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" Cutting edge of biliary endoscopy"

In recent years, biliary endoscopy has become able to perform the EUS-guided approach in addition to the ERCP-guided approach, and it has become possible to provide medical care to patients more than ever. Furthermore, the development of various devices has been remarkable, and it has become an indispensable technique in the diagnosis and treatment of biliary diseases. For ERCP-related procedures, EPLBD, balloon assisted-enteroscope ERCP, single-operator and disposable POCS, newly-EHL, intra-bile duct RFA, novel biliary stent, and trans-gastrointestinal biliary approach using the interventional EUS technique have been developed. In addition, due to recent advances in genomic research, the possibility of precision medicine using specimens collected under ERCP or EUS has become a reality. On the other hand, some devices that can be used are insufficient, and since advanced techniques are required, they are becoming highly specialized techniques. In this session, we would like to share the cutting edge of biliary endoscopy with domestic and foreign teachers. We expect many submissions, including a small number of cases.
