

Intestinal Ultrasound Unveiled

1st IBUS Workshop for the Industry



Dear Colleagues,

We invite you to attend the "Intestinal Ultrasound Unveiled" 1st IBUS Workshop for the Industry taking place in Leuven, Belgium, on December 15th, 2025.

This exclusive workshop is designed for pharmaceutical industry professionals and ultrasound companies. It will focus on the role of intestinal ultrasound in patients' pathways and conducting clinical trials.

Key Highlights:

- Standardizing Assessments: Learn about the latest developments in ultrasound scores, central reading, and IUS as trial endpoints.
- Optimizing Site Performance and Selection: Discuss strategies for effective site selection, training, and quality control for intestinal ultrasound in IBD studies.
- Al-powered Solutions: Today and Tomorrow
- Collaborative Partnerships: Network with key opinion leaders, ultrasound experts, and industry colleagues.

Who Should Attend:

Representatives of Pharmaceutical Industry focusing on IBD, Clinical Trial Specialists, Medical Affairs Teams, Imaging Service Specialists, Ultrasound Companies representatives, Anyone with interest in IUS in clinical trials.

Limited places available, please register before October 13th, 2025.

Best Wishes,

Bram Verstockt - Chair, IBUS Scientific Committee

Rune Wilkens - Chair, IBUS Collaboration Committee

Krisztina Gecse - President, IBUS



Program

Start	End	Session Title	Talk Title
08:00	08:30	Registration and welcome coffee	
08:30	08:40	Welcome and introductions	
08:40	09:25	Session 1: Positioning Intestinal Ultrasound in IBD	IUS in disease monitoring, what do we look for? (10 min)
			IUS zooming into CD (10 min)
			IUS zooming into UC (10 min)
09:25	10:55	Session 2: Standardizing IUS for clinical trials	Lessons learnt from endoscopy in clinical trials (15 min)
			Standardizing IUS acquisition and site qualification (15 min)
			De-identification and image transfer (15 min)
			Central reading in IBD clinical trials (15 min)
10:55	11:15	Coffee break	
	12:45	Session 3: Implementing IUS in clinical trials – Part I: Stakeholders' perspectives	Patient expectations: IUS in clinical trials (15 min)
11:15			Regulatory perspectives – What's needed for acceptance? (15 min)
			Industry perspective: Key barriers to large-scale adoption in clinical trials (3x10 min)
12:45	13:30	Lunch	



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13:30	14:30	Session 4 - Implementing IUS in clinical trials – Part II: Interactive roundtable: collaborative partnerships	
14:30	15:00	Session 5: From discussion to action: key takeaways and next steps	
15:00	15:30	Coffee break	
15:30	16:35	Session 6: Future of IUS in clinical trials	Future trial strategies and designs: focus on IUS (25 min)
			Vision on IUS education (15 min)
			AI-Powered solutions (25 min)
16:35	17:30	Informal get together	