



## Multidisciplinary Management of Lung Cancer

17 – 19 October 2024, Florence, Italy

### Target group

The course is aimed at specialists and trainees with some expertise in radiotherapy, surgery or chemotherapy who are interested in the management of lung cancer.

### Course aim

This advanced multidisciplinary course, jointly organised by ESTRO, ESTS, ESSO aims at promoting an integrated approach to the diagnosis and management of lung cancer. The goal is to individualise the patient treatment approach based on clinical presentation, prognostic factors, tumour extent and the patient. In the last decades, we have seen major technical and clinical improvements both for the diagnosis (including the different imaging procedures) and the treatment (surgery, radiotherapy, chemotherapy, immunotherapy and targeted therapies) for this very common and aggressive tumour, with clear benefits for the patients.

The course will be interactive through the integration of lectures, debates and case discussions, and multidisciplinary with a programme outlining the different treatments for lung cancer from evidence based medicine to on-going research. The faculty includes chest physicians, radiologists, medical oncologists, thoracic surgeons and radiation oncologists.

### Teaching methods

Approximately (2,5 days/19 h): 15 hours of lectures, 4 hours of clinical case discussions

### Learning outcomes

By the end of this course participants should be able to:

- Stage a patient and follow up after treatment
- Actively participate in multidisciplinary discussions
- Understand the limits of surgery, radiotherapy and systemic treatment
- Design a radiation plan for lung cancer
- Evaluate a patient for treatment.

### Course content

- Pitfalls in imaging procedures
- Staging patients
- TNM classification
- Is there a place for screening today?
- Early lung cancer – surgery, radiotherapy, adjuvant or induction chemotherapy, follow-up
- Systemic chemotherapy and targeted agents
- Immunotherapy
- Induced pneumopathy
- Thymoma
- Mesothelioma
- Small cell lung cancer
- PCI and consolidative RT
- Challenges of brain mets
- Locally advanced NSCLC
- Radio-chemotherapy, fractionation, dose-escalation, IO and RT
- Stage III cancer
- Patients with co-morbidity or poor PS
- Oligometastatic concept
- Palliative surgery
- Palliation and RT

### COURSE DIRECTOR

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### TEACHERS

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### WORKING SCHEDULE

Tuesday 17 October:  
09:00 – 18:30 + Networking event  
Wednesday 18 October:  
09:00 – 18:30  
Thursday 19 October:  
09:00 – 16.15

### LANGUAGE

The course is conducted in English. No simultaneous translation will be provided.

### TECHNICAL EXHIBITION

Companies interested in exhibition opportunities during this teaching course should contact the project manager:  
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## PARTICIPANTS CAN REGISTER ONLINE [HERE](#)

The system will redirect you to the secured website of OGONE (see [www.ogone.be](http://www.ogone.be) for more details) to settle your registration fee. These pages offer the guarantee of secured online payments.

If online registration is not possible, please contact us:  
ESTRO OFFICE: [education@estro.org](mailto:education@estro.org)

### Registration fees

Please check the registration deadline date on our website

	Early rate	Late rate
Non-Members	750 EUR	850 EUR
<b>ESTRO Members</b>	<b>575 EUR</b>	<b>725 EUR</b>
In-training members*	425 EUR	575 EUR

\* Members with specialty RadiationTherapist (RTT) may register at the In-Training fee

Members from emerging countries may register at a preferential rate of 350 Euro. Emerging country fee applies to individuals from low-income and lower-middle-income economies according to the World Bank listing.

## ESTRO

**ESTRO GOES GREEN** Please note that the course material will be available online. No printed course book will be provided during the courses.

**Early registration deadline:  
31 July 2024**

### Advance registration and payment are required.

#### On-site registration will not be available.

Since the number of participants is limited, late registrants are advised to contact the ESTRO office before payment, to inquire about availability of places. Access to moodle and course material will become available upon receipt of full payment.

### Insurance and cancellation

The organiser does not accept liability for individual medical, travel or personal insurance. Participants are strongly advised to take out their own personal insurance policies.

In case an unforeseen event would force ESTRO to cancel the meeting, the Society will reimburse the participants fully the registration fees. ESTRO will not be responsible for the refund of travel and accommodation costs.

In case of cancellation, full refund of the registration fee minus 15% for administrative costs may be obtained up to three months before the course and 50% of the fee up to one month before the course. No refund will be made if the cancellation request is postmarked less than one month before the start of the course.

### ACCREDITATION

Application for CME recognition will be submitted to the European Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (EACCME), an institution of the European Union of Medical Specialists (UEMS). EACCME credits are recognised by the American Medical Association towards the Physician's Recognition Award (PRA). Information on the status of the applications can be obtained from the ESTRO office.

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