



Message from the President

Dear Colleagues and Friends,

It is with great pleasure that we invite you to the XX Congress of the European Association for Cranio-Maxillo-Facial Surgery, to be held in the beautiful city of Bruges, Belgium, also known as the Venice of the North, from 14 – 17 September 2010.

The 2010 Congress will offer a high quality scientific programme, including keynote lectures, oral and poster presentations, honorary lectures and masterclasses.

Bruges is a compact Flemish city, rich in cultural and architectural heritage. It will be easy to meet with old friends and to make new ones since most of the hotels and meeting places are within walking distance of each other.

On this occasion, I would like to thank you all for the honour to serve you as the EACMFS President. The specialty of Cranio-Maxillo-Facial Surgery is a dynamic and evolving one and as such, our initiatives need to be forward-thinking. Our efforts in the coming years will focus on expanding the fellowship, preceptorship and scholarship opportunities available to interested trainees, and enhancing the quality and quantity of education offered through EACMFS.

We are looking forward to welcoming you in Bruges!

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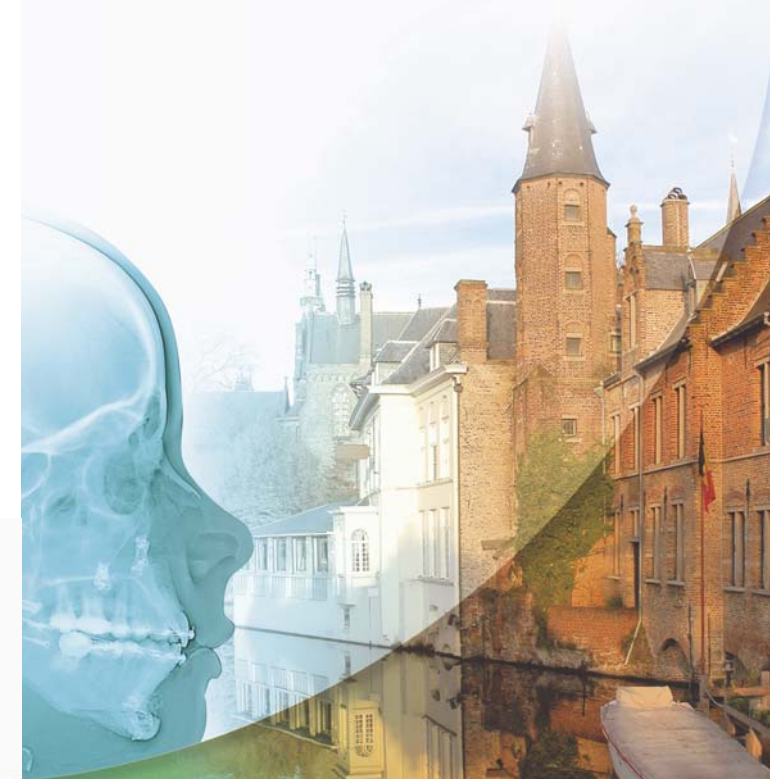


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Scientific Objectives

Attendance to the congress will enable participants to broaden their knowledge and skills in both the theory and practice of cranio-maxillo-facial surgery. The congress will offer a stimulating scientific programme composed of invited lectures from renowned experts in the field, symposia, 'state of the art' presentations on controversial topics, materclasses and free communications.

The congress aims to provide scientific education for everyone working in the field of cranio-maxillo-facial surgery, ranging from trainees to junior and senior specialists. To facilitate exchange between units and finally bring together colleagues in order to share and advance clinical expertise and underlining the congress theme, go further beyond, Plus Ultra.

This scientific programme taking place in Bruges should be seen as an encouragement to the establishment of uniform training requirements throughout Europe for our speciality.



Scientific Topics

Trainees Meeting 13 September 2010

Course & workshop on splinting techniques in reconstructive orthognathic and trauma surgery.

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Keynote Lectures

- Cleft lip, alveolus and palate
- Reconstructive surgery
- Craniofacial syndromes
- Salivary glands
- Alveolar & oral cavity surgery
- Trauma
- Orthognathic and orthofacial surgery
- Advanced implantology
- Aesthetic surgery
- Cosmetic surgery
- Maxillo-facial implants
- Oncology

Masterclasses

- Rhinoplasty
- Skin Tumours and Flaps
- Bone reconstruction and implants
- Practical aspects of tissue engineering
- Microsurgical flaps
- Orbital trauma
- Immediate loading
- Neck dissection techniques
- Facial paralysis
- Facial hair restoration
- Microvascular reconstruction

Registration information and hotel accomodation

Congress Venue

The XX EACMFS Congress will take place at the Concertgebouw (Concert Hall) and the Site Oud Sint Jan.

The **Concertgebouw** (Concert Hall), an international centre for music and performing arts, is also a venue at which many events are held. The building offers a unique setting combining state-of-the-art architecture with the historical setting of the city of Bruges.

The site **Oud Sint Jan** is located in a 19th century former hospital, situated in and part of the large complex of the medieval St. John's hospital, one of the oldest hospitals in Europe. The site has been transformed into a museum and congress centre.

Most of the congress hotels are situated within walking distance of the congress venue.

For a full overview, please go to the website: www.eacmfs2010.com.

About Bruges

Known as the Venice of the North, Bruges is one of the most beautiful cities in Europe.

It was a justified motive that prompted UNESCO in 2000 to include the entire historical city centre on the World Heritage list. Walking along the maze of winding cobbled alleys and romantic canals, you imagine yourself to be in medieval times. The wealth of museums is a striking image of this city's stirring history.

Bruges maintains the very highest culinary standards. The city boasts dozens of excellent restaurants, trendy lunch locations, fun coffee bars and a local population famed for its love of the good-life and its high levels of expectation! We invite you to explore and enjoy this wonderful city.

Social Programme

To allow for maximum exchange between all participants, the congress will feature an exciting and stimulating social programme.

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| 14 September 2010 | Opening Ceremony & Presidential Reception |
| 15 September 2010 | Excursion to Ghent <i>(additional fee required)</i> |
| 16 September 2010 | Gala Dinner at The Belfry, Bruges <i>(additional fee required)</i> |

The congress accompanying persons programme includes an interesting range of Sightseeing Tours. For the full list and registration information please go to the website: www.eacmfs2010.com.

Information on registration and hotel accommodation is available on the website: www.eacmfs2010.com. For more information, please contact the PCO Secretariat through eacmfs-2010@mci-group.com



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Important dates to remember

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| 20 November 2009 | Online abstract submission available |
| 20 November 2009 | Online registration available |
| 15 April 2010 | Deadline abstract submission |
| 15 May 2010 | Deadline early registration |
| 1 June 2010 | Notification of abstract acceptance |
| 15 June 2010 | Deadline registration of presenting authors |
| 30 June 2010 | Deadline refund after cancellation |