



Parallel assistant program Friday 16th January 2026

	Lecture	Speaker	Chair
8:25-8:30	Welcome		
	Session 1.		Terhi &John
8.30-8:50	Path to endoscopy	Clement Oni, R.N. Helsinki University Hospital, Finland	
8:50-9.10	Quality in colonoscopy	Terhi Peltosaari, R.N. Hospital Nova, Finland	
9.10-9.30	Assistant’s role in polypectomy	Anu Tontti, R.N. Päijät-Häme Central Hospital Finland	
9.30-9:50	Nurse endoscopist	John McGeer R.N. Copenhagen University Hospital Denmark	
9:50-10:10	Enhancing therapeutic endoscopy: Team collaboration for optimal patient care	Oskar Almqvist Sweden: Enhancing therapeutic endoscopy: Team collaboration for optimal patient care	
10:10-10:40 Coffee and quiz in the exhibition area			
	Session 2.		
10:40-11:00	ERCP and fluoroscopy	Annu Gröhn, R.N. Helsinki University Hospital, Finland	Dorina &Julie
11:00-11.20	Ensuring quality in ERCP, Best practices and approaches	Dorina Gogu, R.N. Tampere University Hospital, Finland	
11.20-11.40	Therapeutic endoscopy in Iceland	Drífa Huld Guðjónsdóttir R.N. Landspítali - University Hospital, Reykjavik, Iceland	
11.40-12.00	Get ready for endoscopy in acute GI bleeding	Jorid Tufteland R.N, Haukeland University Hospital, Bergen, Norway	
12.00-13.00 Lunch and quiz in the exhibition area			
	Session 3.		
13.00-13.20	PEG aftercare, exchange and problems	Gro Vigdis Aas Børve, Haukeland University Hospital, Bergen, Norway	Gro
13:20-13:50	EUS, tips and tricks for assistants	Maria Kristina Hielscher, R.N. Wendy Jo Carmel, R.N. Hvidovre Hospital Denmark	
13:50-14:15	Panel discussion How do you ensure quality in endoscopy	Annu Gröhn, John McGeer and Drífa Huld Guðjónsdóttir	