



World Organization for Specialized Studies
on Diseases of the Esophagus

OESO Newsletter – March 2021

Message to the members of OESO,
and to all those who have interest in Esophagology



The OESO-SEMPIRE

VIRTUAL EDUCATIONAL CHANNEL
8th meeting

from the University of Stanford, California, USA

Hosted by **George Triadafilopoulos** and **John O. Clarke**

Friday, March 19, 2021

- **North America: West Coast PST**
Stanford, 7:00-9:00 am
- **Europe:** 3:00-5:00 pm
- **North America: East Coast**
10:00 am-12:00 pm
- **South America:** Sao Paulo
11:00 am-1:00 pm
- **Asia:** Beijing 10:00-12:00 pm
- **Africa:** Bomet, Kenya
5:00-7:00 pm
- **Australia:** Melbourne
1:00-3:00 am (Saturday, March 20)

- Zoom technology applied

GIST OF THE CASE

Presentation of the case:

- Patricia **Garcia** (Stanford GI Division)
- Dan **Azagury** (Stanford Surgery Division)

An obese patient being considered for bariatric surgery and also for future kidney transplant.

EGJ outflow obstruction on manometry, and abnormal acid exposure on pH testing.

Concerns on Transplant/Bariatric surgery.

Discussion led by George **Triadafilopoulos** and John O. **Clarke** with a top level panel currently being assembled.

Discussion points:

- Pre-operative physiology testing in bariatric surgery,
- manometric significance of EGJ outflow obstruction.
- The new Chicago classification for manometry, Version 4.
- Reflux & bariatric surgical selection.

Registration is free, but mandatory.

Free registration

*Fifteen Pilot Centers worldwide are currently listed in the network of the OESO-SEMPIRE Platform of Excellence in Esophagology to take part in the program of the **OESO Virtual Educational Channel** in Esophagology. Such a program is in line with true multi-disciplinarity, the essence of OESO since its creation, and the mission defined by UNESCO in the **Chair of Digital Education** attributed in 2018, at the University of Geneva, to the OESO Foundation.*



The first seven "Staff meeting discussions" were organized on May 28, **2020** (Pilot Center of Milan), July 22, 2020 (Pilot Center of Stanford), October 3, 2020 (Pilot Center of Bomet, Kenya), October 29, 2020 (Pilot Center of Beijing), December 10, 2020 (Pilot Center of Geneva), January 29, **2021** (Pilot Center of Melbourne) and February 25, 2021 (Pilot Center of Bordeaux).

- **Wherever you are in the world,**
- **Whatever your specialty,**
- **Whatever your level,**

the 8th clinical case of the OESO-SEMPIRE Platform will afford you the opportunity to participate in a global multidisciplinary staff meeting dedicated

to a challenging case of esophagology.
It will involve specialists in various disciplines, and participants from any country can connect to the discussions.

Looking forward to seeing you soon!

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Professor of Surgery

Founder & Deputy Executive Director of OESO

The next 9th Clinical case coming up for discussion on Thursday, April 15, 2021 will be proposed by Prof. Stéphane **Bonnet** & Brice **Gayet**, from **IMM** (Institut Mutualiste Montsouris), Paris.

Details and time will be announced on the OESO website and in the next Newsletter.

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