



FIFTH SCIENTIFIC
& ANNUAL MEETING

EUROPEAN SOCIETY OF COLOPROCTOLOGY ESCP

Sorrento | 22-25 September 2010

MAIN TOPICS

Wednesday 22 September 2010

PRE-MEETING COURSE: Core Subject Update
EBSQ EXAMINATIONS

Visit www.escp.eu.com for further updates on
pre-conference workshops.

Thursday 23 - Saturday 25 September 2010

VIDEO SURGERY SESSION
KEYNOTE LECTURES

SYMPOSIA TOPICS

- Low Rectal Cancer
- Acute Colitis
- Complex Perianal Crohn's Disease
- Anorectal Malformations
- Defunctioning Stomas
- Long Term Outcome and Quality of Life
- Technical Advances

Consultants' Corner

Free Paper and Oral Poster Presentations

Abstract submissions: open February 2010
Deadline date: Wednesday 12 May 2010

FUTURE DIARY DATES

ESCP Congress & AGM

2011 - 21-24 September
2012 - 26-29 September
2013 - 25-28 September

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DEAR COLLEAGUES



I am extremely proud to invite you to Sorrento, the town in which I grew up, in this my year as President of ESCP. Sorrento is delightful in September; a distinct step away from city life, it is an idyllic place that combines a vibrant fishing harbour with stunning white cliffs along the Bay of Naples, orange and lemon groves, wonderful food, wine and an excellent selection of hotels.

I will be working closely with the ESCP Executive to ensure that this is not only a scientifically stimulating event, but also one that is memorable for its hospitality and the natural beauty of Sorrento!

We are delighted also to announce that our Conference Dinner will be held in the very special surroundings of Pompeii, exclusively available to our group; this will be no ordinary evening! We will also be making it very easy to get to Sorrento from Naples International Airport, with dedicated ESCP transfer buses provided.

So my friends - don't miss ESCP next year... I hope to welcome you to Sorrento!

With best wishes

Giovanni Romano
ESCP President 2009-2010



SORRENTO

SORRENTO nestles amongst orange and lemon groves on what is considered to be Europe's most magnificent stretch of coast. The city looks across the Bay of Naples towards the volcano Mount Vesuvius, and legend has it that mariners were lured to the islands and towering cliffs of the Amalfi Coast by the songs of the Sirens, mythical temptresses who gave their name to the seductive town of Sorrento!

Virtually cut off from the rest of the world until the mid-19th century when a road linking all coastal villages was built, this unique region was first discovered by the aristocratic "Grand Tourists of Europe", who made the Costiera Amalfitana an obligatory stop-off. Then came artists seeking inspiration, composers Wagner and Grieg amongst others, painters Turner and Miro, and writers/poets including DH Lawrence, Tennessee Williams and Andre Gide. It wasn't long before film stars arrived too - Greta Garbo, Sophia Loren, Clark Gable, Humphrey Bogart - all seeking a perfect hideaway.

The coast has much more than just breathtaking scenery with glamorous resorts hidden away on the spectacular cornice that winds its way past lemon trees, through olive groves, vineyards and tiny villages clinging on to jagged cliffs that plunge straight into the sea. Every turn along this route brings another legendary destination, Positano, Ravello, Amalfi to name just a few.



CONGRESS VENUE

Sorrento is a starting point to many important surrounding sights, the summit of Sorrento's peninsula being only 5 km from Capri, which can easily be reached from the Harbor Marina Piccola. The silhouettes of Ischia

and Procida can be seen from Sorrento on a clear day, both can be reached very quickly by speedboat.

The meeting will take place in the Hilton Sorrento Palace which provides us with the ideal combination of accommodation with great conference facilities. A short 10 minute walk from the harbour front, and set up on the hillside overlooking the town centre, the hotel has super views and excellent facilities.

Getting to Sorrento: Naples airport is located 1.5 hours away, with a choice of transfer options that include a stunning hydrofoil ride across the bay of Naples, public bus or taxi, or the dedicated **ESCP Transfer Bus** which will operate in the lead up to and the weekend of the event, at a reasonable ticket price of €20. The bus timetable will be scheduled based on delegate flight information provided during the registration process.

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