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# The **12<sup>th</sup>** **NATIONAL CONGRESS OF COLOPROCTOLOGY**

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**11<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> April 2024**  
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## Dear colleagues, dear friends



The Romanian Society of Coloproctology is celebrating this year its 14 years of existence. It has been a great journey that started in 2010 in Timisoara by a group of enthusiastic surgeons and gastroenterologist with the aim was to foster cooperation for the benefit of patients suffering from colorectal diseases. Our Society grew beautifully, related to the European Society of Coloproctology and organized successful Congresses on a yearly basis until the outbreak of COVID. After two difficult years and an OLNINE Congress organized in 2020 mainly to give hope to its members and close

the ranks together, the first post-COVID Congress was held in Bucharest as a hybrid meeting. This year the Society comes back to Cluj-Napoca where it organizes its XIIth Congress with in-person only attendance and with a rich program that aims to satisfy the most exigent requirements.

More that in any previous meeting, the message of this Congress is multidisciplinary and cooperation. There are six surgical-gastroenterological joint meetings in which the common subjects are discussed and debated in interactive sessions under the supervision of experienced chairmen and panelists. The topics covered during the sessions are interesting, sometimes hotly debated, with deep roots in the clinical practice, covering wide areas of our practice and involving a plethora of specialities. We have invited to come on stage with us not just surgeons and gastroenterologists but also anesthesiologists, radiologists, oncologists, radiotherapists, geneticists, pathologists, nurses, psychologists and representatives of the patients' organisations because, just like our specialities, medicine is multifaceted and deeply interconnected.

The Society's Congress is a celebration of our profession and we invited the very best to take part. We have the honour to summon together more that 65 national speakers, among the best professionals in the country, that will present their experience in invited lectures, stat-of-the-art presentations, key-note lectures and video vignettes. Furthermore, other 13 well known international experts will present state-of-the-art lectures and invited presentations on selected topics in a carrousel of informations to convince you that the time invested in this meeting was well spent.

The third day of the Congress is reserved to hands-on training courses and masterclasses. Benefiting from the state-of-the-art educational facilities offered by the University of Medicine and Pharmacy "Iuliu Hatieganu" Cluj-Napoca, our honourable partner, and with the support of renowned tutors and trainers, the participants will have the opportunity to perform by themselves the procedures seen or discussed about at the Congress.

Last but not least, the location of the Congress, in the middle of the city and within an integrated hotel and Conference room facility together with the mild climate from mid-April, the nice surprises prepared at the Opening Ceremony and the elegant Presidential Dinner should contribute to the success of this meeting.

Dear colleagues and friends, I am warmly proposing you to come together and celebrate with us at this Congress of Coloproctology, of multidisciplinary, of cooperation, of friendship, of multiculturality.

Come to Coloproctology!

Come to Cluj-Napoca!

Yours sincerely,

Assoc. Prof. Dr. Vasile Bințișan



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**PROGRAM**  
**National Congress of Coloproctology**  
**Cluj-Napoca, 2024**

**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

**Atena Hall**

**Viena Hall**

**Introduction and welcome 8.00-8.15**

**8.15 – 8.50 Free papers session**

**CHAIR: Mihai Ciocirlan, Voicu Rednic, Cătălin Sfarti**

Endoscopic resection of large colorectal polyps- a retrospective study

*Rares Orzan, Cristina Pojoga, Voicu Rednic, Geza Molnar, Nadim AlHajjar, Andrada Seicean.*

Ischemic colitis- the outcome in a tertiary medical center

*Irina Dragomir, Cristina Pojoga, Voicu Rednic, Geza Molnar, Nadim AlHajjar, Andrada Seicean.*

The frequency of colorectal cancer as cause of retoragia - a single center experience

*Laura Huiban, Carol Stanciu, Cristina Maria Muzîca, Tudor Cuciureanu, Oana Petrea, Ștefan Chiriac, Ana Maria Sîngeap, Irina Gîrleanu, Raluca Avram, Ioana Damian, Sebastian Zenovia, Camelia Cojocariu, Cătălin Sfarti, Anca Trifan.*

Therapy experiences among patients with inflammatory bowel disease-related iron deficiency anemia - a real life study

*Ștefan Chiriac, Laura Huiban, Carol Stanciu, Cristina Maria Muzîca, Tudor Cuciureanu, Oana Petrea, Ana Maria Sîngeap, Irina Gîrleanu, Raluca Avram, Ioana Damian, Sebastian Zenovia, Remus Stafie, Adrian Rotaru, Camelia Cojocariu, Cătălin Sfarti, Anca Trifan.*

**9.00 – 11.00. Colorectal polyps**

**CHAIR: Marcel Tanțău, Gabriel Becheanu, Dan Cristian**

**Round table: Endoscopic and surgical treatment of colorectal polyps**

**9.00-9.15 The difficult polypectomy**

*Cristian Nedelcu*

**8.15 – 9.00 The young coloproctologist session**

**CHAIR: Florin Graur, Cristian Blajut, Ionuț Negoi**

***Interactive case presentation.***

Navigating Complexity: Insights into middle rectal cancer with liver metastasis

***Young ARCE initiative group:*** *Alina Ioana Năstase-Puşcaşu, Clarisa Bîrlog, Draga Mandi, Flaviu Faur, Horea Boçşe, Nicoleta Leopa, Octavian Enciu, Cătălin Pîrîianu, Ruxandra Marian, Sandu Aprodu, Silviu Makkai, Ștefan Paيتici*

**Free papers**

Local recurrence after curative resection in patients with colon cancer

*Raluca Zaharia, Gabriel Dimofte*

The influence of wound infiltration on postoperative pain reflected by interleukin levels in open colorectal surgery: a randomized comparative pilot study.

*Apostu Raluca Cristina, Cocu Simona, Leahu Crina, Boldiș Alexandra, Ștefănescu Elena, Scurtu Răzvan*

**9.00 – 11.00 Improving surgical outcomes in colorectal cancer**

**CHAIR: Cătălin Copăescu, Viorel Scripcariu, Răzvan Popescu**

**9.00-9.15 Complete excision of the mesocolon for colonic cancer**

*Kenneth Campbell*

9.15-9.30 New insights in endoscopic dissection of premalignant rectocolonic lesions

*Mihai Ciocirlan*

9.30-9.45 Endoscopic management of postoperative anastomotic site hemorrhage in colorectal surgery

*Florin Turcu*

9.45-10.00 Quality criteria for polypectomy. The Pathologist talks

*Gabriel Becheanu*

10.00-10.15 Surgical resection of complex colonic polyps

*Radu Seicean, Vasile Bințișan*

**Face to face. Local excision for rectal polyps and early rectal cancer. Endoscopic submucosa dissection vs surgical trans-anal excision**

10.15-10.30 Endoscopic submucosal dissection

*Marcel Tanțău*

10.30-10.45 Transanal endoscopic surgical resection

*Vasile Bințișan*

**Free papers:**

Optimizing resource allocation: the imperative of adequate funding for minimally invasive surgical innovation in colorectal cancer management.

*Ionuț Negoï, Mircea Beuran, Claudiu Turculeț, Victor Tomulescu, Gabriel Constantinescu, Traian Pătrașcu*

9.15-9.30 Standardization of ELAPE for abdominoperineal resection of the rectum

*Viorel Scripcariu*

9.30-9.45 Complications of minimally invasive colorectal surgery

*Emre Balik*

9.45-10.00 Multivisceral resection for rectal cancer

*Erman Aytac*

10.00-10.15 Miocutaneous flaps for pelvic and perineal reconstruction after extensive resection of advanced rectal cancer

*Valentin Muntean*

10.15-10.30 Transanal approach in the surgery of rectal tumors: an experience of 600 cases

*G. Bathori, A. Gyorgy, L. Barabas, A. Zarand*

**Free papers:**

Transanal total mesorectal excision (TaTME) – single center, single team initial experience.

*S Tudor, Monica Lăcătuș, D. Gavrilă, Simona Manciu, Corina Minciună, A. Tonea, A. Diaconescu, C. Andras, O. Bitere, Cătălin Vasilescu*

Anastomosis leak in right colectomy: a comparative analysis of mechanical staplers versus hand-sewn techniques.

*Bogdan Baboi, G Dimofte*

Vascular resection for colorectal cancer.

*Radu Zamfir, L. David, Maria Șerban, Ioana Danciu, Al Agbari Khery, V. Brașoveanu*

11.00 - 11.30 Coffee break

11.00-11.15 Educational event with the support of **JOHNSON & JOHNSON**

New insights in IBD

*Cristian Gheorghe*

11.00 - 11.30 Coffee break

**11.30-13.30 MDT for management of colon cancer CHAIR: Eugen Dumitru, Vlad Herlea, Florin Grama**

11.30-11.45 A standardized approach for endoscopic diagnosis and preoperative workup in patients with colonic cancer

*Eugen Dumitru*

11.45-12.00 Imaging for staging of colonic cancer

*Diana Feier*

12.00-12.10 Preoperative prehabilitation of patients with colorectal cancer. The anesthesiologist's view.

*Cristina Petrișor*

12.10-12.20 Perioperative nutrition in patients with colorectal cancer. The gastroenterologist's approach

*Alina Tanțău*

12.20-12.35 Principles of oncologic surgery in colonic cancer

*Răzvan Popescu*

12.35-12.50 Chemotherapy in colonic cancer.

What is new in 2024

*Monica Hoge*

12.50-13.05 Pathologic evaluation of the resection specimens. The pathologist' role.

*Vlad Herlea*

Free papers.

Fundeni Clinical Institute – 11 years experience in open and minimally invasive surgical treatment of colonic tumors

*M. Eftimie, S. Manciu, B. Trandafir, E.M. Vrabie, O.M. Stănciulea, Cătălin Vasilescu*

13.30 – 14.00 State-of-the-art lecture.

Robotic surgery in colonic cancer

*Kenneth Campbell*

14.00 – 14.30 Lunch break

14.00-14.15 Educational event with the support of

**ALFASIGMA**

Low volume solution for an optimal bowel preparation

*Grad Simona*

14.00 – 14.30 Lunch break

**14.30 – 16.00 Rectal cancer**

**CHAIR: Cristian Gheorghe, Cătălin Vasilescu, Călin Cainap**

**ROUND TABLE.** Multidisciplinary management of rectal cancer

14.30-14.45 Endoscopy and EUS for assesment of rectal cancer

*Adrian Săftoiu*

14.45-14.55 Radiotherapy for rectal cancer, update 2024

*Claudiu Hopirtean*

14.55-15.10 MRI assessment of rectal cancer before and after RT

*Ferdinand Bauer*

15.10-15.20 Hibrid imaging in rectal cancer

*Doina Piciu*

15.20-15.35 Watch and wait in rectal cancer.

Between strong believes and strong evidences

*Gabriel Dimofte*

15.35-15.50 Rectum cancer surgery at Fundeni Clinical Institute. An institutional perspective  
*Cătălin Vasilescu*

16.00 – 16.20 State of the art lecture

Intersphincteric resection for rectal cancer: debates and consensus in 2024.

*Seon-Hahn KIM*

16.20 – 16.40 State of the art lecture

Organ preservation after chemo-radiation therapy in rectal cancer

*Hans de Wilt - ONLINE*

16.45 – 17.15 Coffee break

16.45-17.00 Educational event with the support of **TAKEDA**

Filling the gap in CPAF

*George Pariza*

16.45 – 17.15 Coffee break

**17.15 - 18.45 Multidisciplinary treatment of metastatic colorectal cancer**

**CHAIR: Irinel Popescu, Nadim Al-Hajjar, Zeno Spârchez**

17.15-17.45 *Key-note lecture.* Treatment of hepatic colorectal metastases. When is liver-first approach indicated? Is there a place for liver transplantation?

*Irinel Popescu*

17.45-18.00 Chemotherapy for metastatic colorectal cancer

*Călin Cainap*

18.00-18.15 Percutaneous ablation of colorectal cancer liver metastases

*Zeno Spârchez*

18.15-18.30 Surgical resection of hepatic colorectal metastases

*Florin Botea*

18.30-18.45 Complete citoreduction and HIPEC for peritoneal metastatic colorectal cancer

*Adrian Bartos*

**17.15 – 18.45 Stoma care in 2024**

**CHAIR: Valeriu Surlin, Radu Seicean, Romeo Chira**

17.15-17.25 How to present to patients the need for stoma

*Cristina Pojoga*

17.25-17.35 The Romanian National Stoma Care Program. Update 2024

*Elena Cosma*

17.35-17.45 The challenges of stoma care

*Geta Păsărin*

17.45-17.55 Morbidity of protective ileostomy. An analysis of 50 consecutive cases

*Vlad Făgărășan, Tamas Rusz, Vasile Bințișan*

17.55-18.05 Is it possible to avoid the need for protective ileostomy after low anterior resection of the rectum?

*Florin Grama*

18.05-18.15 Endoscopic ultrasound guided assessment and treatment of pelvic collections in patients with diverting stomas after low rectal resection

*Romeo Chira*

18.15-18.25 Reversal after Hartman procedure. Challenges, obstacles, results.

*Valeriu Surlin*

18.25-18.35 Surgical management of parastomal hernia

*Mircea Lica*

**Free papers**

Laparoscopic Hartmann's reversal: Fundeni Clinical Institute experience

*Andrei Diaconescu, Daniel Gavrilă, Corina-Elena Minciuna, Stefan Tudor, Monica Lăcătuș, Aurel Tonea, Cătălin Vasilescu*

### **19.00 – 20.00 Opening Ceremony**

- Message from the President of the Romanian Society of Coloproctology – *Prof. Dr. Cristian Gheorghe*
- Message from the President of Congress – *Assoc. Prof. Dr. Vasile Bințișan*
- Message from the Rector of the University of Medicine and Pharmacy “Iuliu Hațieganu” Cluj-Napoca – *Prof. Dr. Anca Buzoianu*
- Message from the Italian Unitarian Society of Coloproctology - *President Prof. Dr. Pasquale Talento*
- Message from the European Society of Coloproctology - *Prof. Dr. Erman Aytac*, Vice-President of the Research Committee of ESCP

**Special Guest Lecture:** ESCP research programmes in coloproctology - *Prof. Dr. Erman Aytac*

**20.00 – 21.30 Welcome cocktail (Restaurant Grand Hotel Napoca access is only based on the badge)**

## Atena Hall

**8.00 - 09.00 Endoscopy video session**

**CHAIR: Marcel Tanțău, Adrian Săftoiu, Mihai Ciocirlan, Bogdan Mateescu**

Postpolypectomy bleeding - Always look over your shoulder

*Ștefan Chiriac, Robert Năstase, Anca Trifan, Cătălin Sfarti*

A case series of underwater EMR

*Adrian Ionut Saizu, Roxana Elena Saizu, Cristian Gheorghe*

Find the spurter - endoscopic management of diverticular bleeding

*Andreea Bota, Daniela Dumitrașcu, Elena Mirela Ionescu, Adrian Săftoiu, Cristian George Tieranu*

Crohn's disease postoperative perianastomotic leakage successfully treated with infliximab and antibiotics.

*Adelina Musa, Mihai Musa, Andrei Ovidiu Olteanu, Adrian Săftoiu, Cristian George Tieranu*

Immunotherapy colonic complication for melanoma treatment

*Raluca Jeler, Rares Orzan, Călin Cainap, Cristina Pojoga, Andrada Seicean.*

Colonic tumor presented as intragastric fistulized abscess

*Laura Baraian, Voicu Rednic, Andrada Seicean, Cristina Pojoga.*

**09.00 - 11.00 Round Table - Emergencies in coloproctology.**

**CHAIR: Anca Trifan, Cristian Gheorghe, Adrian Goldiș, Florin Iordache**

09.00-09.15 Management of acute lower gastrointestinal bleeding. Guidelines in clinical practice  
*Cristian Gheorghe*

09.15-09.30 Ischemic colitis: Diagnosis and management

*Dan Gheonea*

09.30-09.45 Pseudomembranous colitis. Update on diagnostic and treatment  
*Cătălin Sfarti*

## Viena Hall

**8.00 - 09.00 Video session - learning from the experts. Step-by-step demonstration of surgical technique.**

**PANEL: Valentin Calu, Florin Zaharie, Adrian Miron**

08.00-08.15 Laparoscopic right hemicolectomy  
*Florin Gaur*

08.15-08.30 Laparoscopic left hemicolectomy  
*Calu Valentin*

08.30-08.45 Anterior resection of the rectum  
*Florin Zaharie*

**Free papers.** Video vignette

08.45-08.52 Total mesorectal excision in rectal cancer

*Ovidiu Budisca*

08.52-09.00 Difficult laparoscopic colectomy in chronic stenosing diverticulitis

*Valeriu Surlin*

**9.00 - 11.00 Genetics in colorectal cancer**

**CHAIR: Adrian Trifa, Liana Gheorghe, Andrei Ungureanu**

09.00-09.15 An overview of genetic testing for colorectal cancer

*Adrian Trifa*

09.15-09.30 Which patients should be gene tested for colorectal cancer?

*Andreea Catana*

09.30-09.45 Surgical treatment of familial adenomatous polyposis

*Traian Dumitrașcu*

09.45-10.00 Surgical management of colorectal cancer in Lynch syndrome

*Oana Stănciulea, Iulian Mosteanu, Irinel Popescu*

10.00-10.15 The influence of genetics on response to chemotherapy

*Andrei Ungureanu*

**Debate: Management of acute diverticulitis**

09.45-10.00 Conservative management, *Anca Trifan*

10.00-10.15 Surgical treatment, *Florin Iordache*

**Debate: Management of ulcerative colitis in emergency setting**

10.15-10.30 Medical treatment. *Adrian Goldiș*

10.30-10.45 Surgical treatment. *Traian Dumitrașcu*

**Free papers.**

Management of obstructive left colorectal cancer.

*Marius Bica, Valeriu Surlin*

10.15-10.30 Romanian Society for Lynch Syndrome: up-to-date

*Oana Voinea*

**10.30-10.50 Round table:** Management and genetic counselling of young patients with colorectal cancer

**PANEL:** *Adrian Trifan, Andreea Catana, Andrei Ungureanu, Oana Voinea*

**Free papers.**

The role of inflammatory markers in the

evolution of colorectal cancer, *Ovidiu Budisca*

**11.00-11.30 Coffee break**

11.00-11.15 Educational event with the support of **ABBVIE**

Rinvoq - Designed to reach ambitious goals in IBD, *Cristian Gheorghe*

**11.00-11.30 Coffee break**

11.00-11.15 Educational event with the support of **ROMBIOMEDICA**

Performance through innovation in technology, *George Mija*

**11.30 – 11.50 State of the art lecture**

Surgical treatment of pelvic organ prolapse

*Pasquale Talento*

**12.00 -13.30 Pelvic motility disorders. Joint session with the Italian Society of Coloproctology.**

**CHAIR:** *Vasile Drug, Teodora Surdea Blaga, Florin Grama*

12.00-12.15 Anorectal manometry for incontinence and dyssynergia

*Roxana Saizu*

12.15-12.30 The balloon expulsion test: indications, usefulness

*Teodora Surdea Blaga*

12.30-12.45 MRI defecography for anorectal motility disorders

*Dana Georgescu*

12.45-13.00 Biofeedback for anorectal motility disorders

*Anca Dimitriu*

13.00-13.15 Sacral neuromodulation and LARS syndrome

*Luigi Bruscianno*

13.15-13.30 Surgical treatment of rectovaginal fistula

*Andrea Braini*

**12.00 – 13.30 Education in coloproctology and interventional endoscopy**

**CHAIR:** *Victor Tomulescu, Marcel Tanțău, Adrian Săftoiu*

12.00-12.15 European Society of Coloproctology Educational Programs

*Erman Aytac*

12.15-12.35 *How to become Fellow of the European Board of Surgery. The ESCP's European Board of Surgical Qualification (EBSQ) examination - ONLINE*

*David Zimmerman*

12.35-12.50 The status of minimally invasive colorectal surgery in Romania – LAPCO Romanian chapter

*Victor Tomulescu, Dan Ulmeanu, Valentin Calu, Valeriu Surlin*

12.50-13.00 An audit of LAPCO programme in the participating centers. The LAPCO romanian Audit Task Force

*Vasile Bințișan*

13.00-13.15 ESGE Guidelines for endoscopic dissection

*Marcel Tanțău*

**Free papers:**

1. How LAPCO changed the surgical approach in our department. The Craiova experience.

*Marius Bica, Valeriu Surlin*

## 13.30 – 14.40 Lunch break

### 13.30 – 14.40 General Assembly of the Romanian Society of Coloproctology

#### 14.40 – 15.00 State of the art lecture.

Topics in inflammatory bowel disease surgery

*Ales Tomazic*

#### 15.00 – 16.30 Inflammatory Bowel Disease

**CHAIR:** Liana Gheorghe, Oana Stănciulea, Traian Dumitrașcu, Dan Gheonea

15.00-15.20 *Key-note-lecture.* Top 10 recent articles that every IBD gastroenterologist & surgeon should know  
*Liana Gheorghe*

15.20-15.35 *State-of-the-art presentation* Anal fistula in Crohn's disease. Sharing insights and best practices

*Michele Carvello* – (ONLINE)

15.35-15.45 The use of ultrasound for diagnosis and monitoring of inflammatory bowel disease:  
*Anda Leș*

15.45-15.55 Up-to-date on endoscopic dilatation of stenoses in Crohn' Disease  
*Cristian Gheorghe*

15.55-16.05 Diagnosis and endoscopic treatment of dysplasia in inflammatory bowel disease  
*Bogdan Mateescu*

16.05-16.20 Surgical management of Crohn's disease - how can we get better results.

*Oana Stănciulea, Iulian Mosteanu, Irinel Popescu*

16.20-16.25 The role of IBD patients' association  
*Isabela Grosu*

#### 15.00 – 16.30. Educational session in proctology

**CHAIR:** Cosmin Puia, Zeno Spârchez, Florin Grama

#### 15.00-15.20 State-of-the-art presentation.

*Cryptoglandular Fistula Updates*

*David Zimmerman* – (ONLINE)

15.20-15.35 Ultrasound for evaluation of perianal fistulas

*Zeno Spârchez*

15.35-15.45 Sphincter saving treatment of perianal fistula

*George Dindelegan*

#### 15.45-16.05 State-of-the-art presentation.

Anal US and puborectalis repair

*Frederic Ris* – (ONLINE)

16.05-16.15 OASIS/Traumatic sphincter injuries repair

*Andrei Chitul*

16.15-16.25 Surgical treatment of complex uro-genito-rectal fistulas

*Florin Grama*

#### 16.30 – 17.00 Coffee break

16.30-16.45 Educational event with the support of **LILLY**

What is the role of histological remission in Ulcerative Colitis?

*Cristian Gheorghe*

#### 17.00-19.00 Surgery for rectal cancer

**CHAIR:** Cătălin Copăescu, Cătălin Vasilescu, Ciprian Duta

17.00-17.15 *Key-note-lecture.* Robotic TME  
Emre Balik

17.15-17.35 *State-of-the-art lecture.* Lateral pelvic lymph node dissection in subperitoneal rectal cancer- why, when and how?

*Seon-Hahn KIM*

#### 17.00-19.00 Educational video-session in proctology

**CHAIR:** Valeriu Surlin, George Dindelegan

17.00-17.07 Sphincterotomy for anal fissure

*Emilica Ciofic, Ștefan Cinciu*

17.07-17.14 D'Hoore ventral mesh rectopexy

*Bogdan Dumbrava, Florin Grama*

17.14-17.21 Milligan Morgan haemorrhoidectomy & Rubber Band Ligation

*Petronel Mustatea*

**17.35-18.20 Round table:** How to perform the low anterior resection for cancer open, laparoscopic or robotic?

**CHAIR:** Cătălin Copeescu

**PANEL:** Viorel Scripcariu, Victor Tomulescu, Florin Grama, Valentin Munteanu

- Open approach – *Viorel Scripcariu*
- Laparoscopic approach – *Dan Cristian*
- Robotic approach – *Ciprian Duță*

### Free papers

Topographic anatomy in MRI examination of the rectum and anal canal

*Valentin Muntean*

Transanal rectal surgery - initial experience

*Cristi Tarta, Amadeus Dobrescu, Isaac Alexandru, Marco Marian, Aliteea Zavoianu, Ciprian Duță*

Robotic versus open colorectal surgery: an audit on quality of resection

*Ștefan Morarasu, Elena Florina Paiu-Spiridon, Cristian Livadaru, Ștefan Iacob, Wee Liam Ong, Bogdan Baboi, Bogdan Condurache, Raluca Zaharia, Ana Maria Musina, Cristian Ene Roata, Sorinel Lunca, Viorel Scripcariu, Emilio Morpurgo, Gabriel Mihail Dimofte*

**17.21-17.28** Ferguson haemorrhoidectomy  
*Stanculea Floris*

**17.28-17.35** Stapled haemorrhoidopexy  
*Eduard Giuvara, Daniel Cristian*

**17.35-17.42** Radio frequency ablation of haemorrhoids  
*Valeriu Surlin*

**17.42-17.49** HAL RAR procedure  
*George Pariza*

**17.49-17.56** Flaps in pylonidal disease  
*Claudiu Ungureanu*

**17.56-18.03** LIFT procedure  
*George Pariza*

**18.03-18.10** Gracilis muscle interposition for rectovesical fistula  
*Andrei Chitul, Florin Grama*

### Free papers

Incidence of anterior rectal resection ( LARS) and genital dysfunction after low abdomino-perineal and anterior resection- a retrospective study

*C. Osman, F. AlShatarat, Ș. Morărașu, B. Băboi, R. Zaharia, W.L. Ong, K. Rouet, V. Zois, B.M. Condurache, A.A. Ivanov, Ș. Iacob, C.E. Roată, A.M. Mușină, S. Luncă, G.M. Dimofte*

Safety and efficacy of laparoscopic colorectal resections by general surgeons with advanced laparoscopic skills in resource-limited settings  
*Al Aloul A, Diaconu V, Kover Z, Ulmeanu D*

Is there a correlation between Clostridium difficile infection (CDI) and Anastomotic Leakage in Colorectal Cancer (CRC) patients who have undergone colectomy?

*Wee Liam Ong, Baboi Bogdan, Iacob Stefan, Zaharia Raluca, Huluta Alexandra, Roxana Bargaoanu, Rouet Kevin, Vasileous Zios, Dr. Roata Cristian, Musina Ana-Maria, Velenciuc Natalia, Pruna Romulus Mihăiță, Morărașu Ștefan, Lunca Sorinel, Dimofte Mihail-Gabriel*

## 20.00 President Dinner

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### **Romanian ESD Task-Force Hands-on training**

**Director:** Marcel Tanțău

**9.00 – 13.00 o'clock**

**Location:** Centrul de Abilități Practice al UMF Cluj-Napoca, Str. Marinescu nr 23

**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

## **Post-congress courses**

### **Course 1. Masterclass in transanal endoscopic resection**

**Directors:** *Vasile Bintintan, Cosmin Puia, Valeriu Surlin*

**Collaborators:** *Vlad Făgărășan, Raluca Apostu*

**Location:** Centrul de Abilități Practice al UMF Cluj-Napoca, Str. Marinescu nr 23

### **PROGRAM**

*9.00-9.15.00 Welcome message*

#### **9.15 – 12.00 Theoretical presentations**

- The concept of TEO/TEM surgery
- Indications for TEO/TEM
- Selection of patients
- Preoperative preparations
- Intraoperative set-up, positioning of the patient
- Technique full-thickness / submucosal resection
- Closure of the rectal wall
- Postoperative outcome
- Interpretation of the pathological report
- Salvage radical surgery
- Discussions

12.00-12.30 Coffee break

#### **12.30 – 16.30 Hands-on session on dry-lab lab**

- Set-up of the proctoscope
- Manipulation of instruments
- Identification of the target lesion, defining the resection margins
- Resection of the target lesion
- Removal of the specimen. Fixation of the specimen for pathology
- Suturing of the rectal wall defect

**16.30 – 16.45 Final evaluation**

**16.45 – 17.00 Closing remarks**

*\* Description. The participants will be offered an immersion in the field of surgical transanal endoscopic resection of rectal tumors. There will be theory presentations, presentations of patients with cases with rectal adenomas/ adenocarcinomas operated with interactive discussions as well as a hands-on session working on specific dry-lab models in which the participants will exercise the techniques of resection and suturing.*

## Course 2. Safety of colorectal anastomoses. A review of open and laparoscopic techniques

**Directors:** Radu Seicean, Florin Zaharie, Valentin Calu, Răzvan Popescu, Bogdan Diaconescu, Vasile. Bințișan

**Collaborators:** David Andras, Călin Popa, Ciprian Cucoreanu, Cătălin Ciuce, Vasile Mois, Diana Schlager, Alexandru Ene

**Location:** Centrul de Abilități Practice al UMF Cluj Napoca, Str. Marinescu nr 23

### PROGRAM

9.00-9.15 Welcome message

#### 9.15 – 11.00 Theoretical presentations

- General principles for performing a safe anastomosis.
- How to improve safety: ICG, lateral anastomosis.
- Anastomotic techniques – theoretical presentation of the technique.  
Will be covered hand-sutured/stapled and open/laparoscopic intracorporeal
  - o Ileocolic anastomosis
  - o Colo-colic anastomosis
  - o Colorectal anastomosis

11.00 – 11.30 Coffee-break

**11.30 – 16.45 Hands-on sessions** - wet-lab exercises to perform ileocolic, colo-colic and colorectal anastomosis on appropriate ex-vivo organs (small/large bowel segments)

16.30 – 16.45 Final evaluation

16.45 – 17.00 Closing remarks

*\* Description: The participants will be offered an overview of the various anastomotic techniques used in colorectal surgery and will practice them in a wet-lab setting on appropriate animal organs. A variety of hand-sutured and stapled, open and laparoscopic anastomotic techniques will be demonstrated and exercised.*

### **Course 3 Endoscopic Polypectomy hands-on course (THERE ARE NO MORE PLACES AVAILABLE)**

**Directors:** *Cristian Gheorghe, Andrada Seicean*

**Nurses:** *Costin Mangaru, Daciana Jucan, Daniela Dan, Renata Simon*

**Location:** Centrul de Abilități Practice al UMF Cluj-Napoca, str. Marinescu nr 23

#### **PROGRAM**

**8.15-13.00**

#### **8.15-8.30 Registration**

- 8.35-8.40 Introductory remarks, *Cristian Gheorghe, Andrada Seicean*
- 8.40- 9.00 Presentation of new endoscopic equipment for polypectomy, *Dragoș Aldea*
- 9.00-9.15 Definition, classification of polyps, *Eugen Dumitru*
- 9.15-9.30 Chromoendoscopy standard and virtual, *Simona Grad*
- 9.15-9.30 Tips and tricks for choosing the correct colonic polyp resection, *Andrada Seicean*
- 9.30-9.45 Quality of polypectomy, *Cristian Gheorghe*
- 9.45-10.00 Anticoagulants, antiagregants and polyp resection, *Vasile Drug, Radu Vulpoi*
- 10.00-10.15 Setting the electrocautery in polypectomy, *Voicu Rednic*
- 10.15-10.30 Postpolypectomy colonoscopic surveillance, *Cristina Pojoga*
- 10.30-13.00 Hands-on training
- 13.00-13.05 Closing remarks, *Andrada Seicean*

### **Course 4. Ano-rectal manometry Hands-on course on Anorectal Manometry**

**Directors:** *Teodora Surdea Blaga, Anca Dimitriu, Roxana Saizu*

**Location:** Regional Institute of Gastroenterology and Hepatology, str Croitorilor 19-21

#### **PROGRAM**

**8.30-8.45 Participants welcome and registration**

- 8.45-8.50 Session opening: *Teodora Surdea Blaga, Anca Dimitriu, Roxana Saizu*
- 8.50-9.10 The anatomy and physiology of defecation and continence, *Roxana Saizu*
- 9.10-9.45 Diagnostic tests in incontinence and constipation (indications, utility), *Anca Dimitriu*
- 9.45-10.15 High-resolution anorectal manometry, *Teodora Blaga*

**10.15–10.30 Coffee break**

- 10.30-10.40 Patient 1 history and medical record evaluation with previous investigations
- 10.40–10.55 Digital rectal examination (DRE) + intrarectal balloon expulsion test
- 10.55-11.25 Conducting the investigation
- 11.25-11.45 Manometric recording analysis and interpretation of results
- 11.45-11.55 Patient 2 history and medical record evaluation with previous investigations
- 11.55-12.10 Digital rectal examination (DRE) + intrarectal balloon expulsion test
- 12.10-12.40 Conducting the investigation
- 12.40-13.00 Manometric recording analysis and interpretation of results
- 13.00-13.05 – Closing remarks

**Course 5. Hands-on course in ultrasound of the digestive tract. Intestinal ultrasound: an excellent diagnostic tool for coloproctologists.**

**Directors:** *Zeno Spârchez, Adrian Săftoiu, Romeo Chira*

**Collaborators:** *Claudia Hagiu, Anda Leș, Nicolae Rednic, Cristi Tieranu*

**Location:** Institutul Regional de Gastroenterologie și Hepatologie, sala Oliviu Pascu, Cluj-Napoca, strada Croitorilor nr. 19-21

**Aims:**

1. to accommodate with the transducers and settings of US systems for intestinal US
2. to get familiar with the transabdominal ultrasound examination techniques of the intestinal wall
3. To recognise the main abnormalities of the intestinal wall
4. To learn the examination technique of the anus and the perianal region
5. to learn the main indications of US guided interventional procedures

**PROGRAM**

08.30-08.40 Introduction; Defining the aims of the course, *Adrian Săftoiu*

08:40-09:00 US of the intestinal wall. Technical aspects (transducers, settings, US techniques).  
Normal aspects and main abnormalities, *Claudia Hagiu*

09:00-09.20 Tumours of the small and large intestine. Any role for abdominal US? *Romeo Chira*

09.20-09.40 Diagnosis of acute intestinal conditions (appendicitis, diverticulitis, bowel obstruction, postoperative aspects). Can we rely on US(CEUS)?– tba, *Zeno Spârchez*

09:40-10:00 Coffee break

10:00-10:20 Intestinal ultrasound in inflammatory bowel disease. Additional role of CEUS and elastography, *Anda Leș*

10:20-10:40 Rectal tumors: diagnostic and staging using transrectal US, *Nicolae Rednic*

10:40-11:00 Role of transperineal and transrectal ultrasound in anal and perianal conditions,  
*Adrian Săftoiu*

11:00-11:20 Interventional US for in colic and rectal pathology (biopsy of the intestinal and perintestinal lesions, drainages of pericolic collections), *Zeno Spârchez*

11:30-13:30 Practical activity

13:30-13:35 Closing remarks. *Zeno Spârchez*

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