

6th

NORDIC-BALTIC-DUTCH BARIATRIC MEETING

18-19 March 2021 | Vilnius | Lithuania



INVITED SPEAKERS:
Prof. Phil Schauer (USA)
Prof. Carel le Roux (Ireland)

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Dear Friends and Colleagues,

To plan a scientific meeting during the COVID 19 pandemic is a challenging task. The European countries are leaving lockdown one after another, but the wave of coronavirus infections is rising in the other parts of the world. The 6th biannual Nordic-Baltic-Dutch bariatric meeting is planned on 18th-19th of March, 2021 in Vilnius, the capital of Lithuania. This is the first time in the history of these meetings that we will invite our Scandinavian and Dutch colleagues to visit one of the Baltic countries. During the period of thirty years after separation from Soviet Union, Baltic countries (Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania) became modern, progressive societies highly dependent on innovation and science. This could be illustrated by the fact that one of the major sponsors of our meeting together with the industry will be Vilnius city municipality. The conference venue is located in the very centre of Vilnius, modern and vibrant city, with rich history, UNESCO World Heritage listed Old Town, quaint cobblestone streets and lush parks. The program of the meeting will include keynote lectures of the experts from our region and beyond, eHealth and young scientist session, reports from Registry studies and extensive networking which has become an essential watermark of these meetings. Join us and participate in the discussions, accumulate and share knowledge in the atmosphere of openness, and experience Lithuanian hospitality.

Prof. Almantas Maleckas

On behalf of the Organizing Committee

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE:

Almantas Maleckas (Baltic countries)

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VENUE:

Radisson Blu Hotel Lietuva (Konstitucijos Ave. 20, Vilnius)

REGISTRATION:

All fees are requested in Euro.

REGISTRATION FEES – VAT 21% INCLUDED.

Registration will be open from 1st October, 2020

	UNTIL FEBRUARY 12	FROM FEBRUARY 13
REGULAR FEE	120 EUR	150 EUR

REGISTRATION FEE INCLUDES:

- Conference material
- Unlimited access to all scientific sessions
- Access to the exhibition
- Certificate
- Lunches
- Social program
- Coffee breaks

ACCOMMODATION:

A block of rooms has been reserved at the conference venue by Meeting Secretariat.

Premium single room – 115 eur / night

Room fee includes: breakfast

MEETING SECRETARIAT:

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PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Wednesday 17th March 2021

Registration from 18:00 in the hotel and congress center

18:30 Tapas and networking

DAY 1 _____ Thursday 18th March 2021

08:00 Registration and exhibition

09:00 Opening of the meeting

09:05 – 11:00 Session I: T2DM and metabolic surgery

Status from the participating countries: Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Island, Finland, Netherlands, Baltic countries

Keynote lecture: 100 hundred Years Later, Banting's Dream of Diabetes Remission is Realized!

When do we treat T2DM with metabolic surgery? Internist point of view.

11:30 – 12:30 Lunch and exhibition

12:30 – 14:15 Session II: Complications after bariatric surgery

10-year results of the SLEEVEPASS trial: focus on GERD and Barrett's.

Long-term complications after LRYGB.

Chronic disabling problem after LRYGB.

Panel discussion: Optimal procedure selection – a balance between target and adverse outcome

14:15 – 14:45 Coffee and exhibition

14:45 – 16:40 Session III: Weight regain

After LRYGB: distalization of LRYGB for weight regain.

After LSG: choice of the procedure.

PET imaging: Why weight regain?

Medicine + surgery, not medicine vs. surgery

Discussion

19:00 Dinner

DAY 2 _____ Friday 19th March 2021

08:30 – 10:30 **Session IV: Back to the future: eHealth, future technologies, and future knowledge with young researcher session**

eHealth and future technologies.
Young researcher session from all participating countries

10:30 – 11:00 **Coffee and exhibition**

11:00 – 12:15 **Session V: Registry studies**

- Sweden
 - Netherlands
 - Norway
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12:15 – 12:30 **Feedback and closing remarks**

12:30 **Lunch**
