party** will take place on Sunday the 25th of October 2015
- **Young investigators session**, will hold on Monday the 26th of October 2015 at 11:00-12:30. In which, all the best ENYGO abstracts submitted for the conference, will be showed.
- **Introduction in Immunohistochemistry in Gynecologic Pathology/Oncology** will led by prof. Jamie Prat, It will be the first ENYGO teaching session during the conference on Monday, the 26th of October at 16:00-17:00
- Traditional **ENYGO Quiz** has been prepared to warm up the atmosphere before the Fellows workshop.
- For the end of the conference we prepared the **Fellows workshop «Tips and Tricks in Pelvic Laparoscopic Lymphadenectomy»**. 12 laparoscopic schools will demonstrate their surgical different approaches on laparoscopic pelvic lymphadenectomy and laparoscopic radical hysterectomy, using video presentations followed by discussions to enhance your surgical skills. The workshop will be on

- *Laparoscopic Surgery Course in Cadavers applied to Gynecological Oncology, Madrid, Spain, December 2015*

At the end of the year a practical workshop on advanced laparoscopic skills will be held at La Paz University Hospital in Madrid.

ENYGO projects

- *e-LOG book*

There is a proposal of a joint European electronic logbook, which should help to unify our training system in gynaecological oncology. Each trainee can compare the own education, training and progression with other international colleagues. In using this system there will be benefit also for the tutor, who can have a clear overview about the workload in different countries. The project was approved by ESGO council and is led by Michael Halaska.

- *LIFE (Literature For ENYGO) project*

The project has been led by Kristina Lindemann, Kamil Zalewski and Michael Halaska The aim of this project is to create regular literature updated overview, which will help the trainees to keep themselves inform on the most recent publications and trial in oncogynecology. Using ESGO textbook, oncogynecology has been divided into few main topics, each covered by dedicated ENYGO members. These topics will be reviewed every 6 month in terms of „what’s new“ and presented in a consisted format. We are hoping to have the first issue for the conference in Nice.

- *ENYGO surveys*

Soon our first clinical ENYGO survey on the Conservative management of endometrial cancer will be launched, and all of you will be invited to participate with your experience. Basing on the outcomes of the survey we are planning to prepare a new publication under the logo of ENYGO. The survey has been developed by Mariaclelia La Russa, Ignacio Zapardiel and Michael Halaska.

ENYGO elections

- *ENYGO National representative elections.*

As you probably recollect, right now, the National representatives election are in progress. The voting period is from the 1st of June till the 17th of July 2015. Please, participate with your online vote to influence your future.

- *ENYGO President and Vice-president elections and ENYGO Executive Group elections*

These elections will be held during the 19th ESGO meeting in Nice, France on Sunday, the 25th of October, 13:00-14:30. There will be 2 new EEG members elected among the new National Representatives.

Other news

- *ESGO council elections*

It is our joy to inform you that founder of ENYGO dr. Murat Gultekin has been elected for Vice-president of ESGO.

- *Voting rights for ENYGO*

After the last ESGO council meeting this year it has been decided that thanks to the number of ENYGO members and the work delivered by ENYGO, the president of ENYGO will have a right to participate in the decisions of ESGO council during all elections b aquiring a voting right.

- *ESGO networks, ENGOT and ENGAGE* joined forces to produce “*What is a Clinical Trial - a Guide for Patients and Families*”. This guide was released on 20 May 2015 on International Clinical Trials Day. To read the press release visit <http://tinyurl.com/ljk4thx> and to download the brochure visit <http://tinyurl.com/lhgow8o>. ENYGO members are welcome to translate and distribute the brochure through any possible channels. For more information please contact esgo.engage@gmail.com.

- *ESGO/ENYGO Membership Renewal*

The new online membership renewal process has been updated. The system automatically includes ESGO members during their application or membership renewal to ENYGO membership in case of the person is

- a) in training, irrespective of age OR
- b) anyone under the age of 40.

Please, contact us by mail: enygoeeg@gmail.com to give us feedback and suggestions for future directions

See You in Nice!

Sincerely yours
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