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Antwerp | October 16-17th, 2026



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25+ SPEAKERS & CHAIRS

Meet experts from every corner of the world.



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Thursday 15th October

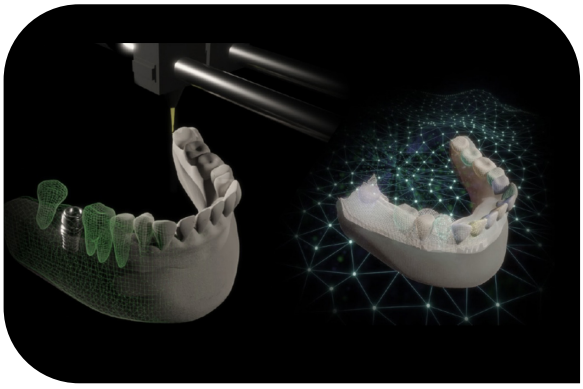
PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS

Hilton Old Town, Sancy Room (2nd floor)

9.00-10.30 — 26007820 – DG/SD 0 – 10AE/UA

Workshop: 3D Printing in Dental Practice

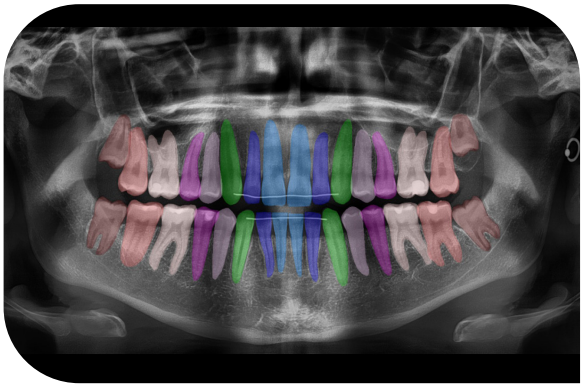
By Dr. Reybrouck, Dr. Glibert



11.00-12.30 — 26007821 – DG/SD 3 – 10AE/UA

Workshop: Image-Based AI Assisting the Digital Dental Workflow

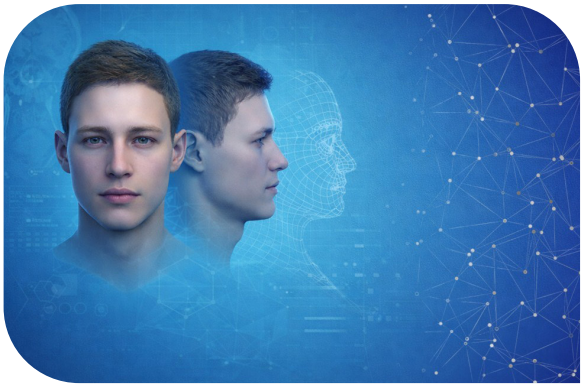
By Prof. Jacobs, Dr. Elgarba, Dr. Dawood, Dr. Papasratorn



13.00-14.30 — 26007823 – DG/SD 5 – 10AE/UA

Workshop: Facial Scanning

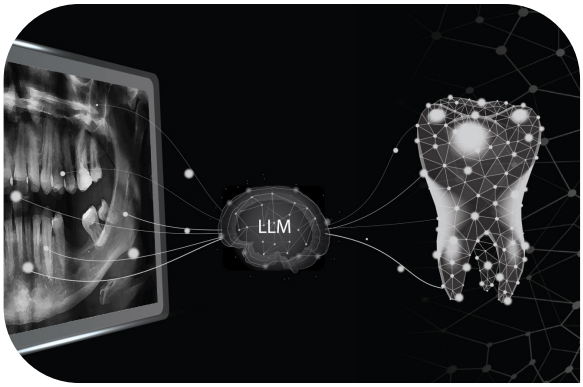
By Dr. Jindanil, Dr. Paganini, Dr. Sola Gracea, Prof. Jacobs



15.00-16.30 — 26007824 – DG/SD 3 – 10AE/UA

Workshop: Open AI in Dental Diagnostics

By Dr. Papasratorn, Dr. Sola Gracea, Prof. Jacobs



- Each € 180 Early Bird
- 50 participants
- Consecutive
- Full-day package: € 585 Early Bird

Thursday 15th October

AMBASSADORS MEETING

Hilton Old Town, Antwerp City Hall

13.30

Welcome

WITH:
Francesco Mangano
Wouter Reybrouck
Henriette Lerner
Fabrizia Luongo
Roberto Carta
Alfonso De Paolini

14.00

Start of the Ambassadors Meeting

17.00

Closing of the Afternoon Session

19.00-21.00

Official Reception at Antwerp City Hall - By invitation only



Friday 16th October

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

Hilton Old Town, Belle Epoque Room (3rd floor)

9.00-9.15

Official Opening and Welcome address

Prof. Reinhilde Jacobs (DDS President)

9.15-10.45 26007812 – DG/SD 3 – 10AE/UA

AI Based Dental Imaging Unlocked

Prof. Erwin Berkhout (THE NETHERLANDS)

Prof. Reinhilde Jacobs (BELGIUM)

10.45-11.15 **Coffee Break**

11.15-12.45 26007813 – DG/SD 4 – 10AE/UA

Digital Endodontics Unlocked

Prof. Paul Lambrechts (BELGIUM)

Prof. Roberto Fornara (ITALY)

Prof. Andres Torres (CHILE)

Dr. Roberto Aza Garcia (SPAIN)

12.45-14.00 **Lunch Break**



14.00-15.30 26007814 – DG/SD 5 – 10AE/UA

15.30-16.00 **Coffee Break**

Digital Orthodontics Unlocked

Dr. Isabelle Savoye (BELGIUM)

Dr. Flavia Preda (ROMANIA)

Dr. Stefania Perrotta (ITALY)

Dr. Ellen Cloet (BELGIUM)

Digital Workflows for Oral Rehabilitation

16.00-16.30 26007815 – DG/SD 7 – 10AE/UA

Part 1: Digital Multidisciplinary Implant Workflow

Dr. Lieven Barbier (BELGIUM)

Dr. Jan Meeus (BELGIUM)

Dr. Ellen Wouters (BELGIUM)

16.30-17.00 26007815 – DG/SD 7 – 10AE/UA

Part 2: Digital Workflow in Children: Towards Tooth Biofabrication

Dr. Alina Paganini (SWITZERLAND)

Prof. Mostafa Ezeldeen (EGYPT)

Dr. Pierre Lahoud (LEBANON)

17.00-17.30 26007815 – DG/SD 7 – 10AE/UA

Part 3: Bioprinting in Medicine Unlocked

Prof. Lorenzo Moroni (ITALY)

17.30-18.00

Interactive Debate

GALA DINNER at Horta Grand Café



Friday 16th October

ORAL PRESENTATIONS

Hilton Old Town, Sancy Room (2nd floor)

7.30-10.45

SESSION 1
Chairs:
Alina Paganini - Pierre Lahoud - Mihaela Hedesiu - Cristian Dinu

10.45-11.15 **Coffee Break**

11.15-12.45

SESSION 2
Chairs:
Alina Paganini- Pierre Lahoud - Bahaa Elgarba

12.45-14.00 **Lunch Break**

14.00-15.30

SESSION 3
Chairs:
Bahaa Elgarba - Parisa Soltani - Sorana Eftimie

15.30-16.00 **Coffee Break**

16.00-18.00

SESSION 4
Chairs:
Andrew Nalley - Francielle Verner - Parisa Soltani

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS
Important Dates

March 10, 2026
Abstract submission open

June 15, 2026
Abstract submission deadline

June 30, 2026
Abstract approval notification

- Abstract presentation ONLY VALID upon registration to congress by Early bird deadline

Saturday 17th October

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

Hilton Old Town, Belle Epoque Room (3rd floor)

Digital Workflows for Oral Implant Rehabilitation Unlocked

8.45-9.30 26007817 – DG/SD 7 – 10AE/UA

Part 1: Advanced Digital Workflow for Implant Surgery Unlocked

Prof. Jaafar Mouhyi (MOROCCO)

Dr. Umberto Zanetti (ITALY)

Prof. Bassem El Fahl (EGYPT)

9.30-10.15 26007817 – DG/SD 7 – 10AE/UA

Part 2: Implant Prosthetics Unlocked

Dr. Henriette Lerner (GERMANY)

Dr. Grzegorz Wasiluk (POLAND)

Prof. Miodrag Šćepanović (SERBIA)

10.15-10.45

Interactive Debate

10.45-11.15 Coffee Break

11.15-12.45 26007818 – DG/SD 7 – 10AE/UA

Clinical 3D Printing Unlocked

Prof. Ziad Salameh (LEBANON)

Prof. Wally Renne (USA)

Prof. Gülce Çakmak (TURKEY)

12.45-13.00

Interactive Debate

General Information

Date

OCTOBER 2026

Thursday 15th Pre-conference day with hands-on workshops

Friday 16th – Saturday 17th Conference days

Venue

The conference will take place at Hilton Antwerp Old Town, located in the heart of Antwerp and overlooking the Cathedral of Our Lady and the Old Town square. The venue offers comfortable accommodation, advanced technology, professional service, and a prestigious setting.

Accomodation

Book your stay in advance to make the most of your time in Antwerp. We have selected convenient options for conference participants:

- Hilton & Town
  https://eventsathilton.com/show/69a-8019f3a542e81ea954afd
- Nearby hotels
  https://secure.cubilis.eu/group/antwerpconventionbureau/extendedSearch?lang=en

Gala Dinner

The gala dinner will take place on **Friday, October 16th** at **Grand Café Horta**. Set in a stunning Art Nouveau hall with original iron structures by Victor Horta, the evening offers a unique blend of architectural heritage and contemporary elegance.

Early bird: €210
Regular price: €250 (from July 1st)

Social Events

Discover Antwerp through **curated cultural tours**, including museums and guided city experiences. Explore the city's history, art, and atmosphere through carefully selected activities.

Visit the shop: https://ddsantwerp2026.org/home-events

Accreditations

All tickets are accredited, including both pre-conference and conference sessions:

- **BELGIUM RIZIV / INAMI**
- **NETHERLANDS: Dutch Dental Quality Register (KRT) and Dutch Association of Orthodontists (NVvO)**

All sessions count toward continuing education requirements—no additional paperwork needed (see the corresponding activity numbers next to each session in the program).



Rates	Until 30/06/2026	From 01/07/2026
Active Members Ticket	€ 590	€ 740
Non-Active Members Ticket	€ 750	€ 940
Hygienists, Assistants, Technicians, Student Ticket	€ 300	€ 350
On-site tickets	-	€ 870
Workshop (1) - Member	€ 180	€ 230
Workshop (1) - Non-Member	€ 360	€ 450
Workshop (4; full day) - Member	€ 590	€ 740
Workshop (4; full day) - Non-Member	€ 750	€ 930
Gala Dinner	€ 210	€ 250

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