

Final Program & Information

WIP BENELUX 2015

6th International Evidence-based Interventional Pain Medicine Symposium

THEORETICAL SESSIONS:

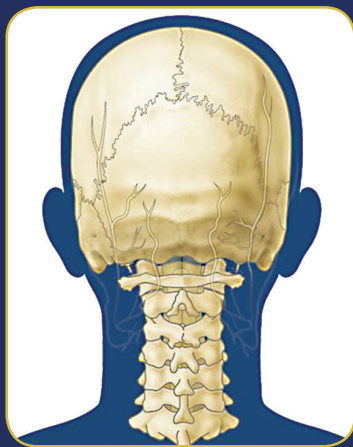
- Anatomy
- Cancer pain management
- Ultrasound review course

HANDS-ON:

- Interventional pain: cadaver workshop
- Chronic pain: ultrasound workshop

3-5 June 2015

**Maastricht, The Netherlands
Lanaken, Belgium**



FIPP examination: 6 June 2015

CIPS examination: 7 June 2015



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INTRODUCTION

In recent decades, health care authorities and scientific organizations recognized (chronic) pain as an important problem. Owing to the evolution in medical sciences, the life expectancy increased and even cancer is no longer imminently lethal. Unfortunately, pain yet remains the most prominent burden for patients with cancer, and those who survived the disease frequently suffer chronic pain. Pain management may consist of conservative treatment and interventional techniques.

WIP Benelux section, has the objective to promote correct diagnosis and treatment of patients with pain. When interventional pain management techniques are indicated, deep knowledge of anatomy and procedural precision are utmost important.

During this 6th International Evidence-based Interventional Pain Medicine symposium and the workshops, we offer a variety of training possibilities.

On Wednesday we reserved half a day for the anatomy courses.

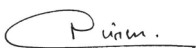
On Thursday the theoretical sessions focus on the treatment of pain in patients with cancer. Experts in the field will provide insightful overview of the interventional and comprehensive approaches.

This is the first time that the World Academy of Pain Medicine Ultrasonography (WAPMU) organizes Certification in interventional pain ultrasonography. Successful candidates will be awarded with CIPS diploma (Certified Interventional Pain Sonologist). The use of ultrasound has been exponentially expanding in our field offering a plethora of approaches that are practiced and taught by experts and professional societies. On Thursday a review course based on the WAPMU curriculum will prepare participants for the ultrasound hands-on workshop and potentially for the CIPS examination. The reputation of the speakers and teachers may be considered a guarantee for a quality meeting. All speakers passed CIPS examination administered and validated by independent experts.

On Friday we have planned two parallel hands-on workshops: the live model ultrasound workshop and the hands-on cadaver workshop with 4 stations. Participants will have an opportunity to study anatomical preparations. In addition, training in the clinical examination will be offered.

The program is intense and diverse. The organizers and faculty will thrive to provide the program meeting highest international standards in medical education.

We look forward to meeting you in Maastricht and Lanaken!



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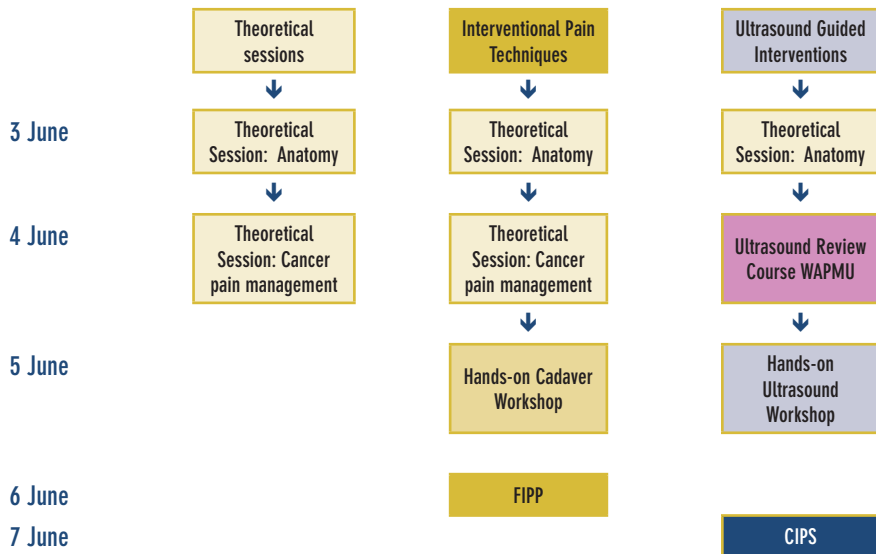
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PROGRAM AT A GLANCE



FINAL PROGRAM IN DETAIL

Theoretical Sessions

Wednesday, 3 June 2015

14.00–17.00 Applied anatomy for interventional pain management

Chair: Arno Lataster

- Applied anatomy for interventional pain management: general overview
- Relevant anatomy for interventional management of pain in patients with cancer

Arno Lataster, Andreas Herrler

Thursday, 4 June 2015

Cancer pain management: Non-interventional and interventional treatment

9.00–12.00 General overview of the problem and the non-interventional treatment options

Chair: Maarten van Kleef

- Prevalence of pain in patients with cancer in the different stages of the disease
Marieke van den Beuken-van Everdingen
- How to deal with difficult to manage pain in cancer patients
Robert Twycross
- Non pharmacological treatment of pain in cancer (radiation, anti-tumor therapy)
Johan Menten
- Evidence-based pharmacological treatment of cancer pain
Kris Vissers

13.30–17.00 Interventional treatment of cancer pain management

Chair: Jan Van Zundert

- Intraspinal or epidural opioids when and for whom?
Peter Staats
- Hormonal side-effects of systemic and intrathecal opioids
Philip Finch
- Visceral cancer pain upper abdomen (plexus coeliacus block, techniques, outcome and complications)
Maurice Giezeman
- Visceral cancer pain upper abdomen (RF Splanchnicus, techniques, outcome and complications)
Maarten van Kleef
- Visceral cancer pain of the lower abdomen (Plexus hypogastricus block, lower end block, block of the ganglion impar)
Ricardo Plancarte
- Intractable cancer located at one site (Cordotomy, indications techniques, outcome and complications)
Paul Zomers
- Briefing for Hands-on workshops

Ultrasound Review Course WAPMU

Objectives:

The program includes materials based on WAPMU curriculum. Normal anatomy and ultrasound correlations will be presented. Procedural techniques will be outlined according to current evidence and appropriateness keeping with requirements of CIPS examination.

With live demonstrations.

9.00 –13.00 Ultrasound Review Course – Part 1

Chair: Michael Gofeld

- Ultrasound basics (basic physics, knobology, tissue recognition, needle positioning). Principles of image documentation and sterility

Shankar Hariharan

- Review of normal and ultrasound anatomy of upper extremity with emphasis on common procedural objectives (glenohumeral and AC joints, subdeltoid bursa, rotator cuff, cubital canal, epicondyles, elbow joint, carpal canal, Guyon canal)

Mark Hurdle

- Review of normal and ultrasound anatomy of lower extremity with emphasis on common procedural objectives (hip and knee joints, trochanteric complex, lateral femoral cutaneous nerve, saphenous nerve, ischial bursa, iliotibial tract, tarsal canal, ankle joint, plantar nerves)

Einar Ottestad

- Review of normal and ultrasound anatomy of trunk with emphasis on common procedural objectives (intercostal nerves, suprascapular nerve, ilioinguinal, iliohypogastric and peripheral nerves)

Amitabh Gulati

14.00 –17.00 Ultrasound Review Course – Part 2

Chair: Micha Sommer

- Review of normal and ultrasound anatomy of neck with emphasis on common procedural objectives (greater occipital nerve, cervical medial branches and roots, cervical sympathetic trunk)

Micha Sommer

- Review of normal and ultrasound anatomy of thorax with emphasis on common procedural objectives (thoracic medial branches, costovertebral joint)

Mark Hurdle

- Review of normal and ultrasound anatomy of lumbar spine and pelvis with emphasis on common procedural objectives (neuroaxial space, lumbar medial branches and roots, lumbar facet joint, sacral canal, SIJ, piriformis and pudendal nerve)

Anuj Bhatia

- Certification in interventional pain ultrasonography: essential steps to succeed

Michael Gofeld

Hands-on Workshops

Friday, 5 June 2015

Hands-on Cadaver Workshop:

University of Maastricht, Maastricht, The Netherlands

- **Rotation on 4 cadaver stations: head, cervical, thoraco-abdominal and lumbosacral procedures**

Kees Besse, Nico Blyaert, Sara Haspeslagh, Jan Willem Kallewaard, Liong Liem, Martine Puylaert, Robert Sie, Bart Van Bets, Koen Van Boxem, Maarten van Eerd, Jan Van Zundert, Amaury Verhamme, Frank Wille

- **Anatomy: The teachers use several anatomic preparations to indicate the structures of importance for the correct application of interventional pain techniques**

Arno Lataster, Andreas Herrler

- **Physical examination**

Jaap Patijn, Evert Buijs, Markus Janssen

Hands-on Ultrasound Workshop (in collaboration with WAPMU):

Multidisciplinary Pain Clinic ZOL, Lanaken, Belgium

- **Ultrasound guided interventions for chronic pain**
- **Rotating on several stations with live models: cervico-thoracal, lumbosacral area, and upper and lower extremity**

Andrea Balthasar, Anuj Bhatia, Pieter De Vooght, Philip Finch, Michael Gofeld, Amitabh Gulati, Admir Hadzic, Shankar Hariharan, Mark Hurdle, Roel Mestrum, Einar Ottestad, Steven Renes, Micha Sommer



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GENERAL INFORMATION

Dates & Venues

Theoretical sessions:

3 & 4 June 2015
Crowne Plaza Maastricht,
Ruitersij 1, Maastricht
The Netherlands

Hands-on Ultrasound Workshop:

5 June 2015
Multidisciplinary Pain Clinic
ZOL, Sint-Barbara
Bessemerstraat 478, Lanaken
Belgium

Hands-on Cadaver Workshop:

5 June 2015
Maastricht University
Dept. of Anatomy & Embryology
Universiteitssingel 50, Maastricht
The Netherlands

Registration

Registrations can be submitted through the website www.wipbenelux.org.

Registration Fees (in Euro, including taxes)	Up to 1 March 2015	After 1 March 2015
Theoretical session & Hands-on Cadaver workshop	€ 950	€ 1250
Theoretical session & Hands-on Ultrasound workshop	€ 750	€ 1050
Theoretical session physician	€ 400	€ 500
Theoretical session resident	€ 200	€ 250
Congress dinner ticket	€ 75	€ 75

The number of participants is limited:

Theoretical session & Hands-on Cadaver workshop: 40 persons*

Theoretical session & Hands-on Ultrasound Workshop: 40 persons*

Theoretical session: 120 persons

The registration fee for theoretical session includes: access to the theoretical program, certificate of attendance, lunch on 4 June, coffee/tea during breaks.

The registration fee for theoretical session and hands-on workshop includes: access to the theoretical program, and access to 1 of the workshops, certificate of attendance, 2 lunches (on 4 and 5 June), coffee/tea during breaks.

Registration for the FIPP examination and CIPS examination can be submitted through the website www.worldinstituteofpain.org. Please visit the website to learn about the requirements for participation in the examinations.

Official Language

The official language of the Congress will be English. Simultaneous translation will not be available.

Accreditation

Accreditation is applied for at the:

European Accreditation Council by CME (EACCME)

Nederlandse Vereniging voor Anesthesiologie (NVA) (for Dutch participants only)

Cancellations

All cancellations must be sent to the conference secretariat by e-mail. Cancellations made before 1 May 2015 will be refunded. After this date no refunds will be given.

Congress Dinner

On Thursday, June 4, 2015, the congress dinner will be held in the meeting venue Crowne Plaza Maastricht. Please make your dinner reservation when registering. A dinner ticket is available for € 75.

Hotel Reservations

The organization advises to book accommodation at *Crowne Plaza Maastricht* via www.wipbenelux.org

This hotel is the main location for the meeting. The theoretical program will be held here and also the transfers for the workshops on Friday will leave from this location.

When you choose to stay elsewhere, please note that the organization will not provide the transport to the congress/workshop venues.

Meeting venues

Maastricht and Lanaken both located at 10 km from the Dutch-Belgian border

Airports

Brussels Airport - Zaventem (120 km)

Brussels South Airport - Charleroi (120 km)

Düsseldorf - International (165 km)

Amsterdam - Schiphol (215 km)

Maastricht (limited number of flights) - (15 km)

Nearest train Station

Maastricht Centraal Station (1 km)

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For more information about the program, registration & hotel reservations and transport to the meeting venue, please check the website www.wipbenelux.org

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