

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

20 November 2004

Hour	Title	Speakers	Hospital	Moderators
08.00-08.30	Registration / Legitimation of members qualified to vote			
08.30-09.30	General Assembly	F. Wellens		
09.30-09.45	Report from the Database Committee	JM Marnette		
09.45-10.00	Break			
10.00-10.15	Correct lenght of artificial chords in mitral valve repair: accuracy of the intertrigoneannulus as a reference point and long term results	A. Sanchez	UCL	Ph. Muylaert P. Schraeverus
10.15-10.30	Optimalisation of heart rate in left ventricular hypertrophy using TEE during cardiac surgery	S. Bouchez	UZ Gent	
10.30-10.45	Multiple distal anastomoses do not increase morbidity in off-pump surgery	J. Remes	AZ VUB/CHU Brugman	
10.45-11.00	Bilateral versus single Internal Thoracic Artery Grafting in Oral Treated Diabetic subsets	N. Nesher	TelAviv Israel	
11:00-11.30	Break			
11.30-11.45	Bone marrow micrometastasis is not predictor of long term survival in early stages non small cell lung carcinoma: 5 year results of a prospective study	A. Poncelet	UCL	P. de Leyn Ph. Noirhomme
11.45-12.00	Predictive factors of morbidity and mortality in oncologic thoracic surgery	Y. Sokolow	Erasme	
12.00-12.15	Isolated lung perfusion with melfalan for resectable	J. Hendriks	UZA	

	lungmetastases: a phase 1 clinical trial		Antwerpen	
12.15-12.30	B-adrenergic stimulation of alveolar liquid clearance: a novel strategy to resolve pulmonary edema after lung transplantation?	A. Neyrinck	UZ Leuven	
12.30-14.00	WALKING DINNER			
14:00- 14.30	INVITED: Cellular Therapy for cardiac disease	Ph. Menasche	Paris, France	
14.30-14.45	Is a left ventricular assist device an option in candidates for orthotopic heart transplantation with 'fixed' pulmonary hypertension?	H. Gutermann	UZ Leuven	J. Goldstein Y. Van Belleghem M. Antoine
14.45-15.00	The prognostic validity of ventricular evoked response (VER) in heart transplantation	M. Schweiger	Graz Austria	
15.00-15.30	Break			
15.30-15.45	Diastolic failure after tetralogie of Fallot repair in high hematocrit patients: protective effect of staging repair	H. Demanet	CHU Brugman/HUDERF	
15.45-16.00	Closure of atrial septal defects: is there still a place for surgery?	T. Bove	UZ Gent	B. Meyns J. Rubay
16.00-16.15	10 Years experience with the maze operation for atrial fibrillation	Ph. Ballaux	Nieuwegein, Nederland	
	Effects of increased afterload on left ventricular			

16.15-16.30	performance and mechanical efficiency are not baroreflex-mediated	P. Kolh	CHU Liège	
16.30	CLOSURE			