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# Program Agenda
## Day 1 - 4 December, 2026 (Friday)

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| TIME | TOPIC | SPEAKER |
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| | **REFRESHER COURSE IN GI ENDOSCOPY**<br>Plenary - held in Hall A | |
| 09:00 am - 09:15 am | Standardization of Endoscopy | Dr. Noriya Uedo |
| 09:15 am - 09:30 am | The Complete Scope: Mastering the Art of Colonoscopy | Dr. Michal Kaminski |
| 09:30 am - 09:45 am | Stop the Bleed: Practical Endoscopy in UGI Bleed | Dr. Yogesh Shastri |
| 09:45 am - 10:00 am | *Discussion* | |
| 10:00 am - 10:15 am | The Bleeding Mystery: A Stepwise Approach to Obscure GI Bleed | Dr. Sameer Al Alwadhi |
| 10:15 am - 10:30 am | CBD Stones: Strategy and Tools for Management | Dr. Xiaobei Lou |
| 10:30 am - 10:45 am | Post-ERCP Pancreatitis: Risk Reduction in Everyday ERCP | Dr. Nilesh Fernandopulle |
| 10:45 am - 11:00 am | *Discussion* | |
| 11:00 am - 11:20 am | TEA BREAK | |
| | SESSION B1 **ERCP I - Foundations** | |
| 11:20 am - 11:35 am | Biliary Cannulation: Techniques for Safe Access | Dr. Horst Neuhaus |
| 11:35 am - 11:50 am | Distal CBD Stricture: Diagnosis and Drainage Decisions | Dr. Guido Costamagna |
| 11:50 am - 12:05 pm | Endotherapy for Chronic Pancreatitis: A Practical Guide | Dr. Jacques Devière |
| 12:05 pm - 12:20 pm | *Discussion* | |
| | SESSION B2 **EUS I - Diagnostic Mastery** | |
| 12:20 pm - 12:35 pm | EUS Tissue Acquisition: Needle, Target and Technique | Dr. Vipul Aggarwal |
| 12:35 pm - 12:50 pm | Pancreatic Cystic Neoplasms: What Every Endoscopist Should Know | Dr. Dong Wan Seo |
| 12:50 pm - 01:05 pm | Practical EUS Anatomy | Dr. Mahmoud M. Omar |
| 01:05 pm - 01:20 pm | *Discussion* | |

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| 01:20 pm - 02:20 pm | LUNCH | |

## SESSION B3 — Third Space I - The Essentials

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| 02:20 pm - 02:35 pm | POEM in 2026: Technique, Outcomes and Reflux Prevention | Dr. Horst Neuhaus |
| 02:35 pm - 02:50 pm | ESD - The Basics for the Beginner | Dr. Pradeep Bhandari |
| 02:50 pm - 03:05 pm | FTRD: Selection to Execution | Dr. Nilay Mehta |
| 03:05 pm - 03:20 pm | *Discussion* | |

## SESSION B4 — EndoBariatrics I - Building a Practice

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| 03:20 pm - 03:35 pm | The Duodenum and Metabolism: The Next Therapeutic Target | Dr. Barham Abu Dayyeh |
| 03:35 pm - 03:50 pm | GLP-1RA vs Endobariatrics: The Battle for Metabolic Supremacy | Dr. Pichamol Jirapinyo |
| 03:50 pm - 04:05 pm | Endoscopic Therapy for MASLD: Emerging Evidence | Dr. Rakesh Kalapala |
| 04:05 pm - 04:20 pm | *Discussion* | |
| 04:20 am - 04:40 am | TEA BREAK | |

## SESSION B5 — Frontiers - EndoHepatology, AI & the Small Bowel

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| 04:40 pm - 04:55 pm | EUS-Based Liver Assessment: Fibrosis, Fat and the Future | Dr. Sundeep Lakhtakia |
| 04:55 pm - 05:10 pm | Anatomy-Driven EUS Management of Gastric Varices | Dr. Radhika Chavan |
| 05:10 pm - 05:25 pm | AI's Growing Role in Endoscopy | Dr. GV Rao |
| 05:25 pm - 05:40 pm | Robotics in Endoscopy | Dr. Philip Chiu |
| 05:40 pm - 05:55 pm | Regenerative Endoscopy | Dr. Goutham Reddy |
| 05:55 pm - 06:15 pm | *Discussion* | |
| 06:15 pm - 07:00 pm | AIG LIVE Endoscopy Quiz in Hall A (all delegates) | |

# Program Agenda
## Day 2 - 5 December, 2026 (Saturday)

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| TIME | TOPIC | SPEAKER |
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| 09:00 am - 09:45 am | AIG LIVE Video Contest in Hall A (all delegates) | |
| | **SESSION B6 — ERCP II - Mastering the Difficult** | |
| 09:45 am - 10:00 am | Biliary Cannulation: Techniques for Safe Access | Dr. Horst Neuhaus |
| 10:00 am - 10:15 am | Hilar Strictures: Mapping, Draining and Avoiding Disaster | Dr. Randhir Sud |
| 10:15 am - 10:30 am | Cholangioscopy in Practice: See More, Treat Better | Dr. Amit Maydeo |
| 10:30 am - 10:45 am | Distal CBD Stricture: Diagnosis and Drainage Decisions | Dr. Guido Costamagna |
| 10:45 am - 11:00 am | *Discussion* | |
| 11:00 am - 11:20 am | TEA BREAK | |
| | **SESSION B7 — Third Space II - Expanding Indications** | |
| 11:20 am - 11:35 am | ESD - The Basics for the Beginner | Dr. Pradeep Bhandari |
| 11:35 am - 11:50 am | FTRD: Selection to Execution | Dr. Nilay Mehta |
| 11:50 am - 12:05 pm | G-POEM: Patient Selection to Outcomes | Dr. Torsten Beyna |
| 12:05 pm - 12:20 pm | *Discussion* | |
| | **SESSION B8 — EUS II - Interventional** | |
| 12:20 pm - 12:35 pm | WON Drainage: Patient Selection, Timing and Technique | Dr. Jeanin van Hooft |
| 12:35 pm - 12:50 pm | EUS – CDS: Technical Pearls | Dr. Abed Allehibi |
| 12:50 pm - 01:05 pm | EUS-Gastrojejunostomy: Techniques and Pitfalls | Dr. Derek Xianfeng Xia |
| 01:05 pm - 01:20 pm | *Discussion* | |

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| 01:20 pm - 02:20 pm | LUNCH | |
| | **SESSION B9 — EndoBariatrics II - Beyond the Sleeve** | |
| 02:20 pm - 02:35 pm | GLP-1RA vs Endobariatrics: The Battle for Metabolic Supremacy | Dr. Pichamol Jirapinyo |
| 02:35 pm - 02:50 pm | The Duodenum and Metabolism: The Next Therapeutic Target | Dr. Barham Abu Dayyeh |
| 02:50 pm - 03:05 pm | Endoscopic Therapy for MASLD: Emerging Evidence | Dr. Rakesh Kalapala |
| 03:05 pm - 03:20 pm | *Discussion* | |
| | **SESSION B10 — Third Space III - Safety & Skill** | |
| 03:20 pm - 03:35 pm | Endoscopic Closure: Clips, Sutures & Rescue Strategies | Dr. Pankaj Desai |
| 03:35 pm - 03:50 pm | Complications in Third Space Endoscopy: Prevention & Management | Dr. Mohan Ramchandani |
| 03:50 pm - 04:05 pm | Training in Third Space Endoscopy: Building Competence Safely | Dr. Zaheer Nabi |
| 04:05 pm - 04:20 pm | *Discussion* | |
| 04:20 am - 04:40 am | TEA BREAK | |
| | **SESSION B11 — ERCP III - The Pancreas & the Salvage Pathway** | |
| 04:40 pm - 04:55 pm | Endotherapy for Chronic Pancreatitis: A Practical Guide | Dr. Jacques Devière |
| 04:55 pm - 05:10 pm | Post-ERCP Pancreatitis: Prediction & Prevention | Dr. Nilesh Fernandopulle |
| 05:10 pm - 05:25 pm | Ampullectomy: Selection, Resection and Rescue | Dr. D. Nageshwar Reddy |
| 05:25 pm - 05:40 pm | *Discussion* | |
| | **SESSION B12 — Completing the Spectrum** | |
| 05:40 pm - 05:55 pm | Leaks & Fistulas: Endoscopic Solutions | Dr. Rajendra Patel |
| 05:55 pm - 06:10 pm | Device-assisted Enteroscopy: When & How | Dr. Praveer Rai |
| 06:10 pm - 06:25 pm | Quality Indicators & Training Pathways in GI Endoscopy | Dr. Michal Kaminski |
| 06:25 pm - 06:40 pm | *Discussion* | |
| 06:40 pm - 07:00 pm | Best of AIG LIVE 2026 - Valedictory in Hall A (all delegates) | |