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Why invest in Young Medical Oncologists?

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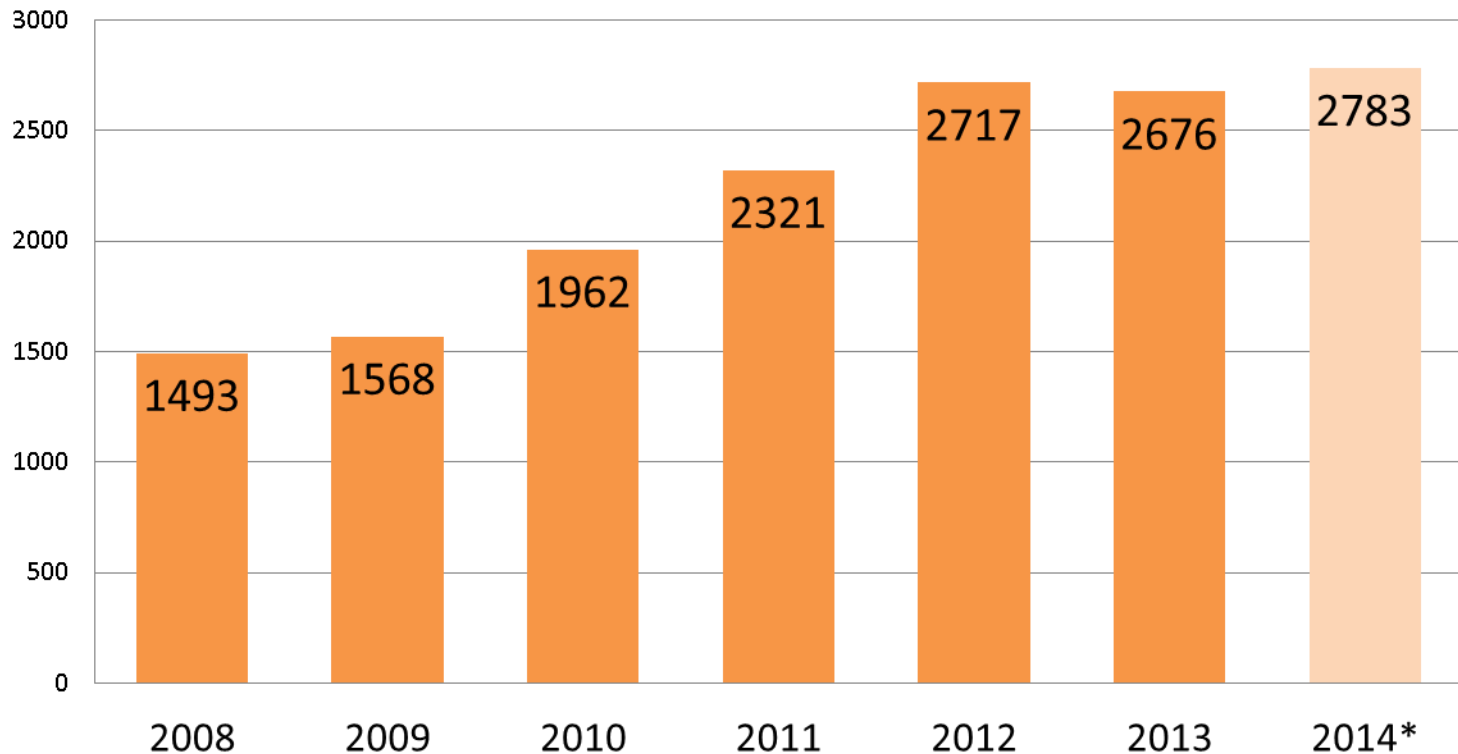
Who are ESMO Young Oncologists (YOs)?

- < 40 years of age
- 36% of ESMO members are YOs
- Comprised of both oncologists in training and specialised oncologists
- Young oncologists who are currently in training i.e. not yet specialised medical, surgical or radiation oncologists can apply for ESMO Junior Membership:
 - €25 per year only giving access to the full range of ESMO benefits including specific benefits aimed at YOs e.g. Fellowship Programme
- Oncologists who have qualified are eligible for Full Membership

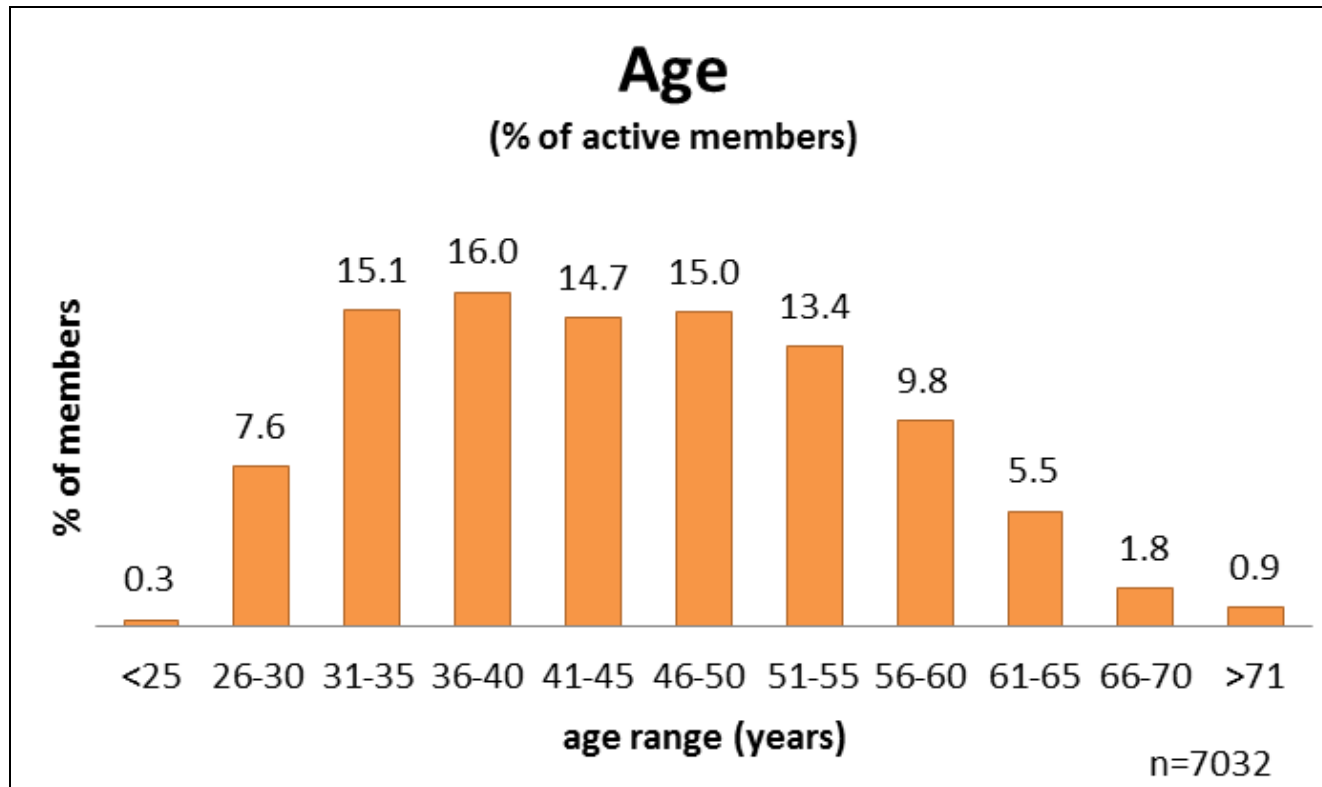
An important Membership Group

36% of members

ESMO YO growth since 2008



Age of ESMO members overall



Mean age ~ 44 years - 38% are younger than 40 years

YOC members involved in other ESMO committees

Seat on

- Educational Committee - YOC chair
- E-Learning and CME Working Group (ECWG) – 2 YOC member
- Press & Media Affairs Committee – 3 YOC members
- YOC members involved in scientific programme committee of ESMO congress and YOC Programme/Track both ESMO and ECC

In addition:

- YOC chair has an observer seat on Executive Board meeting as of 2013

ESMO Fellowships

Research and Educational opportunities to
Medical Oncologists around the world

Improve Patient Care - Advance science - Enhance careers



ESMO Fellowship Programme

Research

Education



**Career
Development**

Training tomorrow's oncology leaders

ESMO Fellowship Programme

6 Different types of ESMO Fellowships

Over 5,600,000€ invested in ESMO Fellows from 1989 to 2013

Over 190 ESMO Fellows since 1990

ESMO Educational Fellowships



ESMO Translational Research Unit Visits

Practical information for data interpreting and implementing new technologies. Focus: technology, project management, funding, clinician relationship and quality control

3–4 day visits – 4–8 fellows per visit – 1,000€ (3–4 / year)



ESMO Clinical Unit Visit

Acquire know-how at European Centres of Excellence and transfer to home institute

6–weeks visit – 5,000€ (3 or more / year)



ESMO Palliative Care Fellowship (not limited <40)

Observation or research at an ESMO Designated Centers of Integrated Oncology and Palliative Care to obtain additional experience in palliative care training

Observation: min 1 months – 2,500€

Research: 1–3 months – 5,000€ (2 or more / year)

ESMO Research Fellowships



ESMO Translational Research Fellowship

Strong laboratory component with opportunity to work at a centre of excellence, in-depth translational research – a spring board for your career

2 years – 70,000€ (2–4 / year)



ESMO Clinical Research Fellowship

Access to and collaboration with European institutions of excellence – gain support necessary to develop specific clinical research projects

1 year – 35,000€ (1 / year)



Georges Mathé Translational Research

Lab-based project at an European centre of excellence in order to acquire in-depth translational research skills – for promising scientific researchers

1 year – 35,000€ (1 / year)

YO Fellowship stories

Floriana Morgillo, Italy

Translational Research Fellowship 2008-2010

Mechanisms of acquired resistance to anti growth factor receptor agents

“The translational research fellowship gave me the opportunity to complete my research in my field and grow as an independent researcher.

I had the opportunity to meet international scientists, to present my data at international conferences and to share my knowledge.

Having the opportunity to do this fellowship represented a step forward in career development.”



YO Fellowship stories

Hatem Azim, Belgium

Translational Research Fellowship 2010-2012

Genomic Profiling of breast cancer diagnosed during pregnancy



“My path is a very good example of how an ESMO Fellowship can really provide career-changing opportunities. I combined the two-year period of my ESMO translational research fellowship with other projects in the same domain.

I incorporated these projects into a PhD and obtained the degree, one year after finishing the fellowship.

I have since been involved in various committees and panels, and have now become a scientific director of the breast cancer research unit that welcomed me as a fellow”

Value of ESMO Fellowship

Young Oncologists are highly recommended to apply for ESMO Fellowship

– a unique fundamental opportunity to open your mind and build a solid career and gain a strong network!

ESMO Fellows' advice to YOs

- Be motivated
- Search for study opportunities
- Apply and re-apply
- Be patient, persistent and optimistic
- Work hard
- Demonstrate your dedication and aspirations when applying
- Form networks and participate in activities
- At end fellowship ensure you implement what you have learnt

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Preceptorship Meetings & Travel Grants for YOs

2013

5 Preceptorships in 2013 – 3 in Europe, 2 in Asia

2014

10 Preceptorships planned for 2014 – 8 in Europe, 2 in Asia

and also:

1st Clinical Trials Workshop for Central Eastern Europe Budapest
11-12 March 2014, Budapest, Hungary (< 45 yrs)

ESO-ESMO Eastern Europe and Balkan Region Masterclass in Medical Oncology

27 June - 2 July 2014, Brdo, Slovenia – residential course, to improve skills or as preparation for national or ESMO board exam. Including full spectrum of issues in clinical and medical oncology.

Example: Prague, May 2014

PRECEPTORSHIP PROGRAMME 2014

COLORECTAL CANCER

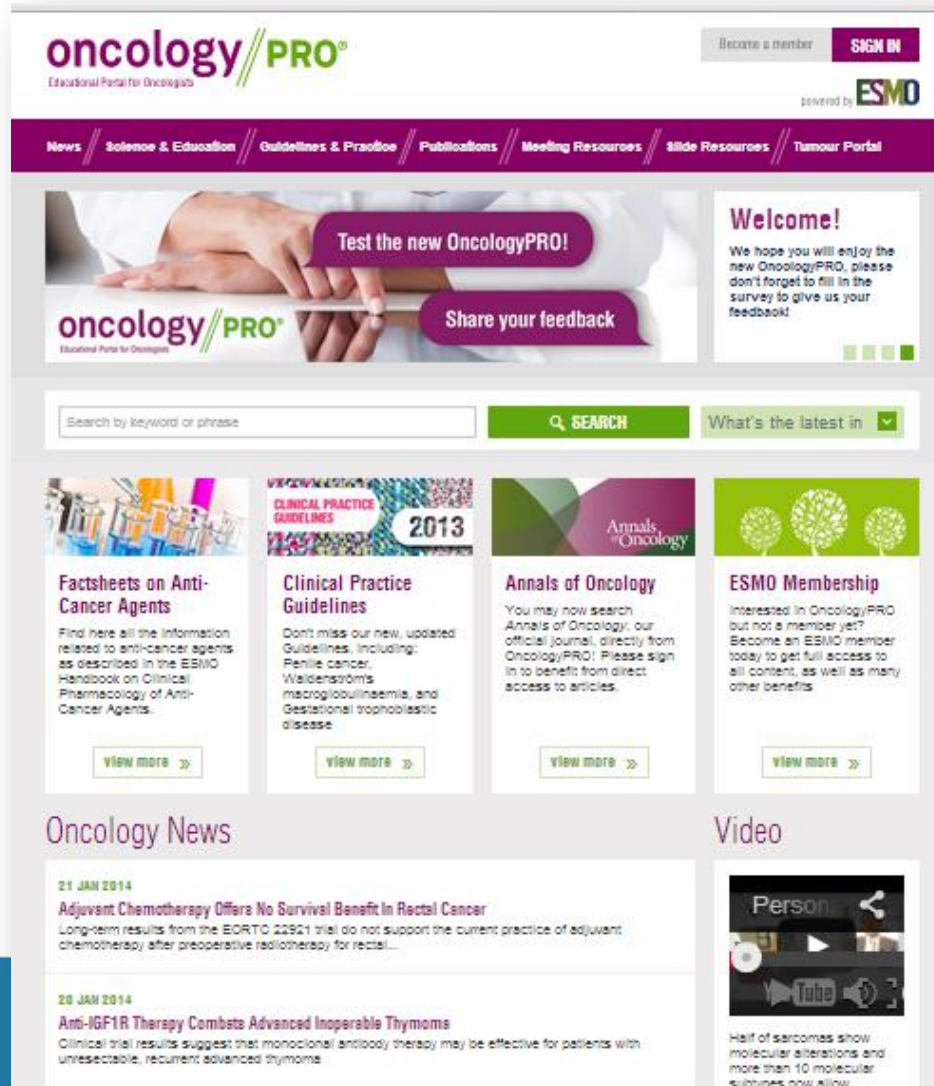
Multidisciplinary management, standards of care and future perspectives

OBJECTIVES:

- Learn about best clinical practice in the multidisciplinary management of colorectal cancer in the adjuvant and metastatic settings
- Understand the importance of pathology and histoprognostic factors
- Learn about the management of patients after progression, side-effects of treatments, and in special situations

oncologyPRO: A Single Resource

- Oncology News
- Science and Education
- Guidelines and Practice
- Publications
- Meeting resources
- Slide resources
- Tumour portal
- Sponsor material



The screenshot displays the oncologyPRO website, an educational portal for oncologists. The header features the "oncologyPRO" logo with the tagline "Educational Portal for Oncologists" and a "SIGN IN" button. A navigation bar lists various resources: News, Science & Education, Guidelines & Practice, Publications, Meeting Resources, Slide Resources, and Tumour Portal. The main content area includes a "Test the new OncologyPRO!" banner with a "Share your feedback" link, a "Welcome!" message, and a search bar. Below the search bar, there are four featured sections: "Factsheets on Anti-Cancer Agents", "Clinical Practice Guidelines 2013", "Annals of Oncology", and "ESMO Membership". Each section has a "view more" link. The "Oncology News" section shows two articles from January 2014, and the "Video" section features a video player and a description of sarcoma molecular alterations.

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SEARCH

What's the latest in

Factsheets on Anti-Cancer Agents

Find here all the information related to anti-cancer agents as described in the ESMO Handbook on Clinical Pharmacology of Anti-Cancer Agents.

view more »

Clinical Practice Guidelines

Don't miss our new, updated Guidelines, including: Penile cancer, Waldenström's macroglobulinaemia, and Gestational trophoblastic disease

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Annals of Oncology

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Oncology News

21 JAN 2014

Adjuvant Chemotherapy Offers No Survival Benefit in Rectal Cancer

Long-term results from the EORTC 22921 trial do not support the current practice of adjuvant chemotherapy after preoperative radiotherapy for rectal...

28 JAN 2014

Anti-IGF1R Therapy Combats Advanced Inoperable Thymomas

Clinical trial results suggest that monoclonal antibody therapy may be effective for patients with unresectable, recurrent advanced thymoma

Video

Person

Half of sarcomas show molecular alterations and more than 10 molecular subtypes now allow

YO - the leaders of tomorrow

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