

# 3RD INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON END OF LIFE LAW, ETHICS, POLICY, AND PRACTICE

**MARCH 7-9, 2019 | GHENT, BELGIUM**

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It is a great honor and pleasure to invite you to the 3rd International Conference on End-of-Life Law, Ethics, Policy, and Practice (ICEL3), which takes place March 7 to 9, 2019 in Ghent, Belgium.

Your host, Belgium's End-of-Life Care Research Group of Vrije Universiteit Brussel & Ghent University, invites you to join us for a thought-provoking program on a broad range of end of life issues.

This is a multidisciplinary, multisectoral, and multinational conference, with presenting disciplines including, but not limited to, law, medicine, nursing, philosophy and bioethics, and sectoral representation spanning practitioners, academics, NGOs, and regulators and policy-makers. We will engage with empirical evidence about, and legal and ethical analysis of, many of the most pressing and vexing issues of our time. Leading experts from around the world will present on their findings. Participants will engage with others who are wrestling with the challenges of end of life care. Please join us for a 2 ½ day deep dive into stopping/not starting potentially life-sustaining treatment, palliative sedation, medical assistance in dying, and the next generation end of life issues.

On behalf of the Scientific Committee and the Organising Committee, Kenneth Chambaere and Luc Deliens  
End-of-Life Care Research Group  
Ghent University & Vrije Universiteit Brussel



## THEMES

- palliative sedation
- voluntary stopping eating & drinking
- withholding & withdrawing life-sustaining treatment
- medical assistance in dying/euthanasia
- wishes to hasten death
- vulnerable groups (e.g. psychiatry, dementia, minors, homeless, prisoners, minorities)
- advance care planning & advance directives/requests
- (access to) palliative care

## REGISTRATION

Registration fee: €300

Registration fee for Bachelor/ Master students: €200

Online registration will open soon.

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**CALL FOR ABSTRACT IS OPEN!**

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