

UEG Research Prize 2023: EAGLE The European Alliance for Gastrointestinal Lesions in Early Stages

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The 2023 UEG Research Prize was awarded for the EAGLE project, a European initiative to develop better treatments for early digestive cancer through randomised controlled trials.

KEY POINTS

- The speaker outlined plans for multiple randomised trials evaluating treatments for early gastrointestinal lesions, with the first trial (SCAR) studying early colon cancer and having just started recruitment.
- The rationale for the project is that screening programs are detecting more early lesions, but endoscopic treatment techniques have not changed substantially in the past 50 years.
- At least two additional randomised trials are currently being designed as part of the EAGLE initiative.
- The speaker emphasised three key principles for conducting research: courage to be disruptive, curiosity, and doubt about existing practices, with doubt being the most important driver of cutting-edge research.

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