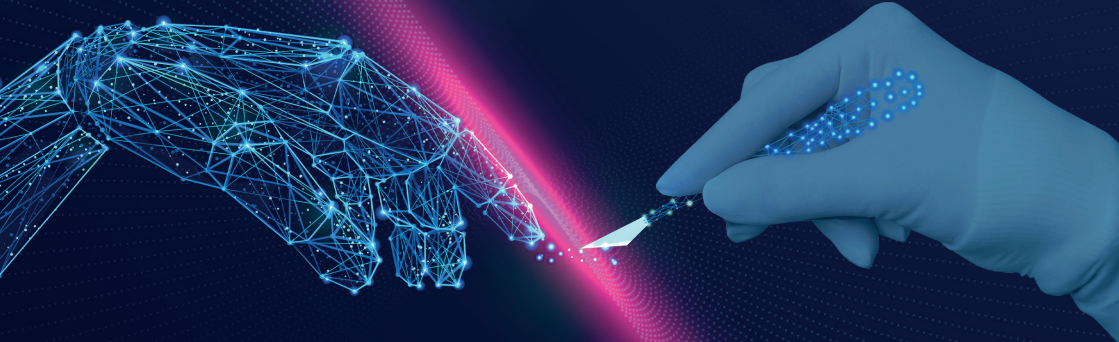




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08:00 - 09:00	LESS IS MORE: SURGICAL METHOD FOR BENIGN THYROID NODULES Moderators: SEMRA GÜNAY, CAN ATALAY
08:00 - 08:12	Diagnostic Journey in Benign Nodules: How to Avoid Unnecessary Intervention? İLKER ŞENGÜL
08:12 - 08:24	Decision Moment for Thyroidectomy in Benign Cases: Which Patient, When, For What Reason? ALİ ÖZEMİR
08:24 - 08:36	Recurrent Multinodular Goitre: Management of Difficult Decisions ÖMER YAZICIOĞLU
08:36 - 08:48	Ablative Treatments: Is It a Rival to Surgery in Benign Nodules? MUHAMMER ERGENÇ
08:48 - 09:00	DISCUSSION
09:00 - 10:00	BY THE POWER OF GRAYSKULL! WHO HAS THE POWER IN THE MANAGEMENT OF BREAST CANCER? Moderators: CİHAN URAS, GÜLDENİZ KARADENİZ ÇAKMAK
09:00 - 09:10	How Reliable Is Imaging? Genuine Response in the Breast and Axilla After Neoadjuvant Therapy ERKİN ARIBAL
09:10 - 09:20	Complete Response = Future Without Surgery? BAHADIR GÜLLÜOĞLU
09:20 - 09:40	Global Perspective Towards the Deescalation of Axillary Surgery After Neoadjuvant Chemotherapy THORSTEN KUHN
09:40 - 09:50	Radiotherapy: Is It the Final Touch or An Unnecessary Burden HALE ÇAĞLAR
09:50 - 10:00	DISCUSSION

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10:00 - 10:30	COFFEE BREAK
10:30 - 11:50	A CROSS-TEMPORAL REFLECTION - THE PHILOSOPHY OF ONCOPLASTIC SURGERY Moderators: SEHER DEMİNER, VAROL ÇELİK
10:30 - 10:50	Where a 20 th -Century Surgeon Meets a Renaissance Philosopher TAMER AKÇA
10:50 - 11:05	Let's Add Some Fluffy Clouds Here... Large Breasts: Which Technique? ATAKAN SEZER
11:05 - 11:20	Let's Draw Some Little Trees Here... Small Breasts / The Right Technique? LÜTFİ DOĞAN
11:20 - 11:40	Explore Brazil Through My Eyes: My Algorithm in OPS CICERO URBAN
11:40 - 11:50	DISCUSSION
11:50 - 13:00	SLNB IN BREAST CANCER: PRESUMED cNO, FOUND TO BE pN1 Moderators: MAHMUT MÜSLÜMANOĞLU, SERDAR ÖZBAŞ
11:50 - 12:05	cNO-pN1 Discordance: Imaging Pitfall or Surgical Reality MEHMET VELİDEDEOĞLU
12:05 - 12:20	In Sentinel Node-Positive Patients, Is Axillary Dissection the Hero? ÖZGÜR AYTAÇ
12:20 - 12:35	Axillary RT: Can It Be a Weapon to End Axillary Incision? BANU ATALAR
12:35 - 12:50	Which One Do you Think? Clear Answers to Difficult Questions - Interactive Q&A
12:50 - 13:00	DISCUSSION
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14:00 - 15:00	PANEL: DIFFICULT THYROID SURGERY: NERVE, MARGIN AND STRATEGY Panel Moderator: ÖZER MAKAY Panelists: METE DÜREN, MEHMET HACIYANLI, FATİH TUNCA, MURAT AKIN, CEM AZILI
15:00 - 16:00	ZERO COMPLICATION GOAL IN THYROID SURGERY: THE POWER OF LIGHT, IMAGE, SOUND AND HEAT Moderators: EMİN GÜRLEYİK, YASEMİN GİLES ŞENYÜREK
15:00 - 15:12	Smart Intraoperative Neuromonitoring: Transition from Standard IONM to Decision Support Systems CAN KONCA
15:12 - 15:24	Parathyroid Recognition Technologies: Clinical Contribution of Autofluorescence and Image Based Differentiation CANDAŞ ERÇETİN
15:24 - 15:36	Assessment of Parathyroid Perfusion with ICG : Is it About Being Present" or "Being Functional" ? ALİ UÇUR EMRE
15:36 - 15:48	Energy Based Devices and Thermal Safety: Is It Possible to See and Prevent Thermal Damage? HAKAN ATAŞ
15:48 - 16:00	DISCUSSION
16:00 - 16:30	COFFEE BREAK
16:30 - 17:30	PANEL: GRANULOMATOUS MASTITIS 2026: HOW TO MANAGE IT NOW? Panel Moderators: ÖZGÜR AYTAÇ, BERRİN PAPİLA
16:30 - 16:42	National Algorithm: Right Diagnosis, Right Treatment in IGM According to Türkiye's Consensus MUSTAFA EMİROĞLU
16:42 - 17:30	Panelists: SADULLAH GİRGİN, HANDE KÖKSAL, KENAN ÇETİN, AYFER KAMALI POLAT, KERİM BORA YILMAZ

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08:00 - 09:00	NIGHTMARE SCENARIOS IN PROCTOLOGY: CASES DISCUSSIONS WITH VIDEOS Moderators: RASİM GENÇOSMANOĞLU, FAHRETTİN ACAR
08:00 - 08:08	Anorectal Trauma SADETTİN ER
08:08 - 08:16	Sphincter Injury (OASIS) İSMAİL CEM ERAY
08:16 - 08:24	Anal Stricture MEHMET ÖZGÜR TÜRKMENOĞLU
08:24 - 08:32	Severe Perianal Sepsis MEHMET ARİF USTA
08:32 - 08:40	Rectovaginal Fistula ABDULCABBAR KARTAL
08:40 - 09:00	DISCUSSION
09:00 - 10:00	MANAGING PAIN, OVERCOMING FUSSURE : CURRENT STRATEGIES Moderators: TUNCAY YILMAZLAR, ÖMER TOPÇU
09:00 - 09:12	Secret to Stopping Pain: Medication or Botox? ALP YILDIZ
09:12 - 09:24	Fine Line of Sphincter: Perfect Fissure Surgery İSMAİL ALPER TARIM
09:24 - 09:36	Once Again? The Next Move is Yours for Recurrent Anal Fissure BAHAR CANBAY TORUN
09:36 - 09:48	Are There New Solutions for Chronic Fissure? TİMUÇİN EROL
09:48 - 10:00	DISCUSSION
10:00 - 10:30	COFFEE BREAK
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11:00 - 12:00	BRITISH JOURNAL OF SURGERY Moderators: GÜLDENİZ KARADENİZ ÇAKMAK, ANDERS BERGENFELZ
11:00 - 11:10	BJS Foundation ANDERS BERGENFELZ
11:10 - 11:25	Shared Decision Making During Surgical Consultation for Thyroidectomy METE DÜREN
11:25 - 11:30	Distinguished Oral Presentation
11:30 - 11:35	Distinguished Oral Presentation
11:35 - 11:40	Distinguished Oral Presentation
11:40 - 11:45	Distinguished Oral Presentation
12:00 - 13:00	THROUGH THE FIRE: CHALLENGING DISEASES FOR SURGEONS Moderators: CELALETTİN VATANSEV, İLHAMİ TANER KALE
12:00 - 12:12	Is Hidradenitis Suppurativa Treatable? ERKAN SOMUNCU
12:12 - 12:24	The Secret Behind the Itch: Management of Pruritus Ani BAHADIR EGE
12:24 - 12:36	Perianal Abscess: The Tip of the Iceberg ALİ EZER
12:36 - 12:48	Cellular Therapies in Perianal Fistulas ÖZGÜR DANDİN
12:48 - 13:00	DISCUSSION
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14:00 - 15:00	HEMORRHOIDS: BETWEEN CURRENT EVIDENCE AND DAILY PRACTICE Moderators: UĞUR SUNGURTEKİN, FEVZİ CELAYİR
14:00 - 14:12	Is There an Office-Based Solution for Hemorrhoidal Disease? Practical Approaches to Hemorrhoid Treatment HALUK TÜMER
14:12 - 14:24	Which Patient, Which Surgery in Hemorrhoidal Disease? The Decision-Making Moment in Hemorrhoids İLKER SÜCÜLLÜ
14:24 - 14:36	Let's Avoid the Obstruction: How Do I Manage Anal Stricture? FEVZİ CELAYİR
14:36 - 14:48	Let's Prevent the Headache: How Do I Prevent Postoperative Pain? VOLKAN ÖZBEN
14:48 - 15:00	DISCUSSION
15:00 - 16:00	INSIDE THE LABYRINTH: A ROADMAP FOR COMPLEX PERIANAL FISTULAS (WITH CASE DEMONSTRATIONS) Moderators: AHMET KEŞŞAF AŞLAR, İLKER SÜCÜLLÜ
15:00 - 15:12	Fistula Excision and Internal Opening Closure: Endoanal Advancement Flap ÖZGÜR AKGÜL
15:12 - 15:24	The Golden Route in Fistula Surgery: Cut, Open, and Marsupialize ŞİYAR ERSÖZ
15:24 - 15:36	Horseshoe Fistula: A Long Journey, A Staged Battle ÖZGEN IŞIK
15:36 - 15:48	Rectourethral Fistula: How Do I Repair It in the setting of RT and Tumor? SEZAİ LEVENTOĞLU
15:48 - 16:00	DISCUSSION
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16:30 - 17:15	PILONIDAL DISEASE: FROM TRADITION TO INNOVATION TRANSFORMATION IN TREATMENT Moderators: SÜPHAN ERTÜRK, OSMAN BOZBIYIK
16:30 - 16:42	Are the Current Guidelines Truly Guiding? YUNUS EMRE ALTUNTAŞ
16:42 - 16:54	Achieving More with Less: Modern Approaches to the Treatment of Pilonidal Sinus BURHAN HAKAN KANAT
16:54 - 17:09	Excisional Methods: Are They Outdated? EKMEL TEZEL
17:09 - 17:15	DISCUSSION
17:15 - 18:30	PANEL - MOMENTS OF CRISIS IN COLORECTAL CANCER Panel Moderator: BİLGİ BACA, MEHMET ALİ KOÇ Panelists: DAVID ZIMMERMAN, FAHRETTİN ACAR, EMRE BALIK, BENGİ GÜRSES, MUTLU DOĞAN

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08:00 - 09:00	TECHNICAL INSIGHTS FROM THE MASTERS IN BARIATRIC SURGERY Moderators: MUSTAFA TAŞKIN, MEHMET FATİH AVŞAR
08:00 - 08:12	Anticipating Risks: Evaluation of the Bariatric Patient OKTAY BANLI
08:12 - 08:24	Golden Rules in Sleeve: Bougie and Stapler Selection YUNUS YAVUZ
08:24 - 08:36	Reinforcing Sleeve: Additional Steps and Tips KORAY TEKİN
08:36 - 08:48	Fast and Effective Mini-Bypass: Technical Pearls HALİT EREN TAŞKIN
08:48 - 09:00	DISCUSSION
09:00 - 10:00	CHALLENGING CASES IN HERNIA SURGERY: EXPERIENCE AND CRITICAL DECISIONS Moderators: METİN ERTEM, FATİH ALTINTOPRAK
09:00 - 09:12	Facing Complex Cases: The Limits of Open Hernia Repair AHMET ZİYA ANADOL
09:12 - 09:24	Challenging Cases, Minimally Invasive Approach: The Test of Laparoscopic Hernia Repair HALİL AFŞİN TAŞDELEN
09:24 - 09:36	Function and Aesthetics: Contemporary Approaches to the Treatment of Rectus Diastasis MURAT BAKI YILDIRIM
09:36 - 09:48	Complication Management in Hernia Surgery: What to Do in Difficult Moments? YAŞAR ÖZDENKAYA
09:48 - 10:00	DISCUSSION
10:00 - 10:30	COFFEE BREAK
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11:00 - 11:12	How Does Content Spread? A Surgeon's Perspective on Social Media Algorithms MURAT AKSOY
11:12 - 11:24	The Surgeon's Digital Identity: From Followers to Trust ENDER SEVER
11:24 - 11:36	From Hashtag to Harvest: Strategy, Impact, and Crisis Management in Surgical Communication CEM YILMAZ
11:36 - 11:48	Think Before You Post: An Ethical and Legal Guide for Surgeons on Social Media VERDA ERSOY
11:48 - 12:00	DISCUSSION
12:00 - 13:00	VISUALIZING, MEASURING, MODELLING: THE NEW INTELLIGENCE IN THE OPERATING ROOM THROUGH THE DIGITAL REVOLUTION Moderators : METİN ÇAKMAKÇI, AHMET ÇOKER
12:00 - 12:20	Tech-Enhanced Precision Approaches in Benign Upper GI Surgery: Robotics, AR, and 3D Modeling Workflow LUIGI MARANO
12:20 - 12:30	Distinguished Oral Presentation
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14:00 - 15:00	LAPAROSCOPIC INGUINAL HERNIA REPAIR: TECHNIQUE, SELECTION and MARGINS Moderators: MELİH PAKSOY, AHMET ZİYA ANADOL
14:00 - 14:12	Critical Anatomical Landmarks in Hernia Repair: The Details That Determine Success SERHAN YILMAZ
14:12 - 14:24	TAPP & TEP: Technical Strategies and Learning Curve ATIL ÇAKMAK
14:24 - 14:36	e-TEP Approach: Expanding Boundaries and New Horizons METİN ERTEM
14:36 - 14:48	Laparoscopic Hernia Repair in Male and Female Patients: Differences and Technical Tips EMRAH AKIN
14:48 - 15:00	DISCUSSION
15:00 - 16:00	PARASTOMAL and ATYPICAL HERNIAS: SURGICAL STRATEGIES FOR CHALLENGING DEFECTS Moderators: CELALETTİN VATANSEV, MURAT ÇAKIR
15:00 - 15:12	Diagnosis, Classification and Imaging: Algorithmic Approach MEHMET AYKUT YILDIRIM
15:12 - 15:24	When to Operate: Follow-up? Early Intervention? İLHAN ECE
15:24 - 15:36	Repair Strategies: Sugarbaker, Keyhole and Retromuscular Approaches MURATHAN ERKENT
15:36 - 15:48	Prevention and Stoma Construction: Prophylactic Mesh, Stoma Design and Multidisciplinary Approach SERVER SEZGİN ULUDAĞ
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16:30 - 16:50	The Bariatric Manifesto AHMET GÖKHAN TÜRKÇAPAR
16:50 - 17:05	Wisdom before Experience: Preparation for Surgery MEVLÜT PEHLİVAN
17:05 - 17:20	E-Learning and Virtual Experience: Which Sources Work? MUSTAFA ŞAHİN
17:20 - 17:30	DISCUSSION
17:30 - 18:30	SPECIFIC SITUATIONS AND SURGICAL DECISIONS IN INGUINAL HERNIA Moderators: İLHAN ECE, MEHMET AYKUT YILDIRIM
17:30 - 17:45	Emergency Management and Technical Choices: The Right Steps in Strangulated Hernia TALAR VARTANOĞLU AKTOKMAKYAN
17:45 - 18:00	Challenges in Athletic Pubalgia: Technique Selection and Rehabilitation Strategies HÜSEYİN KILAVUZ
18:00 - 18:15	The Right Approach to Pain Management: When to Operate and When to Opt for Supportive Treatment? MURAT BAKİ YILDIRIM
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08:00 - 08:12	From Diagnosis to Treatment in Gastric Neuroendocrine Tumors: When Is Surgery Indicated? SERDAR ÇULCU
08:12 - 08:24	"Organ Sparing" or Radical in GIST Cases? Current Approach ABDULLAH ŞENLİKÇİ
08:24 - 08:36	Is Omentectomy Truly Necessary? Does It Contribute to Survival? ORHAN ÜREYEN
08:36 - 08:48	Surgery or Endoscopic Treatment in Early Stage Gastric Cancer? What are the Limits? OSMAN YÜKSEL
08:48 - 09:00	DISCUSSION
09:00 - 10:00	THE ART OF DECISION MAKING IN THE SURGERY OF GERD: BETWEEN SCIENCE, EXPERIENCE and INTUITION Moderators: NECİP ZAFER ÖNER, HASAN ZAFER ACAR
09:00 - 09:12	The Selection Moment in Fundoplication: To Whom? Partial or Total? AHMET GÖKHAN TÜRKÇAPAR
09:12 - 09:24	When We Encounter with Barrett Esophagus: How Aggressive Should We Be? SÜLEYMAN DEMİRYAS
09:24 - 09:36	Recurring GERD: Is the Technique or Patient the Issue? AKIN FIRAT KOCAAY
09:36 - 09:48	Complication Management: Strategy to Avoid Pitfalls SERHAN YILMAZ
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11:00 - 12:00	PEARLS OF SURGERY IN ESOPHAGUS CANCER : DISSECTION, MARGIN AND RECONSTRUCTION Moderators: ABDURRAHMAN ŞİMŞEK, MEHMET MİHMANLI
11:00 - 11:12	Assurance by Clear Surgical Margin in Squamous Cell Carcinoma BAHRİ ÇAKABAY
11:12 - 11:24	Mediastinal Lymph Node Dissection: How to Achieve Adequate and Safe Margins? TURGUT DÖNMEZ
11:24 - 11:36	Post-Resection Ideal Reconstruction: Which method, For Which Patient? MEHMET AKİF TÜRKOĞLU
11:36 - 11:48	Managing Early Complications: Strategies and Solutions AHMET OĞUZ HASDEMİR
11:48 - 12:00	DISCUSSION
12:00 - 13:00	DEBATES IN METABOLIC SURGERY Moderators: İBRAHİM SAKÇAK, KORAY TEKİN
12:00 - 12:10	Would Do Sleeve for Type 2 DM!!! OZAN ŞEN
12:10 - 12:20	I Would Do Gastric By-pass for Type 2 DM!!! SİNAN SOYLU
12:20 - 12:30	I Would Do Mini Gastric By-pass for Type 2 DM!!! CÜNEYT KIRKIL
12:30 - 12:40	I Would Do Duodenal Switch for for Type 2 DM!!! AHMET ÇAĞRI BÜYÜKKASAP
12:40 - 12:50	I Would Do SASI for Type 2 DM!!! ANIL ERGİN
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14:00 - 14:12	Current Situation in Early Diagnosis: Endoscopy, Indications and Pitfalls ÖMER TOPUZ
14:12 - 14:24	Deciding between Endoscopic and Surgical Treatment YAVUZ ALBAYRAK
14:24 - 14:36	Minimally Invasive Approaches and Lymph Node Management TOLGA DİNÇ
14:36 - 14:48	Future Perspective: Molecular Markers and Future Treatment Algorithms MUSTAFA DUMAN
14:48 - 15:00	DISCUSSION
15:00 - 16:00	DECISION MAKING AND TECHNIQUE IN ESOPHAGUS SURGERY Moderators: MAHMUT KOÇ, ZAFER FERAHKÖŞE
15:00 - 15:12	Surgical Margin and Technical Pitfalls in Esophagogastric Junction Tumors HASAN BEKTAŞ
15:12 - 15:24	Esophagectomy: Laparoscopic or VATS or Robotic? AHMET SÜREK
15:24 - 15:36	Open Esophagectomy: For Which Patients, Under Which Circumstances? GÖKALP OKUT
15:36 - 15:48	Anastomotic Safety: Most Effective Methods to Prevent Leaks MEHMET AKİF ÜSTÜNER
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16:30 - 17:30	DECISION MAKING AT THE TABLE, RESULT IN THE FIELD: SURGERY OF GASTRIC CANCER Moderators: ZAFER ERGÜL, OSMAN YÜKSEL
16:30 - 16:40	Open Gastrectomy : Ideal Lymph Node Dissection and Reconstruction ÜMİT HALUK İLİKLERDEN
16:40 - 16:50	Laparoscopic/Robotic Subtotal Gastrectomy: Safe and Effective? TURGUT DÖNMEZ
16:50 - 17:00	Laparoscopic/Robotic Total Gastrectomy: Pearls of D2 Dissection FATİH ALTINTOPRAK
17:20 - 17:25	Difficult Region: Surgeon's Decision for Paraaortic and Paracaval Lymph Node Involvement SALİM İLKSEN BAŞÇEKEN
17:25 - 17:30	DISCUSSION

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08:00 - 08:12	Roadmap of HPB Surgery: Scientific and Ethical Competences İLGİN ÖZDEN
08:12 - 08:24	What Knowledge and Skills are Required for Safe Liver Resection? GÜRKAN ÖZTÜRK
08:24 - 08:36	How does Diagnostic Radiology Shape the Decision-Making Process? RIZA SARPER ÖKTEN
08:36 - 08:48	How Will AI and Digital Technologies Change the Future? EMRE BOZKURT
08:48 - 09:00	DISCUSSION
09:00 - 10:00	GALL BLADDER: BEYOND HOW IT LOOKS Moderators: MUTLU DOĞANAY, ÖMER FAİK ERSOY
09:00 - 09:12	The Road to Cholecystectomy: Contemporary Interpretation of Indications and Technical Pearls İSMAİL TIRNOVA
09:12 - 09:24	Iatrogenic Bile Duct Injuries: Consensus from Diagnosis to Treatment MEHLİKA BİLGİ KIRMACI
09:24 - 09:36	Incidental Pathology: Gallbladder Cancer Management after Cholecystectomy ARİF ATAY
09:36 - 09:48	Percutaneous Cholecystostomy: The Right Patient, the Right Timing, the Right Strategy ERDEM BARIŞ CARTI
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11:00 - 11:12	When Patient Presents with Common Bile Duct Stone: Endoscopic? Or Surgical? MAHMUT SAİT DEĞERLİ
11:12 - 11:24	How Should We Manage ERCP-Related Perforations? MUSTAFA ŞENTÜRK
11:24 - 11:36	We Encounter with Biliary Stricture: Benign or Malignant? How Do We Differentiate? PINAR TAŞAR
11:36 - 11:48	Surgical Challenges in Surgery After Biliary Drainage CİHAN AĞALAR
11:48 - 12:00	DISCUSSION
12:00 - 12:30	HEPATOCELLULAR CARCINOMA IN THE CIRRHOTIC LIVER: RESECTION OR TRANSPLANTATION Moderators: SEDAT YILDIRIM, SADIK ERSÖZ
12:00 - 12:12	The Resection Perspective: Should We Wait with the Scalpel in Hand? CUMHUR YEĞEN
12:12 - 12:24	The Transplant Perspective: Cirrhosis + HCC — Dual Pathology, Single Solution SEZÂİ YILMAZ
12:24 - 12:30	DISCUSSION
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14:00 - 15:00	LIVER TRANSPLANTATION AT A GLANCE: CURRENT APPROACHES AND EXPERIENCE Moderators: HAMDİ KARAKAYALI, İLGİN ÖZDEN
14:00 - 14:12	Changing Paradigms in Liver Transplantation: Who, When, and Which Type? SEDAT YILDIRIM
14:12 - 14:24	Living Donor Liver Transplantation in 2026: Balancing Safety, Ethics, and Technology ERDEM KINACI
14:24 - 14:36	Determinants of Long-Term Success After Liver Transplantation: Does It End When Surgery Ends? ONUR YAPRAK
14:36 - 14:48	Present Status and Future Directions in Liver Transplantation in Türkiye: Centers, Volume, Quality, and Standardization SEZÂİ YILMAZ
14:48 - 15:00	DISCUSSION
15:00 - 16:00	MANAGING PANCREATIC CANCER: NEOADJUVANT THERAPY, SURGERY AND BEYOND Moderators: KAAN KARAYALÇIN, MUSTAFA ŞARE
15:00 - 15:15	Neoadjuvant Therapy in Pancreatic Ductal Adenocarcinoma: Does It Truly Improve Survival ? KORAY KARABULUT
15:15 - 15:30	Pancreaticoduodenectomy: Technical Pearls for Safe Surgery ACAR TÜZÜNER
15:30 - 15:45	Postoperative Complications After Pancreatic Surgery: Inevitable or Manageable? OSMAN ABBASOĞLU
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16:30 - 16:42	Open vs. Closed? Pancreatic Surgery Is Transforming BESLEN GÖKSOY
16:42 - 16:54	Training at the Robotic Console: The New World of Education and Simulation ÖZGÜR BOSTANCI
16:54 - 17:06	Bold Step in Cancer Surgery: Is the Minimally Invasive Approach Oncologically Safe? ALPEN YAHYA GÜMÜŞOĞLU
17:06 - 17:18	Truly Fewer Complications? Putting Minimally Invasive Surgery to the Test GÖKHAN YAĞCI
17:18 - 17:30	DISCUSSION

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08:00 - 09:00	GAME-CHANGING FACTS IN EARLY-STAGE BREAST CANCER Moderators: MÜKERREM ÇETE, OSMAN KURUKAHVECİOĞLU
08:00 - 08:12	Breast-Conserving Surgery in Multicentric Disease: Are We Challenging the Dogma? ARZU AKAN
08:12 - 08:24	Ablation vs Surgery: Two Different Stories of the Same Journey? ONUR DÜLGEROĞLU
08:24 - 08:36	Radiotherapy: From a One-Size-Fits-All Approach to Personalized Treatment HALE ÇAĞLAR
08:36 - 08:48	Genomic Tests: The Silent Architect of Adjuvant Decision-Making SERAP EREL
08:48 - 09:00	DISCUSSION
09:00 - 10:00	LESS IS MORE, OR MORE IS HARM? WELL-DIFFERENTIATED THYROID CANCER Moderators: FERİT TANERİ, NİHAT ZAFER UTKAN
09:00 - 09:15	From the Pathologist's Perspective: WHO Classification of Thyroid Cancers for Surgeons MELTEM ÖZNR
09:15 - 09:27	Extent of Surgery in Well-Differentiated Thyroid Cancer: Minimal or Maximal? HÜSNÜ AYDIN
09:27 - 09:39	Biochemistry or Imaging? Where Is the Real Answer Hidden? İSMAİL CEM SORMAZ
09:39 - 09:51	Decision Algorithms for RAI Dose and Timing: Balancing Benefit and Harm FANİ BOZKURT
09:51 - 10:00	DISCUSSION
10:00 - 10:30	COFFEE BREAK
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11:00 - 12:00	PANEL - UNANSWERED QUESTIONS IN HYPERTHYROIDISM Panel Moderator: MEHMET HACIYANLI Panelists: AHMET CEM DURAL, NURCİHAN AYGÜN, AHMET PERGEL, ÖZLEM USTAY, FANİ BOZKURT
12:00 - 13:00	A TURNING POINT IN THYROID CANCER: ATA 2025 AND THE ERA OF ACTIVE SURVEILLANCE Moderators: MEHMET ULUDAĞ, YAVUZ ATAKAN SEZER
12:00 - 12:15	ATA 2025: Game-Changing Revisions or Minor Adjustments? SERKAN SARI
12:15 - 12:35	Time is Ripe: Active Surveillance in Thyroid Cancer YASUHIRO ITO
12:35 - 12:50	Is Active Surveillance Suitable for Everyone? Cultural, Healthcare System, and Surgeon Realities ÖZER MAKAY
12:50 - 13:00	DISCUSSION
13:00 - 14:00	LUNCH
14:00 - 15:00	ADRENAL SURGERY IN THE TECHNOLOGY RACE: APPROACH SELECTION, LIMITS, AND THE FUTURE Moderators: MUSTAFA ÜMİT UĞURLU, SELÇUK MERCAN
14:00 - 14:20	The Technology Race in Adrenalectomy: Robotic or Laparoscopic? EREN BERBER
14:20 - 14:35	Retroperitoneoscopic Adrenalectomy: Where Does It Stand in Modern Adrenal Surgery? YİĞİT TÜRK
14:35 - 14:50	Balancing Radicality and Safety in Surgery for Catecholamine-Releasing Lesions MARTIN WALZ
14:50 - 15:00	DISCUSSION

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15:00 - 16:00	A NEW MINDSET IN MEDULLARY THYROID CANCER: FROM STANDARD TO STRATEGY Moderators: TEVFİK SERDAR TEZELMAN, SİBEL ÖZKAN GÜRDAL
15:00 - 15:12	What Should the Extent of Surgery Be? What Are the Limits of Neck Dissection? SERKAN TEKSÖZ
15:12 - 15:24	Priority in Follow-Up: Imaging Findings or Biochemical Markers? ÖZLEM USTAY
15:24 - 15:36	RET Mutation and Surgery: Does the Gene Guide, or the Surgeon? GÖKTÜRK MARALCAN
15:36 - 15:48	Re-Surgery in Recurrent MTC: Selection Criteria, Neck Management, and Expected Benefit HAKAN YABANOĞLU
15:48 - 16:00	DISCUSSION
16:00 - 16:30	COFFEE BREAK
16:30 - 17:30	PANEL: EARLY-STAGE BREAST CANCER MANAGEMENT IN THE ERA OF DE-ESCALATION Panel Moderator: HASAN KARANLIK Panelists: ORHAN DEMİRCAN, HAVVA BELMA KOÇER, NESLİHAN CABİOĞLU, MELTEM ÖZNUR, HALE ÇAĞLAR, ERKİN ARIBAL

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08:00 - 09:00	PELVIC FLOOR AND FUNCTIONAL ANORECTAL DISORDERS Moderators: ERCAN GEDİK, NECDET FATİH YAŞAR
08:00 - 08:12	Pelvic Anatomy and Anorectal Physiology: Critical Insights for the Surgeon CİHANGİR AKYOL
08:12 - 08:24	Chronic Pelvic Pain: Where Do We Struggle Most in Diagnosis and Treatment? ERAY KARA
08:24 - 08:36	Obstructed Defecation Syndrome: Which Criteria Are Essential for Accurate Diagnosis? İSMAİL AHMET BİLGİN
08:36 - 08:48	Pelvic Floor Physiotherapy: For Whom and When? SERKAN ZENGER
08:48 - 09:00	DISCUSSION
09:00 - 10:00	PELVIC FLOOR SURGERY: CHALLENGING CASES WITH VISUAL PRESENTATIONS – CLEAR SOLUTIONS Moderators: MUSTAFA ATEŞ, YUSUF SEVİM
09:00 - 09:07	Transperineal Rectocele Repair ERSAN EROĞLU
09:07 - 09:14	STARR YUSUF SEVİM
09:14 - 09:21	Altemeier and Delorme Procedures NECDET FATİH YAŞAR
09:21 - 09:28	Ventral Mesh Rectopexy RAMAZAN KOZAN
09:28 - 09:35	Resection Rectopexy ADEM BAYRAKTAR
09:35 - 10:00	DISCUSSION
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11:00 - 11:30	CONFERENCE Moderators: Ö: SEZAI LEVENTOĞLU, CİHANGİR AKYOL
11:00 - 11:20	The Future Of Surgery For Perianal Fistula - Technique or Technology? DAVID ZIMMERMAN
11:20 - 11:30	DISCUSSION
11:30 - 12:20	ESD or TAMIS IN RECTAL NEOPLASIA ? - MINIMALLY INVASIVE DUEL Moderators: FEVZİ CENGİZ, ŞİYAR ERSÖZ
11:30 - 12:20	ESD Is Superior TAHSİN DALGIÇ
11:30 - 12:20	TAMIS Is Superior SERCAN YÜKSEL
11:30 - 12:20	DISCUSSION
12:20 - 13:00	SILENT THREAT: MODERN PERSPECTIVE TO ANAL HPV AND SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASES Moderators: NERİMAN ŞENGÜL, MUSTAFA ATEŞ
12:20 - 12:32	Sexually Transmitted Perianal Diseases - "Revealing the Hidden Threats" FATMA AYÇA GÜLTEKİN
12:32 - 12:44	Management of Anogenital Warts N. ÇİĞDEM ARSLAN
12:44 - 12:56	Early Action Against HPV: Vaccination and Screening SERKAN ZENGER
12:56 - 13:00	DISCUSSION
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14:00 - 15:00	THE SURGEON'S CHESSBOARD IN INFLAMMATORY BOWEL DISEASE Moderators: EDİZ ALTINLI, ATILLA KURT
14:00 - 14:12	Surgery in Ileocolic Crohn's Disease: Timing Strategies ERDİNÇ ÇETİNKAYA
14:12 - 14:24	The Role of the Mesentery in Crohn's Disease and Innovations in Anastomotic Techniques NURİ OKKABAZ
14:24 - 14:36	The Future of Perianal Fistulizing Crohn's Disease: Bioregenerative MURAT KENDİRCİ
14:36 - 14:48	Extended Venous Thromboembolism Prophylaxis After IBD Surgery SERVER SEZGİN ULUDAĞ
14:48 - 15:00	DISCUSSION
15:00 - 16:00	DIVERTICULAR DISEASE: BETWEEN GUIDELINES AND DAILY PRACTICE Moderators: MURAT SÜPHAN ERTÜRK, BARLAS SÜLÜ
15:00 - 15:15	What Do the Guidelines Tell Us? GÖKHAN GİRAY AKGÜL
15:15 - 15:30	Which Patient, When, and What Type of Surgery Should Be Performed? ATILLA KURT
15:30 - 15:50	Diverticulitis Surgery; Will the Future Be More- or Less Invasive DAVID ZIMMERMAN
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16:30 - 17:15	SURGICAL NUANCES IN COLITIS: WITH VISUAL PRESENTATIONS Moderators: TARIK AA, UUR SUNGURTEKİN
16:30 - 16:40	Robotic Total Proctocolectomy + Ileal Pouch–Anal Anastomosis BİLGİ BACA
16:40 - 16:50	Minimally Invasive Surgery in Diverticulitis AFİG GOJAYEV
16:50 - 17:00	Oh No, the Pouch Did Not Reach! RAMAZAN GÜNDOĞDU
17:00 - 17:10	Strictureplasty AHMET RENCÜZOĞULLARI
17:10 - 17:15	DISCUSSION

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08:00 - 09:00	MANAGEMENT OF GERD IN BARIATRIC SURGERY: SURGICAL DECISION-MAKING POINTS Moderators: MUSTAFA ŞAHİN, AHMET GÖKHAN TÜRKÇAPAR
08:00 - 08:12	GERD Risk based on Data: Sleeve, By-pass and Other Methods GÖKHAN SELÇUK ÖZBALCI
08:12 - 08:24	Is Hiatal Hernia Present? How Does It Affect Surgical Planning? MUHAMMED RAŞİD AYKOTA
08:24 - 08:36	Surgical Choice in the Presence of GERD: Decision-Making Moment TUNA BİLECİK
08:36 - 08:48	Post-Sleeve GERD: Management Methods MUHAMMED TAHA DEMİRPOLAT
08:48 - 09:00	DISCUSSION
09:00 - 10:00	MESH SELECTION IN HERNIA REPAIR: MIND AND STRATEGY Moderators: SAVAŞ YAKAN, AHMET MÜCTEBA ÖZTÜRK
09:00 - 09:12	Next-Generation Meshes and Clinical Applications HAYDAR CELASIN
09:12 - 09:24	Complications by Mesh Selection : Where Does the Mistake Start? HAKAN GÖK
09:24 - 09:36	Mesh Strategy for Difficult Patient Groups MEHMET ÜSTÜN
09:36 - 09:48	Guidelines, Real World and Surgeon's Intuition: Where Do We Diverge? LÜTFÜ SOYLU
09:48 - 10:00	DISCUSSION
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10:30 - 11:00	METABOLISM BEYOND BOUNDARIES: AGE, CULTURE AND BARIATRIC SURGERY Moderators: ALİ SAPMAZ, ALA ELCİRCEVİ
10:30 - 10:50	Bariatric Surgery in Young Patients: How Early Is Too Early? HASSAN Z. SHAKER
10:50 - 11:00	DISCUSSION
11:00 - 12:00	TWO APPROACHES, ONE STAGE Future of Metabolic Surgery: DS vs. SADI-S, Vs. Personalized Hybrid Approaches? Moderators: ONUR BİRSEN, HALİT EREN TAŞKIN Debaters: RANA PULLATT, CHIH-KUN HUANG
12:00 - 13:00	THE HIGH-RISK GAME IN HEPATOBILIARY SURGERY: DIFFICULT CASES AND HILAR TUMOR SURGERY Moderators: MURAT DEREBEY, DENİZ BALCI
12:00 - 12:25	Challenging Liver Cases with Video Demonstrations ISWANTO SUCANDY
12:25 - 12:50	The Surgical Treatment of Hilar Cholangiocarcinoma ZORAN MILOSEVIC
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14:00 - 15:00	THE FUTURE OF HERNIA SURGERY: DESIGN, TECHNOLOGY, STRATEGY Moderators: FAZİLET ERGÖZEN, ALİ SAPMAZ
14:00 - 14:25	Algorithm-Driven Surgery: Who Will Plan Hernia Operations in the Future? SALVADOR MORALES CONDE
14:25 - 14:50	Fascial Traction in Loss of Domain Hernias: Where Does It Fit in Future Surgical Algorithms? THOMAS AUFENBERG
14:50 - 15:00	DISCUSSION
15:00 - 16:00	CURRENT STRATEGIES IN BENIGN STOMACH AND ESOPHAGEAL DISEASES Moderators: MEHMET FAİK ÖZÇELİK, YAVUZ SELİM İLHAN
15:00 - 15:20	The Evolution of Surgical Treatment For Achalasia: From Experimental Evidence to Real World Impact LUIGI MARANO
15:20 - 15:32	Esophageal Diverticulum and Esophageal Perforation: Clinical Decision Points ERDAL KARAGÜLLE
15:32 - 15:44	Caustic Ingestion: The Surgeon's Strategy HATİM YAHYA MAHMUD USLU
15:44 - 15:56	Benign Gastric Tumors: Resection or Surveillance? AHMET ŞEKER
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16:30 - 17:30	THREE SURGEONS, THREE DIFFERENT APPROACHES - WEIGHT RE-GAIN AFTER SLEEVE:MASTERS' DUEL Moderators: MUSTAFA TAŞKIN, GÖKHAN SELÇUK ÖZBALCI
16:30 - 16:45	I Won't Give Up! I Would Perform a Re-Sleeve HALİL ALIŞ
16:45 - 17:00	I Would Perform a Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass and Achieve Maximum Effect ABDÜLKADİR BEDİRLİ
17:00 - 17:15	I Prefer Mini Gastric Bypass: Because It Is Fast, Effective, and Safe AZİZ SÜMER
17:15 - 17:30	DISCUSSION
17:30 - 18:30	A NEW ERA IN BARIATRIC SURGERY: GUIDELINES, REGULATIONS, AND THE FUTURE Moderators: OKTAY BANLI, SERHAN YILMAZ
17:30 - 17:42	New Horizons in International Guidelines: What Do the ASMBS & IFSO Criteria Mean for Us? MEHMET CELAL KIZILKAYA
17:42 - 17:54	Current Regulations in Türkiye: Ministry of Health Policies and Their Impact on Surgeons and Centers ERKAN AKSOY
17:54 - 18:06	Accreditation and Certification: A Necessity or a Privilege in the Future of Bariatric Surgery? KAYHAN ÖZDEMİR
18:06 - 18:18	Medico-Legal Realities: The Bariatric Surgeon's Responsibilities from Complication to Legal Process ADNAN KUVVETLİ
18:18 - 18:30	DISCUSSION

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08:00 - 09:00	RATIONAL MANAGEMENT IN CHRONIC WOUNDS: MULTIDISCIPLINARY APPROACH FROM DIAGNOSIS TO TREATMENT Moderators: AHMET DENİZ UÇAR, HİKMET ERHAN GÜVEN
08:00 - 08:12	Pressure Ulcers: A Preventable Problem? Diagnosis, Treatment, and Preventive Strategies ÖZTEKİN ÇIKMAN
08:12 - 08:24	Arteriovenous Wounds: The Fine Balance from Diagnosis to Follow-Up SERAP ULUSOY
08:24 - 08:36	Wound Debridement: Which Method and When? Active, Passive and Biological Approaches SERHAT TOLGA DERİCİ
08:36 - 08:48	Outpatient Management of Chronic Wounds: A Surgeon's Clinical Guide HALUK KERİM KARAKULLUKÇU
08:48 - 09:00	DISCUSSION
09:00 - 10:00	TURKISH JOURNAL OF SURGERY NEWBEEES GROUP: NATIONAL RESEARCH RESULTS Moderators: MUSTAFA ÜMİT UÇURLU, N. ÇİĞDEM ARSLAN
09:00 - 09:20	Artificial Intelligence in Academic Practice HALDUN AKOĞLU
09:20 - 09:30	Who Are We? Digital Academy: YouTube and Podcast
09:30 - 09:45	Evidence-Based Surgery Survey SARP TUNALI
09:45 - 09:55	PACS Utilization Survey SARP TUNALI
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11:00 - 12:00	PANEL ON DIFFICULT CASES – “I AM BATTERED AND BRUISED, AT THE BOTTOM OF A CLIFF” Moderators: SAVAŞ BAYRAK, HİKMET ERHAN GÜVEN
11:00 - 11:12	Long-Standing Pressure Ulcers: When Should Surgery Be Considered? MURAT KENDİRCİ
11:12 - 11:24	Management of Refractory Wounds in Peripheral Arterial Disease FATİH YANAR
11:24 - 11:36	Recurrent Diabetic Foot Ulcers: Repeat Amputation or Re-Reconstruction? BAYRAM ÇOLAK
11:36 - 11:48	Interactive Session Through Real Cases
11:48 - 12:00	DISCUSSION
12:00 - 13:00	SURGERY ON THE EDGE OF CRISIS: THE ART OF SURVIVAL IN DISASTERS, WAR, AND BORDER SETTINGS Moderators: MURAT KALEMOĞLU, LEVHİ AKIN
12:00 - 13:00	Not Trapped Under Concrete but Under Time: The Surgeon's 360-Minute Test ALİ İŞLER
12:00 - 13:00	The Curriculum on Paper Is Not Enough: Young Surgeons Are Trained for Disaster in the Field GÖKHAN AKBULUT
12:00 - 13:00	When the Borderline Turns into an Operating Room: Triage and Three-Minute Critical Decisions in War Surgery BAKİ TÜRKÖĞLU
12:00 - 13:00	A One-Stretcher Operating Room: The Reality of Damage Control on the Front Line BURAK UÇANER
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14:00 - 15:00	RATIONAL MANAGEMENT AFTER GASTRECTOMY Moderators: ENVER İLHAN, MEHMET ÇAĞLIKÜLEKÇİ
14:00 - 14:15	Postoperative Leaks: Strategies for Duodenal and Anastomotic Leaks GÖKALP OKUT
14:15 - 14:30	Functional Syndromes: Is There an Increase After Minimally Invasive Surgery? MEHMET AKİF TÜRKOĞLU
14:30 - 14:45	Nutrition in Gastrectomy Patients: Preoperative Preparation and Postoperative Follow-Up Protocols İLHAN TAŞDÖVEN
14:45 - 15:00	DISCUSSION
15:00 - 16:00	ABDOMINAL COMPARTMENT SYNDROME: SURVIVING UNDER THE SHADOW OF PRESSURE Moderators: ÇAĞATAY DAPHAN, ÖZGÜR AKGÜL
15:00 - 15:15	The Invisible Threat: Silent Traces of Rising Intra-Abdominal Pressure İSA SÖZEN
15:15 - 15:30	The Surgeon's First Move: What Can We Do Before Using the Scalpel? İSMAIL OSKAY KAYA
15:30 - 15:45	Decisions on a Knife's Edge: Decompression and Open Abdomen Management FAHRİ YETİŞİR
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16:30 - 17:40	NEW HORIZONS IN SURGICAL EDUCATION: PROBLEMS, SOLUTIONS, OPPORTUNITIES Moderators: İSKENDER SAYEK, MUSTAFA YALÇIN KEKEÇ
16:30 - 16:42	The Current Status of Surgical Education in Türkiye and the Challenges Faced BEYZA ÖZÇINAR
16:42 - 16:54	Training Through the Eyes of a Resident: Expectations and Realities SARP TUNALI
16:54 - 17:06	Methods in Surgical Education: Simulation, VR/AR, and Artificial Intelligence İBRAHİM TAYFUN ŞAHİNER
17:06 - 17:18	Ethical Approaches in Residency Training: Experience with a Blended Learning Module ALİ KAĞAN COŞKUN
17:18 - 17:30	How Should be the Surgical Education Model of the Future? AHMET ZİYA ANADOL
17:30 - 17:40	DISCUSSION

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09:00 - 10:00	TRANSFORMATION THROUGH TECHNOLOGY IN TRANSPLANTATION Moderators: AYDIN DALGIÇ, ALP GÜRKAN
09:00 - 09:12	What Is the Gold Standard in Donor Nephrectomy? KEMAL EYVAZ
09:12 - 09:24	Intraperitoneal or Retroperitoneal in Laparoscopic Donor Surgery? BARIŞ AKİN
09:24 - 09:36	3D Imaging and Simulation in Preoperative Planning: What Do They Add to Transplantation? TONGUÇ UTKU YILMAZ
09:36 - 09:48	Living Donor Safety: Is It Possible to Reduce Risk with Technology? ULAŞ SÖZENER
09:00 - 10:00	DISCUSSION
10:00 - 10:30	COFFEE BREAK
10:30 - 11:00	SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM
11:00 - 12:00	WHAT IS THE RIGHT WAY IN LIVER METASTASIS? Moderators: KENAN ÇALIŞKAN, GÖKHAN MORAY
11:00 - 11:12	Surgery or Not? The Reality of Non-Colorectal Metastases SADIK ERSÖZ
11:12 - 11:24	Are Locoregional Treatments Curative or Merely Temporizing? EREN BERBER
11:24 - 11:36	Liver Metastases in the SBRT Era: Shifting Paradigms BANU ATALAR
11:36 - 11:48	When Recurrence Occurs: What Should Be the Next Step? ENDER DULUNDU
11:48 - 12:00	DISCUSSION

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12:00 - 13:00	EARLY STAGE GASTROINTESTINAL LESIONS AND INNOVATIVE APPROACHES Moderators: ÖMER GÜNAL, HASAN BEKTAŞ
12:00 - 12:15	Beyond the Microscopic Margins: Current Strategies in the Management of Early-Stage Gastrointestinal Lesions with ESR and EMR ASIM CİNGİ
12:15 - 12:27	Radical Minimalism with ESD: A Chance for Cure Without Surgery in Larger Lesions TAHSİN DALGIÇ
12:27 - 12:39	Endoscopic Full-Thickness Resection (EFTR): A Surgical Perspective CEVHER AKARSU
12:39 - 12:51	Artificial Intelligence in Endoscopy: From Polyp Detection to Dysplasia Classification MÜRŞİT DİNÇER
12:51 - 13:00	DISCUSSION
13:00 - 14:00	LUNCH
14:00 - 15:00	BILE DUCT INJURIES: RECOGNITION, MANAGEMENT, REPAIR Moderators: AHMET BALIK, SELÇUK HAZİNEDAROĞLU
14:00 - 14:15	If You Suspect It Intraoperatively: First Steps in Bile Duct Injury ÖZGÜR BOSTANCI
14:15 - 14:30	Racing Against Time in Bile Duct Injury: From Early Alert to Late Surgical Strategy MEHMET ALİ UZUN
14:30 - 14:45	The Endoscopist's Voice at the Table: ERCP and Beyond BÜLENT ÖDEMİŞ
14:45 - 15:00	ERCP from the Surgeon's Perspective: When to Expect and What? KEMAL DOLAY

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15:00 - 16:00	SILVER TSUNAMI IN THE EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT: SURGERY IN THE FRAIL AND MULTIMORBID PATIENT Moderators: KENAN ÇALIŞKAN, ADNAN ÖZPEK
15:00 - 15:12	Whose Operation, When? Risk Stratification, Frailty Assessment and Surgical Prioritization ALPER SÖZÜTEK
15:12 - 15:24	Physiological Reserve and Resuscitation Management in the Frail Emergency Patient TEVFİK AVCI
15:24 - 15:36	Medications, Balance and Risk: Surgical Decision-Making in the Setting of Anticoagulants, Antiplatelets and Polypharmacy GÜLTEKİN OZAN KÜÇÜK
15:36 - 15:48	When the Operation Is Over, What Have We Achieved? Measuring Quality of Life, Functional Recovery and True Surgical Success ALİ CİHAT YILDIRIM
15:48 - 16:00	DISCUSSION
16:00 - 16:30	COFFEE BREAK

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16:30 - 17:30	DECISION MOMENTS IN PANCREATIC CANCER: MARGINS, SELECTED PATIENTS AND LAST RESORTS Moderators: AHMET TEKİN, RECEP ÇETİN
16:30 - 16:42	What Should We Do After Chemotherapy? Interpreting Response in Locally Advanced Disease SERDAR TOPALOĞLU
16:42 - 16:54	Oligometastatic Pancreatic Cancer: To the Operating Table or to Oncology? TUFAN EGELİ
16:54 - 17:06	Facing Recurrence: Limits of Repeat Surgery After Resection ALPER UĞUZ
17:06 - 17:18	Deadlock in High-Risk Anastomoses: Is Total Pancreatectomy the Last Resort? MURAT DEREBEY
17:18 - 17:30	DISCUSSION
18:30 - 20:30	TSS COMPETENCY BOARD MEETING

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08:00 - 09:00	BENIGN BREAST DISEASES: A LONG ROAD, A TIRED SURGEON Moderators: ERTUĞRUL GAZİOĞLU, TAMER AKÇA
08:00 - 08:12	Breast Pain: A Simple Complaint or an Underlying Disease? SALİH ERPULAT ÖZİŞ
08:12 - 08:24	Nipple Discharge: The Path from a Benign Finding to Malignancy ALİ UZUNKÖY
08:24 - 08:36	Proliferative Lesions of the Breast: The Fine Line in Risk, Diagnosis and Management MUSTAFA BERKEŞOĞLU
08:36 - 08:48	Fibrocystic Breast Disease: A Real-Life Approach from Diagnosis to Follow-Up CEMAL KAYA
08:48 - 09:00	DISCUSSION
09:00 - 10:00	HIDDEN CODES, DIFFICULT DECISIONS: RISK AND THE SURGICAL JOURNEY IN BREAST CANCER Moderators: NUH ZAFER CANTÜRK, MELİH AKINCI
09:00 - 09:12	Somatic Mutations in Breast Cancer: Opening the Door to Treatment with Next-Generation Sequencing BERRİN PAPİLA
09:12 - 09:24	BRCA and Beyond: The Role of Risk-Reducing Surgery in the Light of Genetics VAHİT ÖZMEN
09:24 - 09:34	For BRCA (+) Breast Cancer, Breast-Conserving Surgery Is Sufficient / Mastectomy Is Mandatory? HASAN KARANLIK, SİBEL ÖZKAN GÜRDAL
09:34 - 10:00	DISCUSSION
10:00 - 10:30	COFFEE BREAK
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11:00 - 12:00	"CRITICAL THRESHOLDS IN BREAST CANCER: FROM HABITS TO RATIONAL STRATEGY" Moderators: GÜLDENİZ KARADENİZ ÇAKMAK, MUSTAFA ÜMİT UÇURLU
11:00 - 11:07	Distinguished Oral Presentation-I
11:07 - 11:14	Distinguished Oral Presentation-II
11:14 - 11:29	From Precision to Habit: Are We Using Neoadjuvant Chemotherapy in Breast Cancer Too Freely? THORSTEN KUHN
11:29 - 11:44	When Oncologic Safety Is Not Enough: The Unspoken Risks of Nipple-Sparing Mastectomy CICERO URBAN
11:44 - 12:00	DISCUSSION

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12:00 - 13:00	LIMITS OF SURGERY IN BREAST CANCER: WHEN IS IT NECESSARY, WHEN IS IT TOO MUCH? INTERACTIVE PRO-CON SESSION Moderator: BAHADIR GÜLLÜOĞLU
12:00 - 12:14	STAGE IV BREAST CANCER
12:00 - 12:07	Aggressive Surgery Should Be Performed; It Improves Local Control and Survival SERDAR ÖZBAŞ
12:07 - 12:14	Aggressive Surgery Often Provides No Benefit; Systemic Therapy Should Be the Priority SİNA FERAHMAN
12:14 - 12:28	CONTRALATERAL AXILLARY METASTASIS
12:14 - 12:21	Contralateral Axillary Dissection Contributes to Survival GÜNAY GÜRLEYİK
12:21 - 12:28	This Should Be Considered Distant Metastasis; Systemic Therapy Is Sufficient MURAT KEMAL ATAHAN
12:28 - 12:42	OCCULT BREAST CANCER
12:28 - 12:35	Mastectomy Should Be the Standard; Control Is Necessary Even If the Primary Tumor Is Not Identified MEHMET ALİ GÜLÇELİK
12:35 - 12:42	Control Can Be Achieved with Radiotherapy; Mastectomy Is Overtreatment CİHANĞİR ÖZASLAN
12:42 - 13:00	DISCUSSION OF VOTING RESULTS
13:00 - 14:00	LUNCH

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14:00 - 15:00	CHALLENGING SCENARIOS IN BREAST CANCER Moderators: LEVHİ AKIN, MEHMET ALİ ERYILMAZ
14:00 - 14:12	Grey Hair, But the Battle Is Not Over: Breast Cancer in the Elderly FAZIL CEM GEZEN
14:12 - 14:24	Giving Life While Fighting for Life: Pregnancy and Breast Cancer GAYE EBRU ŞEKER
14:24 - 14:36	Men Should Not Stay Silent: Breast Cancer in Men YAVUZ KURT
14:36 - 14:48	Approach to the Tumor in the Oligometastatic Patient CEM KARAALİ
14:48 - 15:00	DISCUSSION
15:00 - 15:30	THE MEMORY OF FORM: BREAST CANCER IN ART Moderators: LEVHİ AKIN, MEHMET ALİ ERYILMAZ
15:00 - 15:30	The Memory of Form: Breast Cancer in Art HASAN KARANLIK
15:30 - 16:00	FROM JAPAN TO THE WORLD: AN ALTERNATIVE MINDSET IN THYROID CANCER Moderators: RECEP GÖKHAN İÇÖZ, SERKAN SARI
15:30 - 15:50	Big in Japan: Our Algorithm, Our Guideline YASUHIRO ITO
15:50 - 16:00	DISCUSSION
16:00 - 16:30	COFFEE BREAK
16:30 - 17:30	PANEL: LOUD DECISIONS OF SILENT GLANDS: THE FINE-TUNING OF PARATHYROID SURGERY Panel Moderator: RECEP GÖKHAN İÇÖZ Panelists: CUMHUR ARICI, MEHMET ULUDAĞ, ALİ İBRAHİM SEVİNÇ, SUAT KUTUN, FANİ BOZKURT

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08:00 - 09:00	COLORECTAL CANCER SURGERY: TECHNIQUES AND TACTICS ON STAGE Moderators: İLKNUR ERENLER BAYRAKTAR, ARAS EMRE CANDA
08:00 - 08:12	Robotic TME RAMAZAN KOZAN
08:12 - 08:24	Robotik CME HÜSEYİN YILMAZ
08:24 - 08:36	Transanal Surgeries OSMAN BOZBIYIK
08:36 - 08:48	Lateral Lymph Node Dissection RODRIGO OLIVA PEREZ
08:48 - 09:00	DISCUSSION
09:00 - 10:00	THE SURGICAL DECISION THRESHOLD IN COLORECTAL POLYPS: WHERE TO STOP, WHEN TO INTERVENE? Moderators: SEZAI DEMİRBAŞ, UĞUR SUNGURTEKİN
09:00 - 09:12	Diagnosis Without Excision: Evaluation of Malignant Colorectal Polyps in Endoscopy and Technology-Assisted Prediction MURAT ÇAKIR
09:12 - 09:24	Malignant Polyp: Which Histological Finding Requires Surgery? MELTEM ÖZNR
09:24 - 09:36	Beyond Endoscopic Boundaries: EMR and ESD - Do the Techniques Conflict or Complement Each Other? İLKER ÖZGÜR
09:36 - 09:48	Organ Preservation or Assurance of Cure? Rational Choice Between Endoluminal Surgery and TME FEVZİ CENGİZ
09:48 - 10:00	DISCUSSION
10:00 - 10:30	COFFEE BREAK
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11:00 - 12:00	PARADIGM SHIFT IN COLORECTAL CANCER: BEYOND TNM, NEW TREATMENTS AND DECISION POINTS Moderators: MUSTAFA ÖNCEL, SEZGİN ZEREN
11:00 - 11:12	Is TNM Not Enough? The Role of New Prognostic Factors in Our Decisions HAKAN TEOMAN YANAR
11:12 - 11:24	The Young Colorectal Cancer Tsunami: Are We Ready, What Has Changed in Our Practice? İLKER ÖZGÜR
11:24 - 11:36	Neoadjuvant Therapy in Colon Cancer: Does It Truly Make a Difference? MUTLU DOĞAN
11:36 - 11:48	Complete Mesocolic Excision: For All or for Selected Patients? MEHMET ALİ KOÇ
11:48 - 12:00	DISCUSSION
12:00 - 13:00	UEMS meets TURKISH SURGICAL SOCIETY - 1 Moderators: ÖMER FARUK ÖZKAN, SERAP EREL
12:00 - 12:07	Distinguished Oral Presentation - I
12:07 - 12:14	Distinguished Oral Presentation- II
12:14 - 12:21	Distinguished Oral Presentation - III
12:21 - 12:28	Distinguished Oral Presentation - III
12:28 - 12:40	DISCUSSION
12:40 - 13:00	Peritoneal Malignancies: HIPEC and PIPAC - Competing or Working Together? SEBASTIAN ROKA
13:00 - 14:00	LUNCH

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14:00 - 14:25	CONFERENCE Moderator: FEZA YARBUĞ KARAKAYALI
14:00 - 14:20	Complexities and Pitfalls Associated with a Complete Clinical Response Determination After nCRT in Rectal Cancer Patients RODRIGO OLIVA PEREZ
14:20 - 14:25	DISCUSSION
14:25 - 15:00	THE TNT REVOLUTION: FOR ALL OR FOR SELECTED PATIENTS? – OPPOSING VIEWS Moderator: DURSUN BUĞRA
14:25 - 14:35	TNT for All EMRE BALIK
14:35 - 14:45	TNT for Selected Patients FEZA YARBUĞ KARAKAYALI
14:45 - 15:00	DISCUSSION
15:00 - 16:00	THE SCIENTIFIC JOURNEY OF YOUNG SURGEONS – “FIRST STEP, FIRST PROJECT, FIRST PUBLICATION” Moderators: AHMET ÖZDEMİR AKTAN, AHMET ZİYA ANADOL
15:00 - 15:20	Decision-making and Risk-taking in Surgical Curricula ARTHUR FELICE
15:20 - 15:32	Where to Start in Research? A Step-by-Step Scientific Journey for the Young Surgeon CÜNEYT KÖKSOY
15:32 - 15:44	A Funding Guide for the Young Surgeon – Small Grants, Fellowships, Micro-Projects YİÇİT TÜRK
15:44 - 15:56	The Three Most Critical Pitfalls in Preparing for Publication: Late Statistical Planning – Wrong Journal Selection – Insufficient Visibility ALİ KAĞAN COŞKUN
15:56 - 16:00	DISCUSSION

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PANEL - ROADMAP IN RECTAL CANCER: A MULTIDISCIPLINARY COUNCIL WITH CASE PRESENTATIONS

Panel Moderators: RODRIGO OLIVA PEREZ, İLKNUR ERENLER BAYRAKTAR

Panelists: FEZA YARBUĞ KARAKAYALI, DURSUN BUĞRA,

BENİ GÜRSES, MUTLU DOĞAN, BANU ATALAR, AYHAN BÜLENT ERKEK

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08:00 - 09:00	CONTROVERSIAL TOPICS IN BARIATRIC AND METABOLIC SURGERY, BORDERLINE DECISIONS, CHALLENGING CHOICES Moderators: MUSTAFA KALFAOĞLU, MEVLÜT PEHLİVAN
08:00 - 08:12	Surgical Roadmap in the Presence of Gallbladder Stones BARIŞ BAYRAKTAR
08:12 - 08:24	Anterior Abdominal Wall Hernias: Strategy in Bariatric and Metabolic Surgery YUSUF TANRIKULU
08:24 - 08:36	The Moment of Surgical Decision in Gastric Submucosal Lesions KİNYAS KARTAL
08:36 - 08:48	Surgery in the Setting of Liver and Renal Failure: Limits and Safety BURÇİN BATMAN
08:48 - 09:00	DISCUSSION
09:00 - 10:00	UEMS meets TURKISH SURGICAL SOCIETY - 2 Moderators: AHMET SERDAR KARACA, ENDER DULUNDU
09:00 - 09:07	Distinguished Oral Presentation 1
09:07 - 09:14	Distinguished Oral Presentation 2
09:14 - 09:34	Moving Beyond Anatomy – Integrating Tumor Biology and Molecular Profiles into Surgical Decision-Making DANIEL CASANOVA
09:34 - 09:54	Resectability Redefined: Oncologic and Technical Outcomes of Vascular Resections in Pancreatic Surgery ALEJANDRO SERRABLO
09:54 - 10:00	DISCUSSION
10:00 - 10:30	COFFEE BREAK
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11:00 - 11:07	Distinguished Oral Presentation I
11:07 - 11:14	Distinguished Oral Presentation II
11:14 - 11:34	Complex Abdominal Wall Surgery FERDINAND KÖCKERLING
11:34 - 11:54	Laparoscopic Intracorporeal Rectus Aponeuroplasty (LIRA) SALVADOR MORALES CONDE
11:54 - 12:00	DISCUSSION
12:00 - 13:00	FROM TODAY TO 2035, FROM SLEEVE TO SWITCH: SMART ROADMAPS IN METABOLIC SURGERY Moderators: ONUR BİRSEN, HALİT EREN TAŞKIN
12:00 - 12:25	Metabolic Surgery 2035: Artificial Intelligence, Digital Twins, and The Era of Personalized Bariatric Care RANA PULLATT
12:25 - 12:50	Robotic Sleeve Plus Surgery: Davinci or Hugo System? CHIH-KUN HUANG
12:50 - 13:00	DISCUSSION
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14:00 - 15:00	PANEL: THE COURT OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE IN SURGERY Panel Moderators: ÖMER FAİK ERSOY, ALA ELCİRCEVİ Panelists: AYHAN BÜLENT ERKEK, TAMER AKÇA, MERVE ERDEM, VERDA ERSOY, ROBOTICS COMPANY MANAGER and ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE
15:00 - 16:00	CONFERENCE Moderator: ENDER DULUNDU
15:00 - 15:20	Surgery for Intrahepatic Cholangiocarcinoma: Limits, Evidence and Future Directions HAUKE LANG
16:00 - 16:30	COFFEE BREAK
16:30 - 17:30	SURVIVAL AFTER TRAUMA: THE SURGEON'S TOUGHEST TEST Moderators: ARİFE DÜZGÜN POLAT, HASAN FEHMİ KÜÇÜK
16:30 - 16:42	Damage Control Resuscitation: A Life-Saver or a Partial Solution? UFUK OĞUZ İDİZ
16:42 - 16:54	Transfusion in Coagulopathy: How Much Is Enough, How Much Is Too Much? SUAT CAN ULUKENT
16:54 - 17:06	Multiple Organ Failure: Can It Be Prevented? OĞUZ HANÇERLİOĞULLARI
17:06 - 17:18	Delirium in the ICU: The Overlooked Danger MEHMET EREN YÜKSEL
17:18 - 17:30	DISCUSSION

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08:00 - 09:00	THE FIRST HOURS IN BURNS: FROM THE FIELD TO THE OPERATING ROOM Moderators: YUSUF YAVUZ, AHMET DENİZ UÇAR
08:00 - 08:12	Organization of Burn Care: What Has Changed from Past to Present? KORAY DAŞ
08:12 - 08:24	Skin Anatomy, Burn Depth and Severity: What Determines Morbidity and Mortality? HİLMİ YAZICI
08:24 - 08:36	Initial Management in Burns: Safe Intubation and Transfer Strategy MEHMET EREN YÜKSEL
08:36 - 08:48	Life- and Limb-Saving Emergency Surgical Interventions in Burns OZAN BARIŞ NAMDAROĞLU
08:48 - 09:00	DISCUSSION
09:00 - 10:00	SELECTED VIDEO PRESENTATIONS Moderators: MUZAFFER AKKOCA, LÜTFÜ SOYLU
10:00 - 10:30	COFFEE BREAK
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11:00 - 12:00	EVIDENCE, RISK AND EXPECTATIONS IN PERITONEAL METASTASIS OF GASTRIC CANCER - SURGICAL DILEMMAS Moderators: ALİ EKREM ÜNAL, MUSTAFA DUMAN
11:00 - 11:20	CYTOREDUCTIVE SURGERY AND HIPEC: A FEASIBLE OPTION?
11:00 - 11:10	May Prolong Survival in Selected Cases ÇETİN KOTAN
11:10 - 11:20	Costly, High Morbidity, and Ineffective Intervention KÜRŞAT KARADAYI
11:20 - 11:40	PIPAC IN UNRESECTABLE PERITONEAL METASTASES: A REAL BENEFIT?
11:20 - 11:30	Limited Evidence, High Cost, Uncertain Outcomes HÜSEYİN ÇİVİLTEPE
11:30 - 11:40	Promising but Still Early ALPER SÖZÜTEK
11:40 - 12:00	DISCUSSION

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12:00 - 13:00	RED ALERT SESSION: VESSELS, THROMBOSIS AND SURGICAL DECISIONS Moderators: MEHMET KURTOĞLU, UÇUR BENGİSUN
12:00 - 12:10	Started with Good Intentions, Turned into Crisis: Iatrogenic Vascular Injuries MURAT AKSOY
12:10 - 12:20	Aortic Time Bomb? Management of Acute Abdomen in the Presence of Aneurysm UÇUR BENGİSUN
12:20 - 12:30	A Warming World, Overburdened Vessels: Climate Crisis and Vascular Diseases CÜNEYT KÖKSOY
12:30 - 12:40	Clot Under the Knife: Antithrombotic Decision-Making in Surgical Patients FATİH ATA GENÇ
12:40 - 12:50	Was Prophylaxis Enough? Right Timing and Right Intervention in Venous Thromboembolism ÖMER ARDA ÇETİNKAYA
12:50 - 13:00	DISCUSSION
13:00 - 14:00	LUNCH
14:00 - 15:00	PORTAL HYPERTENSION: WHERE INTELLECT MEETS COURAGE Moderators: DERYA KARAKOÇ, SELÇUK HAZİNEDAROĞLU
14:00 - 14:12	Portal Hypertension 2026: Where Does the Surgeon Stand? AYDIN DALGIÇ
14:12 - 14:24	Shunt Surgery – A Field of Mastery KAAN KARAYALÇIN
14:24 - 14:36	Varices, Spleen and Devascularization ARİF ASLANER
14:36 - 14:48	Difficult Decisions – Should We Operate on This Patient? BURAK İŞİK
14:48 - 15:00	DISCUSSION

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15:00 - 16:00	ENTEROCUTANEOUS FISTULA AND OPEN ABDOMEN Moderators: KENAN YUSUFZADE, AZİZ MUTLU BARLAS
15:00 - 15:15	Enterocutaneous Fistula and Open Abdomen: Which Strategy Prevails in Management? BARIŞ MORKAVUK
15:15 - 15:30	Are Vacuum-Assisted Systems Always the First Choice in Open Abdomen Management? MUSTAFA TAHİR ÖZER
15:30 - 15:45	The First Hours of Fistula Development: The Role of Multidisciplinary Intervention ŞENER BARLAS
15:45 - 16:00	DISCUSSION
16:00 - 16:30	COFFEE BREAK
16:30 - 18:00	WHERE IS THE ERROR? LESSONS FROM MALPRACTICE LITIGATIONS Moderators: ADEM AKÇAKAYA, ALİ COŞKUN
16:30 - 17:00	Distinguishing Complications from Malpractice in the Light of Forensic Medicine and Court Decisions with Cases MEHMET VELİDEDEOĞLU
17:00 - 17:15	Legal and Criminal Liability of Physicians ADNAN KUVVETLİ
17:15 - 17:30	The Challenge of Medical Expert Witness Practice SEZGİN YILMAZ
17:30 - 18:00	INTERACTIVE DISCUSSION

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08:00 - 09:00	FROM DIAGNOSIS TO DECISION: THE SURGEON'S CHOICE IN BENIGN LIVER LESIONS Moderators: CÜNEYT KAYAALP, ARİF ASLANER
08:00 - 08:12	Approach to Liver Masses from the Radiologist's Perspective BENİ GÜRSES
08:12 - 08:24	Is Hydatid Cyst Still a Surgical Disease? HİLMİ ANIL DİNÇER
08:24 - 08:36	Options in Benign Liver Tumors: Ignore, Observe, or Resect? FUAT AKSOY
08:36 - 08:48	Decision-Making in Borderline Lesions: Where Does the Surgical Indication Begin in Adenoma, FNH and Atypical Lesions? HÜSEYİN KEREM TOLAN
08:48 - 09:00	DISCUSSION
09:00 - 10:00	COMPLICATIONS IN BARIATRIC SURGERY: DIFFICULT CASES, CLEAR DECISIONS Moderators: YUNUS YAVUZ, ASİM CİNGİ
09:00 - 09:08	Current Approaches and Management Strategies in Chronic Fistulas AHMET BOZDAĞ
09:08 - 09:16	Stapler-Related Complications: Diagnosis and Management HAKAN BULUŞ
09:16 - 09:24	Postoperative Hypoglycemia: Diagnosis, Monitoring and Treatment HARUN KARABACAK
09:24 - 09:32	Portal Vein Thrombosis: Follow-Up, Treatment and Clinical Decision Points MEHMET KAAN KATAR
09:32 - 09:40	Can Internal Herniation Be Prevented? Risks and Preventive Strategies MUHAMMED TAHA DEMİRPOLAT
09:40 - 09:48	Treatment Options and Outcomes in Surgical Strictures ERKAN YARDIMCI
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10:00 - 10:30	COFFEE BREAK
10:30 - 11:00	SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM
11:00 - 12:00	FECAL INCONTINENCE AND BEYOND: FROM DIAGNOSIS TO TREATMENT Moderators: AHMET KEŞŞAF AŞLAR, N. ÇİĞDEM ARSLAN
11:00 - 11:12	What Are The Reliable Diagnostic Methods in Fecal Incontinence? SADETTİN ER
11:12 - 11:24	Sphincteroplasty and Other Surgical Options: When Should They Be Considered? İSMAİL CEM ERAY
11:24 - 11:34	Sacral Neuromodulation: For Whom and When? TAYFUN BIŞGİN
11:34 - 11:44	Low Anterior Resection Syndrome: Can It Be Prevented and How Should It Be Managed? VAFİ ATALAY
11:44 - 12:00	DISCUSSION
12:00 - 12:30	TWO SURGEONS – TWO PERSPECTIVES: WHO GAINS VOLUME? HEPATOCELLULAR CARCINOMA: ALPPS / PVE Moderators: YAMAN TEKANT, AYHAN SADIK KILIÇTURGAY
12:00 - 12:12	ALPPS Approach: The Fast Track to Surgery Through Rapid Volume Increase DENİZ BALCI
12:12 - 12:24	Portal Vein Embolization: A Safe and Controlled Strategy for Hypertrophy KAYA SARIBEYOĞLU
12:24 - 12:30	DISCUSSION

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12:30 - 13:00	BORDERLINE RESECTABLE PANCREATIC CANCER: THESIS-ANTITHESIS SESSION Moderators: YAMAN TEKANT, AYHAN SADIK KILIÇTURGAY
12:30 - 12:42	Immediate Surgery Perspective: Time Favors the Tumor – Delay Means Loss AHMET ÇOKER
12:42 - 12:53	Chemotherapy First Perspective: Operating Without Achieving R0 Is an Oncologic Gamble İLGİN ÖZDEN
12:53 - 13:00	DISCUSSION
13:00 - 14:00	LUNCH
14:00 - 15:00	CYSTIC TRAPS OF THE PANCREAS – CROSSROADS IN DECISION-MAKING Moderators: AHMET TEKİN, FİKRET EZBERCİ
14:00 - 14:15	Innocent-Looking Cysts: The Hidden Reality of the Pancreas MUSTAFA DÖNMEZ
14:15 - 14:30	IPMN at the Crossroads: Surveillance or Surgery? ÖNDER ÖZCAN
14:30 - 14:45	Future Perspectives in Pancreatic Cysts: From Molecular Clues to Personalized Treatment TEVFİK KÜÇÜKKARTALLAR
14:45 - 15:00	DISCUSSION

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15:00 - 16:00	CRITICAL TURNING POINTS IN SURGICAL INTENSIVE CARE Moderators: ALİ COŞKUN, FARUK AKSOY
15:00 - 15:12	What If Antibiotics Are Not Enough? BÜLENT KOCA
15:12 - 15:24	Fluid Strategies in Septic Shock: Liberal or Restrictive? KUZEY AYDINURAZ
15:24 - 15:36	Organ Support Therapies: Where Should We Draw the Line? MURAT GÜNER
15:36 - 15:48	New Hopes in Reducing Mortality AHMET KARAYİÇİT
15:48 - 16:00	DISCUSSION
16:00 - 16:30	COFFEE BREAK
16:30 - 17:30	THE FUTURE OF TRANSPLANTATION: ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND NEW TECHNOLOGIES Moderators: ONUR YAPRAK, MUSTAFA DÖNMEZ
16:30 - 16:42	Which Innovations Will Shape the Future of Liver Transplantation? EMRE KARAKAYA
16:42 - 16:54	How Can Artificial Intelligence Be Integrated into Transplant Surgery? ALA ELCİRCEVİ
16:54 - 17:06	Do Organ Perfusion Systems Improve Transplant Success? OĞUZHAN ÖZŞAY
17:06 - 17:18	Autologous Vein Extension Technique for Short Renal Vein in Living Donor Right Kidney Transplantation YÜCEL YÜKSEL
17:18 - 17:30	DISCUSSION

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08:00 - 08:12	Surgical Margins and Axilla in DCIS: How Much Is Enough, When Is It Too Much? GAMZE KIZILTAN
08:12 - 08:24	LCIS: From Incidental Finding to Surgical Decision BÜLENT ÇOMÇALI
08:24 - 08:36	Non-Surgical Treatment in In Situ Carcinomas: A Realistic Alternative or a Risky Dream? KAZIM ŞENOL
08:36 - 08:48	Treatment of DCIS Without Radiotherapy: Are Radiation Oncologists Convinced? BEYZA ÖZÇINAR
08:48 - 09:00	DISCUSSION
09:00 - 10:00	ADRENAL INCIDENTALOMA: SILENT LESION, DIFFICULT DECISION Moderators: MUSTAFA CÖMERT, ÇAĞATAY ÇİFTER
09:00 - 09:12	Hormonal Storm: From Silent Adrenal Mass to Subclinical Autonomy ORHAN AÇCAOĞLU
09:12 - 09:24	Good, Bad and Suspicious: Imaging Algorithm in Adrenal Masses MURAT ÖZDEMİR
09:24 - 09:36	Surgery or Surveillance? The Art of Decision-Making in Borderline Masses DURAY ŞEKER
09:36 - 09:48	Perioperative Journey: From Hypertensive Crisis to Steroid Management - Fine Points of Adrenal Surgery VOLKAN GENÇ
09:48 - 10:00	DISCUSSION

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10:00 - 10:45	ONCOPLASTIC BREAST SURGERY: IMAGES FROM THE OPERATING TABLE Moderators: BETÜL BOZKURT, SANCAR BAYAR
10:00 - 10:07	Racket Mammoplasty ONUR DÜLGEROĞLU
10:07 - 10:14	Batwing and Hemi-batwing SİNA FERAHMAN
10:14 - 10:21	Grisotti MUHAMMER ERGENÇ
10:21 - 10:28	Reduction Mammoplasty GÜLÇİN ERCAN
10:28 - 10:35	Rotation Flaps SÜLEYMAN BADEMLER
10:35 - 10:42	Skin-Sparing Mastectomy MUSTAFA TÜKENMEZ
10:42 - 10:45	DISCUSSION
10:45 - 11:00	COFFEE BREAK

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11:00 - 12:00	LEAP IN SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY: NEXT-GENERATION APPROACHES Moderators: İLKER ARER, BÜLENT ÇİTGEZ
11:00 - 11:10	TOETVA ÖZER MAKAY
11:10 - 11:20	Percutaneous Ablative Therapies FATİH TUNCA
11:20 - 11:30	Image-Based NIRAF in Thyroid Surgery ORHAN AĞCAOĞLU
11:30 - 11:40	Probe-Based NIRAF in Thyroid Surgery İSMAİL CEM SORMAZ
11:40 - 11:50	Parathyroid ICG Angiography MURAT ÖZDEMİR
11:50 - 12:00	DISCUSSION
12:00 - 13:00	CONGRESS CLOSING CEREMONY

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08:00 - 09:00	GENETICS IN COLORECTAL CANCER: WHAT THE SURGEON NEEDS TO KNOW Moderators: MUSTAFA DUMAN, NURİ OKKABAZ
08:00 - 08:12	Introduction to Molecular Genetics for Surgeons: Clinical Value of Next-Generation Sequencing (NGS) SEZGİN ZEREN
08:12 - 08:24	Genetic Counseling in Colorectal Cancer: For Whom and When? MUTLU DOĞAN
08:24 - 08:36	Artificial Intelligence in Genetic Counseling: Opportunities and Limitations ÖMER FARUK ÖZKAN
08:36 - 08:48	Prophylactic Surgery in Hereditary Colorectal Cancer: For Whom and When? AHMET RENCÜZOĞULLARI
08:48 - 09:00	DISCUSSION
09:00 - 10:00	CYTOREDUCTIVE SURGERY + HIPEC: TRUE POTENTIAL OR OVERTREATMENT? Moderators: SELMAN SÖKMEN, ALİ EKREM ÜNAL
09:00 - 09:12	Which Patient Is Suitable for HIPEC? SEZAİ DEMİRBAŞ
09:12 - 09:24	Cytoreductive Surgery + HIPEC in Colorectal Peritoneal Metastases: Selected Patients or Routine Approach? CEM TERZİ
09:24 - 09:36	Macroscopic Intervention for Microscopic Spread: Is There a Role for Prophylactic HIPEC? ÖZGÜR TAYLAN SEZER
09:36 - 09:48	From Low-Grade Appendiceal Mucinous Tumor to Pseudomyxoma Peritonei: Decision Points in Management ARAS EMRE CANDA
09:48 - 10:00	DISCUSSION

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10:00 - 10:45	SELECTED VIDEO PRESENTATIONS Moderators: RAMAZAN KOZAN, HAKAN TEOMAN YANAR
10:45 - 11:00	COFFEE BREAK
11:00 - 12:00	ERAS IN COLORECTAL SURGERY Moderators: RIZA HALDUN GÜNDOĞDU, NİHAL ZEKİYE ERDEM
11:00 - 11:12	Do ERAS Protocols Make a Difference in Colorectal Surgery? ALİ EMRE ATICI
11:12 - 11:24	Early Discharge, Fewer Complications: Dream or Reality? MEHMET ÖZGÜR TÜRKMENOĞLU
11:24 - 11:36	Barriers to Implementation: Physician, Patient and System Dimensions GÜRCAN ŞİMŞEK
11:36 - 11:48	Can AI-Integrated Smart Protocols Be Developed? ÖMER FAİK ERSOY
11:48 - 12:00	DISCUSSION

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08:00 - 09:00	FROM MICROBIOME TO THE OPERATING TABLE: NUTRITIONAL DECISIONS Moderators: OSMAN ABBASOĞLU, AHMET SÜREK
08:00 - 08:12	Nutrition and the Microbiome: What Must the Surgeon Know? MUTLU DOĞANAY
08:12 - 08:24	Preoperative Nutritional Risk Screening: Whom, When, and How? SABRİ ÖZDEN
08:24 - 08:36	Surgery in the Setting of Malnutrition: Risk and Responsibility ADNAN KUVVETLİ
08:36 - 09:00	DISCUSSION
09:00 - 10:00	DIFFICULT DECISIONS, DIFFICULT VIDEOS: REVISION AND CONSERVATION IN BARIATRIC SURGERY Moderators: TUNA BİLECİK, NAMIK ÖZKAN
09:00 - 09:10	Gastric By-pass Revision HASAN ALTUN
09:10 - 09:20	Bipartition Revision AHMET ZİYA BALTA
09:20 - 09:30	SADI-S Revision ABDULLAH ŞİŞİK
09:30 - 09:40	Mini-Gastric By-pass Revision EYÜP GEMİCİ
09:40 - 09:50	Re-Sleeve FERHAT ÇAY
09:50 - 09:57	Band Removal and Conversion MEHMET BUĞRA BOZAN
09:57 - 10:00	DISCUSSION
10:00 - 10:45	SELECTED VIDEO PRESENTATIONS Moderators: MELİH PAKSOY, UFUK OĞUZ İDİZ
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11:00 - 12:00	FROM THE OPERATING ROOM TO THE SCREEN: EXPERIENCE IN HERNIA SURGERY- MY DECISION AND MY TECHNIQUE Moderators: YAŞAR ÖZDENKAYA, İDRİS KURTULUŞ
11:00 - 11:10	TAPP YAŞAR ÖZDENKAYA
11:10 - 11:20	TEP İDRİS KURTULUŞ
11:20 - 11:30	e-TEP ZAFER ŞENOL
11:30 - 11:40	Robo-TAPP ÖZGÜR TAYLAN SEZER
11:40 - 11:50	IPOM+ EMRAH AKIN
11:50 - 12:00	DISCUSSION

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08:00 - 09:00	INFECTION CONTROL: UNSEEN WAR Moderators: BÜLENT GÜNGÖR, ÇAĞATAY DAPHAN
08:00 - 08:12	Surgical Intensive Care in the Era of Antimicrobial Resistance SAYGIN ALTINER
08:12 - 08:24	New Strategies in Catheter and Ventilator Related Infections MEHMET ZEKİ BULDANLI
08:24 - 08:36	Nutritional Therapy: A Neglected Power MURAT ÖZGÜR KILIÇ
08:36 - 08:48	The Price of Failure in Infection Control TEVFİK AVCI
08:48 - 09:00	DISCUSSION
09:00 - 10:00	HEALING DYNAMICS IN DIABETIC FOOT - FROM THE BASICS TO ADVANCED THERAPIES Moderators: MEHMET YILDIRIM, MEVLÜT RECEP PEKİCİ
09:00 - 09:12	Biology of Wound Healing: Fundamental Factors that Determine Healing SERDAR GÖKAY TERZİOĞLU
09:12 - 09:24	Diabetic Foot: Anatomy of the Problem, Classification, Clinical Evaluation İSMAİL SEZİKLİ
09:24 - 09:36	Treatment Strategies in Diabetic Foot: What Does a Diabetic Council Actually Provide? AHMET DENİZ UÇAR
09:36 - 09:42	New Horizons in Advanced Therapies: Stem Cells, Growth Factors and Molecular Approaches KERİM BORA YILMAZ
09:42 - 10:00	DISCUSSION
10:00 - 10:45	SELECTED VIDEO PRESENTATIONS Moderators: GÖKHAN OSMANOĞLU, YUSUF YAĞMUR

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11:00 - 11:45	BEYOND CALORIE: ORGAN-SPECIFIC NUTRITION IN MODERN SURGERY Moderators: SEHER DEMİRER, ÇETİN KAYMAK
11:00 - 11:12	One Disease Different Organs: Should the Nutrition Protocols Be Organ Specific? BAYRAM ÇOLAK
11:12 - 11:24	Nutritional Frailty in GIS Surgery: Prevention of Early Catabolism ERDİNÇ ÇETİNKAYA
11:24 - 11:36	Metabolic Challenges after HPB Surgery: Metabolic Management Instead of Calorie FUAT AKSOY
11:36 - 11:45	DISCUSSION

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08:00 - 08:12	The Power of Radiology: Resectability and Surgical Roadmap RIZA SARPER ÖKTEN
08:12 - 08:24	Redefining Surgical Boundaries: Complex Resections and Transplant Options TARKAN ÜNEK
08:24 - 08:36	Rethinking Timing: The Role of Neoadjuvant and Adjuvant Therapies SELMAN ALKAN
08:36 - 08:48	The Map of the Future: Advanced Imaging, Navigation and Surgical Technologies ELVAN ONUR KIRIMKER
08:48 - 09:00	DISCUSSION
09:00 - 10:00	INTERVENTIONAL ENDOSCOPY AND HYBRID APPROACHES Moderators: ALİ KOCATAŞ, KEMAL DOLAY
09:00 - 09:12	New Horizons in ERCP: AI-Supported Approaches in Biliary and Pancreatic Duct Diseases MAHMUT SAİT DEĞERLİ
09:12 - 09:24	Endoscopic Ultrasound and Interventional Endoscopy: The Strategic Partner of Minimally Invasive Surgery HASAN BEKTAŞ
09:24 - 09:36	Hybrid Solutions in Endoscopy: The Intersection of Robotics, Laparoscopy and Endoscopy MEHMET KARABULUT
09:36 - 09:48	Endoscopic Emergencies: Life-Saving Techniques in Bleeding, Perforation and Trauma DURSUN ÖZGÜR KARAKAŞ
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10:00 - 10:10	Laparoscopic Pancreaticoduodenectomy: Technical Steps and Critical Points BESLEN GÖKSOY
10:10 - 10:20	Robotic Pancreaticoduodenectomy: Advantages, Limitations and Learning Curve EMİN KÖSE
10:20 - 10:30	Laparoscopic Liver Surgery: From Segmental Resections to Major Hepatectomy AHMET BÜLENT DOĞRUL
10:30 - 10:40	Robotic Liver Surgery: Technological Contribution and Outcomes EMRE BOZKURT
10:40 - 10:45	DISCUSSION
10:45 - 11:00	COFFEE BREAK
11:00 - 12:00	THE SURVIVAL THRESHOLD IN SEVERE BURNS Moderators: ADAM USLU, MEHMET YILDIRIM
11:00 - 11:12	Metabolic Response: Parameters, Calculations and Clinical Response SAMET ŞAHİN
11:12 - 11:24	Infection and Sepsis: Diagnostic Criteria and Rational Antibiotic Strategies ALPASLAN ŞAHİN
11:24 - 11:36	Cardiopulmonary Management: When to Be Alert, When to Intervene EVİRİM BEKEN ÖZDEMİR
11:36 - 11:48	Gastrointestinal System and Nutrition: Early, Appropriate and Adequate Support EMİN TÜRK
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