Conference website: https://ueg.eu/week

ESGENA Website: https://esgena.org/

Word of Welcome

ESGENA invites colleagues from Europe and around the world to the 26th ESGENA Program during the 30th UEG Week. After challenging years of the pandemic, UEG Week will be offered as a hybrid meeting which will give you the choice of being there on-site or participating virtually. This option gives us enough flexibility in planning the event.

The ESGENA program will take place on Saturday and Sunday, October 8-9, 2022. The registration as Allied Health Professionals (AHP) enables nurses to participate in the entire UEG Week, including the ESGENA nurse programme. The combination of the ESGENA Nurse Program and the UEG Week program offers an exceptional educational experience with state-of-the-art lectures, free paper sessions, roundtable discussions, live endoscopy, electronic posters and symposiums.

Experience the community and team spirit of gastroenterology and endoscopy nurses. Meet experts, exchange ideas and network with colleagues in other countries.

We hope to meet you onsite in Viennan or join us virtually from wherever you are located.

Marjon de Pater
ESGENA President

Registration

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- Registration is open from March 29 to October 11, 2022.
- The registration for AHP / nurses is 250 EURO
- Register here>>
  https://ueg.eu/week/attendance

More Information:

- Conference website>> https://ueg.eu/week
- ESGENA Website >> https://esgena.org/

ESGENA Nurses Programme – Structure

Saturday	Room 1	Room 2
09:00-10:30	Session 1 : **ESGENA Opening Session – Shaping our future**	
11:00-12:30	Session 2: **Management of Endoscopy units – Focus on health and safety**	Session 3: **ESGENA Free Paper Session**
13:00-15:30	Session 4: **Education – new approaches for improving nursing skills**	Session 5: **Advanced roles – nurses' missions in Endoscopy**
15:30-17:00	Session 6: **Improving hygiene in endoscopy**	Session 7: **Advanced endoscopic techniques – key to success**

Sunday	Room 1	Room 2
08.00-09:30	Session 8: **Sustainability in Endoscopy – how to implement good practise**	Session 9: **Liver nurses**
10:00-11:30	Session 10: **Management of complications**	Session 11: **Sedation & patient safety**
12:00-13:00	**ESGENA Poster Round**	------

ESGENA Nurses Programme – Content of Sessions

Session 1 : ESGENA Opening Session – Shaping our future
- Future of Endoscopy – what can we expect?
- What is the future of nurses in Endoscopy? Are nurses needed? Professional pathway for Endoscopy /GI Nurses
- Nurse Endoscopy – experience after more than 20 years? What is the benefit? What are limitations and resources?
- Green Endoscopy – Sustainability in Endoscopy

Session 2 Management of Endoscopy units – focus on health and safety
- Recruitment and retention of staff
- Impact of Corona induced anxiety in Endoscopy
- Experiences of sexual harassment in the workplace
- Ergonomics in Endoscopy

Session 3: Free Paper
- 6x Free papers

Session 4: Education – new approaches for improving nursing skills
- Experience with virtual reality in training
- Integrating new procedures – a structured approach
- e-health in the screening endoscopy
- Health illiteracy & compliance – what does it mean for Endoscopy

Session 5: Advanced roles – nurses' missions in Endoscopy
- Nurse led Capsule endoscopy service
- Endoscopy Nurse led triage of referrals and waiting list management
- PEG- Teams for patient education and trouble shooting
- The role of the nurse in the care of dysphagia patients

Session 6: Improving hygiene in endoscopy
- Microbiological Surveillance – Are we comparing apples and oranges?
- Visual inspection of endoscope channels after Reprocessing with different process chemicals
- Can we prevent endoscopy associated infections?
- Pro and cons on centralized reprocessing units – debate

Session 7: Advanced endoscopic techniques – key to success
- ERCP & EUS – Rendezvous techniques
- Advanced resection techniques – role of the assistance
- Hemostasis – variceal and non-variceal bleeding
- Bariatric endoscopy

Session 8: Sustainability in Endoscopy – how to implement good practise

- ESGE-ESGENA position statement – the start for an ambitious project?
- Round table discussion on
    - Logistics & waste management
    - Economical factors
    - The use of sterile water
    - Single use endoscopes

Session 9: Liver Nurses

- To be included

Session 10: Management of complications

- Tips and tricks how to manage difficult endoscopic situations
- Case reports of unexpected resolutions and snapshots
    - Tool box for Impacted stones
    - Variceal bleeding – no reason to panic
    - Perforation closures in Colonoscopy
    - Correcting displaced stents
    - Blocked PEG & buried pumper
    - Sponge, Clipping & Co - Endoscopic resolution of bariatric complications

Session 11: Sedation & patient safety

- Sedation in GI Endoscopy 2022 - Similarities and differences in Europe
- How to implement sign-in, team time out and sign-out
- Patient safety in Endoscopy - What distinguishes professional care
- CIRS- Critical incidence reporting system – experience with a national platform

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Call for Abstracts for the ESGENA Nurse Programme

ESGENA invites colleagues from Europe and all over the world to present their experience, studies and projects at the ESGENA Nurse Programme @ UEG Week in October 2022. Participants wishing to submit abstracts can do so **only in electronic format** by sending a **MS Word document** with their abstract via e-mail to:

> Ulrike Beilenhoff,
> ESGENA scientific secretariat
> Email: **UK-Beilenhoff@t-online.de**

<mark>**Abstract submission deadline: May 31, 2022**</mark>

The authors will receive an official confirmation within 3-5 days after submitting their abstract. If authors do not get an official confirmation within 5 days, please send the abstract again to Ulrike Beilenhoff and a copy to the ESGENA technical secretariat: info@esgena.org.

General Information on Abstract Submission
Participants are invited to submit original scientific abstracts for oral or poster presentation.

Authors have to conform to the following guidelines for abstract submission. **Those not conforming to the guidelines will not be considered for reviewing.**

- Abstracts must be submitted in English and must be presented in English.
- Abstracts will be reviewed by a panel of experts and may be selected for oral or poster presentations, or may be rejected.
- Notification of acceptance (for oral or poster presentation) or rejection by the Scientific Programme Committee will be e-mailed to the presenting author by June 30, 2022
- Detailed information, guidelines and recommendations for oral or poster presentation, as well as day, time and room will be sent in due time to duly registered presenting authors.
- The time allotted for each oral presentation will be 10 minutes, followed by 5 minutes of question time.
- Posters will be displayed as electronic posters. During the poster round, authors of posters should also be prepared to answer questions in English.
- Accepted abstracts will be published in the ESGENA Abstract Book, in the ESGENA NEWS and on the ESGENA website.

The abstract should be typed as follows:
- Use font that is easy to read such as Arial, Times Roman, Helvetica or Courier fonts.
- The abstract must not be more than 500 words long or must not fill more than one A4 page, using type in 12-point font.
- A brief title should clearly state the nature of the investigation
- Abbreviations should, if possible, be avoided in the title, but may be used in the text if they are defined on the first usage
- The authors´ names (full first name, surname) and the institution (hospital, university, organization, city and country, e-mail) where the research was carried out, with the name of the presenting author underlined
- Use single line spacing
- Include tables if necessary
- The abstract should be as informative as possible
- **The abstract should have a logical, scientific structure (introduction, mains & objectives, method, results, conclusion, summary, references, learning outcomes for audience)**
- Statements such as „results will be discussed " or „data /information will be presented " cannot be accepted
- Please ensure that your abstracts do not contain any spelling, grammar or scientific errors, as it will be reproduced exactly as submitted
- The abstract should have a **nursing relevant content** and should **add to existing knowledge**.
- The abstract should have a minimum of **2 relevant References,** but not more than 10 References.
- The abstract should state **2 things the delegates could learn** from your presentation

How to prepare a well-written abstract

You can use the template to complete all sections

Scientific Abstract Template (limit: 500 words or one A4 page) - Please complete ALL Sections	*Explanatory Notes* **When completed, and before submission – delete this column**
Title	10 – 12 words that capture the relevance and essence of the research
Introduction / Background	➢ What has been investigated ➢ Why is the research important ➢ Context of the study - has something similar already been done and how the presented work differs
Aims / Objectives	➢ The purpose of the **RESEARCH** / project– *not of the abstract*! ➢ Providing a brief synopsis ➢ Hypothesis, question or concept underpinning the research

(Research) Methods **Please indicate which methodology you have used and delete non-applicable methods:**
➢ Randomized Controlled Trial (Intervention)
➢ Meta-Analysis
➢ Systematic Review
➢ Cohort Study (Prediction)
➢ Qualitative Research Studies (Exploration)
➢ Service / Program Evaluation
➢ Audit
➢ Case Report
➢ Other: *state which*
	➢ Should describe **HOW** the AIMS of the research were achieved
	➢ What the research/project involved - for example:
	  • Short description of the study design
	  • Underpinning theoretical or conceptual frameworks
	  • Sampling technique(s) used, e.g. qualitative or quantitative
	  • Retrospective or prospective
	  • Method of data collection: e.g. review, surveys, focus groups, patient cohorts etc.
	  • Sample size, criteria for selection and exclusion
	  • Randomised or non-randomised
	  • Type / method(s) of data analysis (tests)
	  • Statistical or interpretative analysis software programs used (GENERIC name of the software)
	  • If applicable: state if *Ethics Approval* was obtained

Findings / Results	What the research discovered ➢ Synopsis of the findings of the study, using key data to demonstrate the outcomes ➢ Avoid simply citing data, particularly in quantitative studies ➢ State statistical significance (quantitative studies) ➢ Synthesis of the data and how it answers your research question NEVER submit an abstract without results

Summary and Discussion	➢ Provide a short explanation of HOW the findings relate to the *AIMS*, ➢ present EVIDENCE of the findings from your *METHODS* (to support the implications of your study = conclusions) ➢ Critically define any weaknesses / strengths identified in your data
Conclusion	What the research implies ➢ **IMPLICATIONS** of the findings and how they **ADD** to the existing knowledge
Learning Outcomes + Relevance to Nursing <u>Practice</u>	Relevance to Nursing and how the findings can be <u>**used/applied**</u> in Clinical Practice