

# AUTUMN/WINTER MEETING 2005 INVITATION/EINLADUNG



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# **Dear Colleagues**



After a year bounteous in work and events, it is a particular pleasure for me to extend invitations to the traditional Autumn Meeting of the EFR in this December season. This, already the third such symposium in the fall, is a cross-section of the activities throughout the brief associated term of the European Federation for ColoRectal Cancer. With speakers from 11 countries, there is a bird's eye view of new therapeutic strategies, not to mention guidelines for treating the second most common tumors in Europe. We believe that Vienna is, scientifically speaking, good soil for establishing working groups

that are going to come to grips with the individual diagnostic and therapeutic key issues. In the final analysis, we are all pursuing a common goal, that of elaborating joint studies under the auspices of the EFR on yet unsolved questions in treatment concepts for colorectal cancer.

Besides these vital medical tasks, however, the accompanying program ought to help deepen friendships, provide opportunities for making new friends, and simply come closer to one another in the great united Europe. The pre-Christmastime in Vienna replete with characteristic Christmas markets ought to lend this meeting a setting redolent with atmosphere.

Sincerely,

Béla Teleky President of the EFR



# **Topics**

#### FRIDAY 02.12.

17.30 - 18.30

Chairs: 13.00 - 13.10 13.10 - 13.30 13.30 - 13.45 13.45 - 14.00 14.00 - 14.20 14.20 - 15.00	M. Gnant (A) / St. Repse (SLO) / A. Nagy (H) Welcome and Opening (B. Teleky, A) Molecular markers in colorectal cancer (F. Wrba, A) Lymphnode assessment in colorectal cancer - MRI, CT (Andrea Maier, A) Lymphnode assessment in colorectal cancer - EUS (J. Korcek, SK) Prediction of response to radio-chemptherapy (Daniela Kandioler, A) Neoadjuvant therapy options after preoperative staging (A. Dziki, PL)
Chairs: 15.30 - 15.50 15.50 - 16.10 16.10 - 16.30	K. Glaser (A) / Z. Saladzinskas (LT) / I. Karaitianos (GR)  Treatment of metastatic colorectal cancer - surgery as first choice? (G. Romano, I)  Colorectal cancer in the elderly (D. Pavalkis, LT)  Anemia management in colorectal cancer (Irene Kührer, A)
16.30 - 17.15	Round Table: ColoRectal Cancer Unit - What is mandatory?
	Moderation: T. Schiedeck (D) - Invited Participants

Symposium: "New treatment options in CRC"

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#### **FRIDAY 02.12**

### 19.30 Welcome reception

Welcome reception in the atrium of "Palais Niederösterreich" followed by the Gala dinner in the "Festsaal"

## SATURDAY 03.12.

Chairs:	D. Öfner (A) / M. Szczepkowski (PL) / P. Lechner (A)
09.00 - 09.20	Ethical and legal aspects on trials in Europe (K. Fischer, A)
09.20 - 09.40	Quality standards in rectal cancer surgery (Judith Karner-Hanusch, A)
09.40 - 10.00	Safe resection-margins in rectal cancer surgery (M. Omejc, SLO)
10.00 - 10.20	Pelvic recurrence after surgical treatment of rectal and sigmoid cancer (Z. Krivokapic, YU)
10.20 - 10.40	Longterm outcome and quality of life following resection for rectal cancer (I. Bartha, H)
10.40 - 11.00	Complicated rectal anastomosis and its consequenses (J. Hoch, CZ)

#### Coffee break

Chairs:	J. Pfeifer (A) / T. Kruzliak (SK) / H. Rosen (A)
11.30 - 11.50	Colon cancer: resection standards (T. Sricka, CZ)
11.50 - 12.10	Lymphatic mapping and sentinel node in colorectal cancer (K. Matzel, D)
12.10 - 12.30	Surgical management of colorectal cancer in the laparoscopic era (F. Herbst, A)
12.30 - 12.50	Follow up of colorectal cancer (B. Cola, I)
12.50 - 13.10	Open questions for the future (C. Zielinski, A)
13.10	Adjourn

# **General Information**

#### **MEETING VENUE**

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## **LANGUAGE**

The official language of the Symposium will be English.

#### **GALA DINNER**

December 2nd 2005, at 19:30 Palais NÖ, Herrengasse, A-1010 Wien Landtagsaal



# **REGISTRATION**

by e-mail or fax (see enclosed response fax)