



INVITATION

Inauguration of Vero, the first system worldwide for high precision radiation therapy



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Radiation oncology department, UZ Brussel

November 27, 2009, at 16.00 hrs

Auditorium Kiekens, UZ Brussel (blue zone F, level -1)

PROGRAM

- 16.00 hrs Prof. Dr. Marc Noppen, CEO of UZ Brussel
Why scientific research is important for university hospitals...
- 16.10 hrs Prof. Dr. Paul De Knop, Rector of Vrije Universiteit Brussel
40 years Vrije Universiteit Brussel: meaning of (scientific) innovation
- 16.20 hrs Minister Ingrid Lieten, Vice Minister President of the Flemish Government and Flemish Minister for Innovation, Public Investment, Media and Poverty Reduction
Scientific research and technical innovation – incentives and support from the government
- 16.35 hrs Prof. Dr. Ir. Bart De Moor, President of the Hercules Foundation
Ex pede Herculem
- 16.45 hrs Prof. Dr. Dirk Verellen, Radiation Oncology Department
The Vero system for IGRT – designed for tailored and individualized cancer therapy
- 17.15 hrs Prof. Dr. Guy Storme, Head of Radiation Oncology Department
Vero – end product for radiation oncology?
- 17.30 hrs Presentation of the system followed by walking dinner



The management of UZ Brussel welcomes you, on behalf of the radiation oncology department, to the inauguration of their new Vero system for high precision radiation therapy.

This is the synthesis of their work over the last 20 years, to combine intensity-modulated and image-guided radiation therapy treatment. A closed-loop imaging feedback system for tracking tumors during treatment increases high-quality treatment delivery and ensures truly individualized treatment for each patient.

We hope you will join us and look forward to seeing you in Brussels.



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By car

The Laarbeeklaan can be accessed from the Brussels ring road (R0).
From Zaventem on exit 9, follow the Steenweg op Brussel and turn left. At the next traffic light, turn right and drive onto the Dikke Beuklaan. Follow the signs to UZ Brussel.
From Ghent on exit 9, follow the Dikke Beuklaan and turn right. Follow the signs to UZ Brussel.

By bus

Take bus N° 13 from metro station Simonis
Take bus N° 14 from train station Brussel Noord
Take bus N° 53 from train station Jette
Take bus N° 84 from metro station Beekkant or Heizel
Take bus N° 245 Dendermonde – Brussel-Noord and
Take bus N° 820 Zaventem – Vilvoorde



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