

26th ESTS MEETING

27 MAY - 30 MAY 2018 • LJUBLJANA, SLOVENIA



POSTGRADUATE - SUNDAY 27 MAY

POSTGRADUATE SYMPOSIUM MASTER CUP-PART 1

SUNDAY, 27 MAY 2018 08:00 - 10:00 h · GALLUS HALL

08:00 - 08:05 Introduction from 2017 PGC AME Prize Winner
Monisha Sudarshan (Montreal/CA)

COFFEE BREAK

SUNDAY, 27 MAY 2018 10:00 - 10:30 h

POSTGRADUATE SYMPOSIUM MASTER CUP-PART 2

SUNDAY, 27 MAY 2018 10:30 - 12:00 h · GALLUS HALL

Organisers: Robert Cerfolio (New York/US)
Alan Sihoe (Hong Kong/CN)

- ESTS – AME Award: this is awarded for the best overall performance by a trainee member in the Postgraduate Course Master's Cup Competition who wins an expenses paid one month attachment to a leading Thoracic Surgery Unit in China. **The prize comes courtesy of AME Publishing Company**

Format

This year, a brand new format aims to bring even more education from the experts.

2 levels of competition:

- **Round 1:** Teams present knowledge-based questions in key topics, with answers centered on the authoritative ESTS Textbook and supplemented by latest updates from global experts
- **Round 2:** Leading surgeons from around the world give personal, real-life tips and tricks on Life as a Thoracic Surgeon... and then quiz the Teams!
Teams gain bonus points for well-reasoned explanations and well-designed questions – but can lose points if they press the buzzer before engaging brains!
In both Rounds, panels of ESTS experts will discuss the questions and answers, sharing their experience through insightful commentary.

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TEAM EUROPE-CAPTAIN: ISABELLE OPITZ, CH

 Katarzyna Furrer	Switzerland
 Laurens Ceulemans	Belgium
 Oleg Alexandrov	Russia
 Javier Gonzalez	Spain
 Ali Fuad Durusoy	Turkey
 Bo Laksafoss Holbek	Denmark
 Marie-Chantal Struys	Netherlands
 Sara Federici	Switzerland
 Jan Viehof	Germany



TEAM AMERICAS-CAPTAIN: SAI YENDAMURI, US

 Raul Caso	USA
 Robert Van Haren	USA
 Eric Howell	USA
 Julien Hubert	Canada
 Nassrene Elmadhun	USA
 Rafael Lucas Costa De Carvalho	Brazil
 Rodrigo Villarroel	Chile



TEAM ASIA-CAPTAIN: LI HUI, CN

 Kazuhiro Minami	Japan
 Nobuyuki Yoshiyasu	Japan
 Kentaro Fukuta	Japan
 Jae Hyun Jeon	South Korea
 Nikhil Rane	India
 Di Lu	China
 Shaozi Fu	China
 Abuduaini Tuerhong	China

