

5-6 MARCH 2020

**World
Rectal
Conference**
on Organ Preserving Perspectives



INVITATION

6TH WORLD RECTAL CONFERENCE

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On Thursday, March 5 and Friday, March 6 2020 The Netherlands Cancer Institute will organize the 6th World Rectal Conference in Amsterdam.

This is a multidisciplinary conference for Radiation Oncologists, GE surgeons, Gastroenterologists, Medical Oncologists, Radiologists, Pathologists, Residents and Researchers.

The conference aims to highlight all different aspects of organ preserving treatment in rectal cancer. With experts in the field from all over the world, we aim to create an atmosphere of an informal conference, where discussion is most welcomed. To promote this, there will be a debate and interactive discussions. In addition participants are encouraged to propose and discuss new trials in this conference.

In the end, participants will go home with a thorough knowledge of the newest ideas in the treatment of early rectal cancers.

We hope to welcome you at the Netherlands Cancer Institute - Antoni van Leeuwenhoek in Amsterdam in March 2020!

Kind regards of the Scientific committee,

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PROGRAM

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THURSDAY, MARCH 5 2020

08.30 - 09.00	Registration
09.00 - 10.00	Opening and Keynote lecture
10.00 - 11.00	Session 1: Current knowledge on organ preservation
11.00 - 11.30	Break
11.30 - 12.00	Pro vs Con: Has every patient the right to ask for organ preservation?
12.00 - 12.45	Session 2: Pushing the boundaries in treatment
12.45 - 13.45	Lunch break
13.45 - 14.45	Session 3: How can radiotherapy help?
14.45 - 15.15	Break
15.15 - 17.30	Session 4: Pitch & Sell your study

FRIDAY, MARCH 6 2020

08.30 - 09.00	Registration
09.00 - 10.00	Opening and Pro vs Con: Can a radiation oncologist refuse to irradiate for organ preservation?
10.00 - 11.00	Session 5: Staging and follow-up
11.00 - 11.30	Break
11.30 - 12.30	Session 6: Research opportunities
12.30 - 13.00	Pro vs Con: Should organ preservation be centralised?
13.00 - 13.45	Lunch break
13.45 - 15.45	Cases
15.45 - 16.00	Wrap-up

**Please visit our website: www.avl.nl/6th-world-rectal-cancer-conference
Here you will find information about the speakers and the detailed program.**

Location

Antoni van Leeuwenhoek
Piet Borst Auditorium
Plesmanlaan 121
1066 CX Amsterdam
The Netherlands

- The Netherlands Cancer Institute has his own parking place
- Visit our website to find out how to get there.
- For GPS please fill in the address: Louwesweg 12

Registration

In training early bird registration until 8th of January 2020:	150 euro
In training registration after 8th of January 2020:	200 euro
Full registration early bird registration until 8th of January 2020:	275 euro
Full registration after 8th of January 2020:	325 euro

Please register for the conference via this link: <https://symposium.nki.nl/wrcc>

Accreditation

Request to accreditation body:

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