

Registration

Registration Fees:

Radiologists, Physicians

ESGAR Members € 300.00

Non Members € 380.00

Radiologists in Training (Residents)

ESGAR Members € 180.00

Non Members € 200.00

Radiographers € 200.00

Please note:

The advanced course on Saturday, February 11, 2012 may also be booked as an add-on day in combination with the ESGAR CTC Hands-on workshop scheduled to take place from February 9 – 10. If booked in combination, a reduced registration fee applies for the advanced course. Further information is available on the ESGAR website.

Registration fee includes:

- access to lectures and hands-on training
- final programme/syllabus
- coffee breaks
- lunch with the experts
- certificate of attendance

Deadline / Cancellation policies:

Registrations must be received by the Central ESGAR Office by December 1, 2011. In case the minimum number of participants has not been reached by this time, the organiser reserves the right to cancel the workshop. In case the workshop is cancelled by the organiser registration fees will be refunded in full.

Workshop organisers

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Workshop venue

Congress Centre "Roma Eventi"

Via Alibert, 5, IT – 00187 Rome / ITALY

Conference language

The meeting will be held in English.

Accommodation

Please visit the ESGAR website www.esgar.org for further information.



2012

CT-COLONOGRAPHY HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

ESGAR CT-Colonography Workshop (CTC)

1st Advanced course

February 11, 2012

Rome, Italy



Dear Colleagues,

after nine years from the first CTC workshop, sixteen editions, over 1400 radiologists trained all over Europe, time has come to organise an advanced CTC course.

If you have already attended an ESGAR CTC workshop or if you are an experienced reader running your own service and you want to confront with European experts, this is the course for you! Reduced preps, new viewing methods, integration of CAD within reading workflow, definition and significance of flat lesions, role of CTC in colorectal cancer screening will be the topics which will be discussed by senior members of our faculty. But lectures represent only a small part of the programme. Most of your time will be dedicated to case reading. We have asked our faculty to provide the most difficult and challenging cases encountered in their personal experience and to discuss them with you. Close mentoring, personal workstation and lunch break sitting with experts where you can exchange your ideas, are the other unique features of this course. The number of participants per workshop is limited and depends on the availability of workstations. Registrations will be accepted on a first come first serve basis.

I warmly welcome you to Rome to attend this exciting 1st ESGAR CTC advanced course.

Prof. Andrea Laghi

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- To learn advanced techniques for bowel preparation and tagging
- To understand the role of CAD and potential pros and cons
- To learn classification, prevalence and significance of flat lesions
- To be updated about recent advances in colorectal cancer screening using CTC
- To obtain hands-on experience in detection and characterisation of small polyps and flat lesions
- To obtain hands-on experience on tricky cases and potential pitfalls

PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME – ADVANCED COURSE

08:00 – 08:45	Registration	
08:45 – 09:00	Introduction to CTC advanced course	A. Laghi (Latina/IT)
09:00 – 10:30	Advanced concepts in CTC Chairman: A. Laghi (Latina/IT)	
09:00 – 09:20	Technical advances (preparation and protocols)	P. Lefere (Roeselare/BE)
09:20 – 09:40	Viewing methods and CAD	S. Halligan (London/UK)
09:40 – 10:00	Flat lesions: prevalence, classification and clinical significance	J. Stoker (Amsterdam/NL)
10:00 – 10:20	CTC and colo-rectal cancer screening: an update	D. Regge (Turin/IT)
10:20 – 10:30	Q&A	
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee break	
11:00 – 12:00	Small polyps	
11:00 – 11:45	Cases for review Participants to review specific cases	
11:45 – 12:00	Case review and discussion	S.A. Taylor (London/UK)
12:00 – 13:00	Pitfalls	
12:00 – 12:45	Cases for review Participants to review specific cases	
12:45 – 13:00	Case review and discussion	E. Neri (Pisa/IT)
13:00 – 14:00	Meet the experts at lunch	
14:00 – 15:00	Flat lesions - I	
14:00 – 14:45	Cases for review Participants to review specific cases	
14:45 – 15:00	Case review and discussion	F. Iafrate (Rome/IT)
15:00 – 16:00	Flat lesions - II	
15:00 – 15:45	Cases for review Participants to review specific cases	
15:45 – 16:00	Case review and discussion	T. Mang (Vienna/AT)
16:00 – 16:30	Coffee break	
16:30 – 17:15	Challenging cases from the experts	T. Mang (Vienna/AT), G. Iussich (Turin/IT), P. Lefere (Roeselare/BE)
17:15 – 17:30	Closing remarks	