

6TH HEPATOLOGY AND GASTROENTEROLOGY POST GRADUATE COURSE

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CONRAD HOTEL, CAIRO, EGYPT

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IN THE 7TH MILLENNIUM

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2013

09:30 - 10:30 Welcome Reception

10:30 - 11:30 Opening Ceremony

Guest lecture: The submucosal space for spasm, achalasia, gastroparesia	Jacques DEVIERE	Belgium
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11:30 - 13:30 Session I: Challenges in Diagnosis and Management of Chronic Hepatitis C Virus Infection in Endemic Countries

Treatment of CHC in the real world setting	Cihan YURDAYDIN	Turkey
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Personalization of therapy decision making and treatment duration	Ferruccio BONINO	Italy
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Bad Virus and Immune Therapy: fairytale or true story?	Cosmas LESMANA	Indonesia
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Acute on chronic liver failure	Paolo ANGELI	Italy
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Hepatitis in Egypt, what is the situation?	Ayman YOUSRY	Egypt
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13:30 - 14:30 LUNCH

14:30 - 16:00 Session II: Evidence-based Medicine for the Practicing Gastroenterologist and Hepatologist

Irritable bowel syndrome, Have we reached EBM?	Christoph PLANE	France
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Management of patients with dysplastic Barrett's	Firas AL-KAWAS	USA
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Spontaneous bacterial peritonitis	Hale AKPINAR	Turkey
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The role of endoscopy in acute pancreatitis	David CARR-LOCKE	USA
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16:00 - 17:30 Session III: Hot Topics in GIT: From Bench to Bedside

GERD, and H. pylori	Henry COHEN	Uruguay
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Capsule endoscopy; Have we reached EBM?	Cristiano Spada's	Italy
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Lower GI bleeding	Thierry PONCHON	France
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Oesophageal and gastric varices: A global view on management	Suliman FEDAIL	Sudan
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17:30 - 20:00 Satellite Symposium & Dinner

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2013

10:30 - 11:30 Session IV: Chronic Hepatitis B Virus Infection : New Weapons
Against an Old Enemy

Where are we now in the treatment of CHB	Cihan YURDAYDIN	Turkey
Implications of HBsAg quantification in clinical practice	Ferruccio BONINO	Italy
Therapeutic vaccine for CHB Infection in the new antiviral era	Cosmas LESMANA	Indonesia

11:30 - 13:00 Coffee Break & Prayer

13:00 - 13:30 Satellite Symposium

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14:30 - 15:00 LUNCH

15:00 - 16:00 Session V: The Changing Face of Gastro-esophageal Reflux

State of the art lecture: Teaching in Endoscopy, 30 Years Journey	Ibrahim MOSTAFA	Egypt
Current trends in management of refractory GORD	Asif NAQVI	UK
Whatever happened to endoscopic therapy for reflux	David CARR-LOCKE	USA

16:00 - 17:30 Session VI: Old Diseases, New Treatments

State of the Art Lecture Therapeutic EUS: Place in 2013	Marc GIOVANNINI	France
The management of acute kidney injury in patients with cirrhosis	Paolo ANGELI	Italy
Management of endoscopic complications Ascites management	Firas AL-KAWAS Hale AKPINAR	USA Turkey

17:30 - 20:00 Satellite Symposium & Dinner

GENERAL INFORMATION

Venue for the Audience: Conrad International Hotel, Cairo, Egypt

Language: English is the official language of the course

Registration Desk: Located at Conrad Hotel Foyer

Working hours: Start at 8:30 am up to the end of scientific program

Registration Includes: • Administration to scientific program • Course bag and kits
• Certificate of attendance • Coffee breaks, snacks and Meals

Name Badges: Participants are requested to wear their name badge at all times during the event, The colors of the name badges have the following significance:

• **Green badges :** Participant in the Post Graduate Course • **Grey badges:** Exhibitors

Exhibition: An exhibition of pharmaceutical and technical equipment companies is organized at Conrad Hotel

Transportation: Shuttle bus service is available every one hour between Pyramisa Hotel & Conrad Hotel, the venue of the event, starting from 9:00 am up to the end of scientific program

Tourist Programs: • Tourist program within Cairo during the course and workshop days
• Post Workshop tours to Luxor & Aswan and Hurghada Kindly, contact the official organizer

Currency: The official currency in Egypt is the Egyptian Pound

• 1 US\$ = 7 L.E. • 1 Euro = 9.5 L.E. (Approximately)

Climate: The weather is expected to be sunny in the early morning, average temperature is 20-22 Co slight cooler in the afternoon, wearing overcoats is recommended at night

Credit Cards: Visa, MasterCard and American Express are generally accepted in most hotels, famous shops and restaurants

ATM's: Automatic transactions (or teller) machines are common in most hotels It is advisable to make sure that your card is compatible, by checking with your bank before leaving home

NEXT COURSES

December 11 th - 12 th 2014	December 10 th - 11 th 2015	December 8 th - 9 th 2016
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