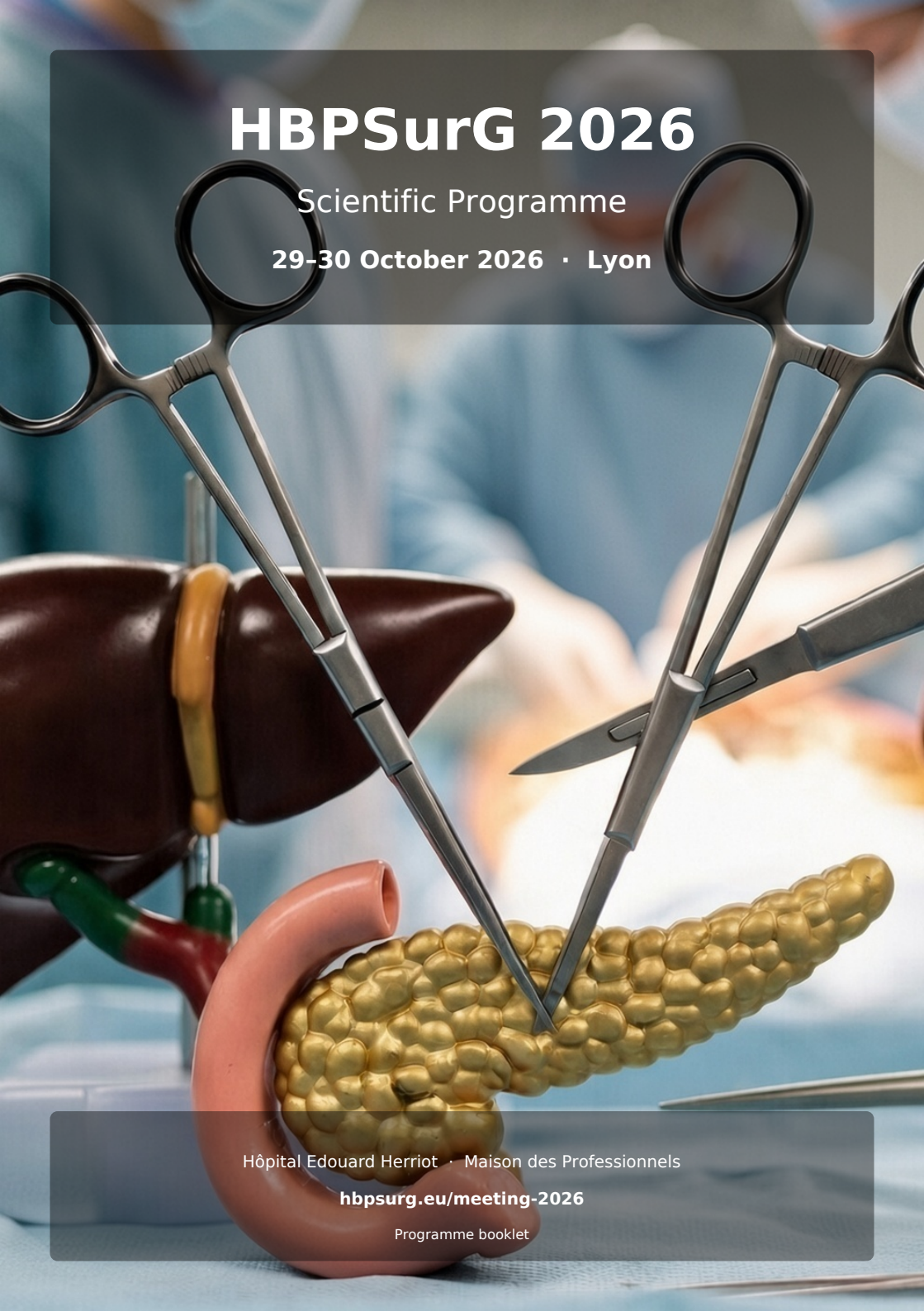
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Precision, Innovation, and Future-Proofing in HBP Surgery

Welcome to the HBPSurG 2026 Meeting. This booklet is the on-site scientific programme for both days. Rising Stars free papers are grouped by topic. Invited lectures and State-of-the-Art sessions follow the published timetable.

VENUE

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Day 1 08:15–16:30 Meet the Experts · Rising Stars · Lectures · SOTA
Day 2 08:00–16:00 Meet the Experts · Rising Stars · Award Ceremony
Free papers 10 minutes Invited lectures 30 minutes
Award ceremony Friday 15:30

Day 1 — Thursday

29 October 2026 · 08:15 – 16:30

TIME	PRESENTATION	SPEAKER
08:15	Registration	
08:40	Welcome	Prof. M. Adham
MEET THE EXPERTS	Chairs — P. Cassier, L. Payen-Gay, J. Perinel	
08:45–09:00	Optimizing Tissue Acquisition in Pancreatic Cancer.	G. Beyer (München)
09:00–09:15	Liquid Biopsy and Circulating Tumor Cells in Pancreatic Cancer.	L. Payen-Gay (Lyon)
09:15–09:30	Neoadjuvant Therapy Evolution: From Chemotherapy to Immunotherapy + Targeted Agents in PDAC.	P. Cassier (Lyon)
09:30–09:45	Questions & Discussion	
HBPSURG INVITED LECTURE	Chair — P. Cassier (Lyon)	
09:45–10:15	Systemic Therapies and Their Impact on Long-Term Quality of Life in Metastatic Pancreatic Neuroendocrine Tumors.	Prof. A. Lania (Milano)
10:15–10:45	**COFFEE BREAK**	
RISING STARS FREE PAPERS · PANCREATIC SURGERY	Chairs — G. Beyer, A. Lania, L. Gianotti	
EARLY DETECTION		
10:45–10:55	Implementation of an Early Pancreatic Cancer Detection in the Auvergne–Rhône-Alpes Region (DEPPAN): Preliminary Results from the HCL Cohort.	K. Hodroj (Lyon)
MINIMALLY INVASIVE AND DISTAL PANCREATECTOMY		
10:55–11:05	Laparoscopic Pancreaticoduodenectomy — Initial Experience in a Hepatopancreatobiliary High-Volume Center.	E.-M. Vrabie (Bucharest)
11:05–11:15	Predictive Factors for Splenectomy During Distal Pancreatectomy with Intended Spleen Preservation Without Splenic Vessel Preservation (Warshaw Procedure).	G. Pasinato (Amiens)
CHRONIC PANCREATITIS		
11:15–11:25	Long-Term Outcomes after Frey or Izbicki Procedures for Painful Calcific Chronic Pancreatitis: Predictive Factors for Long-Term Success.	R. Becu (Amiens)
ROBOTIC PANCREATODUODENECTOMY AND POSTOPERATIVE RISK		
11:25–11:35	Short-Term Outcomes of Robotic Pancreaticoduodenectomy in Western versus Eastern Cohorts: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis.	S. Rivett (Manchester)
11:35–11:45	Readmission Is the True Cost of “Early Discharge” after Robotic Pancreaticoduodenectomy: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis.	S. Rivett (Manchester)
11:45–11:55	Postoperative Hajibandeh Index Predicts Failure to Rescue from Post-Pancreatectomy Fistula and Haemorrhage: A 10-Year Retrospective Cohort Study.	S. Rivett (Manchester)
11:55–12:15	Questions & Discussion	

Day 1 — continued

Thursday 29 October · 12:15 – 16:30

TIME	PRESENTATION	SPEAKER
HBPSURG INVITED LECTURE Chair — A. Ayav (Nancy)		
12:15–12:45	The Question of Why: Practices and Patterns of Evidence Generation in Surgery.	Prof. C.S. Leonhardt (Heidelberg)
12:45–14:00	**LUNCH BREAK**	
HBPSURG INVITED LECTURE Chair — J. Perinel (Lausanne)		
14:00–14:30	Immunonutrition and Prehabilitation in Pancreatic Cancer Surgery.	Prof. L. Gianotti (Milano)
STATE-OF-THE-ART Chairs — A. Ayav, P. Bachellier, F. Borges		
14:45–15:00	Learning Curve and Safety of Robotic Pancreaticoduodenectomy.	F. Casciani - R. Salvia (Verona)
15:00–15:15	Distal Pancreatectomy in Challenging Cases.	A. Ayav (Nancy)
15:15–15:30	Pancreaticoduodenectomy with Vascular Reconstruction in Borderline PDAC.	S. Dokmak (Beaujon)
15:30–15:45	Pancreatectomy with Arterial Resection in Borderline / Locally Advanced PDAC.	P. Bachellier (Strasbourg)
15:45–16:00	Portal Vein Repermeabilisation.	R. L'Huillier (Lyon)
16:00–16:15	How to Prevent Local Recurrence in PDAC Surgery.	F. Borges (Lisbon)
16:15–16:30	Questions & Discussion	

Day 2 — Friday

30 October 2026 · 08:00 – 16:00

TIME	PRESENTATION	SPEAKER
08:00	Registration	
MEET THE EXPERTS	Chairs — A. Lania, P. Merle, X.J. Taverna	
08:45–09:00	Neoadjuvant and Adjuvant Immunotherapy in Resectable HCC.	P. Merle (Lyon)
09:00–09:15	Downstaging Strategies for Borderline Resectable Liver Tumors.	P. Addeo (Strasbourg)
09:15–09:30	Major Hepatectomy with Complex Bilio-Vascular Reconstruction in Oncological Settings.	E. Melloul (Lausanne)
09:30–09:45	Technical Refinements of Inferior Vena Cava Resection During Liver Resection.	P. Addeo (Strasbourg)
09:45–10:00	Perioperative Management of Major Hepatectomy: The ICU Expert View.	X.J. Taverna (Lyon)
10:00–10:30	Questions & Discussion	
10:30–11:00	**COFFEE BREAK**	
RISING STARS · LIVER, GALLBLADDER AND INNOVATION	Chairs — C.S. Leonhardt, E. Melloul, P. Merle	
LIVER SURGERY AND HEPATOBILIARY ONCOLOGY		
11:00–11:10	Clinical Audit: CEA Follow-Up after Liver Resection for Colorectal Liver Metastases.	E. Sleigh (Southampton)
11:10–11:20	The Impact of Age on the Outcome of Liver Surgery: A Single-Center, Retrospective, Propensity-Score Matched Cohort Study.	M. Stauffer (Vienna)
11:20–11:30	Single-Cell Transcriptomics Identifies F11R as a Stromal Mediator Linking Non-Alcoholic Fatty Liver Disease and Intrahepatic Cholangiocarcinoma, with Icaritin as a Potential Intervention.	Y. Liu (Hangzhou)
GALLBLADDER PATHOLOGY		
11:30–11:40	Expression of EGFR and Ki-67 in Gallbladder Carcinoma.	M. Mukund (New Delhi)
11:40–11:50	Pseudotumoral versus Incidental Xanthogranulomatous Cholecystitis: A Comparative Analysis of Operative Complexity and Outcomes after Laparoscopic Cholecystectomy.	M.C. du Plessis (Buenos Aires)
11:50–12:00	Prevalence of Biliary Intraepithelial Neoplasia (BilIN) in Laparoscopic Cholecystectomies: Clinical, Surgical, and Histopathological Associations.	M.C. du Plessis (Buenos Aires)
INNOVATION AND SURGICAL RESEARCH		
12:00–12:10	AI-Assisted Updating and Creation of Autonomously Living Guidelines.	M. Stauffer (Vienna)
12:10–12:20	Predicting Surgical Research Using Machine Learning, Graph Neural Networks and Large Language Models.	M. Stauffer (Vienna)
VIDEO PRESENTATION		
12:20–12:30	(VIDEO) Minimally Invasive Step-Up Management of Recurrent Acute Pancreatitis with Infected Necrotic Collection: A Case Report of Biliary Pancreatitis in a Young Patient.	J. Caceres Romero (Arequipa)
12:30–12:45	Questions & Discussion	
12:45–14:00	**LUNCH BREAK**	

Day 2 — afternoon

Friday 30 October · 14:00 – 16:00

TIME	PRESENTATION	SPEAKER
RISING STARS · CHOLECYSTECTOMY AND BILIARY DISEASE Chairs — F. Borges, L. Gianotti, J. Perinel		
CHOLECYSTECTOMY PRACTICE		
14:00–14:10	Group & Screen in Elective Laparoscopic Cholecystectomy: Is It Really Needed?	S. Rivett (Manchester)
14:10–14:20	Heterogeneity in Tokyo Guidelines 2018 Grade II Acute Cholecystitis: Association of Local Complications with Operative Difficulty and Postoperative Morbidity.	M.C. du Plessis (Buenos Aires)
BILIARY DISEASE AND COMPLICATIONS		
14:20–14:30	Bouveret Syndrome and Incidental Gallbladder Carcinoma: A Diagnostic and Therapeutic Challenge.	S. El Mezin (Standort Judenburg)
14:30–14:40	Bile Leak after Elective Laparoscopic Cholecystectomy: Association with Transcystic Instrumentation and Cystic Duct Closure Method.	M.C. du Plessis (Buenos Aires)
14:40–14:50	Management and Outcomes of Iatrogenic Bile Duct Injuries after Cholecystectomy: A 13-Year Experience from an HPB Referral Centre.	F. Marin (Milano)
14:50–15:00	Are We Draining the Right Patients? A Five-Year Audit of Percutaneous Cholecystostomy and Development of a Standardised Management Pathway.	B. Ahmad (Wolverhampton)
15:00–15:10	CHOL-DRAIN: A French National Delphi Study to Standardize Post-Cholecystostomy Drain Management.	S. Frey (Nice)
15:10–15:25	Questions & Discussion	
15:25–15:30	**TRANSITION TO AWARD CEREMONY**	
RISING STARS AWARD CEREMONY · 15:30–16:00		
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