

Sunday 7th September

Time	Arrival
14.30 onwards	Registration in Reception, Grand Hotel Karel V
19:30 - 22:30	Welcome Reception & Walking Dinner (Introduction from Kees van Laarhoven) Venue: Grand Hotel Karel V Dress Code: Smart Casual

Monday 8th September

Time	Presentation
07:00 onwards	Breakfast
07:45 - 08:00	Board Coach at Grand Hotel Karel V
08:00 - 08:30	Travel by Coach to Princess Máxima Center of Pediatric Oncology
08:45 - 09:35	Welcome & Local Programme
08:45 - 08:55	Welcome Kees van Laarhoven
08:55 - 09:05	Presentation - Local Programme, Speaker from Radboudumc MICE: Minimal Invasive Cervical Esophagectomy - Bastiaan Klarenbeek
09:05 - 09:15	Discussion
09:15 - 09:25	Presentation - Local Programme, Speaker from Radboudumc How Precision Medicine, Immunomodulation and Robotics are Reshaping the Future of Surgery - Michiel Warlé
09:25 - 09:35	Discussion
09:35 - 10:40	Scientific Session 1 Moderators: Jan van Lanschot & Kees van Laarhoven
09:35 - 09:40	Introduction of New Proposed Members Susan Galandiuk
09:40 - 9:50	Intramural Botulinum Toxin Type A for Tension Reduction and Improve Anastomotic Healing in Esophageal Atresia: A Translational Research Program Mark Bremholm Ellebaek
09:50 - 10:00	Discussion
10:00 - 10:10	Surgical Treatment of Border-Line /Locally Advanced Pancreatic Cancer Marco Del Chiaro
10:10 - 10:20	Discussion
10:20 - 10:30	Navigating the Artificial Intelligence Revolution in Surgery Tim Eglinton
10:30 - 10:40	Discussion
10:40 - 11:10	Tea and Coffee Break
11:10 - 12:10	Scientific Session 2 Moderators: Yuman Fong & Catherine Teh
11:10 - 11:20	What is the Role of Prehabilitation in Abdominal Cancer Surgery? Cherry Koh
11:20 - 11:30	Discussion
11:30 - 11:40	Biodegradable Scaffold for Long-Term Replacement of the Extrahepatic Bile Duct: A Preclinical Study in a Porcine Model Eduardo Montalvo-Jave
11:40 - 11:50	Discussion
11:50 - 12:00	Artificial Intelligence in Surgery Christoph Reissfelder
12:00 - 12:10	Discussion
12:10 - 13:40	Lunch
13:40 - 14:00	Special Lecture by Professor Marc Wijnen: Sometimes You Need More Than a Knife
14:00 - 14:45	Guided Tour of the Princess Máxima Center of Pediatric Oncology
14:45 - 15:25	Scientific Session 3 Moderators: Mary Hawn & Kjetil Søreide
14:45 - 14:55	Probe-Based Near-Infrared Autofluorescence for Parathyroid Detection During Thyroidectomy and Parathyroidectomy: A Multicenter Randomized Clinical Trial Carmen Solorzano
14:55 - 15:05	Discussion
15:05 - 15:15	Association of Frailty with Surgical Outcomes and Quality of Life Following Gastrectomy for Cancer: A Propensity Score-Matched Analysis from a Prospective Multicenter Cohort Study Manuel Pera
15:15 - 15:25	Discussion
15:25 - 15:45	Board Coach at Princess Máxima Center of Pediatric Oncology
15:45 - 16:15	Travel by Coach to Grand Hotel Karel V
16:15 - 17:15	Free Time
17:15 - 17:30	Board Coach at Grand Hotel Karel V
17:30 - 18:15	Travel to Dinner (A 15 minute walk is required from the coach drop off point to the castle, taxis can be arranged for those who require them)
18:15 - 22:00	Drinks, Special Lecture & Walking Dinner with Guides Venue: Kasteel Zuylen Dress Code: Smart Casual
22:00 - 22:45	Travel back to Grand Hotel Karel V

Tuesday 9th September

Time	Presentation
07:00 onwards	Breakfast
08:15 - 09:00	Walking Tour to the Paushuizen
09:15 - 09:35	Official Launch of ISG Book 2025 by Susan Galandiuk
09:35 - 10:35	Scientific Session 4 Moderators: Rebecca Minter & Ari Leppäniemi
09:35 - 09:45	Low-Dose Aspirin Reduced Recurrence Rate in PI3K-Altered Early-Stage Colorectal Cancer: Results from the ALASCCA Trial Anna Martling
09:45 - 09:55	Discussion
09:55 - 10:05	Behind the Scenes with Surgical Journal Editors Hiram Polk
10:05 - 10:15	Discussion
10:15 - 10:25	Ballistics: The Design of Projectiles and Management of their Wounds Ken Boffard
10:25 - 10:35	Discussion
10:35 - 11:05	Tea and Coffee Break
11:05 - 12:25	Scientific Session 5 Moderators: James Shapiro & Oskar Kornasiewicz
11:05 - 11:15	Novel Approach to Solve the Organ Shortage in Kidney Transplantation Michael Olausson
11:15 - 11:25	Discussion
11:25 - 11:35	Five Years of Machine Perfusion in Liver Transplantation: Clinical Consolidation and Expansion into Translational Research Jens Werner
11:35 - 11:45	Discussion
11:45 - 11:55	Acute Hand Transplant Rejection due to Immunotherapy: The Dilemma Wayne Morrison
11:55 - 12:05	Discussion
12:05 - 12:15	Paediatric Kidney and Liver Transplantation in Turkey: A Single Center Experience Mehmet Haberal
12:15 - 12:25	Discussion
12:25 - 13:25	Lunch
13:25 - 14:35	Scientific Session 6 Moderators: Anna Martling & Ronan O'Connell
13:25 - 13:35	The National Consultant Information Programme (NCIP): A Quality Improvement Tool Sir Norman S. Williams
13:35 - 13:45	Discussion
13:45 - 13:55	Assessing Surgical Innovation ALPPS: An IDEAL Example of Disruptive Innovation Pierre-Alain Clavien
13:55 - 14:05	Discussion
14:05 - 14:15	Quality Control of International Quality Registries and Clinical Databases Anders Bergenfelz
14:15 - 14:25	Discussion
14:25 - 14:45	Tea and Coffee Break
14:45 - 16:15	Annual General Meeting
16:15 - 16:30	Walk to Grand Hotel Karel V
16:30 - 19:00	Free Time
19:00 - 19:20	Meet in Grand Hotel Karel V Reception for Group Photo
19:20 - 19:30	Walk to Dinner
19:30 - 23:00	Gala Dinner Venue: Geertekerk Dress Code: Black Tie
23:00 - 23:10	Walk to Grand Hotel Karel V

Wednesday 10th September

Time	Presentation
07:00 onwards	Breakfast
08:30 - 10:15	Panel Session: The Role of Surgical Colleges & Societies in National Politics Moderators: Stefan Post & Kees van Laarhoven
08:30 - 08:35	Introduction Kees van Laarhoven
08:35 - 08:45	The German Society of Surgery in the role of medical expert and critical opinion representative Christoph Reissfelder
08:45 - 08:55	Reflections on the Royal College of Surgeons' Impact on the UK Government's Health Policy Norman S. Williams
08:55 - 09:05	How to influence health policy: Case: Finland Ari Leppäniemi

09:05 - 09:15	The House of Surgery: Principles Guiding ACS Advocacy Initiatives Barbara Bass
09:15 - 10:10	Panel Discussion
10:10 - 10:15	Concluding Remarks Stefan Post
10:15 - 10:45	Tea and Coffee Break
10:45 - 11:45	Special Lecture by Thomas van Gulik, Amsterdam University Medical Center: The Anatomy Lessons of Amsterdam Dissected
11:45 - 12:00	Closing of ISG 2025
12:00 - 13:00	Light Lunch prior to Departure (Optional)
12:00 onwards	Departures