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**Invitation to delineation workshop on OARs in the mediastinum**  
**Venue: Prague, Czech Republic, Thursday March 3<sup>rd</sup> 2016.**

Dear All,

At the next EORTC-ROG meeting in Prague we will be providing the opportunity to participate in a free delineation workshop for OARs in the mediastinum according to the guidelines provided in the LungTech trial protocol. The aim will be to improve the quality and consistency of the delineation of OARs in the mediastinum according to this trial protocol. We hope to reach an optimal consensus, on what and how the OARs should be delineated and, that the guidelines are sufficiently clear to enable this to happen. This will provide a much stronger analysis when reporting on toxicity in this study.

The date has been chosen for Thursday afternoon March 3<sup>rd</sup> 16:30-18:30, so as not to conflict with any other ROG workgroup meetings. Teachers will be RO's and RTTs involved in the LungTech trial.

The aim is to individually delineate difficult critical structures in 1 case and have a plenary discussion on any difficulties or misinterpretations of the guidelines.

The software that will be used together with instructions will be sent out to each participant prior to the meeting. We will also send out a request to delineate 3 critical organs and send the results back to [m.rossi@nki.nl](mailto:m.rossi@nki.nl) as preparation for the meeting.. Questions and results will be discussed during the workshop.

**Please bring your laptop to the workshop.**

At a later date, a questionnaire will be sent out to LungTech participating institutes to evaluate their benchmark case delineations.

The workshop is primarily intended for LungTech study participants but is also open to all ROG members. In many institutes the RTT delineates the OARs for the treatment plan and we would therefore particularly like to invite RTTs to participate in this workshop.

Please register before 12<sup>th</sup> February by sending an email to Maddalena Rossi [m.rossi@nki.nl](mailto:m.rossi@nki.nl).

with kind regards,

EORTC ROG RTT-section

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