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PROGRAM

Day 1

November 28, 2024

09h30-09h45 Welcome and introduction

MEMAGO President

Mehmet Faruk Köse (Turkey)

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Session 1: Prevention and Screening of Cervical Cancer

Chairs: *U. Firat Ortaç (Turkey), Omar Alelwan (Jordan), Evagellos Paraskevaides (Greece)*

09h45-10h00 Cervical cancer screening strategies in the MEMAGO region

Waleed AlJassar (Kuwait)

10h00-10h15 HPV DNA - mRNA - self testing

Alexandros Daponte (Greece)

10h15-10h30 HPV vaccination: An update

Mehmet Faruk Köse (Turkey)

10h30- 10h45 Medical Treatment of HPV Infection

Murat Gültekin (Turkey)

10h45-11h00

COFFEE BREAK

Session 2: Cervical cancer

Chairs: *Kostantinos Dinas (Greece), Esra Kuşcu (Turkey), Jamel Ben Hassouna (Tunisia)*

**11h00-11h15 Less radical surgery for early-stage cervical cancer:
Efficacy and safety**

Nikolaos Thomakos (Greece)

**11h15-11h30 Minimally invasive surgery (MIS) for early-stage
cervical cancer: Is it safe?**

Maher Slimane (Tunisia)

11h30-11h45 Adjuvant treatment for surgically treated patients

Stamatios Petousis (Greece)

11h45-12h30 Treatment of Stage IB2/IB3 Cervical Cancer

11h45-12h00 NACT - Özden Altundağ (Turkey)

12h00-12h15 Surgery - Olfa Jaidane (Tunisia)

12h15-12h30 Chemo-Concurrent Radiation Therapy - Athanassios Dimopoulos (Greece)

12h30- 12h45 Fertility sparing surgery for Stage IB2 cervical cancer

Alexandros Rodolakis (Greece)

**12h45- 13h00 Exenterative surgery in cervical cancer patients:
Indications and technique**

Greta Dreyer (South Africa)

13h00-13h15 Discussion

13h15-13h45 Ali Ayhan Memorial

Mehmet Mutlu Meydanlı (Turkey)

13h15 -14h30

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PROGRAM

Day 1 November 28, 2024

Session 3: Uterine Neoplasms - Endometrial Cancer

Chairs: *Mete Güngör (Turkey), Waleed Elnahas (Egypt), Emmanouil Kalampokas (Greece)*

- 14h30-14h45** The new FIGO Staging in Endometrial Cancer in the modern era of Molecular Classification - Pitfalls and challenges *Frederic Amant (Belgium) via web*
- 14h45-15h00** Management of advanced and recurrent endometrial cancer: The emerging role of immunotherapy *Muhieddine Seoud (UAE)*
- 15h00-15h15** Fertility sparing treatment for endometrial cancer patients: Patient selection, treatment and follow-up *David Atallah (Lebanon)*
- 15h15-15h30** Principles of MIS in endometrial cancer *Çağatay Taşkıran (Turkey)*
- 15h30-15h45** Discussion

15h45-16h15

COFFEE BREAK

Session 4: Uterine Neoplasms - Uterine Sarcoma in the light of new ESGO guidelines

Chairs: *Mehmet Mutlu Meydanlı (Turkey), Monia Hechiche (Tunisia), Christos Papadimitriou (Greece)*

- 16h15-16h30** Advances in the preoperative work-up of suspected uterine sarcomas *Hüseyin Akıllı (Turkey)*
- 16h30-16h45** Principles of surgery for uterine sarcomas *Ignacio Zapardiel (Spain)*
- 16h45-17h00** Adjuvant treatment for leiomyosarcomas and high-grade sarcomas *Isabelle Ray-Coquard (France) via web*
- 17h00-17h15** Management of recurrent uterine sarcomas *Isabelle Ray-Coquard (France) via web*
- 17h15-17h45** Discussion

Session 5: Sexuality and gynecologic cancers

Chairs: *Dimitris Papatheodorou, Murat Gültekin (Turkey)*

- 17h45-18h05** Sexual health in gynecologic cancer survivors *Nadine El Kassis (Lebanon)*
- 18h05** Adjourn



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Day 2 November 29, 2024

Session 1: Vulvar cancer

Chairs: *Alaa Ismail (Egypt), Georgios Vorgias (Greece), Zannis Voulgaris(Greece)*

09h30-09h45 Early-stage disease: Individualization of treatment *Ioannis Kalogianides (Greece)*

09h45-10h15 Management of advanced vulvar cancer

09h45-10h00 Primary surgical management - *Montasser Ghaleb (Tunisia)*

10h00-10h15 The role of NACT - CRT - *Naemat Hegazy (Egypt)*

10h15 - 10h30 Discussion

Session 2: Epithelial Ovarian Cancer (EOC) - I

Chairs: *İlkbâl Yüksel (Turkey), Mazen Bishtawi (Jordan), Alexandros Rodolakis (Greece)*

10h30 -10h45 Management of borderline ovarian tumors *Vasileios Sioulas (Greece)*

10h45 -11h00 Genetic testing and counselling for EOCs *Sarah Alrubaish (Saudi Arabia)*

11h00 -11h15 Fertility sparing options in EOC: Patient selection and feasibility *Philippe Morice (France)*

11h15 -11h30 Treatment of Low-grade serous ovarian carcinoma *Dimitrios Haidopoulos (Greece)*

11h30 -11h45 Discussion

11h45-12h00

COFFEE BREAK

Session 3: Ali Ayhan Memorial Ovarian cancer session

Chairs: *Nejat Özgül (Turkey), Dimitrios Haidopoulos(Greece), Athanasios-Meletios Dimopoulos(Greece)*

Primary management of advanced EOC

12h00-12h15 Up front surgery with primary cytoreduction *Konstantinos Lathouras (Greece)*

12h15-12h30 NACT - Optimal timing of interval debulking surgery in advanced ovarian cancer *Frédéric Guyon (France)*

12h30-12h45 Adjuvant and maintenance treatment in Epithelial Ovarian cancer *Christos Papadimitriou (Greece)*

12h45-13h00 Immunotherapy and Antibody Drug Conjugates (ADCs): How far are we from clinical application? *Georges Chahine (Lebanon)*

13h00-13h15 Discussion

13h15-14h30

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Session 4: Epithelial Ovarian Cancer (EOC) - Debates

Chairs: *Çağatay Taşkiran (Turkey), Alexios Papanikolaou (Greece),
Michael Lontos (Greece)*

14h30-15h00 The role of MIS in the management of ovarian cancer

14h30-14h45 PRO MIS - Basel Refky (Egypt)

14h45-15h00 PRO open surgery - Dimitrios Tsolakidis (Greece)

15h00-15h30 HIPEC in the frontline management of EOC?

15h00-15h15 PRO - Çağatay Taşkiran (Turkey)

15h15-15h30 CON - Theodore Panoskaltzis (Greece)

**15h30-15h45 Can we define unified consensus for the management of
ovarian cancer in the MEMAGO region**

Noha Rashad (Egypt)

15h45-16h00 Discussion

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