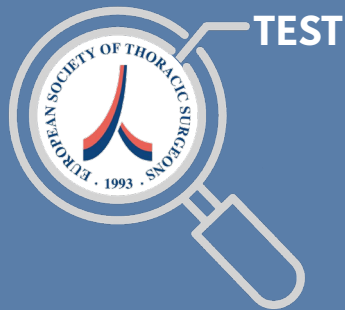




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Landgasthof Halbinsel Au Hotel, Zurich, Switzerland  
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### New EXploratory Trials for surgical NSCLC in TEST



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Dear partners,

TEST (Thoracic European Surgical Trials) is a European surgical clinical trials platform promoting clinical trial enrollment and execution in surgical centers across Europe. Currently more than 20 academic and non-academic large volume thoracic surgery centers are part of this platform. We wish to connect the expertise generated via the Early-stage Lung cancer International eXpert Retreat with transcontinental clinical trial development.

We are planning a multi-disciplinary KOL TEST session to develop innovative trials, novel treatment strategies, enrollment optimization, and cutting-edge translational research opportunities that will shape the next wave of surgical advancements in lung cancer care. Among world-leading experts who have already agreed to join are: Dr Brendon Stiles, Montefiore Einstein Cancer Centre; Dr David Jones, AATS President and TSOG PD; Dr Jay Lee, UCLA; Dr Cecilia Pompili, Leeds Institute of Cancer & Pathology; Dr Jarushka Naidoo, Ireland; Dr Jessica Donington, University of Chicago Medicine; Dr Paula Ugalde, Brigham and Women's Hospital; Dr Logan Walsh, McGill University; Dr Jean-Marc Baste, Rouen University Hospital.



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Our effort also aims to identify and mentor promising fellows and junior faculty in the domain of surgical lung cancer trials to accompany this new generation of trials within this expert setting.

#### The meeting is planned in a two-day format:

- Day 1: Working groups for Stage I, II, III, IV NSCLC, perioperative care and pathways to ensure adherence to intended oncologic therapy, translational research opportunities.
- Day 2: Presentation of suggestions and vote for three projects to move forward.

**When:** 10-11 December 2025

**Venue:** Landgasthof Halbinsel Au Hotel, Zurich, Switzerland

**Organizers:** Isabelle Opitz & Jonathan Spicer

Your support for this exclusive meeting would be highly appreciated.

Do not hesitate to reach out for further questions to:

**Secretariat:** Ms. Nuria Monteis: [n.monteis@torrespardo.com](mailto:n.monteis@torrespardo.com)

Kind regards,

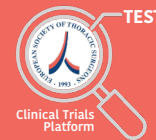
  
Isabelle Opitz  
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Chair ELIXR meeting

  
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# 29 TEST Member Institutions / Trial Sites



Aarhus University Hospital,  
Denmark

Ambroise Paré Private Hospital,  
Paris, France

Campus Bio-Medico University of Rome,  
Italy

Charles University and Motol  
University Hospital,  
Prague, Czech Republic

Copenhagen University Hospital,  
Denmark

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Switzerland

Glenfield Hospital, Leicester,  
UK

Heidelberg University Hospital,  
Germany

IEO - European Institute of Oncology,  
Milan, Italy

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Paris, France

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Vienna, Austria

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Germany

Medical University of Vienna,  
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Budapest, Hungary

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University Hospital,  
Madrid, Spain

Royal Brompton Hospital,  
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Rome, Italy

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Leeds, UK

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Belgium

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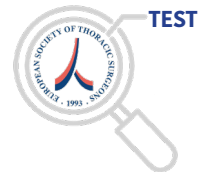
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Heerlen, The Netherlands

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### TEST COMMITTEES

#### TEST STEERING COMMITTEE MEMBERS

- Isabelle Opitz
- Brendon Stiles
- Eric Lim
- Servet Bölükbas

#### EUROPE

##### Surgeons

- Clemens Aigner
- Jean-Marc Baste
- Luca Bertolaccini
- Kelvin Lau
- René Petersen
- Cecilia Pompili

##### Oncologists

- Alessandra Curioni

##### Junior

- Raphael Werner

##### Scientists

- Umberto Malapelle

#### NORTH AMERICA

##### Surgeons

- Jonathan Spicer
- Jessica Donington
- Jay Lee
- Paula Ugalde
- Mara Antonoff

##### Junior

- Caroline Huynh

##### Scientists

- Logan Walsh

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Wednesday, December 10th, 2025

09:00 Welcome & Introduction

**09:30-11:55 KEYNOTE LECTURES** (open coffee in the same room)

**09:30-10:00 Latest advances and unmet clinical needs in stage I**

*Paula Ugalde*

**10:00-10:30 Latest advances and unmet clinical needs in stage II-III**

*Jonathan Spicer*

**10:30-11:00 Latest advances and unmet clinical needs in OMD stage IV**

*Mara Antonoff*

**11:00-11:30 Latest advances and unmet clinical needs in surgical care**

*Jessica Donington*

**11:30-12:00 Latest advances and unmet clinical needs  
in translational research**

*Logan Walsh*

**12:15-13:15 LUNCH SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM**

**Inside the Pipeline:**

**What's Next in Drug Development Trials**

Speakers: Gary Doherty  
Maiyan Chau

**Training Away From Patients**

Speakers: Matz Fredriksson  
Sri Subramaniam

**13:30-17:00 BREAK OUT GROUPS** (open coffee in the same room)

**Brainstorm and finalise a proposal  
for the most interesting trial**

**WG stage I-III**

*Chair: Eric Lim, Jay Lee*

**WG Stage IV**

*Chair: Brendon Stiles, Alessandra Curioni*

**WG Surgical therapy**

*Chair: Jessica Donington, Cecilia Pompili*

**WG translational**

*Chair: Umberto Malapelle, Logan Walsh*



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Thursday, December 11th, 2025

### 08:30-12:00 PRESENTATIONS & DISCUSSION

08:30-09:35 WG stage I - III

09:40-10:10 WG stage IV

10:10-10:40 Coffee Break

10:40-11:10 WG perioperative care

11:15-11:45 WG translational

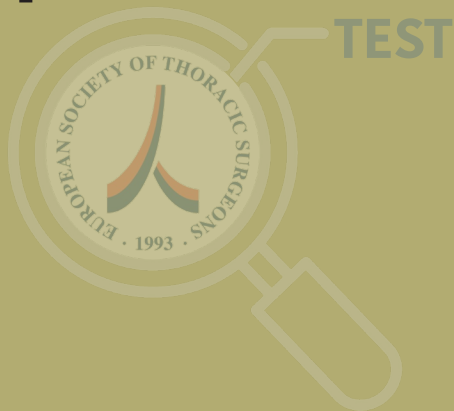
11:50-12:00 Conclusions

12:00-13:00 Open session with Industry representatives

13:00 Farewell



# Benefits in sponsoring TEST



## **INCREASED VISIBILITY AND BRANDING**

By sponsoring a clinical trials platform, pharmaceutical and medical technology companies can place their brand prominently in a scientific and clinical environment. This raises awareness of their products and services among professionals, clinics and research institutions.

## **PROMOTION OF INNOVATION AND RESEARCH**

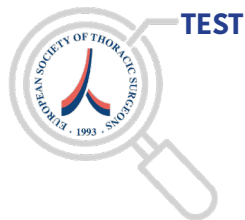
Sponsorship supports the conduct of clinical trials that drive innovation in medicine and open up new treatment options. Companies can thus become part of scientific progress and strengthen their reputation as partners for research and development.

## **STRENGTHENING COLLABORATIONS**

A clinical trials platform enables companies to build closer relationships with leading clinics, research institutes and academic institutions. This can foster long-term collaborations and strategic alliances that go beyond sponsorship.

## **TRUSTWORTHINESS AND SOCIAL COMMITMENT**

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| Option to submit two questions to Working Groups                      | ✓              | ✓              | ✓              | -             |
| Participation at the Open Session with Industry Representatives       | ✓              | ✓              | -              | -             |
| Satellite Symposium                                                   | ✓              | -              | -              | -             |
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