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ISG Connect Session		
2 Oct 2026 13:15 - 14.15 Room No 304		
13:15 - 13:20	Welcome and Introduction	Chairs: Pramod Garg (ISG - President), Mathew Philip (ISG - Secretary General)
13:20 - 13:35	Session 1	Moderators: Pramod Garg , Pankaj Puri, Nilesh Fernandopulle
	Gastroenterology in South Asia: Progress and Challenges	Sashi Sharma Tharanga Liyanaarachchi Than Than Aye
13:35 - 13:50	Session 2 Are We Facing a New GI Disease Landscape? <i>(Panel Discussion)</i>	Moderators: Ramila Shrestha, Rahul Pathak, Vineet Ahuja
	Rising IBD Across South Asia	Neeraj Joshi
	Early-onset Colorectal Cancer	Tin Tin May
	GI Cancers and Screening	Nilesh Fernandopulle
13:50 - 14:10	Session 3 From Networking to Partnership	Moderators: Shobna Bhatia, Mathew Philip, Mukesh Sharma Poudel
	• Young Investigator Exchange Programs • Endoscopy Training Initiatives • Collaborative Guidelines /Research • Virtual educational Proqram	Open House
14:10 - 14:15	Concluding Remarks	Mathew Philip

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