Max Cancer Congress, 2026 - Mumbai	
Venue: JW Marriott, Mumbai Sahar	
Saturday, 3rd October 2026 II Day 1 Hall A	
07:00 AM Onwards	**Conference Registration**
08:30 AM - 08:35 AM	**Welcome Note**
08:35 AM - 12:25 PM	**Session 1 - Breast Session**
Program Director:	Dr. Garvit Chitkara, Mumbai
Session In-charge:	Dr. Sridevi Murali-Nanavati, Mumbai
Chairpersons:	Dr. Sanjay Dudhat, Mumbai; Dr. Avinash Deo, Mumbai
08:35 AM - 08:45 AM	Benign Breast Disease: What Actually Needs a Surgeon?
Speaker:	Dr. Ashutosh Tondare, Aurangabad
08:45 AM - 08:55 AM	VABB - Vacuum-Assisted Breast Biopsy
Speaker:	Dr. Shilpa Lad, Mumbai
08:55 AM - 09:05 AM	Robotic Breast Surgery: My Experience
Speaker:	Dr. Shalaka Joshi, Mumbai
09:05 AM - 09:25 AM	Debate: The Great Axillary Omission Debate
Debater (FOR) (8 Mins+ 2 Mins Rebuttal)	Dr. Nisha Hariharan, Hyderabad
Debater (AGAINST) (8 Mins+ 2 Mins Rebuttal)	Dr. Nita Nair, Mumbai
09:25 AM - 10:05 AM	The Monday Morning Verdict: 2026's Practice-Changing Papers on Trial
Moderator:	Dr. Ashutosh Kothari, Mumbai
Panelists:	Dr. Manish Chandra, Mumbai; Dr. Rashmi Parikh, Mumbai; Dr. Karishma Kirti, Mumbai; Dr. Neha Choudhary, Kolkata; Dr. Jinesh Singhavi, Mumbai; Dr. Tanuja Shet, Mumbai
10:05 AM - 10:10 AM	Chair Summary / Key Takeaways
Chairperson:	Dr. Vani Parmar, Mumbai
10:10 AM - 10:20 AM	The Panel Testing Trap - Are We Testing Right or Just Testing More?
Speaker:	Dr. Aparna Dhar, Delhi
10:20 AM - 10:30 AM	HER2-Low/Ultra-Low: Reclassifying Disease, Redefining Treatment Eligibility
Speaker:	Dr. Tanuja Shet, Mumbai
10:30 AM - 10:40 AM	Rewriting the PMRT Rulebook: What the Updated Guidelines Really Say?
Speaker:	Dr. Tabassum Wadasadawala, Mumbai
10:40 AM - 11:00 AM	Debate: ctDNA-Based Surveillance: Ready for Prime Time? (SERENA -6 Data)
Debater (FOR) (8 Mins + 2 Mins Rebuttal)	Dr. Udip Maheshwari, Mumbai
Debater (AGAINST) (8 Mins + 2 Mins Rebuttal)	Dr. Bhuvan Chugh, Delhi
11:00 AM - 11:40 AM	Panel Discussion: The EBC Tumor Board
Moderator:	Dr. Tejinder Singh, Mumbai

Panelists:	Dr. Sridevi Murali-Nanavati, Mumbai; Dr. Purvi Thakar, Mumbai; Dr. Arnav Tongaonkar, Mumbai; Dr. Sandeep De, Mumbai; Dr. Tanvi Jhaki, Mumbai; Dr. Kshitij Joshi, Mumbai; Dr. Deepanjali Adulkar, Mumbai; Dr. Sheena Alphones, Mumbai
11:40 PM - 11:45 PM	**Chair Summary / Key Takeaways**
11:45 AM - 12:05 PM	Industry Symposium: Unlocking the Immune Response Role of Immunotherapy in Early TNBC A Multidisciplinary Approach
Speaker:	Dr. Tejinder Singh, Mumbai
12:05 PM - 12:25 PM	Industry Symposium: Enhertu across the HER2+ Spectrum: Transforming Outcomes from Metastatic to Curative-Intent Disease
Speaker:	Dr. Jyoti Bajpai, Mumbai
12:30 PM - 12:45 PM	**Conference Inauguration**
12:45 PM - 01:25 PM	**Oration**
Chairpersons:	Dr. S H Advani, Mumbai; Dr. Hemant B Tongaonkar, Mumbai
Topic	The last mile in cancer care: From precision oncology to precision equity
Orator:	Dr. Ravi Kannan R, Silchar
01:30 PM - 02:30 PM	**LUNCH & POSTER EXHIBITION**
02:30 PM - 06:30 PM	**Session 2 - GI Session**
Program Director:	Dr. Ganesh Nagarajan, Mumbai
Session In-Charges:	Dr. Sasmita Vadgaonkar, Mumbai; Dr. Chinmay Bagla, Mumbai
Chairperson:	Dr. S H Advani, Mumbai
02:30 PM - 03:10 PM	Panel Discussion: On GB Cancer
Moderator:	Dr. Shraddha Patkar, Mumbai
Panelists:	Dr. Rajesh Shinde, Mumbai; Dr. Kaival Gundavda, Mumbai; Dr. Daksh Chandra, Mumbai; Dr. Tejinder Singh, Mumbai; Dr. Akshay Shivchand, Kolhapur; Dr. Ranjeet Bajpai, Mumbai; Dr. Ankit Dalal, Mumbai
03:15 PM - 03:55 PM	Panel Discussion: On Colorectal Cancer
Moderator:	Dr. Anant Ramaswamy, Mumbai
Panelists:	Dr. Chintamani Godbole, Mumbai; Dr. Vivek Sukumar, Mumbai; Dr. Sasmita Vadgaonkar, Mumbai; Dr. Ashish Joshi, Mumbai; Dr. Gaurav Patil, Mumbai; Dr. Nilesh Mahale, Surat; Dr. Gajanan Kanitkar, Pune
Chairpersons:	Dr. Jignesh Gandhi, Mumbai; Dr. Tushar Patil, Dhule
04:00 PM - 04:15 PM	Expert Talk: The RAS revolution in pancreatic cancer
Speaker:	Dr. Viraj Lavingia, Ahmedabad
04:15 PM - 04:25 PM	Expert Talk: Complete mesocolic excision (CME) in colorectal cancer – does it improve survival? Current evidence and future perspectives
Speaker:	Dr. Ashwin De 'Souza, Mumbai
04:25 PM - 04:35 PM	Expert Talk: SBRT in HCC - Current Evidence
Speaker:	Dr. Dodul Mandal, Delhi
04:40 PM - 05:20 PM	Panel Discussion: NET Pancreas (Case Scenarios)
Moderator:	Dr. Vivek Mangla, Delhi

Panelists:	Dr. Soumil Vyas, Mumbai; Dr. Aditya Punamiya, Mumbai; Dr. Saneya Pandrowala, Mumbai; Dr. Ajay Jadhav, Nashik; Dr. Amol Vadgaonkar, Mumbai; Dr. Shivam Shingla, Mumbai
Chairpersons:	Dr. J P Agarwal, Mumbai; Dr. Manmohan Kamat, Mumbai
05:25 PM - 05:55 PM	Debate: HIPEC in Gastric Cancer in a Patient with PCI of 6
Moderator: (10 Mins)	Dr. Adwaita Gore, Mumbai
For: (10 Mins)	Dr. Ninad Katdare, Mumbai
Against: (10 Mins)	Dr. Sujai Hegde, Pune
06:00 PM - 06:30 PM	Debate: Liver transplantation for liver metastasis in Colorectal Cancer
Moderator: (10 Mins)	Dr. Chetan Kantharia, Mumbai
For: (10 Mins)	Dr. Gaurav Chaubal, Mumbai
Against: (10 Mins)	Dr. Manish Bhandare, Mumbai
	Industry Symposiums
06:30 PM - 07:15 PM	Industry Symposium: Panel Discussion- Emerging role of Tecentriq and Avastin in treatment of intermediate HCC
Moderator:	Dr. Shivam Singla, Mumbai
Panelists:	Dr. Rohan Chaudhary, Mumbai; Dr. Akshay Shivchand, Kolhapur; Dr. Aniruddha Kulkarni, Mumbai; Dr. Kshitij Joshi, Mumbai; Dr. S H Advani, Mumbai; Dr. Tejinder Singh, Mumbai
07:15 PM - 07:35 PM	Industry Symposium: Science of Stapling
Speaker:	Dr. Sasmita Vadgaonkar, Mumbai
07:35 PM - 07:45 PM	Industry Symposium: PowerPort Insertion & Troubleshooting
Speaker:	Dr. Garvit Chitkara, Mumbai
07:45 PM - 08:00 PM	Industry Symposium: Treatment Intensification vs simplification: Peri-op Gastric Cancer
Speaker:	Dr. Vaibhav Choudhary, Mumbai (MO)
08:00 PM Onwards	**Networking Dinner**