



**28-29 September Ghent, Belgium**  
**Belgian Section for HPB Surgery**

**DAY 1 - Thursday September 28<sup>th</sup>**

13:00-14:30	Arrival and Registration	
14:30-14:35	Presentation of the Post Graduate Course	F.Berrevoet
14:35-14:45	Why Become a member of the European Board of HPB Surgery	A.Siriwardena, Manchester
14:45-16:20	<b>Introduction to Bile Duct – Moderators: H.Topal (KU Leuven), M.de Oliveira (Zürich)</b>	
20 min	Anatomy and Physiology of the biliary system, bile secretion and anatomical variations	B. Van Den Bossche, Aalst
20 min	Basic knowledge about diagnostic and intervention procedures like endoscopy (ERCP): indications and complications	W. Schalk Van der Merwe, KU Leuven
25 min	Congenital diseases of the biliary system: etiology, pathophysiology, diagnosis and complications	R.Tambucci, UCL
<b>16:20-16:45</b>	<b>Coffee break</b>	
16:45 – 18:15	<b>Session: Biliary lesions – Moderators: F.Berrevoet (UZ Gent), A.Nassar (Glasgow)</b>	
25 min	Laparoscopic cholecystectomy, cholangiography and Laparoscopic approach to the bile duct and role of ICG	Luís Abreu de Carvalho, UZ Gent
25 min	Iatrogenic lesions of the bile duct and trauma of the biliary system	F.Jehaes, Liège
25 min	Biliary strictures post-cholecystectomy and complications after HJ	Mariano Gimenez (Strasbourg)
<b>20.00</b>	<b>Faculty dinner</b>	

**DAY 2 - Friday September 29th**

<b>09:00</b>	<b>Session: Benign diseases – Moderators: Roeyen (UZ Antwerp), A. Serrablo (Zaragoza)</b>	
20 min	Bile duct stones: etiology, complications and treatment	J.Vilaca, Porto
25 min	Cholecystitis, cholangitis: etiology, pathophysiology and the difficult gallbladder	A.Nassar, Glasgow
25 min	Benign tumors of the biliary system: etiology, pathophysiology, diagnosis and treatment	G.Sergeant, Hasselt
<b>10:30</b>	<b>Coffee break</b>	
<b>11:00</b>	<b>Session: Malignant diseases - Moderators: N.Meurisse (Liège), M.Gimenez (Strasbourg)</b>	
20 min	Gallbladder carcinoma: diagnosis, treatment and prognosis	W.Polak, Rotterdam
20 min	Intrahepatic Cholangiocarcinoma: diagnosis, treatment and prognosis	V. Lucidi, Brussels
20 min	Perihilar tumours: diagnosis, pre-op work-up	A.Dili, Namur
20 min	Preparation for surgery, treatment and outcomes	M.de Oliveira, Zürich
20 min	Non-surgical and palliative treatment – basic principles	T.Vandamme, Antwerp
<b>13:00-14:00</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	
14:00-15:30	Interactive case discussion in groups (3 tables to rotate): 20 min per table	
	1) Interpretation cholangiogram	J.Jaekers, Leuven
	2) Preop assessment hilar cholangiocarcinoma	A.Dili, Namur/ L.Marique, Brussels
	3) Cholecystitis + liver abscess	D.Germanova, Brussels
<b>16.00</b>	<b>Closure of the meeting</b>	

**DAY 3 - Saturday September 30<sup>th</sup>****UEMS examination for HPB Surgery**