



# 27th ESTS MEETING

9 JUNE - 12 JUNE 2019 • DUBLIN, IRELAND

EUROPEAN CONFERENCE ON GENERAL THORACIC SURGERY

## SYMPOSIUM FOR NURSES & ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONALS

MONDAY 10 JUNE - 09:00 - 18:00h • HALL 3

### VENUE

#### The Convention Centre Dublin

Spencer Dock  
North Wall Quay  
Dublin 1  
D01 T1W6  
Ireland  
www.theccd.ie



### IMPORTANT DATES

Early Bird Registration  
Wednesday 17 April 2019



### Abstract Submission

- Opens: Monday 3 December 2018
- Closes: 28 February 2019 for the Nurses and allied health profession

### TOUR OF MATER MISERICORDIAE UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL

Tuesday 11 June 2019 10:00-11:30 h

Meeting for group departure 09:30 h  
Registration Area, The Convention Centre Dublin

## WELCOME ADDRESS

Dear Nursing & Allied Health Colleagues

We would like to invite you to the 6th Nursing & Allied Health Professionals Symposium at the 27th ESTS conference in Dublin, Ireland 2019.

The symposium will cover a variety of topics within thoracic surgery that are of interest to this specialist group. The presentations throughout the day will be delivered by invited speakers, oral presentations, posters and workshop based learning.

This is a great opportunity to contribute to the largest and most important international symposium for nurses and allied health professionals. It is an opportunity to share our experiences and knowledge with each other whilst networking with the wider international community.

The Symposium will be an important addition to your continuous professional development. It will also offer an opportunity to engage with the most recent research in the field of thoracic surgery, positively impacting on care delivery to our patient group.

All you have to do to be a part of this exciting meeting is submit your abstract for presentation or simply register for the symposium. Please join us in Dublin, 9-12 June 2019, a beautiful time to visit Ireland's capital city.

**Call for abstracts is from 3 December 2018 to 28 February 2019**

When participating in the nursing programme, you are welcome to join the other scientific sessions as well.

We are looking forward to welcoming you.



**David Healy**  
Chair, Local Organising Committee



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## TOPICS

- Thoracic Trauma
- Advanced Practice in Thoracic Surgery
- Pain management in Thoracic Surgery
- Lung cancer nursing; surgery to surveillance
- The role of ECMO for Thoracic Surgery
- Theatre Nursing- advances in surgical techniques
- Nurse-led services for Thoracic Surgery
- Prehabilitation
- Enhanced Recovery After Surgery
- COPD Surgery & Management
- Lung Transplantation

## WORKSHOPS

- Indwelling pleural catheters (insertion to community management)
- Lung resection- stapling technology
- MDTs
- Radiology or mini tracheostomy (TBC)

Practical Session: 13:30 – 16:50

## LOCAL ORGANISING COMMITTEE

David Healy (Dublin/IE)  
Rachel Brown (Dublin/IE)  
Denise Breen (London/UK)  
Pierpaolo Busacchio (Monza/IT)  
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