THURSDAY, 1 October 2015

PLENARY SESSION 1 – Gastroenterology
Hall Royal, Thursday, 14:30 – 16:00
Chairmen: Kujundzic, Simunic, Vucelic

14:30-14:45 Preoperative biliary drainage: advantages and disadvantages (M. Kujundzic)
14:45-15:05 Is there enough job for a pancreatic surgeon today? (L. Lundel)
15:05-15:20 Overview of Helicobacter pylori sensitivity to common antibiotics in Croatia during last 20 years (M. Katicic)
15:20-15:40 Impact of basic research on the modern paradigm of the IBD classification and therapy (A. Guiletta)
15:40-15:55 Advanced endoscopy in IBD (N. Rustemovic)

PLENARY SESSION 2 – Hepatology
Hall Royal, Thursday, 16:15 – 17:45
Chairmen: Ostojic, Colic-Cvrlje, Patrlj

16:15-16:35 The search of innovative therapeutic targets for liver fibrosis and cirrhosis: development of experimental model using discarded human liver tissue (M. Pinzani)
16:35-16:55 Alterations of the human gut microbiome in liver cirrhosis (SD. Ehrlich)
16:55-17:10 Hepatitis C finally beaten: results and challenges of all oral therapy (R. Ostojic)
17:10-17:25 Review of the evidence linking diabetes and obesity to liver cancer (T. Filipec-Kanizaj)
17:25-17:40 Surgery at the borderline: extended resection, Tx beyond Milan (B. Kocman)

FRIDAY, 2 October 2015

TRANSLATION RESEARCH IN IBD (joint session of the Croatian Society of Gastroenterology and the Croatian Society for Mucosal Immunity)
Hall Orhideja, Friday, 18:00-19:30
Chairmen: Banic, Krznaric, Portincasa

18:00-18:20 The horizon of IBD therapy (J. Wehkamp)
18:20-18:35 Targeting therapeutic goals for IBD (V. Erakovic)
18:35-18:50 Animal models of intestinal inflammation: what a clinician should know? (M. Banic)
18:50-19:10 The novel approach to genetics of IBD (S. Schreiber)
19:10-19:25 Biomarkers in surveillance of IBD patients (Z. Krznaric)

PANCREATIC DISEASES SESSION
Hall Mimoza, Friday, 18:00 – 19:30
Chairmen: Stimac, Lundel

18:00-18:10 Epidemiology of pancreatic diseases (D. Bonacin)
18:10-18:20 Choledocholithiasis – the most common cause of acute pancreatitis – Cochrane analysis of diagnostic tests (V. Giljaca)
18:20-18:40 Atlanta classification for acute pancreatitis: did we adopt changes? (D. Stimac)
18:40-18:50 Enteral and parenteral nutrition for acute pancreatitis – Cochrane analysis (G. Poropat)
18:50-19:00 Chronic pancreatitis – diagnostic and therapeutic challenge (Z. Sundov)
19:00-19:15 Can we diagnose pancreatic cancer on time? (M. Licina)
19:15-19:30 Therapy or palliation for pancreatic cancer (D. Trivanovic)

GI ONCOLOGY SESSION
Hall Lavanda, Friday, 18:00 – 19:30
Chairmen: Dobrila-Dintinjana, Cabrijan, Vanis

18:00-18:10 News in diagnosing intestinal tumors (A. Cubranic)
18:10-18:20 Role of EUS in staging of rectal carcinoma and overview of indications for EMR/ESD (Z. Cabrijan)
18:20-18:35 EUS of mediastinal tumors (R. Mesihovic)
18:35-18:50 Role of circulating tumour cells in pathogenesis of hepatic metastases from colorectal cancer (R. Dobrila-Dintinjana)
18:10-19:30 Radiotherapy for the treatment intestinal tumours (A. Juretic)
19:30-19:45 Systemic therapy for hepatocellular carcinoma (B. Stabuc)

SATURDAY, 3 October 2015

UPPER GI TRACT SESSION
Dvorana Orhideja, Saturday, 8:30 – 10:00
Chairmen: Malfertheiner, Katicic, Simunic

08:30-08:50 Gastric cancer prevention – individual or mass screening in Europe (P. Malfertheiner)
08:50-09:05  New recommendations for H. Pylori eradication  (A. Tonkic)
09:05-09:20  Extraintestinal manifestations of Helicobacter pylori infection  (M. Simunic)
09:20-09:30  Regulation of acid secretion – new insights  (S. Mihaljevic)
09:30-09:45  Quality of living in GORD patients  (N. Vanis)
09:45-09:55  Non-H. pylori, non-NSAID ulcers  (B. Smolović)

IBD SESSION
Hall Orhideja, Saturday, 10:30 – 12:00
Chairmen: Vucelic, Tonkic

10:30-10:45  Pharmacotherapy and immunogenicity of anti-TNF drugs  (A. Tonkic)
10:45-11:00  What after loss of therapeutic response to therapy with biologics  (S. Čavka)
11:05-11:20  Real risk of infection with biologics  (B. Vucelic)
11:20-11:35  New drugs in IBD – registered and pipeline  (B. Sincic)
11:40-11:55  How to detect and treat colonic dysplasia in IBD patients  (V. Borzan)

ENDOSCOPY 1 SESSION
Hall Orhideja, Saturday, 14:00 – 15:30
Chairmen: Rustemovic, Ljubicic

14:00-14:15  Upper GI tract bleeding from the perspective of general hospital in Croatia  (M. Lukic)
14:15-14:30  Features of non-variceal bleeding in various regions of Croatia  (A. Bratanic)
14:30-14:45  Endoscopic therapy for non-variceal bleeding – inequality of daily clinical practice  (J. Turcinov)
14:45-15:00  Primary prevention of oesophageal and gastric varices – medication or endoscopic therapy  (A. Biscanin)
15:00-15:15  Advanced procedures of endoscopic resection  (H. Ivekovic)
15:15-15:30  Follow-up after resection of colonic polyps  (B. Troskot)

ENDOSCOPY 2 SESSION
Hall Orhideja, Saturday, 15:45 – 17:15
Chairmen: Kujundzic, Opacic, Tadic

15:45-16:05  Burning issues in ERCP  (I. Boskoski)
16:05-16:20  Therapeutic ERCP in patients with primary sclerosing cholangitis  (N. Ljubicic)
16:20-16:35  Role of EUS in the treatment of local complications of acute pancreatitis  (D. Hrabar)
16:35-16:50  Cystic lesion in pancreas  (N. Rustemovic)
16:50-17:00  RFA for the treatment of resistant GORD  (P. Dugalic)
17:00-17:10  EUS-guided tissue acquisition and biliary brushings: morphology and ancillary methods  (T. Stoos)
CIRRHOSIS AND COMPLICATIONS SESSION
Hall Mimoza, Saturday, 08:30-10:00
Chairmen: Ostojic, Filipec-Kanizaj, Milic

08:30-08:45 Cirrhosis: pro- or anticoagulant condition? (M. Premuzic)
08:45-09:00 Extrahepatic portal vein obstruction and portal biliopathy (T. Bokun/M. Kujundzic)
09:00-09:15 The changing role of albumin in the management of patients with cirrhosis and bacterial infections: from plasma expander to immuneregulator and anti-inflammatory agent (D. Ladic)
09:15-09:30 Kidney failure in cirrhosis: terminology, classification and therapy (L. Virovic-Jukic)
09:30-09:45 Acute on chronic liver disease: when is the patient too sick for transplant? (N. Sobocan)
09:45-10:00 Cardiac cirrhosis: possibility of heart transplantation and its impact on liver (Z. Sutlic/D. Baric)

METABOLIC, TOXIC AND INHERITED LIVER DISEASES SESSION
Hall Mimoza, Saturday, 10:30 – 12:00
Chairmen: Duvnjak, Jesic, Stimac

10:30-10:45 Cytokines and adipokines in NAFLD (M. Duvnjak)
10:45-11:00 Which NAFLD patients have risk of disease progression? (I. Grgurevic)
11:00-11:10 Accuracy of non-invasive methods for liver fibrosis in NAFLD (S. Milic)
11:10-11:20 Treatment of severe alcoholic hepatitis. STOPAH Trial (M. Nikolic)
11:20-11:35 Primary and secondary haemochromatosis: similarities and differences (A. Husic-Selimovic)
11:35-11:45 News in Wilson's disease (M. Kalauz)
11:45-12:00 Inherited liver diseases: pediatric-hepatologic transition (J. Vukovic)

DISEASES OF BILIARY TRACT SESSION
Hall Mimoza, Saturday, 14:00-15:30
Chairmen: Kujundzic, Puljiz, Mesihovic

14:00-14:10 Minimal work-up before referring to ERCP (Z. Halle)
14:10-14:25 Optimal management acute cholangitis (I. Jovanovic)
14:25-14:40 ERCP in acute biliary pancreatitis (S. Djuranovic)
14:40-14:55 Biliary cysts: clinical significance and therapeutic options (I. Klarin)
14:55-15:05 Autoimmune cholangitis (M. Tadic)
15:05-15:20 Klatskin tumor neoplasms (Z. Puljiz)
15:20-15:30 Benign biliary obstruction (B. Skurla)
VIRAL, AUTOIMMUNE AND CHOLESTATIC LIVER DISEASES SESSION
Hall Mimoza, Saturday, 15:45-17:15
Chairmen: Bevanda, Premuzic, Vucelic

15:45-16:00  Treatment of hepatitis C in transplanted patients  (D. Radic)
16:00-16:15  Hepatitis B and immuno-chaemotherapy  (D. Kardum)
16:15-16:30  Serological methods for fibrosis estimation in chronic viral hepatitis  (N. Salkic)
16:30-16:45  Bile acid-targeted therapy of PBC: UDCA and beyond (FXR, PPAR)  (T. Alempijevic)
16:45-17:00  News in autoimmune hepatitis  (I. Hrstic)
17:00-17:15  Liver in systemic infective and immunological diseases  (K. Luetic)

CLINICAL NUTRITION SESSION
Hall Lavanda, Saturday, 14:00-15:30
Chairman: Banic, Krznaric, Grivceva-Stardelova

14:00-14:20  Intestinal failure – old or new entity  (Z. Krznaric)
14:20-14:40  Refeeding syndrome – myth or reality?  (D. Ljubas Kelecic)
14:40-15:10  Short bowel syndrome – medications or transplantation  (M. Brinar)
15:10-15:30  Minute for IBD – the story of microbita  (M. Crncevic-Urek)

ULTRASOUND IN GASTROENTEROLOGY SESSION
Hall Lavanda, Saturday, 15:45-17:15
Chairmen: Bilic, Duvnjak, Grgurevic

15:45-16:00  History and future of ultrasound in gastroenterology  (I. Hozo)
16:00-16:20  Contrast ultrasound in gastroenterology and hepatology  (I. Sporea)
16:20-16:40  Ultrasound elastography for diagnosing cirrhosis and portal hypertension  (I. Grgurevic)
16:40-16:50  Ultrasound for Inflammatory Bowel Disease  (N. Ivanis)
16:50-17:05  Ultrasound directed drainage of abdominal collections  (N. Joksimovic)
17:05-17:15  Approach to icteric patient: US and/or EUS  (T. Pavic)
17:20-17:30  Approach to patient with focal pancreatic lesion  (N. Stankovic)

SUNDAY, 4 October 2015.

FUNCTIONAL GI DISEASES SESSION
Hall Mimoza, Sunday, 09:00 – 10:35
Chairmen: Bilic, Banic, Marusic

09:00-09:20  Newest diagnostic procedures and therapy for functional GI diseases  (A. Bilic)
09:20-09:35  Irritable bowel syndrome, chronic idiopathic constipation and functional constipation – diagnostics (Z. Babic)
09:35-09:50  Is diagnosis of IBS made by excluding other diseases  (M. Marusic)
09:50-10:05  Biomarkers in functional GI diseases  (G. Hauser)
10:05-10:20  Changes in gut flora in IBS: cause or consequence  (R. Troskot)
10:20-10:35  How to success in treating IBS patients? (FOODMAP diet, pharmacological treatment, psychological approach)  (D. Jurcic)

SCIENTIFIC SESSION - Oral presentations - best posters
Hall Orhideja, Sunday, 09:00-11:00