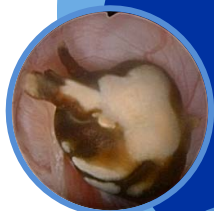


# *13<sup>th</sup> Meeting Endourology and Minimally Invasive Surgery*

**28-29 April 2023**  
Sofia, Bulgaria



***PRELIMINARY  
PROGRAMME***



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# WELCOME MESSAGE

Dear esteemed colleagues and friends,

On behalf of the Organizing committee we would like to welcome you to the 13<sup>th</sup> Meeting Endourology and Minimally Invasive Surgery, which will take place on 28-29 April 2023 in Sofia, Bulgaria.

The 13<sup>th</sup> in a row meeting aims to offer an up-to-date insight on modern diagnostic and therapeutic techniques in endourology and is organized by Military Medical Academy-Sofia with the support and endorsement of the EAU Section of Urolithiasis (EULIS), Endourology Academy (EA), Experts in Stone Disease (ESD), International Alliance of Urolithiasis (IAU), South-Eastern Group for Urolithiasis Research (SEGUR) and Urology in Emerging countries (U-Merge).

The scientific programme of the meeting will focus on state-of-the-art lectures, debates and live-surgery sessions delivered by a distinguished and internationally renowned faculty, giving the opportunity to the participants to update their knowledge on endourology and stone disease. The delegates will have the opportunity to present their own work during the moderated poster and video session.

The 13<sup>th</sup> in a row meeting “Endourology and Minimally Invasive Surgery” is expected to become once again a meeting point for urologists and young doctors working in the field of minimally invasive urology and interested in mastering the art of Endourology and exchanging professional ideas and experience in a friendly atmosphere.



***Prof. Ventsislav Mutafchiyski***  
Honorary Chairman of the  
Organizing Committee



***Prof. Iliya Saltirov***  
Chairman of the  
Organizing Committee

# ENDORSEMENTS

## THE MEETING IS ORGANIZED BY:



MILITARY MEDICAL ACADEMY – SOFIA



ENDOUROLOGY FOUNDATION

## THE MEETING IS ENDORSED BY:



EAU SECTION OF UROLITHIASIS



ENDOUROLOGY ACADEMY



EXPERTS IN STONE DISEASE



INTERNATIONAL ALLIANCE IN UROLITHIASIS



SOUTH-EASTERN GROUP FOR UROLITHIASIS RESEARCH



UROLOGY IN EMERGING COUNTRIES

## **ORGANIZING COMMITTEE**

Ventsislav Mutafchiyski, Bulgaria  
Iliya Saltirov, Bulgaria  
Kemal Sarica, Türkiye (to be confirmed)  
Christian Seitz, Austria (to be confirmed)  
Kremena Petkova, Bulgaria  
Daniela Petrova, Bulgaria  
Ognyan Gatsev, Bulgaria  
Petar Petrov, Bulgaria

## **SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE**

Ventsislav Mutafchiyski, Bulgaria  
Iliya Saltirov, Bulgaria  
Kremena Petkova, Bulgaria  
Orlin Savov, Germany  
Kaloyan Davidoff, Bulgaria  
Kemal Sarica, Türkiye (to be confirmed)  
Christian Seitz, Austria (to be confirmed)

## **SPEAKERS, SURGEONS & MODERATORS (to be confirmed)**

Daniela Petrova, Bulgaria  
Hristo Kumanov, Bulgaria  
Iliya Saltirov, Bulgaria  
Kaloyan Davidoff, Bulgaria  
Kremena Petkova, Bulgaria

Ognyan Gatsev, Bulgaria  
Orlin Savov, Germany  
Petar Petrov, Bulgaria  
Svetoslav Nikolov, Bulgaria

# SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

28 April 2023 (Friday)

- 08.30 WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION**  
V.Mutafchiyski, I. Saltirov
- 08.40-09.00 STATE-OF-THE ART LECTURE:** What's new in endoscopic stone treatment?  
I. Saltirov
- 09.00-10.30 LIVE SURGERY SESSION**  
**Moderators:** to be confirmed  
OR 1: Mini ECIRS complex stone in supine position - to be confirmed  
OR 2: Mini PNL with aspiration sheath in prone position - to be confirmed
- 10.30-11.00 COFFEE BREAK**
- 11.00-12.40 LIVE SURGERY SESSION**  
**Moderators:** to be confirmed  
OR 1: RIRS: single-use ureteroscope - to be confirmed  
OR 2: RIRS: single-use ureteroscope - to be confirmed
- 12.40-13.00 STATE-OF-THE ART LECTURE:** Management of urolithiasis as a systemic disease -  
to be confirmed
- 13.00-14.00 LUNCH BREAK**
- 14.00-15.30 LIVE SURGERY SESSION**  
**Moderators:** to be confirmed  
OR 1: Standard PCNL in prone position – to be confirmed  
OR 2: Mini PNL in prone position – to be confirmed
- 15.30-16.00 DEBATE: ACTIVE SUCTION IN ENDOSCOPIC STONE TREATMENT**  
**Moderators:** to be confirmed
- 15.30-15.40 Suctioning devices are the future - to be confirmed  
15.40-15.50 Active suction has no role in clinical practice - to be confirmed  
15.50-16.00 Discussion
- 16.00-16.20 COFFEE BREAK**
- 16.20-16.35 STATE-OF-THE ART LECTURE:** Residual fragments following stone treatment -  
how to improve outcomes? - to be confirmed
- 16.35-17.20 PRERECORDED SURGERY**  
**Moderators:** to be confirmed
- 16.35-16.50 Endoscopic combined intrarenal surgery in complex stone - to be confirmed  
16.50-17.05 Semirigid ureteroscopy with flexible tip - to be confirmed  
17.05-17.20 RIRS for lower pole stone – K. Petkova
- 17.20-18.00 SATELLITE SYMPOSIA**

## 29 April 2023 (Saturday)

- 08.40-09.00 STATE-OF-THE ART LECTURE:** What's the new gold standard in BPH surgical treatment? - O. Savov
- 09.00-10.30 LIVE SURGERY SESSION**  
**Moderators:** to be confirmed  
HoLEP en bloc technique - to be confirmed
- 10.30-11.00 COFFEE BREAK**
- 11.00-11.20 STATE-OF-THE ART LECTURE:** Which is the best laser for AEEP?-K. Davidoff
- 11.20-13.00 LIVE SURGERY SESSION**  
**Moderators:** to be confirmed  
HoLEP tri-lobe technique - to be confirmed
- 13.00-14.00 LUNCH BREAK**
- 14.00-14.15 STATE-OF-THE ART LECTURE:** Advances in the management of hyperoxaluria - to be confirmed
- 14.15-14.30 STATE-OF-THE ART LECTURE:** Endoscopic evaluation of stone composition by the urologist - how accurate are we? - to be confirmed
- 14.30-15.00 DEBATE: METABOLIC EVALUATION AND RECURRENCE PREVENTION OF STONES**  
**Moderators:** to be confirmed
- 14.30-14.45 General prevention for all stone formers - to be confirmed
- 14.45-15.00 Metabolic evaluation and individualized prevention is the key – D. Petrova
- 15.00-15.30 DEBATE: ERBT-THE NEW STANDARD OF CARE?**  
**Moderators:** to be confirmed
- 15.00-15.15 TURBT is still the gold standard - K. Petkova
- 15.15-15.30 ERBT is feasible in the majority of cases - O. Gatsev
- 15.30-16.00 COFFEE BREAK**
- 16.00-17.00 MODERATED POSTER AND VIDEO SESSION**
- 17.00 CONCLUSION AND FAREWELL**

# GENERAL INFORMATION

## MEETING VENUE

3 “Georgi Sofiiski” blvd.  
Military Medical Academy, Conference center  
Sofia, Bulgaria

## REGISTRATION DESK OPENING HOURS

28 April 2023: 08.00h – 16.00h  
29 April 2023: 08.30h – 12.00h

## ON-SITE REGISTRATION FEES

**Certified urologists: 500 BGN**

**Residents: 350 BGN**

**\*VAT is not included in the registration fee**

Included in registration fee is:

- Attendance to all scientific sessions including live surgery sessions
- Meeting documentation
- Access to congress exhibition
- Congress badge and certificate of attendance
- Coffee and lunch breaks

## CERTIFICATES

All registered participants will receive certificate of attendance after the end of the meeting by e-mail.

## BADGES AND IDENTIFICATION

Registration badges will be used during the Meeting. For identification purposes and admission to session halls, participants are requested to wear their badges, which will be given to them upon registration, at all times. Admission to the Meeting areas will not be allowed without badge identification.

