The 11th ISDE World Congress will be held in Budapest, Hungary in 2008. It will be the first time the central part of the old continent has been given the opportunity to organise such a prestigious event. In the heart of Europe we wish to arrange a genuine world congress! Professionals dealing with diseases of the esophagus, gastroenterologists, oncologists and surgeons who have established the ISDE, as well as everybody interested are most welcome and kindly invited to the high level scientific meeting, our congress which promises a great experience and a delightful trip to Budapest.

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Plenary Sessions:
- Esophagology, State of the Art 2008
- Clinical Challenges in Reflux Disease
- Esophageal Motor Disorders: Diagnosis and Management
- Cancer of the EG Junction
- Evidence Based Esophagology, European Trials
- The Debate: Management of NOD and IM Cancer
- New GERD Therapies
- Multimodal Treatment of Esophageal Cancer
- Barretts Esophagus
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Abstract Submission Topics:
1. Advances in Diagnostics
2. Barretts
3. Molecular Biology and Carcinogenesis
4. Epidemiology/Outcomes
5. Esophageal Reconstruction
6. Esophageal Cancer: Staging and Management
7. Esophageal Emergencies
8. GERD Treatment: Medical & Surgical
9. How I do it (endoscopic and surgical procedures)
10. Inflammatory Conditions
11. Motor Disorders: Diagnosis and Treatment
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