

Unconventional ACL Meeting ...*The Sequel*

Friday 13 december, 2013 (12:30 - 18:30)
Crowne Plaza Hotel - Antwerp

12:30 Registration

13:00 Welcome & Introduction

Dr Lagae

13:05 Variability in tunnel placement

Prof P. Verdonk

Evolving concepts in tunnel placement

- AM portal technique
- Transtibial technique
- Outside-in drilling
- Footprint restoration and knee stability

Observational clinical study of surgeon ACL tunnel variability

Does use of an accessory medial portal help to anatomically locate the femoral tunnel?

Dr Brophy
Mr Spalding

13:40 Live surgery: ACL reconstruction with hamstrings + extra-articular reconstruction

Graft harvesting and preparation (quadrupled, tripled)

Surgery

Surgeons

Moderator

Q&A

Dr Lagae-Dr Claes
Dr Declercq

14:35 Graft remodeling: animal versus human

Dr Janssen

14:50 Outcome after ACL reconstruction

Per-OP outcome

Short-term outcome: return to play, failure modes, residual pivot shift

Long-term outcome

Dr Zaffagnini
Dr Brophy
Dr Claes

15:20 Coffee Break

15:50 Live surgery: ACL reconstruction with patella tendon graft

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Q&A

Prof P. Verdonk-Dr Brophy
Dr Thienpont

16:35 Advanced ACL techniques and pearls

ACL + MCL repair

ACL + meniscal repair

ACL + osteotomy

ACL + PLC repair

Graft selection in 2013: What are the advantages, disadvantages issues to consider?

Dr Moran
Mr Spalding
Dr Zaffagnini
Prof P. Verdonk
Dr Busilacchi

17:25 The "dark side" of the knee - Are you "in" or "out"? - Extra-articular reconstruction

Antero Lateral Ligament Reconstruction: Hype or history?

Quantification of the pivot shift test: past, present and future

Monoloop: Indication(s) and technique

Anatomic repair: Indication(s) and technique

Prof R. Verdonk
Dr Zaffagnini
Dr Declercq
Dr Claes

18:05 Panel/Round table discussion

Moderator

Panel

Prof R. Verdonk
All faculty

18:25 Conference Adjournment

Dr Lagae

18:30 WALKING DINNER

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