

**The Edward J. Tabah Visiting Professor
in Surgical Oncology**



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at the

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Professor Dr. Mark I. van Berge Henegouwen is chair of the upper GI unit at the Amsterdam University Medical Centers, chair of the Dutch Upper GI Cancer Audit and chair of the Dutch society of foregut surgeons of the Netherlands. He was appointed professor of Gastrointestinal Surgery in 2017 at the University of Amsterdam.

Mark van Berge Henegouwen born and raised in the Netherlands, received his MD and PhD at the University of Amsterdam. He performed his fellowship in gastrointestinal and minimally invasive surgery at the Academic Medical Center in Amsterdam where he started as senior consultant in 2006.

Mark van Berge Henegouwen's clinical practice is dedicated to patients with malignancies of the esophagus and stomach. The Amsterdam UMC is currently one of the largest centers for esophageal and gastric cancer in Europe. The Amsterdam UMC is a tertiary referral center for these patients. Mark van Berge Henegouwen has introduced minimally invasive surgery for esophageal and gastric cancer at his center in 2009 and now around 90 percent of patients are treated thoraco-laparoscopically.

Mark van Berge Henegouwen is a Principal Investigator in upper GI cancer Surgery and main research activities are focused on improvement of outcomes in upper GI cancer surgery, outcomes and centralization in the Dutch Upper GI Cancer Audit, improvement of (minimally invasive) techniques, neoadjuvant treatment regimens in esophageal and gastric cancer and quality of life in upper GI cancer surgery.

PROGRAM

Wednesday, April 17, 2019

1:00 - 2:00 p.m.	<p><i>Lecture</i></p> <p>Location: Montreal General Hospital Block A, Room; Osler Auditorium - AG.105</p> <p>Topic: Improving Outcomes of Upper GI Cancer through the Dutch National Audit</p>
2:00 - 5:00 p.m.	<p><i>Case Presentations and Debate</i> Gastric and Esophageal Cancer</p> <p>Location: Montreal General Hospital Block A, Room; Osler Auditorium - AG.105</p>
6:00 p.m.	<p><i>Reception & Dinner (by invitation only)</i></p> <p>Location: Mount Royal Club 1175, Sherbrooke St. West</p>

Thursday, April 18, 2019

7:30 a.m.	<p><i>Lecture - Multidisciplinary Surgical Grand Rounds</i></p> <p>Location: Montreal General Hospital Block A, Room; Osler Auditorium - AG.105</p> <p>Topic: Multimodal Therapy for Esophageal Cancer; Surgical Perspectives of the CROSS trial</p>
9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.	<p>OR with Dr. Ferri (<i>by invitation only</i>)</p>

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The Cedars Cancer Foundation is proud to sponsor and welcome Dr. Mark van Berge Henegouwen as the 31st Edward J. Tabah Visiting Professor of Surgical Oncology at the MUHC. Established in 1990 by the Cedars Cancer Foundation in honor of Dr. Edward Tabah, its objective is to bring to the MUHC on an annual basis a renowned world expert in the field of surgical oncology thus providing healthcare professionals first hand access to the latest developments and technologies in surgical oncology. This prestigious visiting professorship is an integral part of the educational program in Oncology and Surgery at the McGill University Health Centre.

CEDARS CANCER FOUNDATION

The Cedars Cancer Foundation at the McGill University Health Centre (MUHC) was established in 1966 originally as the Harley Chamandy Memorial Fund of the Royal Victoria Hospital and later as the Cedars Cancer Research Fund. A dedicated group from the Lebanese community of Montreal planted the seeds for what is today the Cedars Cancer Foundation.

The original purpose of the organization was, and continues to be, to raise funds for the betterment of cancer care at the MUHC. Cedars' beginnings focused on research and the purchase of state-of-the-art diagnostic and therapeutic equipment. For over 50 years, efforts have leaned toward patient care and cancer education. A network of psycho-social and humanitarian support for the cancer patients and their families is provided through the Cedars CanSupport program and the Wilfrid Howick Humanitarian Endowment Fund. Cedars' strong commitment to cancer education is demonstrated by the creation of the Henry R. Shibata Fellowship Fund, providing cancer specialists with the opportunity to further their education in order to benefit the hospital, university and, above all, cancer patients. In addition, Cedars has created four Annual Visiting Professorships in Oncology, which bring world-renowned researchers, educators and physicians to the McGill teaching hospitals: The Vivian Saykaly Visiting Professorship in Medical Oncology, established via a generous endowment by the Saykaly family in honor of Mrs. Saykaly, the Edward J. Tabah Visiting Professorship in Surgical Oncology and The Dr. Blair N. Whittemore Visiting Professor of Sarah's Fund at Cedars in Pediatric Hematology/Oncology and The Dr. Sharon Wexler Visiting Professorship in Neuro-oncology

Previous Edward J. Tabah Visiting Professors in Surgical Oncology:

- 2018 Dr. David Shibata, University of Tennessee Health Science Center, Memphis, TN
- 2017 Dr. Alessandro Gronchi, Fondazione IRCCS Istituto Nazionale dei Tumori, Milan, Italy
- 2016 Dr. Ron DeMatteo, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, N.Y.
- 2015 Dr. Electron Kebebew, National Cancer Foundation, Washington, DC
- 2014 Dr. Monica Morrow, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, N.Y.
- 2013 Dr. Daniel Coit, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, N.Y.
- 2012 Dr. Kelli Bullard Dunn, James Graham Brown Cancer Center, University of Louisville, KY
- 2011 Dr. Harushi Osugi, Osaka University Graduate School of Medicine, Japan
- 2010 Dr. Kris Jardon, University of Clermont-Ferrand, France
- 2009 Dr. Alan D.M. Turnbull, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, New York
- 2008 Dr. Sylvie Bonvalot, Gustave Roussy Cancer Foundation, Paris
- 2007 Dr. Kenneth K. Tanabe, Harvard Medical School, Boston Ma
- 2006 Dr. Hartly Stern, Ottawa Hospital Regional Cancer Centre, Ottawa
- 2005 Dr. Blake Cady, Rhode Island Hospital, Providence, RI
- 2004 Dr. Theodore N. Pappas, Duke University Medical Centre, Durham, NC
- 2003 Dr. Joel Sheinfeld, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, New York
- 2002 Dr. Peter Pister, MD Anderson Cancer Centre, Texas
- 2001 Dr. Stimson Schantz, New York Medical College, New York
- 2000 Dr. Alfred M. Cohen, Cornell University, New York