



HUNGARIAN SOCIETY
OF CLINICAL ONCOLOGY

Honorary Membership

Prof. Dr. Eric Van Cutsem



MEDICAL ONCOLOGY CAREER

- **1983** - **MD** - University of Leuven, Belgium
- **1994** - **Internal medicine** - University of Leuven, Belgium
- **1994** - **PhD** - University of Leuven, Belgium
- **2000** - **Full Professor** - University of Leuven, Belgium

Head of the division of Digestive Oncology at the University Hospitals Gasthuisberg Leuven (UZ Leuven) and University of Leuven (KUL)

- **2023** - **Professor Emeritus**

Fellowships: England, Switzerland, the USA, the Netherlands

- **> 705 articles** in PubMed, > 1600 according Thomson Web of Science,
- **> 110.000 citations, H-factor of 146**
- **Research interests:** various aspects of Gastrointestinal and Digestive cancers (colorectal, gastric, pancreas, bile duct, esophageal, neuroendocrine tumors)

He serves/served on the **board** or **key committee of:**

- **ESMO** (European Society Medical Oncology; executive board, several committees)
- **UEG** (United European Gastroenterology; educational committee, public affairs committee, scientific committee)
- **ASCO** (American Society of Clinical Oncology; program committee, international affairs committee)
- **ENET** (European NeuroEndocrine Society; advisory board), **EORTC** (European Organisation Research Treatment Cancer; executive board, chair of GI Cancer group), **ECO** (European Cancer Organisation program committee), **ESDO** (European Society Digestive Oncology; president), **ESO** (European School of Oncology; Scientific council)
- **Patient advocacy groups** EuropaColon, Digestive Cancers Europe, Foundation Engie (CSR)
France & Belgium

Scientific societies, major achievements

- He co-founded **ESMO GI/World Congress** on Gastrointestinal Cancer
- He was chairman of the governmental **colon cancer prevention task force** in Flanders, Belgium
- was/is president and treasurer of **Belgian Group Digestive Oncology**
- president/vice-president of **Familial Polyposis Association (FAPA)**
- He is/was member of the **Scientific Advisory board:**
- Institut National du Cancer (INCA), Toulouse & Paris, France; University of Ulm & Leipzig, Germany;
Humanitas Hospital, Milan & Avignon, France
- He serves on **industry advisory boards** for new anti-cancer drugs and treatment modalities
/ independent Data Monitoring Committees of clinical trials..

EDITORIAL ACTIVITIES

- **co-editor** of GI News, the newsletter of the EORTC-GI-group

Member of the editorial board:

- Journal of Clinical Oncology
- Annals of Oncology
- European Journal Cancer
- Japanese Journal Clinical Oncology
- Clinical Colorectal Cancer
- European Journal of Cancer Prevention
- Journal of Chemotherapy
- Expert Opinion of Pharmacotherapy

HONORS

- 2018 – he became *doctor honoris causa* of the **Medical University of Warsaw, Poland**
- 2019 - the **ESMO Award** and the **European Awards in Medicine for Cancer Research**

Several other national and international awards.....



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Honorary members (HSCO)

Prof. Dr. Heine Hansen (2002)

Prof. Dr. Jan B. Vermorken (2004)

Prof. Dr. Richard Herrmann (2006)

Prof. Dr. Hans-Joachim Schmoll (2008)

Prof. Dr. Aimery de Gramont (2010)

Prof. dr. Tabár László (2012)

Prof dr. Alberto Sobrero (2014)

Prof dr. David J. Kerr (2016)

Prof. dr. Karim Fizazi (2018)

Prof. Dr. Jacek Jassem (2020 – 2022)

Prof. Dr. Eric Van Cutsem (2024)