



**Determinazione del Responsabile Ufficio Formazione n° 449 del 8 MAG. 2015**

**Oggetto: Aggiornamento senza oneri, Dirigente Medico, Dott. Loi Bruno.**

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**Il Responsabile Ufficio Formazione**

- Visto** il D. Lgs. n. 502/92 e successive modificazioni ed integrazioni;
- Viste** le Leggi Regionali n. 10/2006 e n. 05/2007;
- Vista** la Deliberazione n. 263 del 04.03.2015, con la quale il Commissario Straordinario ha autorizzato il Responsabile dell'Ufficio Formazione Dott. Andrea Corrias, a predisporre le Determinazioni;
- Vista** la comunicazione Prot. n° 10100 del 06.05.2015 con la quale la Ditta N.G.C. Medical S.r.l. si è resa disponibile ad invitare un Medico della S.C. Emodinamica al Congresso: "Euro PCR 2015" che si terrà a Parigi dal 19.05.2015 al 22.05.2015;
- Considerato** che il Direttore del Dipartimento Patologia Cardiaca ha autorizzato a partecipare al suddetto Congresso il Dott. Loi Bruno;
- Atteso** che il Responsabile dell'Ufficio Formazione ha espresso parere favorevole in merito;
- Ritenuto** di dover autorizzare la partecipazione del Dott. Loi Bruno al Congresso: "Euro PCR 2015" che si terrà a Parigi dal 19.05.2015 al 22.05.2015; di dover prendere atto che le spese di iscrizione, viaggio, pernottamento e pasti saranno totalmente a carico della Ditta N.G.C. Medical S.r.l.

**DETERMINA**

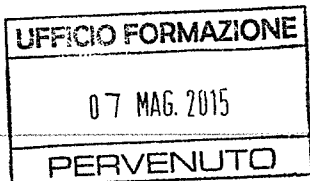
Per i motivi esposti in premessa:

1. Autorizzare la partecipazione del Dott. Loi Bruno al Congresso: "Euro PCR 2015" che si terrà a Parigi dal 19.05.2015 al 22.05.2015.
2. Dare atto che le spese di iscrizione, viaggio, pernottamento e pasti saranno totalmente a carico della Ditta N.G.C. Medical S.r.l.
3. Trasmettere la presente determinazione al Direttore della S.C. del Personale per gli adempimenti normativi di competenza.

Il Responsabile dell'Ufficio Formazione  
Dott. Andrea Corrias

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**OGGETTO: EuroPCR 2015 – Parigi, 19/22 maggio 2015**

Abbiamo il piacere di informarVi che saremmo lieti di supportare la partecipazione di un medico della S.C. di Emodinamica.

Il congresso in oggetto si terrà presso il Palais des Congrès di Parigi dal 19 al 22 maggio e verranno trattati aspetti clinici e medici di importante interesse per la comunità medica, nonché per il migliore e più corretto impiego terapeutico della tecnologia medica.

N.G.C. Medical ritiene che il sostegno a favore di eventi formativi specifici costituisca parte del proprio contributo volto al miglioramento della qualità di vita dei pazienti.  
Il programma scientifico è consultabile e scaricabile dal sito [www.europcr.com](http://www.europcr.com).

N.G.C. Medical sarà disponibile a sostenere le seguenti spese necessarie alla partecipazione:

- Iscrizione;
- Spese viaggio: biglietto aereo;
- Pernottamento: 3 notti;
- Pasti: per la durata dell' evento.

Si precisa che la presente comunicazione viene fatta per garantire la piena trasparenza con riferimento alla sponsorizzazione di iscrizioni a congressi, in ottemperanza al proprio codice etico. N.G.C. Medical, infatti, è una società che opera nel settore biomedicale e pertanto non è soggetta alle autorizzazioni ed in ogni caso agli obblighi di legge previsti nel decreto legislativo n. 541 del 30.12.1992 specifico per le aziende che commercializzano medicinali o specialità farmaceutiche.

Restiamo in attesa di Vostro cortese riscontro alla presente e del nominativo, al fine di organizzare i dettagli della partecipazione.

Cordiali saluti.

N.G.C. MEDICAL S.r.l.  
Il Procuratore  
Dr. Paolo Cremascoli

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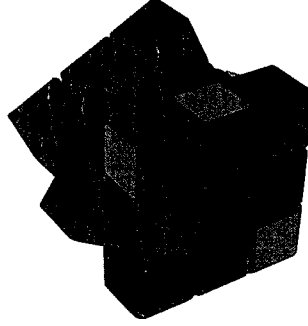
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Dott. Maurizio Porcu

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# Scientific programme

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May - Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May



Valid as of 30<sup>th</sup> April, 2015

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- 10:00 -

10:00-11:00 **Opening EuroPCR 2015**  
**Complex cardiovascular interventions and new techniques: LIVE demonstration from Kerckhoff Heart Center - Bad Nauheim, Germany**

- 11:00 -

11:05-12:20 **2015 Great Debate - Burning issues with dual antiplatelet therapy**  
*With an unrestricted educational grant from MEDTRONIC*  
**Chairperson: A. Baumback**  
**Co-chairperson: M. Gilard**  
**Panellists: A. Gerhlich, S. James, F.J. Neumann, M. Valgimigli**

- 12:00 -

12:00-13:30 **STEMI patient with multivessel disease - What about the non-culprit lesions?**  
**Chairperson: F. Ribichini**  
**Co-chairperson: A. Rashdan**  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To reflect on the existing evidence  
 > To discuss clinical scenarios guiding individualised decisions  
 > To define a personal strategy for my daily clinical practice

12:00-13:30 **STEMI patient with multivessel disease - How to select the best revascularisation strategy for STEMI patients with multivessel disease - F. Etayo**  
**Co-chairperson: N. Van Mieghem**  
**Panellist: F. Bassalob**  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To learn how to perform annulus sizing  
 > To know how to assess the severity of aortic regurgitation  
 > To understand the place of imaging during TAVI procedures

12:00-13:30 **Imaging in TAVI**

**Co-chairperson: N. Van Mieghem**  
**Panellist: F. Bassalob**  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To learn how to perform annulus sizing  
 > To know how to assess the severity of aortic regurgitation  
 > To understand the place of imaging during TAVI procedures

12:00-13:30 **Endovascular treatment of complex aortic occlusive disease**  
**Chairperson: H.A. Noor**  
**Co-chairperson: M. Bosters**  
**Panellists: O. Goktekin, S.T. Lim, E. Stabile**  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To become familiar with advantages and challenges of endovascular and surgical approaches to aortic occlusions  
 > To learn about recanalisation techniques  
 > To know the appropriate set of equipment

With continuous LIVE demonstration from Universitäts-Herz Zentrum Freiburg-Bad Krozingen - Bad Krozingen, Germany  
 With continuous time to React@PCR

Session objectives - H.A. Noor  
 > Endovascular perspective - E. Stabile  
 > Surgical perspective - Y. Gouffic  
 > Session evaluation and key learnings - M. Bosters

12:00-13:30 **The essentials: how to treat in-stent restenosis**  
*With the collaboration of the EAPCI New Initiatives For Young Interventionalists Committee*  
**Senior advisor: F. Alfonso Monterola**  
**Facilitators: R. Byrne, J. Tan**

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To learn how and why in-stent restenosis occurs  
 > To evaluate the pros and cons of different devices for in-stent restenosis treatment in selected scenarios  
 > To discuss how to use drug-coated balloons for in-stent restenosis PCI

12:00-13:30 **Percutaneous aortic valve interventions in heart failure patients**  
**Chairperson: A. Vahanian**  
**Panellists: M. Al-Abadi, P. Wenaweser**  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To learn about appropriate diagnostic work-up of patients with low-flow output aortic stenosis and systolic heart failure  
 > To understand procedural challenges  
 > To share practical tips and tricks for percutaneous aortic valve interventions in systolic heart failure

Session objectives - A. Vahanian  
 > Case presentation: what would you do? - W. Wojakowski  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > How to diagnose aortic stenosis in a heart failure patient  
 J.J. Bax

Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Percutaneous aortic valve interventions in heart failure: procedural challenges, tips and tricks - P. MacCarthy  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Case presentation: what we did - W. Wojakowski  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Session evaluation and key learnings

12:00-13:30 **Innovative stents and scaffolds: potential of new technologies for your cathlab**  
**Chairperson: C.K. Naber**  
**Co-chairperson: R. Gao**  
**Panellists: P.W. Serruys**  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To exchange about innovative technologies developed in the Asia-Pacific region  
 > To discuss specific indications of novel stents and scaffolds  
 > To learn about the potential of novel drug delivery systems

Session objectives - C.K. Naber  
 > Sirolimus-eluting stent with abtunnel groove-filled bioresorbable polymer (MicroPort, China)  
 > Questions and answers  
 > Bioresorbable PLLA-based sirolimus-eluting NeoVas scaffold (Lepu Medical, China)  
 > Questions and answers  
 > Cobalt-chromium-based bioresorbable polymer sirolimus-eluting stent (JW Medical Systems, China) - Y. Zhang  
 > Questions and answers  
 > Bioresorbable Polymer Target Release Rapamycin-eluting scaffold (Huan Biotech, China)  
 > Questions and answers  
 > A novel biodegradable PLLA-based sirolimus-eluting scaffold (Microport, China) - R. Vironi  
 > Questions and answers  
 > Sirolimus-eluting fully bioresorbable scaffold with mixed PLLA/PDLA (ART/Japan, France/Japan) - A. Lalant  
 > Questions and answers  
 > Fully bioresorbable PLLA-based sirolimus-eluting Meltes 100 scaffold (Vent Life Science, India)

Questions and answers  
 > Nano-microsphere for drug elution (Envision Scientific and Concept Medical, India)  
 > Questions and answers  
 > Bioresorbable polymer sirolimus-eluting stent with electro-grafting base layer (Sinomed, China) - P.W. Serruys  
 > Questions and answers  
 > Session evaluation and key learnings - R. Gao

12:00-13:30 **Macedonia and Switzerland share their most educational cases**  
*With the collaboration of the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology and ACS of the Swiss Society of Cardiology and the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Macedonian Society of Cardiology*  
**Chairpersons: S. Kedev, M. Raffi**  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To address variation in the utilisation of bioresorbable scaffolds in Macedonia and Switzerland  
 > To understand the potential advantages and limitations of currently available bioresorbable scaffolds in STEMI  
 > To share the importance of imaging techniques (DTCT/IVUS) for bioresorbable scaffolds

Session objectives - S. Kedev  
 > Case 1 - Radial approach for bioresorbable scaffolds implantation in young patient with large anterior wall STEMI  
 > How would I treat? - S. Cook  
 > How would I treat? - S. Anov  
 > How did I treat?  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Consensus - S. Kedev  
 > Case 2 - Subacute bioresorbable scaffolds thrombosis following primary PCI  
 > How would I treat? - S. Anov  
 > How would I treat? - S. Cook  
 > How did I treat?  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Consensus - M. Raffi  
 > Session evaluation and key learnings - M. Raffi

Session objectives - S. Kedev  
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 > How did I treat?  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Consensus - M. Raffi  
 > Session evaluation and key learnings - M. Raffi

12:00-13:30 **Portugal and Spain share their most educational cases**  
*With the collaboration of the Association of Interventional Cardiology of the Portuguese Society of Cardiology (APIC) and the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Spanish Society of Cardiology*  
**Chairpersons: M. Costa, R. Trillo Nouchie**  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To reflect on unsolved issues of PCI in STEMI patient  
 > To learn tips and tricks on how to use bioresorbable scaffolds and new DES in acute myocardial infarction setting  
 > To discuss the role of short polymer absorption in STEMI

Session objectives - M. Costa  
 > Case 1 - The role of bioresorbable scaffolds and new generation DES in STEMI - P. Canhalo  
 > How would I treat? - F. Hernandez  
 > How would I treat? - H.C. Canhalo  
 > How did I treat? - P. Canhalo  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Consensus - M. Costa  
 > Case 2 - Primary PCI in multivessel disease: what should we treat? - R. Ocaranza  
 > How would I treat? - H.C. Canhalo  
 > How would I treat? - F. Hernandez  
 > How did I treat? - R. Ocaranza  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Consensus - R. Trillo Nouchie  
 > Session evaluation and key learnings - R. Trillo Nouchie

Session objectives - M. Costa  
 > Case 1 - The role of bioresorbable scaffolds and new generation DES in STEMI - P. Canhalo  
 > How would I treat? - F. Hernandez  
 > How would I treat? - H.C. Canhalo  
 > How did I treat? - P. Canhalo  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Consensus - M. Costa  
 > Case 2 - Primary PCI in multivessel disease: what should we treat? - R. Ocaranza  
 > How would I treat? - H.C. Canhalo  
 > How would I treat? - F. Hernandez  
 > How did I treat? - R. Ocaranza  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Consensus - R. Trillo Nouchie  
 > Session evaluation and key learnings - R. Trillo Nouchie

12:00-13:30 **Learning FFR - IFR**  
**Facilitators: T. Guller, N. Melikian, K. Mermela**  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To understand the principles behind intracoronary physiologic measurements  
 > To review the potential pitfalls or limitations of each procedural step  
 > To discuss together when FFR or IFR can be useful and impact on procedural strategy and outcomes

12:25-14:45 **Complex cardiovascular interventions and new techniques: LIVE demonstrations from St Thomas' Hospital - London, United Kingdom and from Montreal Heart Institute - Montreal, Canada**

- 13:00 -

**13:40-15:10** **THEATRE BLEU**  
**Percutaneous revascularisation for complex multivessel disease in stable coronary artery disease**

**Chairperson:** P. Urban  
**Co-chairperson:** F. Malik  
**Panelists:** H. Amin, A. Banning, C. Berry  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To learn how to select and optimise the revascularisation strategy for multivessel disease in stable coronary artery disease  
 > To discuss the objectives of PCI in stable coronary artery disease

**Session objectives - F. Malik**  
 > What can we achieve with PCI in stable coronary artery disease? - A. Kastrali  
 > Time to React@PCR  
**LIVE demonstration from Kerckhoff Heart Center - Bud Nauheim, Germany**  
 > Time to React@PCR  
 > Role of coronary physiology measurement in the decision-making process of multivessel disease in stable coronary artery disease - N.E.J. West  
 > Time to React@PCR  
 > Session evaluation and key learnings - P. Urban

**13:40-15:10** **THEATRE BORDEAUX**  
**TAVI: how to prevent thromboembolic complications?**

**Chairperson:** P. Wenaweser  
**Co-chairperson:** K.H. Kuck  
**Panelists:** K. Almeri, M. Balgith  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To understand neurological complications  
 > To learn the actual rate of these complications in contemporary series  
 > To develop clinical strategies to decrease these complications

**Session objectives - P. Wenaweser**  
 > How to decrease the risk of stroke: devices, drugs or both?  
 > Time to React@PCR  
**LIVE demonstration from St Thomas' Hospital - London, United Kingdom**  
 > Time to React@PCR  
 > How to diagnose and treat atrial fibrillation before and after TAVI - G. Schuler  
 > Time to React@PCR  
 > Session evaluation and key learnings - K.H. Kuck

**13:40-15:10** **THEATRE HAVANE**  
**Successful strategies for femoropopliteal interventions**  
**Chairperson:** F. Costirola  
**Co-chairperson:** M. Sapanal  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To become familiar with the different therapeutic options  
 > To select the appropriate technology for the individual lesion/patient  
 > To be updated on the clinical evidence on device performance

**With continuous LIVE demonstration from Universitätsklinikum Freiburg-Bad Säckingen - Bad Krozingen, Germany**  
**With continuous time to React@PCR**

**Session objectives**  
 > Setting the standard of care in drug-eluting therapy  
 > Expanding treatment options: plaque excision and drug elution - F. Costirola  
 > Session evaluation and key learnings - F. Costirola

**13:40-15:10** **THEATRE BLEU**  
**The essentials: how to correctly interpret OCT**

**With the collaboration of the EAPCI New Initiatives for Young Interventionalists Committee**  
**Senior advisor:** G. Guagliumi  
**Facilitators:** T. Adirassens, P. Calvert, M. Radu  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To appreciate when OCT may be useful prior and after stent implantation  
 > To be able to recognise the most common OCT patterns  
 > To learn the most accepted OCT definitions

**13:40-15:10** **ROOM 242/AB**  
**Devices modulating the autonomic nervous system in chronic heart failure: update for interventionalists**

**Chairperson:** A. Parthak  
**Co-chairperson:** D. Burkhardt  
**Panelists:** A. Parthak  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To appreciate the pathophysiology of neuromodulation in heart failure  
 > To learn about the most recent clinical trial evidence  
**Session objectives - Why neuromodulation in heart failure is needed - A. Parthak**  
 > Renal denervation - F. Mahfoud  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Baroreceptor stimulation - J. Müller-Eberhard  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Vagal stimulation  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Session evaluation and key learnings - D. Burkhardt

**13:40-15:10** **ROOM 232A**  
**New trends in invasive and non-invasive imaging of the vulnerable plaque: emerging clinical applications for prevention of acute events**

**Chairperson:** P.W. Serruys  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To remain updated on new developments in invasive and non-invasive plaque imaging techniques  
 > To review ongoing investigations on potential clinical applications

**Session objectives**  
 > Anatomopathology of the vulnerable plaque - M. Joner  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Intravascular imaging of the vulnerable plaque - L. Raber  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Non-invasive imaging of the vulnerable plaque - D. Newby  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Clinical investigations of imaging modalities for vulnerable plaque detection - S. James  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Emerging mechanical solutions for treatment of the vulnerable plaque - E. Regar  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Session evaluation and key learnings - P.W. Serruys

**13:40-15:10** **ROOM 332A**  
**Latvia and Russia share their most educational cases**

**With the collaboration of the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Latvian Society of Cardiology and the Russian Scientific Society of Interventional Cardiology (RSICA)**  
**Chairpersons:** A. Erglis, D.G. Iasselli  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To learn immediate and mid-term results of bioresorbable scaffolds  
 > To understand the particularities of bioresorbable scaffolds implantation  
 > To reflect on the indications for the use of bioresorbable scaffolds

**13:40-15:10** **ROOM 328B**  
**Israel and Slovenia share their most educational cases**

**With the collaboration of the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Israel Heart Society and the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Slovenian Society of Cardiology**  
**Chairpersons:** M. Bunc, E. Lev  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To understand the identification, management and consequences of saphenous vein graft  
 > To learn basic decision options and strategy of PCI in patients after CABG presenting with ACS  
 > To learn basic technical tips and medical treatment for optimal saphenous vein graft PCI, and complex PCI in post-CABG patients  
**Session objectives - E. Lev**  
 > Case 1 - High-risk PCI in post-CABG patients presenting with ACS - R. Rubinshteyn  
 > How would I treat? - M. Noc  
 > How would I treat? - G. Weisz  
 > How did I treat? - R. Rubinshteyn  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Session evaluation and key learnings - M. Bunc

**13:40-15:10** **ROOM 332B**  
**Learning bifurcation PCI**

**Facilitators:** B. Farah, F. Hellig, G. Stankovic  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To discuss together the best indications for different stenting strategies  
 > To review in detail specific procedural technique using one stent or two stents

**13:40-15:10** **ROOM 332A**  
**Will this trial change my practice? TOTAL: the randomised controlled trial to determine the value of thrombus aspiration during primary PCI**

**Chairperson:** A. Baumbach  
**Co-chairperson:** S. James  
 > Introduction: the trial headlines - A. Baumbach  
 > A case: how should I treat? - M. Haude  
 > Discussion: what is common practice?  
 > What was known before TOTAL - K.G. Oldroyd  
 > Trial's review: methods, results, conclusion - A. Lansky  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Case conclusion: how does this apply to my practice  
 > M. Haude  
 > Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Session evaluation and key learnings - S. James

**15:20-16:50** **THEATRE BLEU**  
**Practical issues for PFR and IFR measurements**

**Chairperson:** J. Escaned  
**Co-chairperson:** H. Amin  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To learn how to select patients for FFR/IFR measurement  
 > To learn practical tips and tricks for accurate FFR/IFR measurement  
**Session objectives - J. Escaned**  
**LIVE demonstration from St Thomas' Hospital - London, United Kingdom**  
 > Time to React@PCR  
 > Key tips and tricks to avoid mistakes during FFR/IFR measurements - E. Barbato  
 > Limitations of FFR/IFR in 2015: clinical situations, practical issues - G. G. Tahf  
 > Time to React@PCR  
 > Session evaluation and key learnings - H. Amin

**15:20-16:50** **THEATRE BORDEAUX**  
**Challenging patient settings in TAVI**

**Chairperson:** P. MacCarthy  
**Co-chairperson:** J. Scholer  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To understand the evolution of indications for TAVI  
 > To understand who is not a good candidate for TAVI  
 > To learn how to select the best candidates for TAVI  
**Session objectives - P. MacCarthy**  
 > Patient assessment: beyond risk scores - A.P. Kappetein  
 > Time to React@PCR  
 > When the aortic stenosis severity is unclear - D. Himbert  
 > Time to React@PCR  
 > Role of TAVI in patients with associated mitral regurgitation  
 > H. Bourgainier  
 > Time to React@PCR  
 > When is surgery the better choice? - T. Modine  
 > Time to React@PCR  
 > Session evaluation and key learnings - J. Scholer

15:20-16:50  
**THEATRE**  
**HAVANE**

Integrating evidence with experience: challenging revascularisation in critical limb ischaemia  
**Chairperson: M. Bosiers**  
**Co-chairperson: A. Ferraresi**  
**Panellists: I. Alhaddad, A. Cromonesi, Y. Goueffic, A. Mitrani**

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To understand the role of revascularisation in the context of a multidisciplinary foot care unit  
 > To be able to identify the revascularisation target in critical limb ischaemia  
 > To become familiar with specific access options, equipment and techniques

With continuous LIVE demonstration from Universitäts-Herzszentrum Freiburg-Bad Krozingen - Bad Krozingen, Germany

Session objectives - *A. Ferraresi*

> State-of-the-art lecture: below-the-knee interventions for critical limb ischaemia - *A. Ferraresi*

> Session evaluation and key learnings - *M. Bosiers*

15:20-16:50  
**THEATRE**  
**ROOM 241**  
**INNOVATION HUB**

The essentials: how to manage calcified and resistant coronary lesions  
 With the collaboration of the **EARC New Initiatives For Young Interventionalists Committee**  
**Senior advisor: A. Ong**  
**Facilitators: J. Dzemen, D. Milosavljevic**

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To learn tips and tricks when balloon or stent are unable to cross the lesion  
 > To understand when and how to use cutting / scoring devices  
 > To learn how to properly use rotational atherectomy

15:20-16:50  
**THEATRE**  
**ROOM 252A**  
**INNOVATION HUB**

Cutting-edge in TAVI technology  
**Chairperson: G. Manoharan**  
**Co-chairperson: E. Grube**

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To understand the limitations of the available TAVI technology  
 > To gain insight into the new developments in the field  
 > To appreciate the potential value of the upcoming technologies in the treatment of aortic pathology

Session objectives - *E. Grube*

> Remaining limitations of current devices - *N. Pozzo*

> Discussion and audience interaction

> Overview on upcoming TAVI devices - *M.B. Leon*

> Discussion and audience interaction

> Overview on upcoming TAVI enabling technologies - *N. Van Mieghem*

> Discussion and audience interaction

> Session evaluation and key learnings - *G. Manoharan*

15:20-16:50  
**ROOM 342AB**

Thrombus aspiration in STEMI: from evidence to individual decisions  
**Chairperson: S. James**  
**Co-chairperson: T. Johnson**

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To exchange about the relevance of recent trial results on clinical practice  
 > To understand in which patients thrombus aspiration may provide a clinical benefit

Session objectives - *S. James*

> Thrombus aspiration in STEMI patients: what do we know? - *H.A. Neer*

> Discussion and audience interaction

> A STEMI case with thrombus aspiration - *O. Müller*

> Discussion and audience interaction

> A STEMI case without thrombus aspiration - *T. Adhiansens*

> Discussion and audience interaction

> What do TASTE and TOTAL mean for my clinical practice? - *A. Baumbach*

> Discussion and audience interaction

> Session evaluation and key learnings - *T. Johnson*

15:20-16:50  
**ROOM 342A**  
**How should I treat?**

Denmark and Sweden share their most educational cases  
 With the collaboration of the **Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Danish Society of Cardiology and the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Swedish Society of Cardiology**  
**Chairperson: H.H. Tilsted**

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To understand the complexities of CTO-PCI  
 > To learn how to cope with the different challenges occurring during CTO-PCI  
 > To reflect on the various treatment options that evolves during CTO-PCI

Session objectives - *H.H. Tilsted*

> Case 1 - Second attempt on right coronary artery CTO: which strategy to choose? - *L.O. Jensen*

> How would I treat? - *E. Christiansen*

> How did I treat? - *L.O. Jensen*

> Discussion and audience interaction

> Case 2 - PCI of CTO in left anterior descending artery with coronary rupture treated with use of retrograde technique

> How would I treat? - *E. Christiansen*

> How would I treat? - *L.O. Jensen*

> How did I treat? - *L.O. Jensen*

> Discussion and audience interaction

> Case 2 - PCI of CTO in left anterior descending artery with coronary rupture treated with use of retrograde technique

> How would I treat? - *E. Christiansen*

> How would I treat? - *L.O. Jensen*

> How did I treat? - *L.O. Jensen*

> Discussion and audience interaction

> Session evaluation and key learnings

15:20-16:50  
**ROOM 352B**  
**How should I treat?**

Italy and Turkey share their most educational cases  
 With the collaboration of the **Association of Percutaneous Cardiovascular Interventions of the Turkish Society of Cardiology and the Italian Society of Invasive Cardiology (GISE)**  
**Chairpersons: S. Bertl, E. Bozkurt**

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To learn how to diagnose and treat a patient with cardiogenic shock and concomitant aortic valve and left main stenosis  
 > To understand percutaneous treatment of degenerated bioprosthetic valve associated with severe paravalvular leak  
 > To share different treatment options for these two particular patients

Session objectives - *S. Bertl*

> Case 1 - Cardiogenic shock after palliative balloon aortic valvuloplasty in a patient with an untreated left main stenosis: diagnostic challenges and therapeutic solutions

> How would I treat? - *D. Kaya*

> How did I treat? - *E. Piccolongo*

> Discussion and audience interaction

> Consensus - *S. Bertl*

> Case 2 - Percutaneous valve-in-valve transcatheter tricuspid valve replacement with simultaneous paravalvular leak closure in a patient with refractory right heart failure

> How would I treat? - *E. Piccolongo*

> How did I treat? - *D. Kaya*

> Discussion and audience interaction

> Consensus - *E. Bozkurt*

> Session evaluation and key learnings - *E. Bozkurt*

15:20-16:50  
**THEATRE**  
**BORDEAUX**  
**books & techniques**  
**(INT)**

Learning TAVI  
**Facilitators: D. Mylotte, T. Schmitz**

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To learn how to improve your technical skills in percutaneous transfemoral TAVI  
 > To learn how to prevent peri-procedural complications

15:20-16:50  
**ROOM TERMS 1**

Will this trial change my practice? ABSORB II: 12-month report after implantation of bioresorbable scaffolds versus DES  
**Chairperson: I. Al Rashidan**

Introduction: the trial headlines

> A case: how should I treat? - *R.J. Van Geuns*

> Discussion: what is common practice?

> What was known before ABSORB II - *T. Pilgrim*

> Trialists' review: methods, results, conclusion

> Discussion and audience interaction

> Case conclusion: how does this apply to my practice - *R.J. Van Geuns*

> Discussion and audience interaction

> Session evaluation and key learnings - *I. Al Rashidan*

17:00-19:00  
**THEATRE BLEU**  
**books & techniques**  
**(INT)**

Lesion and patient tailored DES choice: solution for CTO and diabetic patients  
 With an unrestricted educational grant from **ALVIMEDICA MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIES**  
**Chairperson: R. Mehnert**  
**Co-chairperson: M.C. Morice**  
**Panellists: O. Goktekin, R. Mohd Ali**

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To understand how to improve PCI success in coronary CTOs ensuring persistence of recanalisation by using absorbable polymer DES technology (Coract)

> To learn the added efficacy and safety value provided by the polymer-free DES technology (CieB) in the setting of diabetic patients  
 > To share practical knowledge on the use of CieB and Coract in these patient subsets through transmitted LIVE cases

Session objectives - *R. Mehnert*

> How to ensure procedural safety and good long-term results in complex coronary CTO procedures - *A. Khashabha*

LIVE demonstration from Institut Cardiovasculaire Paris Sud - *Massy, France*

> Time to React@PCR

> The latest available data on polymer-free DES technology in diabetic patients - *G. Sardella*

LIVE demonstration from Institut Cardiovasculaire Paris Sud - *Massy, France*

> Time to React@PCR

> Session evaluation and key learnings - *M.C. Morice*

17:00-18:30  
**THEATRE**  
**BORDEAUX**  
**books & techniques**  
**(INT)**

Simplicity for a complex world: introducing ACURATE neo TF TAVI  
 With an unrestricted educational grant from **SYMETIS SA**  
**Chairperson: U. Schäfer**  
**Co-chairperson: B. Klazi**  
**Panellists: S. Baldus, C. Hengstenberg, H. Treede**

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To learn about the ACURATE neo TAVI and Symetis' innovative portfolio  
 > To limit procedural risks such as vascular access complication, paravalvular leak, and new pacemaker implant post-TAVI  
 > To review ACURATE neo case examples and outcomes

Session objectives - *U. Schäfer*

> Technology for straightforward implantation and stable, predictable valve release - *C. Hengstenberg*

LIVE demonstration from Kerckhoff Heart Center - *Bad Nauheim, Germany*

> Time to React@PCR

> Low paravalvular leak and new pacemaker implantation rates - *T. Rudolph*

> Delivering reproducible results via real-word use and in clinical studies - *S. Baldus*

> Enhancing the safety of apical access with new generation innovation - *H. Treede*

> Session evaluation and key learnings - *B. Klazi*

16:05-16:55  
**MAIN ARENA**  
**Complex cardiovascular interventions and new techniques: LIVE demonstration from Montreal Heart Institute - Montreal, Canada**

Time	Room	Topic	Chairperson	Panelists	Abstracts
17:00-18:30	THEATRE HAVANE	Transforming PCI with the DESolve novolimus-eluting scaffold platform	S. Verhege	H. Nel, J. Ormiston	17:00-18:30
17:00-18:30	ROOM 2426B	Latest evidence on unique self-expanding technology: long-term results with CoreValve and Initial results with CoreValve Evolut R	R. Kornowski	S. J.D. Brecker, G. Manoharan, N. Piazza, J.J. Popma	17:00-18:30
17:00-18:30	ROOM 3428A	Fully bioresorbable vascular scaffolds in everyday practice - Case-based approach	J. Fajadet	A. Serra	17:00-18:30
17:00-18:30	ROOM 352A	Transcatheter valve interventions: new indications, new valves and how to treat complications - The best of the Warsaw Course on Cardiovascular Interventions (WCCI) 2015	A. Wikowski	R. Ghil, A. Ochala	17:00-18:30
17:00-18:30	ROOM 351	All you need to know about uncontrolled hypertension	M. Lobo	A. Poltrak	17:00-18:30
17:00-18:30	ROOM 352B	Learning from complications and nightmares	A. Banerjee, P. Chandra		17:00-18:30
17:00-18:30	ROOM 353	From bioabsorbable polymer DES to fully absorbable metallic scaffolds: optimising patient care	M. Joner	S. Windecker	17:00-18:30
17:00-18:30	ROOM 354	How to optimise complex PCIs: cases and discussions	T. Cuisset	M. Raffi	17:00-18:30
17:00-18:30	ROOM 355	The prognostic value of FFR: linking physiologic severity to clinical outcomes	N.H. Pijls	S. James	17:00-18:30
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**17:00-18:30** ■ **Understanding TAVI complications with the TAVI Valve Atlas**  
 ROOM: TERNES 1  
 Participants: *P.W. Serruys, S. Stortecky, M. Van Mieghem*  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To understand how to use the PCR Valve Atlas  
 > To understand how the PCR Valve Atlas can complement your TAVI practice  
 > To dissect complications using the PCR Valve Atlas

- > Session objectives
- > Case 1
- > Case 2
- > Case 3
- > Session evaluation and key learnings

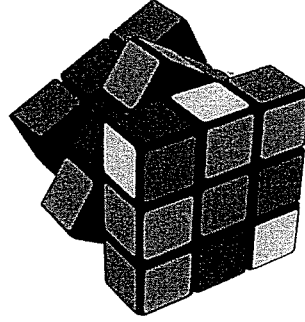
**18:35-19:38** ■ **EAPCI General Assembly**  
 ROOM: 353

- 1935 > Welcome - *S. Windecker*
- 1937 > EAPCI Membership - *A. Baumhach*
- 1940 > EuroIntervention - *P. Curimins*
- 1944 > ESC eLearning platform (ESCeL) - *R. Trillo Noucha*
- 1948 > EAPCI website - *E. Stabile*
- 1952 > EAPCI Fellowship programme - *A. Wikowski*
- 1956 > Databases and registries - *F. Weidinger*
- 1960 > EAPCI@ESC Congress 2015 - *J.P. Collet*
- 1964 > Stent for Life initiative - *Z. Kallosova*
- 1968 > EAPCI Budget - *J. Escaned*
- 1911 > EuroPCR - *S. Windecker*
- 1914 > Resistant Hypertension Course - *F. Mahfoud*
- 1917 > PCR London Valves - *M. Haude*
- 1920 > New initiatives for young interventionalists - *D. Capodanno*
- 1923 > EAPCI Women Committee - *J. Mehilli*
- 1926 > Nurses & Technicians Committee - *L. Kløgaard*
- 1929 > Relations with international societies - *M. Gland*
- 1932 > EAPCI Elections 2016 - *J. Fejzagic*
- 1935 > Adjourn - *S. Windecker*



# Scientific programme

## Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> May, 2015



Valid as of 19<sup>th</sup> March, 2015  
 Only Faculty who confirmed their attendance are listed in this programme.  
 For real-time updates, please consult the interactive programme.





08:15-12:00

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MAIN ARENA

Complex cardiovascular interventions and new techniques: LIVE demonstrations from University Hospital Brno - Brno, Czech Republic; from King Fahd Armed Forces Hospital - Jeddah, Saudi Arabia; and from Ferrarotto Hospital, University of Catania - Catania, Italy

08:15-12:00  
THEATRE BLEU

How to integrate the currently available bioresorbable scaffolds in daily practice?  
Co-chairperson: *J. Fogdler*  
Attend this session if you want:  
 > To discuss the proper selection of patients and lesions suitable for bioresorbable scaffold use  
 > To learn practical tips and tricks for adequate implantation of bioresorbable scaffolds  
 > To evaluate current scientific evidence about bioresorbable scaffolds in different clinical settings

- 08:15 Session objectives - *T. Majwal*
- 08:19 Update on bioresorbable scaffolds in 2015 - *J. Omiston*
- 08:29 Time to ReAct@PCR
- 08:34 LIVE demonstration from Contilia Heart and Vascular Center - Essen, Germany
- 08:37 Time to ReAct@PCR
- 08:37 Key points for an optimal bioresorbable scaffold implantation - *S. Cook*
- 08:45 Time to ReAct@PCR
- 08:55 Do we need specific DAPT for bioresorbable scaffolds? *G. Coyla*
- 08:59 Time to ReAct@PCR
- 09:03 Session evaluation and key learnings - *J. Fogdler*
- 09:11

08:15-10:15  
THEATRE BORDEAUX

Percutaneous edge-to-edge mitral valve repair (MitraClip) in heart failure: potentials and limitations  
Co-chairperson: *T. Feldman*

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To understand the relevance of functional mitral regurgitation in progression of heart failure  
 > To review the available evidence of treating functional mitral regurgitation with percutaneous edge-to-edge repair in heart failure patients  
 > To learn about patient-tailored peri-procedural planning and challenges related to percutaneous edge-to-edge repair

- 08:15 Session objectives - *J. Hausleiter*
- 08:21 Heart failure patient with functional mitral regurgitation: prognosis and therapeutic options
- 08:27 Percutaneous MitraClip interventions in heart failure: selection and pre-procedural planning - *S. Baldus*
- 08:33 Time to ReAct@PCR
- 08:43 LIVE demonstration from Ferrarotto Hospital, University of Catania - Catania, Italy
- 08:58 Time to ReAct@PCR
- 08:53 The role of MitraClip in the scope of heart failure management including cardiac resynchronisation therapy, assist devices and heart transplantation - *J. Van Der Heyden*
- 08:59 Time to ReAct@PCR
- 09:08 Session evaluation and key learnings - *T. Feldman*

08:15-10:15  
THEATRE HAVANE

A comprehensive approach to femoropopliteal occlusive disease  
Chairperson: *A. Micari*  
Co-chairperson: *Y. Goufflet*  
Panelists: *J. Althaddad, R. Ferraresi, J. Tan*

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To select the appropriate technology for the individual lesion/patient  
 > To master a step-by-step approach  
 > To avoid and manage complications

With continuous LIVE demonstration from Clinique Pasteur - Toulouse, France  
With continuous time to ReAct@PCR

08:15-10:15  
ROOM 2428B

Catheter-based renal sympathetic denervation: a comprehensive update in 2015  
With the collaboration of RHC-TRENDS 2015  
Facilitators: *F. Mahfoud, A. Pathak, A. Schmieder, K. Tsoulfas*

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To assess a comprehensive update on this field, actively share your experience and get answers to your questions  
 > To identify and discuss the current evidence base and its impact for daily clinical practice  
 > To recognise the open questions that need addressing in the near future

- 08:15 Session objectives - *F. Mahfoud*
- 08:25 Different hypertension phenotypes: how to diagnose and treat - *R. Schmieder*
- 08:35 Case 1 - Best candidate for renal denervation - *F. Sharif*
- 08:40 Renal sympathetic nerves: recent clinical and pre-clinical findings changed my procedural performance - *F. Mahfoud*
- 08:50 Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:58 What have we learned from recent clinical trials and what to do now? - *A. Pathak*
- 09:20 Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:30 Case 2 - A patient with uncontrolled hypertension and comorbidities - *H. Stewart*
- 09:35 Where to go from here? - *C. Ukena*
- 09:45 Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:55 Session evaluation and key learnings - *R. Schmieder*

08:15-10:15  
ROOM 251

Training and education for European Nurses and Technicians today and tomorrow  
Co-chairperson: *J. Van Hecke*

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To share the current situation in different countries  
 > To discuss the future of the EAPC training and education programme  
 > To know how to use social networks in our community

- 08:15 Session objectives - *J. Laub*
- 08:20 Italy - *M. Longoni*
- 08:30 Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:35 Denmark - *M. Nagaard Wengdorf*
- 08:45 Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:50 United Kingdom - *E. Guafre*
- 09:00 Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:05 Spain - *X. Rodriguez Garcia-Abad*
- 09:15 Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:20 The USA current model - *R. Doble*
- 09:30 Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:35 EAPC education programme and how to "Linkin" *L. Hirtachner*
- 09:45 Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:50 The learning platform of the future - ESCel - *M. Salome*
- 09:55 Discussion and audience interaction
- 10:05 Session evaluation and key learnings - *J. Van Hecke*

08:15-09:15  
ROOM 252A

Planned and ongoing clinical trials: a status update from genae  
With the collaboration of genae  
Chairperson: *B. Segers*

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To be updated on planned or ongoing clinical trials that may change our future practice  
 > To gain in-depth understanding of trial design and execution  
 > To learn about upcoming milestones for trial recruitment, analysis and presentation plan

- 08:15 Session objectives - *B. Segers*
- 08:20 Left atrial decompression using the V-Wave shunt
- 08:27 Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:30 REFLECT: evaluation of the TriGuard embolic deflection device during TAVI
- 08:37 Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:40 FAME 3 compares FFR-guided PCI with CABG in triple vessel disease - *W. Fearon*
- 08:47 Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:50 ILLUMINATE clinical programme
- 08:52 Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:00 DESolver: novelimus-stenting scaffold and fully bioresorbable - *S. Verhey*
- 09:07 Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:10 Session evaluation and key learnings

08:15-10:15  
ROOM 3428B

Decision-making in true bifurcation lesions: case-based approach  
Co-chairperson: *O. Darremont*  
Panelists: *A. Ergil, J.F. Lassen*

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To exchange about the relevant factors influencing decision-making in treating bifurcation lesions  
 > To experience the relevance of planning ahead for procedural outcome  
 > To learn practical tips and tricks to prevent and solve complications

- 08:15 Session objectives - *O. Darremont*
- 08:20 Looks complex? Keep it simple: a one-stent strategy *F. Ribichini*
- 08:27 Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:30 Two-stent strategy? Which one to choose? First case example - *A. Ergil*
- 08:37 Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:40 Two-stent strategy? Which one to choose? Second case example - *J.F. Lassen*
- 08:45 Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:50 Expect the unexpected - *G. Sionkovic*
- 08:55 Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:00 Session evaluation and key learnings - *M. Lesiak*

08:15-09:15  
ROOM 351

All you need to know about transcatheter mitral edge-to-edge repair  
Co-chairperson: *C. Ruiz*  
Co-chairperson: *G. Nickenig*

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To review a comprehensive and clinically relevant update on this field  
 > To identify the current evidence base and existing guidelines  
 > To recognise the open questions that need addressing in the near future

- 08:15 Session objectives - *C. Ruiz*
- 08:30 Background and clinical data - *R. Kornowski*
- 08:40 Technical aspects - issues in clinical practice - *G. Nickenig*
- 08:50 Guidelines and recommendations - *A. Vahanian*
- 08:59 Unresolved issues and outlook: new techniques on the horizon - *C. Ruiz*
- 09:00 Questions and answers
- 09:10 Session evaluation and key learnings - *G. Nickenig*

08:15-09:15  
ROOM 352A

Ireland and South Africa share their most educational cases  
With the collaboration of the South African Society of Cardiovascular Intervention (SASCI) and the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Irish Cardiac Society  
Chairperson: *D. Verleys*

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To understand and identify major causes of complex complications during CTO  
 > To learn how to prevent this complication  
 > To share effective techniques that can be lifesaving when common complications occur

- 08:15 Session objectives
- 08:17 Case 1 - Antegrade CTO: when is it time to inflate the balloon?
- 08:23 Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:31 Case 2 - Guidewire exits and perforations during CTO PCI: how far to push the envelope and how to avoid tamponade - *D. Molyet*
- 08:37 Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:45 Case 3 - Calcium is brittle: covered stent rescue - *G. Casal*
- 08:51 Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:59 Case 4 - Occlusive left main dissection during CTO PCI to proximal left anterior descending artery: strategies to treat and especially to avoid
- 09:06 Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:13 Key learnings session evaluation - *D. Verleys*

08:15-09:15  
ROOM 3528B

Algeria and Egypt share their most educational cases  
With the collaboration of the Algerian Society of Cardiology (SAC) and the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Egyptian Society of Cardiology (EWS/C)  
Chairpersons: *M. Chetibi, A. Nassar*

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To understand the potential risk of complication during PCI in calcified lesion  
 > To learn how to solve acute complication during PCI  
 > To learn how to identify immediately a procedural complication

- 08:15 Session objectives - *M. Chetibi*
- 08:17 Case 1 - Novel way to manage acute coronary perforation during PCI - *A. Khataba*
- 08:23 Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:31 Case 2 - Delayed stenting in STEMI with a calcified left main lesion - *S. Berghazel*
- 08:37 Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:45 Case 3 - Calcified lesions have sometimes an unexpected behaviour
- 08:51 Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:59 Case 4 - Acute left anterior descending artery closure during a PCI of a calcified lesion - *B. Abouiche*
- 09:06 Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:13 Session evaluation and key learnings - *A. Nassar*

08:15-10:15  
ROOM LEARNING

Learning retrograde approach for coronary CTO  
Facilitators: *O. Goktekin, F. Hellig, D. Tebliché*

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To review the techniques needed for the retrograde approach  
 > To better understand the most appropriate equipment selection  
 > To find out how to overcome the most frequent issues

- 09:00 -

**09:20-10:20**  
ROOM 352A  
INDEPENDENT

**Update and ongoing clinical trials: a status update from Cardiology and the European Cardiovascular Research Institute (ECRI)**  
With the collaboration of Cardiology and the European Cardiovascular Research Institute (ECRI)  
Chairpersons: *P.W. Serruys, G.A. Van Es*

- > To be updated on planned or ongoing clinical trials that may change our future practice and execution
- > To learn about upcoming milestones for trial recruitment, analysis and presentation plan

> Session objectives - *G.A. Van Es*  
> ECR 1 to ECR 5: current status of investigator-initiated studies - *P.W. Serruys*  
> Discussion and audience interaction  
> Need for multimodality imaging to assess bioresorbable scaffolds: *Absorb, Absorb, Biosolve - H.M. Garcia-Garcia*  
> Discussion and audience interaction  
> Chinese technology tested in Europe: *Pioneer, Nano Plus*  
> Discussion and audience interaction  
> RESPOND: lessons learned from VARIC 2  
> Discussion and audience interaction  
> DNPT, PEGASUS, GLOBAL LEADERS: implications for clinical (trial) practice  
> Discussion and audience interaction  
> Session evaluation and key learnings - *P.W. Serruys*

**09:20-10:20**  
ROOM 351  
A-H-E  
PARTNER

**All you need to know about TAVI**  
Chairperson: *N. Piazza*  
Co-chairperson: *H. Eitichimiroff*

- > Attend this session if you want:
- > To review a comprehensive and clinically relevant update on this field
- > To identify the current evidence base and existing guidelines
- > To recognise the open questions that need addressing in the near future

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- > Session objectives - *H. Eitichimiroff*
- > Clinical data update - *L. Sondergaard*
- > Technical update: the new systems - *N. Piazza*
- > Guidelines - *H. Baumgartner*
- > Unresolved issues and outlook - *A.S. Petronio*
- > Questions and answers
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - *N. Piazza*

**09:20-10:20**  
ROOM 352A  
COMPLECTIONS

**Bulgaria and Greece share their most educational cases**  
With the collaboration of the Bulgarian Society of Interventional Cardiology and the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Hellenic Cardiological Society  
Chairpersons: *V. Gelev, G. Stanoz*

- > To understand the clinical, anatomical, pharmacological parameters/predictors associated with left main complications
- > To understand the implications of left main PCI complications
- > To learn how to prevent and effectively treat left main complications

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- > Session objectives - *V. Gelev*
- > Case 1 - Dissection-thrombosis during left main PCI  
*G. Boropoulos*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Case 2 - Left main dissection during left anterior descending artery PCI with rotablation
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Case 3 - Left main occlusion during retrograde recanalisation of a right coronary artery CTO - *K. Toulouzas*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Case 3 - Left main coronary artery dissection during an attempt for occlusion of a retrovenous malformation between left main coronary artery and pulmonary artery
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - *G. Stanoz*

**09:20-10:20**  
ROOM 352B  
COMPLECTIONS

**Italy and Slovenia share their most educational cases**  
With the collaboration of the Italian Society of Invasive Cardiology (SISE) and the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Slovenian Society of Cardiology  
Chairpersons: *M. Bunc, G. Sardella*

- > Attend this session if you want:
- > To understand the potential risk of complication during PCI
- > To learn how to treat perforation and thrombotic occlusion
- > To reflect on PCI in STEMI and NSTEMI patient with multivessel disease

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- > Session objectives - *G. Sardella*
- > Case 1 - Patient with NSTEMI, multivessel disease after acute coronary grafts failure
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Case 2 - Complication in retrograde approach during CTO PCI - *F. Corbo*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Case 3 - STEMI in a patient with multivessel disease and ambiguous culprit lesion
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Case 4 - Complication in bifurcation PCI
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - *M. Bunc*

- 10:00 -

**10:30-12:00**  
THEATRE BLEU

**Innovative solutions in complex PCI in a complex milieu: the case of diabetes**  
With the collaboration of *Indialive*  
Chairperson: *A. Mehta*  
Panelists: *U.Kaul, A. Seth*

- > Attend this session if you want:
- > To understand how diabetes differ in complexity of the coronary artery disease process and their PCI outcomes
- > To evaluate how newer technologies can influence the results of complex PCI in diabetics
- > To review how newer technologies and strategies on the horizon can influence outcomes in complex multivessel intervention

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- > EuroPCR welcomes *Indialive - E. Eckhout*
- > Session objectives: innovative solutions for complex interventions - *A. Mehta*
- > Complex PCI in diabetics: why is it different? - *U. Kaul*
- > LIVE demonstration from Conilla Heart and Vascular Center - *Essen, Germany*
- > Time to React@PCR
- > Bioresorbable scaffolds: is it ready for complex interventions in diabetics - *A. Seth*
- > Time to React@PCR
- > Future innovations in complex coronary interventions
- > Time to React@PCR
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - *E. Eckhout*

**10:30-12:00**  
THEATRE BORDEAUX

**Devices for advanced heart failure: what device, what patient? Update for interventionalists**  
Chairperson: *J. Bartunek*  
Panelists: *T. Feldman, H. Ince, J. Van Der Heyden*

- > Attend this session if you want:
- > To understand the role of device-based interventions in the current multidisciplinary management of heart failure
- > To become familiar with the therapeutic potential of devices promoting cardiac remodeling and ventricular offloading
- > To understand when and for which patient a device-based approach may be considered

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- > Session objectives
- > Time to React@PCR
- > Percutaneous left atrial pressure reduction: background and evidence - *D. Burkhardt*
- > Time to React@PCR
- > Device-based left ventricular cavity reshaping: background and evidence
- > Time to React@PCR
- > Sympathetic modulation as alternative target: background and evidence
- > Parasympathetic modulation as alternative target: background and evidence
- > Time to React@PCR
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - *J. Bartunek*

**10:30-12:00**  
THEATRE HAVANE

**How to optimise outcomes: access management when using large-size sheaths**  
Chairperson: *M. Rafii*  
Co-chairpersons: *C. Serracel*  
Panelists: *I. Alhaddad, F. Castro, O. Goktekin*

- > Attend this session if you want:
- > To become familiar with strategies and dedicated devices for large-size sheath management
- > To be prepared to solve life-threatening complications

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- > Session objectives - *M. Rafii*
- > How to prevent complications? - *P. Wenaweser*
- > Case demonstration - *P. Wenaweser*
- > Time to React@PCR
- > How to treat complications? - *F. Castiello*
- > Case demonstration from Maria Cecilia Hospital - *Coignola, Italy - F. Castiello*
- > Time to React@PCR
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - *C. Serracel*

**10:30-12:00**  
ROOM 241

**The Heart Team@Work: difficult decisions in patients with left main and multivessel coronary artery disease**  
Organised by: *Università degli Studi di Napoli Federico II, Naples, Italy - Course Directors: B. Timorac, G. Espósito*  
Chairpersons: *G. Angelini, A. Baumbach*

- > Attend this session if you want:
- > To exchange about indications for CABG and PCI in complex patients
- > To discuss the relevance on the clinical outcome for the individual patient
- > To learn that a true Heart Team approach provides real benefit for the patient

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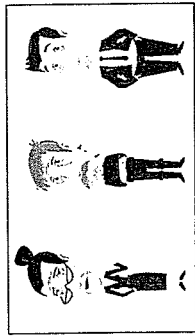
- > Session objectives
- > Case 1 - Multivessel disease in a patient with stable coronary artery disease - *T. Walther*
- > How would I treat? - *E. Barbato*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Conclusion of the case and take-home message from the Heart Team - *A. Baumbach*
- > Case 2 - Left main disease - *E. Barbato*
- > How would I treat? - *T. Walther*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Conclusion of the case and take-home message from the Heart Team - *G. Angelini*
- > Case 3 - Complex coronary artery disease in a diabetic patient - *T. Walther*
- > How would I treat? - *M. Belghith*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Conclusion of the case and take-home message from the Heart Team
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - *E. Barbato*

10:30-12:00 **Treating hypertensive patients at risk**  
ROOM 242AB

With the collaboration of **RHC-TRENDS 2015**  
Chairperson: **R. Schmieder**  
Co-chairpersons: **K. Tsioulis**  
Panelists: **M. Kurl, S.T. Lim, F. Mahfoud**

- Attend this session if you want:
  - To learn how to identify and diagnose hypertensive patients with end-organ damage with the use of dedicated checklists
  - To appreciate the best personalised approach to treat hypertensive patients at risk

- 10:30 Session objectives - **R. Schmieder**
- 10:35 > A hypertensive patient with shortness of breath  
**K. Dimitriadis**
- 10:40 > How to systematically diagnose and treat left ventricular hypertrophy and heart failure with preserved ejection fraction? - **A. Pathak**
- 10:50 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:05 > A hypertensive patient with palpitation and fatigue  
**S. Ewan**
- 11:10 > How to systematically diagnose and treat atrial fibrillation in hypertensive patients? - **C. Ukena**
- 11:20 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:35 > An asymptomatic hypertensive patient with renal impairment - **S. Galor**
- 11:40 > How to systematically diagnose and treat albuminuria and worsening of renal function? - **L. Rullage**
- 11:50 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:55 > Session evaluation and key learnings - **K. Tsioulis**



10:30-12:00 **Treatment options for superficial femoral artery**  
ROOM 243

With the collaboration of the **BSC Working Group on Peripheral Circulation**  
Chairperson: **M. Bradmann**  
Co-chairperson: **A. Cremonesi**

- Attend this session if you want:
  - To discuss the appropriate treatment strategy for patients with superficial femoral artery disease
  - To learn about the use of dedicated advanced technologies
  - To understand the role of surgical versus endovascular treatment

- 10:30 Session objectives - **A. Cremonesi**
- 10:35 > Medical/Conservative treatment of superficial femoral artery disease
- 10:45 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 10:50 > Treatment algorithm for superficial femoral artery disease in 2015 - **M. De Carlo**
- 10:55 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:00 > Drug-coated balloons in superficial femoral artery disease  
**E. Stabile**
- 11:10 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:20 > Stents in superficial femoral artery disease - **A. Micali**
- 11:30 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:40 > Still a place for surgical repair?
- 11:50 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:55 > Session evaluation and key learnings - **M. Bradmann**

10:30-12:00 **ACS patients - Putting guidelines into practice**  
ROOM 251

Chairperson: **S. Grigolo**  
Co-chairpersons: **F. Esteve**  
Facilitators: **S. Carson, H. Falout**

- Attend this session if you want:
  - To update your knowledge about the treatment of ACS
  - To understand how to deliver the best patient care according to the current guidelines

- 10:30 Session objectives - **R. Esteve**
- 10:35 > Guidelines: what happens to the patient before entering the cathlab - **M. Soller**
- 10:40 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 10:45 > Inside the cathlab: how do guidelines influence practice?  
**J. Marques**
- 10:50 > Current and audience interaction
- 11:00 > Current approach to patients presenting with STEMI / NSTEMI - **E. Petrali**
- 11:05 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:10 > What happens next? Life after the cathlab - **V. Orsola**
- 11:20 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:30 > Session evaluation and key learnings - **S. Grigolo**

10:30-12:00 **Innovations in Cardiovascular Interventions**  
ROOM 252A

With the collaboration of **Innovations in Cardiovascular Interventions (ICI)**  
Chairpersons: **R. Beyar, C. Lotan**

- Attend this session if you want:
  - To obtain an update on cardiovascular innovations as presented at ICI 2014
  - To recognise unique examples of cardiovascular innovations
  - To acknowledge unmet needs in the cardiovascular interventions

- 10:30 Session objectives - **R. Beyar**
- 10:35 > The ICI mission and the ICI forum "Innovation of the year"  
**C. Lotan**
- 10:40 > TIVA medical's EverInQ system - Winner of the 2014 "ICI innovation of the year" award
- 10:45 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 10:50 > Lev EL technology - Maaige award winner
- 10:55 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:00 > Cardiovascular innovations in Israel: the "start-up nation" phenomenon - **R. Korovick**
- 11:05 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:10 > PangoIn endovascular simulators
- 11:15 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:20 > HealthWatch Master Caution
- 11:25 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:30 > MedWall's active
- 11:35 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:40 > Panel discussion: future clinical needs in cardiovascular interventions
- 11:50 > Session evaluation and key learnings - **C. Lotan**

10:30-12:00 **Eurointervention / EHV joint session: the year in intervention**  
ROOM 341

With the collaboration of **Eurointervention and the European Heart Journal**  
Chairperson: **P. Serruys**  
Facilitators: **P. Cummins, P. De Feyter, T.F. Lüscher**

- Attend this session if you want:
  - To discover publications reporting on innovations within the interventional field
  - To reflect on the impact of these publications in your daily practice
  - To appraise these publications in the form of robust, solid summaries by key opinion leader

- 10:30 Session objectives - **P.W. Serruys**
- 10:35 > Percutaneous valvular intervention and TAVI - **A. Vahanian**
- 10:40 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 10:45 > Coronary intervention in ACS and STEMI - **U. Landmesser**
- 10:50 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 10:55 > Coronary intervention in stable coronary artery disease  
**P.W. Serruys**
- 11:00 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:05 > Session evaluation and key learnings - **T.F. Lüscher**

10:30-12:00 **Registries and imaging in TAVI and PCI:**  
ROOM 342AB

With the collaboration of the **Societal Latinoamericana de Cardiología Intervencionista (SOLACI)**  
Chairpersons: **R. Lluberas, J.A. Sood**  
Panelists: **J.A.G. Alvarez, J.L. Teiva Pons**

- Attend this session if you want:
  - To share the latest results of registries on interventions in Latin America
  - To understand the use of imaging in interventional procedures
  - To discuss complex PCI and TAVI

- 10:30 EuroPCR welcomes SOLACI - **J. Escaned**
- 10:35 Session objectives - **R. Lluberas**
- 10:40 Latin American registries in STEMI - How to improve it?  
**J. Beland**
- 10:45 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 10:50 > TAVI registries in Latin America - Where are we?  
**F. Sarradell De Brito**
- 10:55 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:00 > Rational use of imaging methods in interventional cardiology: which, when and how? - **P. Lemos**
- 11:05 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:10 > What should we know to better approaching left main percutaneous? - **C. Di Mario**
- 11:15 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:20 > Unusual case of coronary angioplasty - That is the best option - **A. Manelli**
- 11:25 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:30 > Unusual case of TAVI - Yes we can! - **A. Dager**
- 11:35 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:40 > Session evaluation and key learnings - **J.A. Sood**

10:30-12:00 **Challenges of antithrombotic therapy in TAVI**  
ROOM 343

Chairperson: **J.P. Collet**  
Co-chairpersons: **S. Windecker**

- Attend this session if you want:
  - To identify the risk of peri-procedural and long-term thromboembolic complications in patients with valvular heart disease
  - To learn about peri-procedural strategies of antithrombotic therapy in TAVI
  - To learn about long-term strategies of antithrombotic therapy in TAVI

- 10:30 Session objectives - **J.P. Collet**
- 10:35 > What is the risk of thromboembolic complications during and after TAVI - **M. Gilad**
- 10:40 > Antithrombotic therapy before and during TAVI - **P. Vranckx**
- 10:45 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 10:50 > What is the risk of early and late bleeding complications
- 10:55 > Long-term antithrombotic therapy after TAVI: antiplatelet or anticoagulant therapy - **G.G. Stefanini**
- 11:00 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:05 > Session evaluation and key learnings - **S. Windecker**

10:30-12:00 **All you need to know about treatment of STEMI**  
ROOM 351

Chairperson: **G. Ducaroc**  
Co-chairpersons: **P. Widimsky**

- Attend this session if you want:
  - To review a comprehensive and clinically relevant update on this field
  - To identify the current evidence base and existing guidelines
  - To recognise the open questions that need addressing in the near future

- 10:30 Session objectives - **G. Ducaroc**
- 10:35 > Background and clinical data - **P. Widimsky**
- 10:40 > Clinical issues: drug regimens - **M. Volgimigli**
- 10:45 > Guidelines - **G. Ducaroc**
- 10:50 > Unresolved issues and outlook - **S. James**
- 10:55 > Questions and answers
- 11:00 > Session evaluation and key learnings - **G. Ducaroc**

10:30-12:00 **Finland and Norway share their most educational cases**  
ROOM 352A

With the collaboration of the **Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Finnish Society of Cardiology and the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Norwegian Society of Cardiology**  
Chairpersons: **M. Niemela, T. Trovik**

- Attend this session if you want:
  - To understand the difference between quality of initial angiographic result and long-term outcome
  - To reflect on different ways to treat stenosis in bifurcation lesions
  - To understand how to evaluate left main bifurcation lesions by OCT

- 10:30 Session objectives - **M. Niemela**
- 10:35 > Case 1 - Left main distal lesion after endocarditis  
**K. Keränen**
- 10:40 > How would I treat?
- 10:45 > How did I treat? - **P. Kojajainen**
- 10:50 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 10:55 > Consensus - **M. Niemela**
- 11:00 > Case 2 - Challenging double bifurcation in in-stent stenosis - **A. Al-ami**
- 11:05 > How would I treat? - **P. Kojajainen**
- 11:10 > How did I treat? - **A. Al-ami**
- 11:15 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:20 > Consensus - **T. Trovik**
- 11:25 > Session evaluation and key learnings - **T. Trovik**

**10:30-12:00** Austria and Hungary share their most educational cases  
**ROOM 332B**  
 How should I treat?  
 With the collaboration of the Association of Cardiovascular Intervention of the Hungarian Society of Cardiology and the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Austrian Society of Cardiology  
 Chairpersons: *B. Merkely, F. Weidinger*  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To discuss indications for multivessel PCI in STEMI  
 > To reflect on antimicrobial strategies in patients with STEMI, suboptimal TIMI flow and prior stroke  
 > To show the technique of transcatheter coil embolisation in LMA dysfunction due to steal phenomenon

- 10:30 > Session objectives - *F. Weidinger*
- 10:35 > Case 1 - STEMI with right bundle branch and anterior ST-elevations complicated by incipient cardiogenic shock in a patient with prior stroke - *H. Alker*
- 10:40 > How would I treat? - *J. Ungi*
- 10:45 > How would I treat?
- 10:50 > How did I treat? - *H. Alker*
- 11:00 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:10 > Consensus - *F. Weidinger*
- 11:15 > Case 2 - Acute and long-term treatment of a spontaneous left main dissection in STEMI - *Z. Ruzso*
- 11:20 > How would I treat?
- 11:25 > How would I treat? - *J. Ungi*
- 11:30 > How did I treat? - *Z. Ruzso*
- 11:40 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:50 > Consensus - *B. Merkely*
- 11:55 > Session evaluation and key learnings - *B. Merkely*

**10:30-12:00** Learning bifurcation PCI  
**ROOM LEARNING**  
 Facilitators: *B. Farah, J.F. Lassen, G. Stanekovic*  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To discuss together the best indications for different stenting strategies  
 > To review in detail specific procedural technique using one stent or two stents

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**12:30-14:30** Left main and complex bifurcation stenting  
**THEATRE BLEU**  
 Tools & Techniques  
 With an unrestricted educational grant from TERUMO  
 Chairperson: *M.C. Morice*  
 Co-Chairpersons: *R. Karnowski*  
 Panelists: *M. Al Mutairi, J. Diaz Fernandez, D. Hildick-Smith, H.H. Ho, H. Mishi*

- 12:30 Attend this session if you want:
- 12:35 > To discuss how to select the optimal treatment option for the patients presenting with left main or complex bifurcations
- 12:40 > To acknowledge Ultimaster DES results in complex patients population
- 12:45 > To understand the value of optical frequency domain imaging in complex PCI
- 12:50 > Session objectives - *M.C. Morice*
- 12:55 LIVE demonstration from Institut Cardiovasculaire Paris Sud - *Massy, France*
- 13:00 > Time to React@PCR
- 13:05 > Discover Ultimaster with optical frequency domain imaging - *D. Hildick-Smith*
- 13:10 LIVE demonstration from Institut Cardiovasculaire Paris Sud - *Massy, France*
- 13:15 > Time to React@PCR
- 13:20 > Session evaluation and key learnings - *R. Karnowski*

**12:30-14:30** Realising the full potential of TAVI  
**THEATRE BOULEVARD**  
 Tools & Techniques  
 With an unrestricted educational grant from EDWARDS LIFESCIENCES  
 Chairpersons: *B. Prendergast*  
 Co-Chairperson: *H. Reichenspurner*  
 Panelists: *H. Elkhanjani, J. Mehilli, F.J. Neumann, A. Vahanian*

- 12:30 Attend this session if you want:
- 12:35 > To learn how the features of Sapien 3 bring benefits to TAVI patients
- 12:40 > To understand how Sapien 3 is simplifying the TAVI procedure and the patient management
- 12:45 > To discover the latest clinical results of the Sapien 3 platform
- 12:50 > Session objectives - *H. Reichenspurner*
- 12:55 LIVE demonstration from Ferrarotto Hospital, University of Catania - *Catania, Italy*
- 13:00 > Time to React@PCR
- 13:05 > TAVI procedural optimisation - *J. Mehilli*
- 13:10 > TAVI latest data summary - *A. Vahanian*
- 13:15 LIVE demonstration from Ferrarotto Hospital, University of Catania - *Catania, Italy*
- 13:20 > Time to React@PCR
- 13:25 > Session evaluation and key learnings - *B. Prendergast*

**12:30-14:30** Acute strokes - The new frontier for interventional cardiologyists  
**THEATRE HAVANE**  
 Chairpersons: *N. Hopkins, P. Widimsky*  
 Panelists: *A. Bonafé, A. Cremonesi*

- 12:30 Attend this session if you want:
- 12:35 > To understand how to start or to improve performing acute stroke interventions in your institution
- 12:40 > To learn whether acute stroke interventions could follow the success story of acute myocardial infarction interventions
- 12:45 > To learn about the new evidence from randomised trials in acute stroke finally favouring catheter-based strategies
- 12:50 > Session objectives - *N. Hopkins*
- 12:55 > Stroke intervention for cardiology: why and how to get into the game
- 13:00 > Neurovascular anatomy, computed tomographic angiography, magnetic resonance angiography and invasive angiography
- 13:05 > Patient selection and indication for endovascular treatment - *N. Hopkins*
- 13:10 > Time to React@PCR
- 13:15 > Getting access to the target vessel and dealing with the occlusion: equipment and techniques
- 13:20 > Peri-procedural antithrombotic treatment - *P. Widimsky*
- 13:25 > Time to React@PCR
- 13:30 > Case demonstration - *A. Bonafé*
- 13:35 > Time to React@PCR

**New evidence in recent stroke trials**  
 Recent negative New England Journal of Medicine trials  
 What did we learn?  
 Five new randomised, placebo-controlled efficacy trials all positive - What are the implications?  
 Evolution and future of stroke treatment and trials  
 Time to React@PCR  
 Session evaluation and key learnings - *P. Widimsky*

- 12:30 > Session objectives - *F. Wendt*
- 12:35 LIVE demonstration from Institut Cardiovasculaire Paris Sud - *Massy, France*
- 12:40 > Time to React@PCR
- 12:45 > Discover Ultimaster with optical frequency domain imaging - *D. Hildick-Smith*
- 12:50 LIVE demonstration from Institut Cardiovasculaire Paris Sud - *Massy, France*
- 12:55 > Time to React@PCR
- 13:00 > Session evaluation and key learnings - *R. Karnowski*

**12:30-14:00** Optimal healing and DAPT duration in today's complex PCI: the Synergy stent  
**ROOM MAILLOT**  
 With an unrestricted educational grant from BOSTON SCIENTIFIC  
 Chairperson: *I. Meredith*  
 Co-Chairperson: *K.G. Ollroyd*  
 Panelists: *S. Cook, T. Cuisset, J.M. De La Torre Hernandez, S. Walsh*

- 12:30 Attend this session if you want:
- 12:35 > To learn how the Synergy stent is being used in complex patient subsets
- 12:40 > To learn how durable and bioabsorbable polymers and stent design impact both early and late healing
- 12:45 > To understand the current evidence when assessing ischaemic, bleeding and thrombotic risks for specific patient subsets
- 12:50 > Session objectives - *I. Meredith*
- 12:55 > PCI in elderly patients: device and pharmacotherapy considerations in next generation DES - *T. Cuisset*
- 13:00 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 13:05 > Early healing with Synergy in real-world patients - *J.M. De La Torre Hernandez*
- 13:10 > Optimal revascularisation in multivessel disease and coronary CTO: the Belfast experience - *S. Walsh*
- 13:15 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 13:20 > Synergy in an all-comers population: the SWEET registry - *S. Cook*
- 13:25 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 13:30 > Session evaluation and key learnings - *K.G. Ollroyd*

**12:30-13:30** Redefining bioabsorbable DES with MiStent: drug elution beyond polymer presence  
**ROOM 241**  
 With an unrestricted educational grant from STEVITYS  
 Chairpersons: *P.W. Serruys, W. Wijns*

- 12:30 Attend this session if you want:
- 12:35 > To learn how persistence of drug elution after polymer absorption coupled with stent design impacts both early and late healing
- 12:40 > To understand how the novel MiStent design allows for drug elution to continue beyond polymer absorption
- 12:45 > To understand the current and future clinical studies examining the role of the MiStent coronary stent
- 12:50 > Session objectives - *P.W. Serruys*
- 12:55 Technical Overview and design intent - *J. Ormiston*
- 13:00 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 13:05 > Clinical programme overview: DESOLVE I, II and III - *W. Wijns*
- 13:10 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 13:15 > Case study - *C. Di Mario*
- 13:20 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 13:25 > Session evaluation and key learnings - *P.W. Serruys*

**12:30-14:00** Renal denervation for uncontrolled hypertension using the Symplicity Syral System: a pivotal moment  
**ROOM 242AB**  
 With an unrestricted educational grant from MEDTRONIC  
 Chairperson: *F. Mahfoud*  
 Co-Chairperson: *K. Rocha-Singh*  
 Panelists: *D. Kandzari, R. Schmieder*

- 12:30 Attend this session if you want:
- 12:35 > To understand new physiological insights into the anatomical distribution of the renal nerves and how this information can be leveraged to maximise procedural safety and efficacy
- 12:40 > To realise the impact of variable and dynamic adherence to complex drug therapy regimens on clinical trial outcome and how trial design features such as drug, ischaemic, bleeding and thrombotic risks for specific patient subsets
- 12:45 > To appreciate the relationship between absolute pressure drop and cardiovascular risk reduction across the spectrum of comorbidities within the uncontrolled hypertensive population
- 12:50 > Session objectives - *F. Mahfoud*
- 12:55 > Anatomical optimisation of renal denervation with Symplicity Syral: have we found the "sweet spot"? - *D. Kandzari*
- 13:00 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 13:05 > Addressing the confounding effect of dynamic drug therapy adherence in clinical trial design - *R. Schmieder*
- 13:10 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 13:15 > Understanding the optimal target population for renal denervation: how does blood pressure reduction translate to cardiovascular risk reduction?
- 13:20 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 13:25 > Session evaluation and key learnings - *K. Rocha-Singh*

**12:30-13:30** Prevention of atherothrombotic events: can we do better?  
**ROOM 251**  
 With an unrestricted educational grant from MSD  
 Co-Chairperson: *J.P. Collet*

- 12:30 Attend this session if you want:
- 12:35 > To discuss that patients with a history of myocardial infarction and/or peripheral artery disease are at high short- and long-term risk for atherothrombotic events despite standard therapy
- 12:40 > To educate on the multiple pathways involved in the activation of platelets
- 12:45 > To appreciate the PAR-1 pathway as a key platelet activation pathway that is critical for thrombotic
- 12:50 > Session objectives
- 12:55 > Atherothrombotic disease: risk stratification in clinical practice
- 13:00 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 13:05 > PAR-1: a key platelet activation pathway - *K. Huber*
- 13:10 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 13:15 > Antiplatelet therapies: benefits beyond standard of care
- 13:20 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 13:25 > Session evaluation and key learnings

**12:30-13:30** **ROOM 352A** **Innovation Hub**  
**Planned and ongoing clinical trials: a status update from Mediolanum Cardiovascular Research (MCCR)**  
*With the collaboration of Mediolanum Cardiovascular Research (MCCR)*  
**Chairpersons:** A. Colombo, M.C.J. Jori

- Attend this session if you want:
  - > To be updated on planned or ongoing clinical trials that may change our future practice
  - > To gain in-depth understanding of trial design and execution
  - > To learn about upcoming milestones for trial recruitment, analysis and presentation plan

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- > **PARTICIPATE:** Prove Abnormal Reservoir Technology clinical benefit in all-comers PATIENTs: a multicentre, multinational trial in a large cohort of patients comparable to the everyday clinical practice, with a specific focus on diabetic subjects - A. Colombo
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > The ELDERLY ACS 2 study: a comparison of reduced-dose prasugrel and clopidogrel in elderly patients with ACS undergoing early PCI - S. Savonitto
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > The LADIES ACS study: age at menopause and severity of coronary artery disease among post-menopausal women with ACS - S. Savonitto
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > The Surgery After Stenting (SAS) registry: a multicentre registry of consecutive patients undergoing cardiac and non-cardiac surgery or operative endoscopic/endovascular procedures after implantation of a coronary stent - R. Rossini
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > The DEB SFA-LONG study: safety and efficacy of the Drug Eluting Balloon for the treatment of the Superficial Femoral Artery Ischaemic vascular disease in symptomatic patients presenting with long lesions: a pilot study - A. Micari
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - A. Colombo

**12:30-14:00** **ROOM 3420B**  
**EBAC Accreditation has been applied for - Programme supported by an unrestricted educational grant from ASTRAZENECA**  
**Chairperson:** P.G. Steg  
**Co-chairperson:** R. Mehran

- Attend this session if you want:
  - > To appreciate roles of DAPT in reducing ongoing cardiovascular disease risk and in-stent protection in patients with ACS
  - > To review the recent clinical data exploring the optimal time of initiation and duration of DAPT in patients with coronary artery disease undergoing PCI
  - > To explore how DAPT can be tailored to the patient to improve outcomes

- > Session objectives - P.G. Steg
- > What is the optimal time for DAPT initiation: P2Y12 inhibitor administration in the ambulance, emergency room or cathlab? - M. Mickel
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > What is the optimal DAPT duration for patients with coronary artery disease undergoing PCT - M.P. Bonaca
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Tailoring DAPT to the benefit: risk profile of the patient (e.g. stable coronary artery disease versus ACS, type of ACS, management strategy, bleeding risk) - M. Valgimigli
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - R. Mehran

**12:30-13:30** **ROOM 351** **Symposium**  
**Polymer bioresorbable scaffolds: to routine practice in PCI**  
*With an unrestricted educational grant from ART*  
**Chairperson:** S. Saito  
**Co-chairpersons:** A. Laforêt

- Attend this session if you want:
  - > To improve your understanding of the relation between clinical basics and polymer fundamentals
  - > To assess the potential clinical benefits of new bioresorbable scaffolds
  - > To explore the future of bioresorbable scaffolds in routine PCI practice

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- > Session objectives - S. Saito
- > Polymer fundamentals related to PCI efficacy and safety - M. Verrì
- > Pre-clinical bioresorbable scaffolds data - R. Virmanni
- > Bioresorbable scaffolds in clinical practice - J. Fogaret
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - A. Laforêt

**12:30-13:30** **ROOM 352A** **Compassion**  
**United Kingdom and Ukraine share their most educational cases**  
*With the collaboration of the Association of Interventional Cardiologists of Ukraine (AICU) and the British Cardiovascular Intervention Society (BCIS)*  
**Chairpersons:** N. Curzen, M. Sokolov

- Attend this session if you want:
  - > To understand the prompt recognition of potential left main complications
  - > To discuss various management strategies
  - > To share collective experience

- > Session objectives - N. Curzen
- > Case 1 - Emergency PCI to left main stem and 2-vessel disease during STEMI with cardiogenic shock
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Case 2 - Importance of lesion preparation for left main bifurcation stenting - A. Banning
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Case 3 - Acute thrombosis after emergency left main stenting on a background of intra-aortic balloon counterpulsation
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Case 4 - Importance of accurate balloon and stent-sizing
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - M. Sokolov

**12:30-13:30** **ROOM 352B** **Symposium**  
**Hybrid transcatheter treatment of ischaemic heart failure: left ventricular volume reduction, scar exclusion and reshaping using the Revivent System for Less Invasive Ventricular Enhancement (LIVE)**  
*With an unrestricted educational grant from BIOVENTRIX*  
**Chairperson:** J. Bartunek  
**Co-chairpersons:** C. Mainerro

- Attend this session if you want:
  - > To learn about the indications, imaging requirements and implantation techniques for the LIVE procedure for ischaemic heart failure patients
  - > To hear updated 2-year clinical outcomes for Revivent surgical and Revivent transcatheter patients
  - > To understand the added benefit the LIVE procedure has on ischaemic mitral valve regurgitation

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- > Session objectives - J. Bartunek
- > The Less Invasive Ventricular Enhancement procedure: which patients are indicated and how to perform it? - P. Neuzil
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Revivent and Revivent transcatheter at 2-year follow-up - H. Ince
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > The impact of Revivent on ischaemic mitral regurgitation - C. Butler
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - C. Mainerro

**12:30-14:30** **ROOM 351** **Learning**  
**Learning radial access**  
**Facilitators:** H. Amin, B. Farah, J. Mansgú

- Attend this session if you want:
  - > To review patient and hardware selection
  - > To identify and resolve difficulties with catheter navigation
  - > To optimise coronary cannulation and guiding support for PCI

**12:30-14:30** **ROOM 352B** **Chairperson:** R. Byrne  
**Real-life scenarios where a drug-coated balloon could help you in daily practice**  
*With an unrestricted educational grant from BIOTRONIK*  
**Co-chairpersons:** M.V. Weinstein  
**Chairperson:** R. Byrne

- Attend this session if you want:
  - > To better understand the concept of drug-coated balloons and how it works
  - > To learn practical tips for using drug-coated balloons

- > Session objectives - R. Byrne
- > Drug-coated balloons and DES for complex left main bifurcation in-stent restenosis - M.V. Weinstein
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Drug-coated balloons with single antiplatelet therapy - An option in severe aspirin allergy? - R. Tölg
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Complex PCI with drug-coated balloons - S. Galfi
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - M.V. Weinstein

**13:35-14:35** **ROOM 351** **Symposium**  
**TAVI: current and future perspectives for conjunctive pharmacological therapy**  
*With an unrestricted educational grant from BAYER*  
**HEALTHCARE PHARMACEUTICALS**

- Attend this session if you want:
  - > To understand TAVI: patient population characteristics, approved devices and expected clinical outcomes
  - > To evaluate current and future antithrombotic therapy options around TAVI
  - > To understand future perspectives and upcoming studies

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- > Session objectives
- > TAVI: a paradigm shift in the treatment of symptomatic, severe aortic stenosis - Past, present and future
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > TAVI-2015: stroke and bleeding risk update
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Solved and unsolved issues of antithrombotic therapy after TAVI
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Future perspective and upcoming studies
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Session evaluation and key learnings

**13:35-14:35** **ROOM 351** **Symposium**  
**TAVI advancements: key learnings and perspectives of the Portico valve programme**  
*With an unrestricted educational grant from ST. JUDE MEDICAL*  
**Co-Chairperson:** G. Manoharan

- Attend this session if you want:
  - > To learn about the latest clinical results from the St. Jude Medical Portico clinical programme
  - > To review and discuss a selection of complex TAVI cases and how the total reshaping technology helps solving them

- > Session objectives - G. Manoharan
- > St. Jude Medical programme overview - R. Mickler
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Updated clinical data: 27mm and 29mm experience
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Challenging cases: how a recapturable system designed for positioning accuracy is helping you solve challenges - N. Van Mieghem
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - G. Manoharan

**13:35-14:35** **ROOM 352B** **Symposium**  
**The PCI was successful - But, now what?**  
*With an unrestricted educational grant from ZOLL*  
**Chairperson:** E. Eckhout  
**Co-chairperson:** M. Block

- Attend this session if you want:
  - > To discuss the risk of sudden cardiac death in the low ejection fraction, acute myocardial infarction patient undergoing PCI/percutaneous transluminal coronary angioplasty, including clinical evidence
  - > To discuss the role of interventional cardiologists to screen patients for sudden cardiac death risk and establishing an appropriate care path, including optimal medical therapy and consideration of wearable cardioverter defibrillators, while long-term sudden cardiac death risk is determined

- > Session objectives - M. Block
- > Sudden cardiac death risk in the low ejection fraction/acute myocardial infarction patients undergoing PCI/percutaneous transluminal coronary angioplasty
- > Sudden cardiac death screening: systematic techniques - J. Schmitt
- > Case examples - Wearable cardioverter defibrillators use to protect patients - M. Arnold
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - E. Eckhout

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**14:40-16:40**  
**MAIN ARENA**  
**Complex cardiovascular interventions and new techniques: LIVE demonstrations from King Fahd Armed Forces Hospital - Jeddah, Saudi Arabia and from University Hospital Brno - Brno, Czech Republic**  
**Chairperson:** J. Strange  
**Co-chairperson:** G. Werner  
**Panelists:** A. Serra

**14:40-16:40**  
**THEATRE BLEU**  
**Appropriate use of coronary CTO interventions in 2015**  
**Chairperson:** J. Strange  
**Co-chairperson:** G. Werner  
**Panelists:** A. Serra  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To reflect on the potential clinical benefit of CTO interventions  
 > To learn practical tips and tricks for optimal CTO treatment

**14:40-16:40**  
**THEATRE BORDEAUX**  
**TAVI in intermediate risk patients - What should we be doing now?**  
**Chairperson:** M. Haude  
**Co-chairperson:** N. Moat  
**Panelists:** F. Basfalg  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To learn how to define intermediate risk in TAVI patients  
 > To review the available evidence  
 > To understand the current limitations of TAVI in this patient group

**14:40-16:40**  
**THEATRE BORDEAUX**  
**What does intermediate risk mean? - B. Pranderegast**  
**LIVE demonstration from Institut Cardiovasculaire Paris Sud - Massy, France**  
**Time to React@PCR**  
**What is happening today in the real world?**  
**Time to React@PCR**  
**The remaining pitfalls of TAVI - U. Gerckens**  
**Time to React@PCR**  
**Session evaluation and key learnings - N. Moat**

**14:40-16:40**  
**THEATRE HAVANE**  
**Endovascular abdominal aortic aneurysm repair: fully percutaneous endografting and new devices**  
**Co-chairperson:** Z. Kräjer  
**Chairperson:** C. Serracchi  
**Panelists:** M. Boisars, A. Cremonesi, Y. Goueffic

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To discuss the selection of appropriate candidates for percutaneous endovascular aneurysm repair  
 > To become familiar with low-profile endografts  
 > To learn a comprehensive step-by-step approach

With continuous LIVE demonstration from Clinique Pasteur - Toulouse, France  
**With continuous time to React@PCR**  
 > Session objectives - C. Serracchi  
 > Patient and device selection  
 > Tips and tricks for successful percutaneous endografting  
 > Ten top recommendations to develop a successful aortic stent graft programme - C. Serracchi  
 > Session evaluation and key learnings - Z. Kräjer

**14:40-16:40**  
**MILLOT INNOVATION HUB**  
**Transcatheter mitral valve replacement: new valves and experiences**  
**Chairperson:** S. Windacker  
**Co-chairperson:** C. Ruiz  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To review the latest data on new catheter-based mitral valves  
 > To understand the current investigational status of novel mitral valves  
 > To recognise the first-in-human clinical experiences and impending trials

**14:40-16:40**  
**MILLOT INNOVATION HUB**  
**CardiQ Valves Technologies - L. Soradegard**  
**Questions and answers**  
**Novasc / Tara - S. Benati**  
**Questions and answers**  
**Edwards / Fortis - V. Lopez**  
**Questions and answers**  
**Discussion and audience interaction**  
**Tendyne - G. Lottier**  
**Questions and answers**  
**Medtronic valve - N. Piazza**  
**Questions and answers**  
**HighLife valve - R. Longe**  
**Questions and answers**  
**Sironmed - P.H. Serruys**  
**Questions and answers**  
**Discussion and audience interaction - What have we learned from initial experiences, what could be expected from ongoing trials?**  
**Session evaluation and key learnings - C. Ruiz**

**14:40-16:10**  
**THE ESSENTIALS**  
**The essentials: when and how to implant a bioresorbable scaffold**  
**With the collaboration of the EAPCI New Initiatives For Young Interventionalists Committee**  
**Senior advisor:** A. Colombo  
**Facilitator:** S. Brugaletta, H. Nef  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To identify the right patient and lesion for scaffold implantation  
 > To learn how to optimally select the scaffold size  
 > To learn how to properly implant the scaffold and optimise the result

**14:40-16:40**  
**ROOM 242AB**  
**Interventional hypertension treatment - Moving forward**  
**With the collaboration of the Clinical Consensus Conference on Renal Denervation (CCC-RDN)**  
**Co-chairperson:** C. Serracchi

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To exchange on the appropriate scientific evaluation of renal denervation in hypertensive patients  
 > To be updated on the design of new clinical studies that will be launched soon  
 > To discuss the current unmet needs in the field

**14:40-16:40**  
**ROOM 351**  
**Update on clinical trial programmes**  
**Medtronic's trial programme**  
**Discussion and audience interaction**  
**St. Jude's trial programme**  
**Discussion and audience interaction**  
**Boston Scientific's trial programme**  
**Discussion and audience interaction**  
**Recor's trial programme**  
**Discussion and audience interaction**  
**Kona's trial programme**  
**Discussion and audience interaction**  
**Rox's trial programme**  
**Discussion and audience interaction**  
**Session evaluation and key learnings**

**14:40-16:40**  
**ROOM 351**  
**Learning how to manage cathlab complications**  
**Facilitators:** S. Carson, D. Zughaff  
**Panelist:** M. Oberhaff  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To be able to reduce patient complications by pre-procedural patient checks  
 > To develop your skills in recognition and management of complications  
 > To develop confidence to take action during a patient-related emergency in the cathlab

**14:40-15:40**  
**ROOM 252A**  
**Planned and ongoing clinical trials: a status update from the Cardiovascular European Research Center (CERC)**  
**With the collaboration of the Cardiovascular European Research Center (CERC)**  
**Chairpersons:** M.C. Morice, P. Smits

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To be updated on planned or ongoing clinical trials that may change our future practice  
 > To gain in-depth understanding of trial design and execution  
 > To learn about upcoming milestones for trial recruitment, analysis and presentation plan

**14:40-15:40**  
**ROOM 351**  
**Session objectives - P. Smits**  
**SENIOR (very short DAPT after Synergy stent in elderly patients) - Q. Varenne**  
**Discussion and audience interaction**  
**ILLUMINA (Nifedipine stent, a stentless auto-expandable stent in superficial femoral artery and popliteal arteries)**  
**D. Schriener**  
**Discussion and audience interaction**  
**BIVAL (does Bivalirudin reduce the size of myocardial infarction assessed by magnetic resonance imaging?)**  
**J. Garot**  
**Discussion and audience interaction**  
**VIVA (CoreValve in valve) - D. Takhtchi**  
**Discussion and audience interaction**  
**COMPARE ABSORB (BVS versus Xience in complex lesions and patients subsets) - P. Smits**  
**Discussion and audience interaction**  
**Session evaluation and key learnings - M.C. Morice**

**14:40-15:40**  
**ROOM 351**  
**All you need to know about metallic DES technology and clinical results**  
**Chairperson:** R. Byrne  
**Co-chairperson:** T. Pilgrim  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To review a comprehensive and clinically relevant update on this field  
 > To identify the current evidence base and existing guidelines  
 > To recognise the open questions that need addressing in the near future

**14:40-15:40**  
**ROOM 352A**  
**Overcoming radiation burden in complex PCI: it is time to protect ourselves**  
**With the collaboration of the EAPCI Women Committee**  
**Chairperson:** P. Ludman  
**Co-chairperson:** A. Roguin  
**Panelists:** F. Mauri  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To know more about the risk of radiation exposure  
 > To learn how to reduce radiation exposure at work

**14:40-15:40**  
**ROOM 352A**  
**Occupational risks of chronic low-dose radiation exposure in the cathlab - F. Piccaluga**  
**Discussion and audience interaction**  
**Radiation burden and results of the WOMEN-EPICI survey**  
**P. Capranzano**  
**Discussion and audience interaction**  
**New measures to increase protection during complex procedures**  
**Discussion and audience interaction**  
**Session evaluation and key learnings - P. Ludman**

**14:40-16:40**  
ROOM 352B  
How should I treat?

**Belgium, Luxembourg and the Netherlands share their most educational cases**  
With the collaboration of the *Belgian Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Belgian Society of Cardiology (BWSIC)*, the *Luxembourg Society of Cardiology (LSC)* and the *Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Dutch Society of Cardiology (WIC)*

**Chairpersons:** J. Beissel, W. Desmet, R. Van Der Schaaf

**Attend this session if you want:**

- > To understand the problems of imaging bioreabsorbable scaffolds stenting during and after PCI of CTO
- > To learn about the utilisation of OCT imaging to identify culprit lesion
- > To share our experience in bioreabsorbable scaffolds stenting and coronary imaging

- 14:40 > Session objectives - W. Desmet
- 14:41 > Case 1 - OCT in search of the culprit lesion - N. Hillrop
- 14:49 > How would I treat? - O. Goch
- 14:54 > How did I treat? - N. Hillrop
- 14:59 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:03 > Consensus - W. Desmet, R. Van Der Schaaf
- 15:10 > Case 2 - Bioreabsorbable scaffolds in CTO - B. Pereira
- 15:20 > How would I treat? - O. Goch
- 15:25 > How did I treat? - D. Wagner
- 15:30 > How did I treat? - B. Pereira
- 15:35 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:42 > Consensus - J. Beissel, W. Desmet
- 15:52 > Case 3 - A case of a complex primary PCI
- 15:56 > How would I treat? - D. Wagner
- 16:01 > How would I treat? - J.J. Peik
- 16:08 > How did I treat?
- 16:11 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 16:16 > Consensus - J. Beissel, R. Van Der Schaaf
- 16:21 > Session evaluation and key learnings - J. Beissel, R. Van Der Schaaf
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**14:40-16:40**  
ROOM LEARNING

**Learning left main PCI**

**Facilitators:** J. Al Rashdan, J. Fajadet, M. Noc

**Panelist:** T. Majwal

**Attend this session if you want:**

- > To understand the specifics of left main PCI
- > To review the role of periprocedural imaging

- > To share tips and tricks to improve your technical skills

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**15:45-16:45**  
ROOM 353A  
Innovation Hub

**Planned and ongoing clinical trials: a status update from Cardiovascular Imaging Core Laboratories**

**With the collaboration of Cardiovascular Imaging Core Laboratories**

- Attend this session if you want:**
- > To be updated on planned or ongoing clinical trials that may change our future practice
  - > To gain in-depth understanding of trial design and execution
  - > To learn about upcoming milestones for trial recruitment, analysis and presentation plan

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ROOM 351

**All you need to know about patent foramen ovale**

**Chairperson:** P. Meier

**Co-chairperson:** P. Presbitero

**Attend this session if you want:**

- > To review a comprehensive and clinically relevant update on this field
- > To identify the current evidence base and existing guidelines
- > To recognise the open questions that need addressing in the near future

- 15:45 > Session objectives - P. Presbitero
- 15:50 > Background and clinical data - P. Meier
- 16:00 > Technical aspects - D. Hildick-Smith
- 16:10 > Guidelines and recommendations - E. Eckhout
- 16:20 > Unsolved issues - P. Presbitero
- 16:30 > Questions and answers
- 16:40 > Session evaluation and key learnings - P. Meier

**15:45-16:45**  
ROOM 352A  
Complex Cases

**Jordan and Saudi Arabia share their most educational cases**

**With the collaboration of the Jordan Group on Interventional Cardiology (JGIC) and the Saudi Arabian Cardiac Interventional Society of the Saudi Heart Association (SACS)**

**Chairpersons:** I. Alhaddad, K. Al Farajdy

**Attend this session if you want:**

- > To understand potential challenges and complications of PCI of complex bifurcational lesion
- > To learn different strategies in solving serious complications
- > To share your knowledge and experience during interactive discussions

- 15:45 > Session objectives - I. Alhaddad
- 15:47 > Case 1 - My stent is stuck and the shaft broke! - M. Alarag
- 15:52 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 16:01 > Case 2 - Unplanned bifurcation culprit technique: not an enjoyable experience - H. Abu Hanifah
- 16:07 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 16:15 > Case 3 - Multiple bifurcation left anterior descending artery treated with PCI: is this the right decision and right technique? - M. Al Sheikh
- 16:21 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 16:29 > Case 4 - Facing the reality of stent thrombosis after bifurcations PCI: what to do - M. Al Bakri
- 16:35 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 16:43 > Session evaluation and key learnings - K. Al Farajdy

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**16:50-18:20**  
THEATRE BLEU  
Book of Techniques (RNT)

**Bleeding versus stent thrombosis: can short DAPT be safe in complex lesions?**

**With an unrestricted educational grant from BIOSENSORS INTERNATIONAL**

**Chairperson:** P. Urban

**Co-chairperson:** A. Abizaid

**Panelist:** D. Tesutkoral

**Attend this session if you want:**

- > To discuss changes in DAPT guidelines and their application in daily practice
- > To identify the patient populations that suffer from bleeding complications and cannot tolerate DAPT duration according to guidelines
- > To understand how selection of a polymer-free stent can support optimising treatment of patients

- 16:50 > Session objectives - A. Abizaid
- 16:55 > Evidence of DAPT duration with stents is inconclusive - A. Iniguez Romo
- 17:01 > LIVE demonstration from Cantilia Heart and Vascular Center - Essen, Germany
- 17:05 > Time to React@PCR
- 17:10 > Are polymer-free drug-coated stents the solution for short DAPT? - I. Kirmanid
- 17:15 > Clinical evidence on the horizon - G. Sardella
- 17:20 > Session evaluation and key learnings - P. Urban

**16:50-18:20**  
THEATRE BORDEAUX  
Book of Techniques (RNT)

**How to start treating coronary CTO using the J-CTO score?**

**With an unrestricted educational grant from ASAHI INTECC**

**Chairperson:** G. Werner

**Co-chairperson:** M. Yamane

**Attend this session if you want:**

- > To start basic coronary CTO treatment
- > To learn about the J-CTO score
- > To broaden your knowledge of coronary CTO treatment techniques

- 16:50 > Session objectives - G. Werner
- 16:55 > How to choose the right case - R. Garbo
- 17:02 > Smart device selection - A. Gabassi
- 17:09 > Real-life benefits with J-CTO score - J. Dens
- 17:16 > Session evaluation and key learnings - M. Yamane

**16:50-17:50**  
ROOM MAILLOT  
Case-in-point

**The Lotus valve: advancing treatment options for patients with challenging anatomies**

**With an unrestricted educational grant from BOSTON SCIENTIFIC**

**Chairperson:** T. Feldman

**Co-chairpersons:** R. Lange, I. Meredith

**Panelists:** V. Bapat, U. Gerckens, M. Göbbel

**Attend this session if you want:**

- > To recognise key features and procedural aspects of the Lotus valve
- > To learn how paravalvular leak can be minimised despite anatomical complexities
- > To understand the current evidence and latest available clinical data

- 16:50 > Session objectives - T. Feldman
- 16:55 > Horizontal aorta - U. Gerckens
- 17:02 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:12 > Calcified annulus - M. Göbbel
- 17:19 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:29 > An alternative option for a patient without peripheral access - The direct aortic approach - V. Bapat
- 17:36 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:48 > Session evaluation and key learnings - I. Meredith

**16:50-18:20**  
THEATRE HAWAII  
Symposium

**How could fully bioreabsorbable vascular scaffolds improve PCI outcomes?**

**With an unrestricted educational grant from ABBOTT VASCULAR**

**Chairperson:** P.W. Serruys

**Co-chairperson:** T.F. Lüscher

**Panelists:** J. Escaned, G.W. Stone, M.E.J. West

**Attend this session if you want:**

- > To understand how PCI results could be further improved with fully bioreabsorbable vascular scaffolds
- > To learn more about all possible additional benefits of bioreabsorbable vascular scaffolds
- > To obtain a better understanding on the frequency of post-PCI angina and how fully bioreabsorbable vascular scaffolds could further decrease it

- 16:50 > Session objectives - T.F. Lüscher
- 16:55 > The unmet clinical need in PCI - G.W. Stone
- 17:00 > Time to React@PCR
- 17:10 > The additional benefits of fully bioreabsorbable vascular scaffolds - An overview - P.W. Serruys
- 17:27 > Time to React@PCR
- 17:35 > Post-PCI angina: overview on the available data - J. Escaned
- 17:45 > Time to React@PCR
- 17:55 > Could bioreabsorbable vascular scaffolds lead to a reduction in ischaemia post-PCI: an hypothesis - N.E.J. West
- 18:07 > Time to React@PCR
- 18:15 > Session evaluation and key learnings - P.W. Serruys

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**16:50-18:20** **ROOM 241**  
Symposium  
The role of prasugrel in the treatment of ACS-PCI patients  
With an unrestricted educational grant from DAIICHI SANKYO and ELI-LILLY  
Chairperson: J.W. Jukema  
Co-chairperson: G. Montalescot

- > Attend this session if you want:
- > To learn about the challenges and solutions for the optimal treatment for ACS patients undergoing PCI and strategic options
- > To learn about the latest real-world evidence in ACS-PCI

- 16:50 > Session objectives - J.W. Jukema
- 17:00 > Evidence-based medicine in STEMI: guidelines and implications - G. De Luca
- 18:15 > Case presentation - STEMI - A. Zamban
- 17:20 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:27 > New evidence: how to decide on treatment strategy in NSTEMI-ACS - G. Montalescot
- 17:52 > Case presentation - NSTEMI-ACS - H. Alber
- 16:87 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 18:15 > Session evaluation and key learnings - G. Montalescot

**16:50-18:20** **ROOM 242AB**  
Symposium  
The Direct Flow TAVI system - Experiences from the real world  
With an unrestricted educational grant from DIRECT FLOW MEDICAL  
Chairperson: D. Tchétché  
Co-chairperson: M. Tuzcu

- > Attend this session if you want:
- > To learn how the Direct Flow Medical valve can improve patient outcomes
- > To understand the key learnings from the real-world experience with Direct Flow Medical
- > To review the newest clinical and technological developments

- 16:50 > Session objectives - M. Tuzcu
- 16:55 > TAVI today - Are we missing anything?
- 17:05 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:10 > Real-world learnings from implanters
- 17:17 > Left ventricular outflow tract calcification - J. Scholer
- 17:22 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:25 > The Berlin experience - H. Ince
- 17:32 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:40 > Initial experience, contrast-free - M. Gilard
- 17:47 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:55 > On a surgeon's hands - H. Burchard
- 18:02 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 16:10 > Clinical and technology outlook - A. Lalib
- 16:15 > Session evaluation and key learnings - D. Tchétché

**16:50-17:50** **ROOM 342AB**  
Case report  
Practical approach to left main PCI: new stent technology for an old problem  
With an unrestricted educational grant from MEDTRONIC  
Chairperson: D. Hildick-Smith  
Co-chairperson: H.C. Gwon

- > Attend this session if you want:
- > To learn what the treatment alternatives are for patients with these challenging lesions
- > To learn about the relevance of conventional PCI bifurcation technique applied to left main bifurcations
- > To discuss the potential relevance of new stent technology for left main stenting

- 16:50 > Session objectives - H.C. Gwon
- 16:55 > Treatment options for left main disease - A. Meirino Rojme
- 17:02 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:10 > Distal left main bifurcation disease: complex lesions when two stents are required - A. Lalib
- 17:18 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:24 > Distal left main bifurcation disease: complex lesions when the choice is not obvious - G. Stanekovic
- 17:46 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:50 > Session evaluation and key learnings - D. Hildick-Smith

**16:50-18:20** **ROOM 351**  
Case report  
Counterpulsation therapy - Should we continue to use it?  
With an unrestricted educational grant from MAQUET Cardiovascular GETTINGE GROUP  
Chairperson: S. Reekwood  
Co-chairperson: G. Leurent

- > Attend this session if you want:
- > To understand the science of mechanical support in the complex coronary patient
- > To identify which patients are responders to intra-aortic balloon counterpulsation therapy
- > To discuss real-world experience and outcomes in treating complex PCI procedures

- 16:50 > Session objectives - G. Leurent
- 16:55 > Intra-aortic balloon counterpulsation effect with exhausted autoregulation - D. Perez
- 17:02 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:15 > Larger volume intra-aortic balloon counterpulsation effect on left ventricular unloading - M. Cohen
- 17:22 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:35 > Intra-aortic balloon counterpulsation in the multivessel complex coronary patient - A. Colombo
- 17:42 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:55 > Intra-aortic balloon counterpulsation in patients with persistent ischaemia - N.J.H. Pijls
- 18:02 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 18:15 > Session evaluation and key learnings - S. Reekwood

**16:50-18:20** **ROOM 352A**  
How should I treat?  
Germany and Scotland share their most educational cases  
With the collaboration of the Scottish Cardiac Society (SCS) and the Working Group on Cardiovascular Interventions of the German Society of Cardiology (AGK)  
Chairpersons: H. Eitelba, H. Thiele

- > Attend this session if you want:
- > To share treatment option of a no-reflow for PCI for anterior STEMI
- > To learn prioritising management steps/strategy of haemodynamically compromised patient
- > To reflect on contemporary literature and practical tips and tricks to complete revascularisation in primary PCI

- 16:50 > Session objectives - H. Eitelba
- 16:55 > Case 1 - Management of a no-reflow for PCI with no STEMI T. Schuatz
- 17:00 > How would I treat? - N. Cruden
- 17:05 > How would I treat? - H. Mehlmann
- 17:10 > How did I treat? - T. Schuatz
- 17:20 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:25 > Consensus - H. Eitelba
- 17:35 > Case 2 - 56-year-old male patient, 5 days post-metallic aortic valve replacement - M. Lindsay
- 17:40 > How would I treat? - H. Mehlmann
- 17:45 > How would I treat? - N. Cruden
- 17:50 > How did I treat? - M. Lindsay
- 18:00 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 18:10 > Consensus - H. Thiele
- 18:15 > Session evaluation and key learnings - H. Thiele

**16:50-18:20** **ROOM 352B**  
Left main coronary artery disease and ST-elevation myocardial infarction: a complex challenging situation  
With the collaboration of the Groupe de Réflexion sur la Cardiologie Interventionnelle (GRICI)  
Chairpersons: P. Aubry, J. Monségu  
Panellists: J.P. Collet, A. Py

- > Attend this session if you want:
- > To underline the difficulties in STEMI presenters with left main coronary artery disease
- > To define the place of PCI cardiac assist device and coronary artery bypass surgery
- > To share tips and tricks for left main PCI

- 16:50 > EuroPCR welcomes GRICI - E. Eschhout
- 16:55 > Session objectives - P. Aubry
- 16:58 > Are there specific features of STEMI with left main coronary artery disease? - M. Godin
- 17:03 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:15 > How to optimise PCI technique when left main coronary artery lesion is the culprit?
- 17:23 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:35 > When should you call the surgeon?
- 17:43 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:55 > How to manage left main coronary artery lesion when non-culprit?
- 18:03 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 18:15 > Session evaluation and key learnings - J. Monségu

**16:50-18:20** **ROOM LEARNING**  
Learning primary PCI for STEMI  
Facilitators: M. Behan, G. Coyla

- > Attend this session if you want:
- > To discuss the best management of both culprit and non-culprit vessels
- > To review pros and cons of using different stems for primary PCI
- > To share ways to prevent and treat common complications in this setting

**16:50-18:20** **ROOM TERNES 1**  
Will this trial change my practice? DAPT trial: 30 months of DAPT after implantation of DES  
Chairperson: T. Cuisset  
Co-chairperson: J.F. Tonguay

- 16:50 > Introduction: the trial headlines - T. Cuisset
- 16:55 > A case: how should I treat? - A. Baumbach
- 17:05 > Discussion: what is common practice?
- 17:15 > What was known before: evidence before DAPT
- 17:25 > Trialist's review: methods, results, conclusion - A. Lansky
- 17:30 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:35 > Case conclusion: how does this apply to my practice
- 17:40 > A. Baumbach
- 16:10 > Outlook: more evidence on the horizon? - T. Cuisset
- 16:15 > Session evaluation and key learnings - J.F. Tonguay



- 08:00 -

**08:15-12:00** ■ **Complex cardiovascular interventions and new techniques: LIVE demonstrations from Bern University Hospital - Bern, Switzerland; from Clinique Pasteur - Toulouse, France; and from Nanjing First Hospital, Nanjing Medical University - Nanjing, China**  
**MAIN ARENA**

**08:15-10:15** ■ **China@EuroPCR - How to successfully perform PCI for complex left main stenosis?**  
**THEATRE BLEU**

*With the collaboration of China Interventional Therapeutics (CTI) and the Left Main & Coronary Bifurcation Summit (CBS)*  
 Chairperson: R. Gao

Co-chairpersons: M.C. Morice, B. Xu  
 Panelists: T. Santoso, G. Stankovic, Y. Yang

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To learn how to select patients and lesions for PCI in left main stenosis  
 > To learn practical tips and tricks for optimal left main stenosis treatment

> EuroPCR welcomes China - M.C. Morice  
 > Session objectives - R. Gao

> Key-tips and tricks for optimal left main PCI - G. Stankovic  
 > Time to React@PCR

LIVE demonstration from Nanjing First Hospital, Nanjing Medical University - Nanjing, China  
 > Time to React@PCR

> Long-term follow-up after left main PCI - B. Xu  
 > Time to React@PCR

> Session evaluation and key learnings - M.C. Morice

**08:15-10:15** ■ **Is paravalvular aortic regurgitation a problem of the past?**

**THEATRE**  
**BORDEAUX**

Chairperson: A. Cribier  
 Panelist: M. Al Abdallah

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To learn the state-of-the-art 3D imaging for annulus sizing  
 > To understand how new device design reduces aortic regurgitation

> To appreciate the impact of post-TAV paravalvular aortic regurgitation

> Session objectives - A. Cribier  
 > Prognostic impact of aortic regurgitation - The latest data of the impact of aortic regurgitation on survival - T. Lelevre

> Time to React@PCR  
 LIVE demonstration from Clinique Pasteur - Toulouse, France

> Time to React@PCR  
 > It's all about sizing - 3D imaging to select the right prosthesis - N. Piazza

> Time to React@PCR  
 > Have the new devices lived up to their expectations? U. Garcia

> Time to React@PCR  
 > Session evaluation and key learnings

**08:15-10:15** ■ **Changing paradigms and future concepts in carotid artery stenting**  
**THEATRE**  
**HAVANE**

Chairperson: A. Ceremuzzi  
 Co-chairperson: O. Goktekin  
 Panelists: N. Hopkins, P. Montorsi, M. Roffi, A. Souquet

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To know more about the double layer stent technology  
 > To learn about the use of advanced intravascular imaging in carotid interventions  
 > To become familiar with radial approach for carotid artery stenting

With continuous LIVE demonstration from Maria Cecilia Hospital - Cotignola, Italy  
 With continuous time to React@PCR

> Session objectives - O. Goktekin  
 > Double layer mesh stents: facts or fiction - G.G. Secco  
 > Towards alternative strategies: radial approach - P. Montorsi

> Session evaluation and key learnings - A. Ceremuzzi

**08:15-10:15** ■ **Transcatheter mitral valve therapies: new rings, anchors and techniques**  
**ROOM HALLOT**  
**Innovation Hub**

Chairperson: R. Kornowski  
 Co-chairperson: K.H. Kuck

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To obtain an update upon new catheter-based mitral valve devices and techniques

> To understand the current research and developments and investigational status of novel mitral procedures

> To recognise pre-clinical and/or clinical experiences of the new mitral devices

> Session objectives - R. Kornowski  
 > Overview: mitral insufficiency treated using catheters: the rationale for transcatheter repair - A. Vahanian

> Valtech / Cordoband - F. Mahlton  
 > VALcare

> MitraSign - G. Mickling  
 > Discussion and audience interaction

> M3olve  
 > Neochord - A. Colli

> MitraLix / MitraL  
 > Discussion and audience interaction

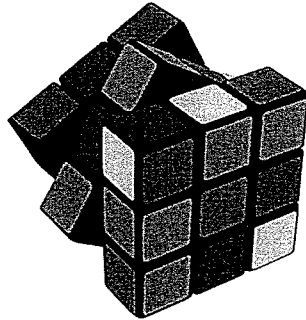
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 > MVRx - A. Erglis

> MitraAssist - C. Ruiz  
 > MitraFlex

> Discussion and audience interaction  
 > Session evaluation and key learnings - K.H. Kuck

# Scientific programme

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May, 2015



Valid as of 19<sup>th</sup> March, 2015  
 Only Faculty who confirmed their attendance are listed in this programme.  
 For real-time updates, please consult the interactive programme.



**08:15-10:15**  
ROOM 242AB  
CCC - RDN

**Catheter-based renal sympathetic denervation: Procedural aspects: time to revise treatment recommendations?**  
With the collaboration of the Clinical Consensus Conference on Renal Denervation (CCC-RDN)  
Chairpersons: T. Zeller  
Co-chairpersons: R. Virmani  
Panelists: E. Edelman, F. Mahfoud, H. Stever  
Attend this session if you want:  
To appreciate the different characteristics of the available renal denervation systems  
To understand the clinical relevance of the most recent findings and their impact on procedural performance

- 08:15 > Session objectives - T. Zeller
- 08:20 > Human anatomy - Nerve distribution, sweet spots, the ostium, the branches - F. Mahfoud
- 08:33 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:41 > How deep do we get? Review of preclinical and human data - M. Joner
- 08:54 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:02 > How much circumferential ablation is needed? - Review HTN-3, pre-clinical data - H. Stever
- 09:15 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:23 > Go distal and into the branches! Potential risks and benefits - T. Zeller
- 09:36 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:44 > Procedural parameters of successful ablation - Anything on the horizon? - E. Edelman
- 09:57 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 10:05 > Consensus on treatment recommendations - K. Trautloff
- 10:10 > Session evaluation and key learnings - R. Virmani

**08:15-10:15**  
ROOM 251

**TAVI - Care and cure**  
Chairperson: M. De Ronde

Co-chairpersons: P. Lütjge-Thomszen  
Panelists: M. Gilard, M. Oberhoff, D. Zughaitf

Attend this session if you want:  
To understand the pathophysiology of aortic valve disease  
To understand the role of Nurses and Technicians as a member of the TAVI team  
To understand the challenge of nursing care in the TAVI patient

- 08:15 > Session objectives - M. De Ronde, M. Oberhoff
- 08:21 > The role of the TAVI nurse in patient selection: how, who and why - B. Wulff
- 08:33 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:49 > Pathophysiology and haemodynamics in TAVI - K. Wilson
- 08:57 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:05 > TAVI - interactive case - M. De Ronde, D. Zughaitf
- 09:15 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:23 > Complication management - P. Almeida
- 09:31 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:39 > Nurses and allied professionals care during TAVI
- 09:47 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:54 > Nursing care after TAVI - M. De Ronde
- 10:02 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 10:09 > Session evaluation and key learnings - M. Gilard, P. Lütjge-Thomszen

**08:15-09:15**  
ROOM 252A  
Innovational Hub

**Planned and ongoing clinical trials: a status update from the Cardiovascular Research Foundation (CRF)**  
With the collaboration of the Cardiovascular Research Foundation (CRF)  
Chairpersons: O. Ben-Yehuda

Attend this session if you want:  
To be updated on planned or ongoing clinical trials that may change our future practice  
To gain in-depth understanding of trial design and execution  
To learn about upcoming milestones for trial recruitment, analysis and presentation plan

- 09:15 > Session objectives - O. Ben-Yehuda
- 09:20 > RIVER-PCI (Rivaroxan in Incomplete Vessel Revascularization-PCI) - G. Weisz
- 09:27 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:31 > ILLUMEN III - Optimise PCI - G.W. Stone
- 09:38 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:42 > PARTNER I/TAVR - M.B. Leon
- 09:49 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:53 > Early feasibility studies: for novel valves and indications M.B. Leon
- 09:56 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:59 > Session evaluation and key learnings - O. Ben-Yehuda

**08:15-10:15**  
ROOM 342AB

**How to successfully tackle a coronary CTO with an antegrade approach?**  
Chairpersons: J. Escaned  
Co-chairpersons: S.T. Lim

Attend this session if you want:  
To exchange about factors influencing decision-making in treating a coronary CTO antegrade  
To experience the relevance of planning ahead for procedural outcome  
To learn practical tips and tricks to prevent and solve complications

- 08:15 > Session objectives - J. Escaned
- 08:20 > The ideal case to get started - M. Yamane
- 08:32 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:47 > An advanced case using standard techniques - A. Serra
- 09:05 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:15 > An advanced case using dedicated devices - S. Walsh
- 09:28 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:42 > When to stop? - M. Lesiak
- 09:53 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 10:02 > Session evaluation and key learnings - S.T. Lim

**08:15-09:15**  
ROOM 351

**Are bioresorbable scaffolds a tool to improve angina and overall performance of PCI?**  
With the collaboration of the EAPCI Women Committee  
Chairperson: F. Mauri

Co-chairpersons: P.W. Serruys  
Attend this session if you want:  
To discuss the selection of patients who will benefit from bioresorbable scaffolds  
To evaluate criteria for decision-making between metallic stents and bioresorbable scaffolds

- 08:15 > Session objectives - F. Mauri
- 08:20 > Impact of patients' age and comorbidity - P. Capranzano
- 08:27 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:37 > Impact of clinical presentation: stable disease, NSTEMI, STEMI - J. Wyckowski
- 08:44 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:51 > Impact of lesion subsets and angiographic features J. Mehrli
- 09:01 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:10 > Session evaluation and key learnings - P.W. Serruys

**08:15-09:15**  
ROOM 352B  
Complications

**Spain and Turkey share their most educational cases**  
With the collaboration of the Association of Percutaneous Cardiovascular Interventions of the Turkish Society of Cardiology and the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Spanish Society of Cardiology  
Chairpersons: B. Eryonucu, J.R. Rumoroso

Attend this session if you want:  
To appreciate the risk of acute complication during PCI for CTO  
To learn how to manage major acute complication during PCI for CTO  
To share different treatment options of acute complication during PCI for CTO

- 08:15 > Session objectives - J.R. Rumoroso
- 08:17 > Case 1 - Multiple complications during PCI of a CTO of the left anterior descending artery - A. Tuncuz
- 08:23 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:31 > Case 2 - Were we prepared for this? - I. Tezgul
- 08:37 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:45 > Case 3 - I never think that I would have a looped wire in a retrograde CTO case
- 08:51 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:59 > Case 4 - How far should we optimise a CTO result? A. Gutierrez
- 09:05 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:13 > Session evaluation and key learnings - B. Eryonucu

**08:15-10:15**  
ROOM 352B  
Complications

**Learning antegrade approach in coronary CTO**  
Facilitators: E. Barbato, O. Gámperli, J. Strange

Attend this session if you want:  
To review the techniques needed for antegrade approach  
To better understand the most appropriate equipment selection  
To find out how to overcome or manage the most frequent issues

- 08:15 > Session objectives - J. Strange
- 08:20 > The ideal case to get started - M. Yamane
- 08:32 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 08:47 > An advanced case using standard techniques - A. Serra
- 09:05 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:15 > An advanced case using dedicated devices - S. Walsh
- 09:28 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:42 > When to stop? - M. Lesiak
- 09:53 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 10:02 > Session evaluation and key learnings - S.T. Lim

**09:20-10:20**  
ROOM 352A  
Complications

**Morocco and Tunisia share their most educational cases**  
With the collaboration of the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Moroccan Society of Cardiology (SMC) and the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Tunisian Society of Cardiology and Cardiovascular Surgery (CTC)  
Chairpersons: N. Elhallem, H. Garna

Attend this session if you want:  
To share experiences on unusual complications of bifurcations PCI in diabetics  
To understand the potential mechanisms and causes of these complications  
To learn how to manage and to prevent these complications

- 09:20 > Session objectives - N. Elhallem
- 09:22 > Case 1 - Lost my stent in a bifurcation lesion
- 09:30 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:36 > Case 2 - Acute stent thrombosis following primary PCI: how to manage, how to prevent?
- 09:42 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:50 > Case 3 - Extensive thrombosis during a complex bifurcation PCI: what went wrong? - M. Slim
- 09:56 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 10:04 > Case 4 - Catastrophic complication following simple diagonal PCI
- 10:10 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 10:18 > Session evaluation and key learnings - H. Garna

**09:20-10:20**  
ROOM 352B  
Complications

**Argentina and France share their most educational cases**  
With the collaboration of the Argentinian College of Interventional Cardiangiologists (CACI) and the Atherosclerosis and Interventional Cardiology Group of the French Society of Cardiology (GACI)

Chairpersons: A. Fernandez-Murga, R. Koning  
Attend this session if you want:  
To understand how to identify acute complication during TAVI procedure  
To understand acute potential complication during PCI procedure  
To share how to solve the TAVI and PCI procedural complication

- 09:20 > Session objectives - A. Fernandez-Murga
- 09:22 > Case 1 - CTO skill to treat an occlusive coronary dissection complication of a simple angioplasty - H. Béginier
- 09:28 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:36 > Case 2 - Aortic dissection after percutaneous aortic valve implant without complications - A. Scarlet
- 09:42 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 09:50 > Case 3 - When a left main stenosis angioplasty begins easily and becomes complicated - H. Le Breton
- 09:56 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 10:04 > Case 4 - The worst complication of a percutaneous valve implant - A. Chera
- 10:10 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 10:18 > Session evaluation and key learnings - R. Koning

**08:15-09:15**  
ROOM 351  
Learning

**All you need to know about adjunctive pharmacology**  
Chairperson: M. Valgimigli  
Co-chairpersons: A. Baumbach

Attend this session if you want:  
To review a comprehensive and clinically relevant update on this field  
To identify the current evidence base and existing guidelines  
To recognise the open questions that need addressing in the near future

- 08:15 > Session objectives - M. Valgimigli
- 08:20 > Background and clinical data update - D. Angiolillo
- 08:25 > DAPT - T. Cochet
- 08:35 > Guidelines - A. Baumbach
- 08:55 > Outlook: new drugs for clinical practice - M. Valgimigli
- 09:05 > Questions and answers
- 09:15 > Session evaluation and key learnings - A. Baumbach

**09:20-10:20**  
ROOM 351  
Learning

**All you need to know about adjunctive pharmacology**  
Chairperson: M. Valgimigli  
Co-chairpersons: A. Baumbach

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To identify the current evidence base and existing guidelines  
To recognise the open questions that need addressing in the near future

- 09:20 > Session objectives - M. Valgimigli
- 09:25 > Background and clinical data update - D. Angiolillo
- 09:30 > DAPT - T. Cochet
- 09:40 > Guidelines - A. Baumbach
- 09:55 > Outlook: new drugs for clinical practice - M. Valgimigli
- 10:05 > Questions and answers
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- 10:00 -

10:30-12:00 THEATRE BLEU	<b>Difficult clinical decisions in antithrombotic therapy for coronary interventions</b> Chairperson: T. Cuijst Co-chairperson: R. Byrne Attend this session if you want: > To integrate new scientific evidence about antithrombotic therapy in daily practice > To tailor my choice of drugs to each individual patient > To provide the best efficacy/safety balance to each patient With continuous time to React@PCR > Session objectives - T. Cuijst > Case 1 - NSTEMI case treated with new generation DES A. Bellenain-Appaix > Case 2 - Complex PCI in stable coronary artery disease with new generation DES - D. Angiolillo > Case 3 - Coronary intervention in an atrial fibrillation patient requiring oral anticoagulants: specific issues > Session evaluation and key learnings - R. Byrne	10:30 10:35 11:00 11:25 11:50
10:30-12:00 THEATRE BORDENX	<b>Value-in-valve interventions: now the "gold standard" treatment for bioprosthetic failure?</b> Chairperson: N. Mori Co-chairperson: A. Criber Panelists: P. Koli, T. Madine Attend this session if you want: > To explore treatment options in this patient group > To learn the most up-to-date outcome data on valve-in-valve procedures > To understand appropriate case selection according to the surgical bioprosthes type > Session objectives - N. Mori > Valve-in-valve procedures: the current evidence G. Micic > Time to React@PCR LIVE demonstration from Bern University Hospital - Bern, Switzerland > Time to React@PCR > Technical considerations depending on surgical valve type > Time to React@PCR > Session evaluation and key learnings - A. Criber	10:30 10:35 10:40 10:49 11:20 11:41 11:49 11:55
10:30-12:00 THEATRE HAVANE	<b>Expanding treatment options: stroke complicating interventional procedures</b> Chairpersons: N. Hopkins, H. Sievert Panelists: O. Goktekin, F. Ribichini, P. Widimsky Attend this session if you want: > To discuss the appropriate work-up and time-window treatment in patients with peri-procedural neurological events > To become familiar with endovascular equipment and techniques > To learn about peri-procedural antithrombotic therapy > Session objectives - H. Sievert > Endovascular management of peri-procedural stroke O. Goktekin > Case demonstration - O. Goktekin > Time to React@PCR > Antithrombotic strategy for peri-procedural stroke > Case demonstration from Maria Cecilia Hospital - Cotignola, Italy - A. Cremonesi > Time to React@PCR > Session evaluation and key learnings - N. Hopkins	10:30 10:35 10:40 10:49 11:20 11:41 11:49 11:55

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10:30-12:00 ROOM 211 The weekend	<b>The essentials: how to treat left main disease</b> With the collaboration of the EAPCI New Initiatives For Young Interventionalists Committee Senior advisor: J. Marco Facilitators: K. Hayashida, A. Wolf Attend this session if you want: > To discuss how to properly identify the patient for PCI > To discuss the best strategies for bifurcation PCI > To learn how to use IVUS and FFR in patients undergoing left main PCI	10:30 10:35 10:43 10:57 11:04 11:07 11:13 11:15
10:30-12:00 ROOM 242AB	<b>Transcatheter therapy for mitral regurgitation: emerging techniques</b> Chairperson: H. Mehlmann Co-chairperson: M. Buchbinder Attend this session if you want: > To learn about alternatives to edge-to-edge repair > To explore novel surgical techniques which may compete with catheter therapy > Session objectives - M. Buchbinder > Why do we need more techniques? - Clinical and anatomical challenges - A. Vahanian > Discussion and audience interaction > Case demonstration > Discussion and audience interaction > Which devices are available for transcatheter mitral valve repair? - F. Maisano > Discussion and audience interaction > Session evaluation and key learnings - H. Mehlmann	10:30 10:35 10:43 10:57 11:04 11:07 11:13 11:15 11:21 11:23 11:29 11:31 11:37 11:39 11:47 11:53

10:30-12:00 ROOM 252A Innovation Hub	<b>New mechanical treatment options for patients with pulmonary embolism</b> Chairperson: M. Valgimigli Co-chairperson: P. Vanck Attend this session if you want: > To learn about the antithrombotic options and their limitations in patients with pulmonary embolism > To identify new catheter-based treatment alternatives > To understand the role of extra-corporeal membrane oxygenation in patients with pulmonary embolism presenting cardiogenic shock > Session objectives - M. Valgimigli > Catheter-based treatment in pulmonary embolism patients: when, in whom and how to judge its efficacy? E. Merzidan > Angiotec technology: state-of-the-art and case examples D. Arinaminucci > Ultrasound-assisted catheter-based thrombolysis: state-of-the-art and case examples > Discussion and audience interaction > AngioVac technology: state-of-the-art and case examples > Discussion and audience interaction > Use of extra-corporeal membrane oxygenation in patients with pulmonary embolism and refractory cardiogenic shock - M. Hoff > Discussion and audience interaction > Session evaluation and key learnings - P. Vanck	10:30 10:35 10:43 10:57 11:06 11:17 11:25 11:37 11:45 11:50 11:55
10:30-12:00 ROOM 242AB	<b>Timing of coronary angiography and PCI in comatose survivors of out-of-hospital cardiac arrest</b> Chairperson: M. Noc Co-chairperson: J.F. Lassen Attend this session if you want: > To learn in which comatose survivors of out-of-hospital cardiac arrest immediate coronary angiography should be performed > To select an optimal PCI strategy after defining the coronary anatomy > To learn about adjunctive antiplatelet treatment in comatose patients undergoing PCI > Session objectives - M. Noc > Immediate coronary angiography/PCI in comatose survivors of out-of-hospital cardiac arrest - What does the EAPCI/SFEL consensus say? - G. Olivecrona > Discussion and audience interaction > To go or not to go for immediate coronary angiography: case example - C. Spaulding > Discussion and audience interaction > How to select an optimal PCI strategy: case example M. Noc > Discussion and audience interaction > Post-PCI antiplatelet therapy when tablets cannot be swallowed? - G. Cojta > Discussion and audience interaction > Session evaluation and key learnings - J.F. Lassen	10:30 10:35 10:43 10:57 11:06 11:10 11:15 11:23 11:35 11:43 11:55

10:30-12:00 ROOM 351	<b>CVT@EuroPCR - Integrated physiology and decision-making in complex PCI</b> With the collaboration of Japanese Association of Cardiovascular Intervention and Therapeutics Chairpersons: M. Nakamura, W. Wijns Attend this session if you want: > To demonstrate the importance of coronary imaging for understanding pathophysiology in vivo > To demonstrate ongoing progression of disease by physiology and imaging > To emphasize the usefulness of integrated physiology and imaging use for the guidance of PCI > Session objectives - M. Nakamura > Physiology and imaging for procedural planning > Discussion and audience interaction > ACS with apparently normal coronary angiography > Discussion and audience interaction > Evidence for impact of imaging on outcomes > Discussion and audience interaction > Coronary angiography revealed true culprit lesion causing very late stent thrombosis 5 years after stent implantation > Discussion and audience interaction > Session evaluation and key learnings - W. Wijns	10:30 10:35 10:43 10:57 11:06 11:10 11:15 11:23 11:35 11:43 11:55
10:30-12:00 ROOM 352A How should I treat?	<b>Latvia and Russia (Siberia) share their most educational cases</b> With the collaboration of the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Latvian Society of Cardiology and the Siberian Association of Interventional Cardiologists Chairpersons: A. Erglis, V. Ganyukov Attend this session if you want: > To share the experience of endovascular treatment of complex structural heart disease > To reflect on tips and tricks of no standard procedures for structural heart disease > To understand the feasibility and standards of endovascular interventions for structural heart disease in high-risk patients > Session objectives - A. Erglis > Case 1 - Simultaneous TAVI and digital subtraction angiography aortic septal defect closure in patient with combined critical aortic stenosis and aortic septal defect > How would I treat? - A. Rudzitis > How did I treat? > Discussion and audience interaction > Consensus - A. Erglis > Case 2 - Staged treatment of adult patient with teratology of fallopian tube implantation in the right ventricular outflow tract - R. Tarasov > How would I treat? - A. Rudzitis > How did I treat? > How would I treat? - R. Tarasov > Discussion and audience interaction > Consensus - V. Ganyukov > Session evaluation and key learnings - V. Ganyukov	10:30 10:35 10:43 10:57 11:06 11:10 11:15 11:23 11:35 11:43 11:55

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**ROOM 352B**  
How should I treat?

**Germany and Poland share their most educational cases**  
*With the collaboration of the Association on Cardiovascular Interventions of the Polish Cardiac Society (ACV-APSW) and the Working Group on Cardiovascular Interventions of the German Society of Cardiology (DGK)*  
**Chairpersons:** A. Elzasser, A. Ochala  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To reflect on complications during left main interventions  
 > To learn different concepts in managing distal left main bifurcation  
 > To share expertise of specific techniques to avoid complications during left main interventions

- 10:30 > Session objectives - A. Elzasser
- 10:35 > Case 1 - Lost stent during left main intervention - T. Schmitz
- 10:40 > How would I treat? - A. Wikowski
- 10:45 > How would I treat? - H. Ner
- 10:50 > How did I treat? - T. Schmitz
- 11:00 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:10 > Consensus - A. Elzasser
- 11:15 > Case 2 - Elective PCI of the distal left main bifurcation with severe calcification
- 11:20 > How would I treat? - H. Ner
- 11:25 > How would I treat? - A. Wikowski
- 11:30 > How did I treat?
- 11:40 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 11:50 > Consensus - A. Ochala
- 11:55 > Session evaluation and key learnings - A. Ochala

**10:30-12:00**  
**ROOM LEARNING**  
Facilitators: K.T. Chen, G. Guagliumi, T. Johnston

**Learning OCT**  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To be able to understand and recognise the most common OCT patterns  
 > To learn about the most commonly accepted OCT definitions and how to react to the findings  
 > To appreciate when OCT may be useful prior to- and after- stent or scaffold implantation

# - 12:00 -

**12:30-14:30**  
**THEATRE BLEU**  
With an unrestricted educational grant from TERUMO

**Expanding transradial approach, from coronary to carotid intervention**  
**Chairperson:** J. Fajadet  
**Co-Chairperson:** A. Cremonesi  
**Panelists:** A. Al Moghaili, M. Amor, J.M. De La Torre Hernandez, W.C. Huang, A. Khoshaba, P. Montarsi  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To understand how to optimise challenging coronary and peripheral cases using new dedicated devices in trans-radial approach  
 > To optimise both strategy and technique in treating patients with left main and multivessel disease  
 > To appreciate the value of trans-radial approach for complex PCI and carotid artery stenting

- 12:30 > Session objectives - J. Fajadet
- 12:35 LIVE demonstration from Clinique Pasteur - Toulouse, France
- 13:15 > Time to React@PCR
- 13:15 > Mastering complexities: the evidence behind Ultimaster J.M. De La Torre Hernandez
- 13:30 > Roadaver double layer stent, a revolution in carotid artery stenting? - M. Amor
- 13:35 LIVE demonstration from Clinique Pasteur - Toulouse, France
- 14:15 > Time to React@PCR
- 14:25 > Session evaluation and key learnings - A. Cremonesi

**12:30-14:30**  
**THEATRE BORDEAUX**  
With an unrestricted educational grant from MEDTRONIC

**The Evolut R operator experiences: valve performance and deliverability**  
*With an unrestricted educational grant from MEDTRONIC*  
**Chairperson:** E. Grube  
**Co-Chairperson:** J. Webb  
**Panelists:** N. Meent, C. Tamburino  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To understand the key performance features of the new self-expanding Evolut R valve system  
 > To learn tips and tricks on the Evolut R system through LIVE and recorded LIVE learning cases  
 > To appreciate how a 14 Fr delivery profile improves clinical outcome

- 12:30 > Session objectives - E. Grube
- 12:35 > The new Core/Valve Evolut R platform: delivering confidence to the TAVI procedure - N. Meent
- 12:40 LIVE demonstration from Bern University Hospital - Bern, Switzerland
- 12:50 > Time to React@PCR
- 13:00 > How true delivery profile diminution reduces vascular access challenges and complication - C. Tamburino
- 13:05 > Case demonstration
- 13:10 > Time to React@PCR
- 13:15 > Session evaluation and key learnings - J. Webb

**12:30-14:30**  
**THEATRE HAWANE**  
With an unrestricted educational grant from ST. JUDE MEDICAL

**FFR, OCT, angiography: the benefits of integration in daily clinical practice**  
*With an unrestricted educational grant from ST. JUDE MEDICAL*  
**Chairperson:** F. Prati  
**Co-Chairperson:** J. Hill  
**Panelists:** J. Escaned, G. Guagliumi  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To discover the benefits of FFR and OCT integrated in the cathlab ready and available to assess and treat ischaemic lesions  
 > To learn about the benefits of OCT, angiography co-registration to define the right PCI strategy  
 > To gain knowledge on the decision-making process to implant bioresorbable scaffolds under OCT guidance

- 12:30 > Session objectives - F. Prati
- 12:35 LIVE demonstration from Thoraxcenter - Rotterdam, The Netherlands
- 13:10 > Time to React@PCR
- 13:20 > OCT co-registered with angiography: procedural advantages and a new decision-making process G. Guagliumi
- 13:30 > ACS: the importance of FFR and OCT in culprit and non-culprit lesions - J. Escaned
- 13:40 > Case demonstration
- 14:15 > Time to React@PCR
- 14:25 > Session evaluation and key learnings - J. Hill

**12:30-14:00**  
**ROOM MALLOTT**  
With an unrestricted educational grant from ABBOTT

**The use of fully bioresorbable vascular scaffolds in real-world setting: the latest evidence**  
*With an unrestricted educational grant from ABBOTT*  
**Chairperson:** C.K. Naber  
**Co-Chairperson:** P. Smits  
**Panelists:** A. Seth, C. Simonton  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To review the latest clinical outcomes with bioresorbable vascular scaffolds  
 > To discuss which patients can be treated successfully with bioresorbable vascular scaffolds

- 12:30 > Session objectives - C.K. Naber
- 12:35 > Ghost EU: update - P. Capranzano
- 12:40 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 12:45 > ABSORB Extended: one-year results in moderately complex lesions - A. Abbazi
- 12:50 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 12:55 > GABI-R: acute performance from German-Austrian real-world experience - C. Hamm
- 13:00 > Discussion and audience interaction
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- 13:10 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 13:15 > ABSORB First: worldwide all-comer one-year outcomes F. Taddei
- 13:20 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 13:25 > ASSURE: two-year registry outcomes - C.K. Naber
- 13:30 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 13:35 > Panel discussion
- 13:55 > Session evaluation and key learnings - P. Smits

**12:30-13:30**  
**ROOM 241**  
With an unrestricted educational grant from ORBUSNEICH

**The COMBO dual therapy stent - Can true vessel healing facilitate short-term DAPT?**  
*With an unrestricted educational grant from ORBUSNEICH*  
**Chairperson:** M. Haude  
**Co-Chairperson:** R. Virmani  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To learn how to assess true vessel healing under OCT after stenting  
 > To learn about the latest clinical developments of the dual therapy stent with active endothelial progenitor cell capture  
 > To learn why COMBO is an important technology in the DAPT duration controversy

- 12:30 > Session objectives - R. Virmani
- 12:35 > Correlation of tissue coverage and true vessel healing under OCT imaging - M. Joner
- 12:40 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 12:55 > Long-term validation of the dual therapy stent for everyday use - R. Mehran
- 13:00 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 13:10 > Can DAPT duration be shortened safely with the dual therapy stent? - R.J. De Winter
- 13:20 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 13:25 > Session evaluation and key learnings - M. Haude

**12:30-13:30**  
**ROOM 242AB**  
With an unrestricted educational grant from ABBOTT

**MitraClip procedure: simplifying the complex**  
*With an unrestricted educational grant from ABBOTT*  
**Chairperson:** A. Vahanian  
**Co-Chairperson:** F. Maisano  
**Panelists:** S. Baldus, F. Ruschitzka, S. Von Bardeleben  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To learn about the new developments and data in mitral space  
 > To learn about tips and tricks on treating complex anatomy with MitraClip  
 > To view the reinforcing of the importance of engagement of heart failure specialist in the multidisciplinary team and MitraClip therapy

- 12:30 > Session objectives - F. Maisano
- 12:35 > What's hot in mitral regurgitation interventions? F. Maisano
- 12:45 > How far can you go with MitraClip?
- 12:50 > Case 1 - S. Baldus
- 12:55 > Case 2 - S. Von Bardeleben
- 13:05 > Case 3 - A. Vahanian
- 13:15 > How do you bring heart failure into the team? F. Ruschitzka
- 13:25 > Session evaluation and key learnings - A. Vahanian

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**ROOM 243**  
With an unrestricted educational grant from AEP

**All you need to know about critical limb ischaemia!**  
**Chairperson:** A. Sauguet  
**Co-Chairperson:** T. Zeller  
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- 12:30 > Session objectives - T. Zeller
- 12:35 > Background and clinical data - A. Sauguet
- 12:40 > Technical aspects - Issues in clinical practice - R. Ferraresi
- 12:45 > Guidelines and recommendations - Y. Goufflet
- 12:50 > Unresolved issues and outlook - T. Zeller
- 12:55 > Questions and answers
- 13:15 > Session evaluation and key learnings - A. Sauguet

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<p>12:30-14:00 ROOM 251 Case report</p>	<p><b>Absorbable polymer and polymer-free technologies: viable solutions for unmet needs in PCI</b> With an unrestricted educational grant from ALUMEDICA MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIES Chairperson: A. Colombo Co-chairperson: H. Meellmann</p>	<p>Attend this session if you want: &gt; To share clinical experiences in the use of absorbable polymer and polymer-free stents in real practice &gt; To demonstrate how polymer-free DES may increase safety in patients undergoing PCI requiring short DAPT &gt; To understand why the absorbable polymer and polymer-free technologies may be more efficacious in specific complex PCI subsets</p>	<p>12:30 12:35 12:45 12:55 13:05 13:15 13:25 13:35 13:45 13:55</p>	<p>&gt; Session objectives - H. Meellmann &gt; PCI in a patient with DAPT constraints: procedure and clinical outcome - P. Stella &gt; Discussion and audience interaction &gt; PCI in a patient with diabetes: procedure and clinical outcome - R. Romaguera &gt; Discussion and audience interaction &gt; PCI in a patient with a complex coronary CTO: procedure and clinical outcome - R. Garbo &gt; Discussion and audience interaction &gt; PCI in a patient with a complex coronary anatomy: procedure and clinical outcome - K. Tigen &gt; Discussion and audience interaction &gt; Session evaluation and key learnings - A. Colombo</p>	<p>12:30-14:00 ROOM 342AB Symposium</p> <p><b>Combined Factor Xa and platelet inhibition to prevent recurrent events after ACS: the story so far</b> With an unrestricted educational grant from BAYER HEALTHCARE PHARMACEUTICALS Chairperson: P.G. Steg Panelists: A. Kastrali, G. Monteleone, M. Roffi</p> <p>Attend this session if you want: &gt; To understand the dual-pathway strategy for secondary prevention after ACS &gt; To learn about the value of adding rivaroxaban in addition to dual antiplatelet for secondary prevention after ACS &gt; To gain insight into the increasing breadth of oral anticoagulant use in cardiology: the rivaroxaban profile</p>	<p>12:30 12:35 13:10 13:20 13:30 13:40 13:50 14:00</p>	<p>&gt; Session objectives - P.G. Steg &gt; What is the rationale? - M. Roffi &gt; Discussion and audience interaction &gt; The added value of Factor Xa inhibition in practice: optimising management of complex ACS cases - A. Kastrali &gt; Discussion and audience interaction &gt; The rivaroxaban clinical trial programme: proven experience and new directions in cardiology G. Monteleone &gt; Discussion and audience interaction &gt; Session evaluation and key learnings - P.G. Steg</p>
<p>12:30-14:00 ROOM 241 Symposium</p>	<p><b>Mitralin: a platform for mitral and tricuspid valve repair</b> With an unrestricted educational grant from MITRALIN Chairperson: A. Latib Co-chairperson: T. Feldman</p>	<p>Attend this session if you want: &gt; To understand how to perform mitral repair in patients with functional mitral regurgitation &gt; To understand how to perform tricuspid repair in patients with functional tricuspid regurgitation &gt; To learn more about case examples of the Mitralin procedures</p>	<p>13:35 13:40 13:52 13:57 14:00 14:10 14:15 14:25 14:31</p>	<p>&gt; Session objectives - T. Feldman &gt; Mitralin: CE mark 6 months primary endpoint - G. Nickenig &gt; Discussion and audience interaction &gt; Tricuspid repair with the Mitralin annuloplasty system J. Scholer &gt; Discussion and audience interaction &gt; Case review and examples - R. Hahn &gt; Discussion and audience interaction &gt; Session evaluation and key learnings - A. Latib</p>	<p>13:35-14:35 ROOM 242AB DIMENSIONS</p> <p><b>Treatment of secondary mitral regurgitation via percutaneous annuloplasty</b> With an unrestricted educational grant from CARDIAC DIMENSIONS</p> <p>Attend this session if you want: &gt; To appreciate useful tips for procedural technique &gt; To learn about the latest efficacy data for percutaneous annuloplasty &gt; To discuss the role of percutaneous annuloplasty for treatment of functional mitral regurgitation</p>	<p>13:35 13:40 13:52 14:09 14:14 14:26 14:31</p>	<p>&gt; Session objectives &gt; Overview of the carillon mitral contour device and clinical data - C. Spaulding &gt; Discussion and audience interaction &gt; Case demonstration &gt; Carillon as a part of the heart failure treatment plan &gt; Discussion and audience interaction &gt; Session evaluation and key learnings</p>
<p>13:35-14:35 ROOM 351 Symposium</p>	<p><b>DES, bare metal or bioactive stents: which stent to use to treat ACS patients? OPTIMAX the third way</b> With an unrestricted educational grant from HEXACATH Chairperson: B. De Bruyne Co-chairperson: P. Karjalainen</p>	<p>Attend this session if you want: &gt; To evaluate the clinical results of the third titanium-nitride oxide bioactive stent Trian Optimax in ACS patients &gt; To appreciate the current clinical programme of bioactive stents compared with the best performing DES in ACS patients &gt; To understand the impact of the new ESC Guidelines on DAPT treatment and on the choice of stents types in ACS patients</p>	<p>13:35 13:39 13:46 13:52 14:00 14:05 14:14 14:16 14:27 14:31</p>	<p>&gt; Session objectives - B. De Bruyne &gt; TIDE-ACS trial: randomised comparison of a new generation bioactive stent versus a new generation DES in ACS patients - J. Van Der Heyden &gt; Discussion and audience interaction &gt; How to combine early healing and short term DAPT &gt; The Optimax first-in-man and OCT trial - P. Karjalainen &gt; Discussion and audience interaction &gt; Are all stents equal for ACS patients? The new ESC recommendations position - M. Angelini &gt; Discussion and audience interaction &gt; The TITAN-AMI multicentre registry: Final result at 12-month follow-up - J.A. Gomez-Hospital &gt; Discussion and audience interaction &gt; Session evaluation and key learnings - B. De Bruyne</p>	<p>14:40-16:40 THEATRE BONDEAUX</p> <p><b>Device closure of left atrial appendage</b> Chairperson: E. Eckhout Co-chairperson: M.W. Bergmann</p> <p>Attend this session if you want: &gt; To be appraised on the latest evidence of left atrial appendage closure &gt; To learn how to accurately select patients who will benefit &gt; To learn how to match each device to your patient's anatomy</p>	<p>14:40 14:44 14:52 14:56 15:39 15:54 16:02 16:06 16:10 16:22 16:36 16:39</p>	<p>&gt; Session objectives - E. Eckhout &gt; Current evidence - C. Grosso &gt; Time to React@PCR LIVE demonstration from Bern University Hospital - Bern, Switzerland &gt; Time to React@PCR &gt; Imaging to guide left atrial appendage closure - A. Takiz &gt; Time to React@PCR &gt; Device selection - F. Helbig &gt; Time to React@PCR &gt; Optimal antithrombotic therapy after left atrial appendage closure - D. Hilgck-Spith &gt; Time to React@PCR &gt; Session evaluation and key learnings - M.W. Bergmann</p>
<p>14:40-16:40 THEATRE HAVANE</p>	<p><b>Complex cardiovascular interventions and new techniques: LIVE demonstrations from Clinique Pasteur - Toulouse, France and from Thoraxcenter - Rotterdam, The Netherlands</b></p>	<p>Attend this session if you want: &gt; To discuss proper selection of patients and lesions for different bifurcation techniques &gt; To learn practical tips and tricks for optimal bifurcation treatment</p>	<p>14:40 14:45 14:55 15:10 15:30 15:51 15:54 16:38</p>	<p>&gt; Session objectives - R. Mohd Ali &gt; How to select the appropriate bifurcation technique for a specific lesion and patient - M. Behari &gt; Time to React@PCR G. Szankovic &gt; Key tips and tricks for bifurcation interventions &gt; Time to React@PCR LIVE demonstration from Clinique Pasteur - Toulouse, France &gt; Time to React@PCR &gt; Session evaluation and key learnings - I. Al Rashdan</p>	<p>14:40-16:40 THEATRE BLEU</p> <p><b>How to successfully perform PCI for complex bifurcation lesions?</b> Chairperson: I. Al Rashdan Co-chairperson: R. Mohd Ali Panelists: M. Lesiak, S.T. Lim</p> <p>Attend this session if you want: &gt; To discuss proper selection of patients and lesions for different bifurcation techniques &gt; To learn practical tips and tricks for optimal bifurcation treatment</p>	<p>14:40 14:45 14:55 15:10 15:30 15:51 15:54 16:38</p>	<p>&gt; Session objectives - R. Ferrarisi &gt; Technical aspects for a successful below-the-knee revascularisation - A. Sauguet &gt; Lessons learned, unresolved issues and future perspectives R. Ferrarisi &gt; Session evaluation and key learnings - Y. Gouffic</p>
<p>14:40-16:40 ROOM 241 The case mix</p>	<p><b>The essentials: how to treat a STEMI and multivessel disease</b> With the collaboration of the EAPCI New Initiatives For Young Interventionalists Committee Senior advisors: M.C. Morice Facilitators: R. Diletti, G. Toth</p>	<p>Attend this session if you want: &gt; To understand how to identify the culprit lesion in cases with multivessel presentation &gt; To learn how to investigate ischaemia in non-culprit vessels &gt; To discuss the best management strategy for non-infarct related arteries in STEMI</p>	<p>14:40 14:45 14:55 15:10 15:30 15:51 15:54 16:38</p>	<p>&gt; Session objectives - E. Eckhout &gt; Current evidence - C. Grosso &gt; Time to React@PCR LIVE demonstration from Bern University Hospital - Bern, Switzerland &gt; Time to React@PCR &gt; Imaging to guide left atrial appendage closure - A. Takiz &gt; Time to React@PCR &gt; Device selection - F. Helbig &gt; Time to React@PCR &gt; Optimal antithrombotic therapy after left atrial appendage closure - D. Hilgck-Spith &gt; Time to React@PCR &gt; Session evaluation and key learnings - M.W. Bergmann</p>	<p>14:40-16:40 THEATRE HAVANE</p> <p><b>Below-the-knee revascularisation: from simple to complex</b> Chairperson: R. Ferrarisi Co-chairperson: Y. Gouffic Panelists: M. Bosiers, A. Sauguet, J. Tan, T. Zeller</p> <p>Attend this session if you want: &gt; To assess techniques that are relevant to your clinical practice &gt; To recognise the open questions and unmet needs</p>	<p>14:40 14:45 14:55 15:10 15:30 15:51 15:54 16:38</p>	<p>With continuous LIVE demonstration from Azienda Ospedaliera - Bologna, Italy With continuous time to React@PCR &gt; Session objectives - R. Ferrarisi &gt; Technical aspects for a successful below-the-knee revascularisation - A. Sauguet &gt; Lessons learned, unresolved issues and future perspectives R. Ferrarisi &gt; Session evaluation and key learnings - Y. Gouffic</p>

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**14:40-16:40**  
ROOM 242AB  
Device-based left ventricular cavity reduction in heart failure  
Chairperson: H. Sievert  
Panelists: L. Bartunek, F. Cossetin, H. Maellmann, C. Tamburino

- > Attend this session if you want:
  - > To become familiar with the potential of device-based interventions targeting ventricular reshaping and cavity reduction in heart failure management
  - > To discuss patient selection and procedural aspects for ventricular partitioning and cavity reduction
  - > To review the available evidence and outcome of device-based approaches in ischaemic heart failure

- 14:40 > Session objectives - H. Sievert
- 14:45 > Left ventricular cavity reconstruction and reshaping in heart failure: surgical approach - F. Cossetin
- 14:50 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 14:55 > Left ventricular cavity reconstruction and reshaping in heart failure: device-based approach - J. Bartunek
- 15:00 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:05 > Case demonstration: percutaneous left ventricular remodeling using Paacath
- 15:10 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:15 > Case demonstration: percutaneous left ventricular remodeling using Revivent device
- 15:20 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:35 > Session evaluation and key learnings

**14:40-16:40**  
ROOM 243  
Italy, South Africa and Turkey share their most educational cases

With the collaboration of the Italian Vascular and Endovascular Society, the Vascular Society of Southern Africa and the Turkish Society for Vascular and Endovascular Surgery  
Chairpersons: E. Bazurk, F. Peinetti

- > Attend this session if you want:
  - > To appreciate both strategy and technique in treating patients with thoraco-abdominal aneurysm
  - > To understand how to deal with challenging cases using appropriate dedicated devices
  - > To appreciate the value of surgical, endovascular and hybrid approach for complex patients

- 14:40 > Session objectives - F. Peinetti
- 14:45 > Case 1 - Rescue procedure after failed chimney graft for the treatment of an aortic aneurysm involving the origin of the celiac trunk - Y. Ishimbo
- 14:50 > How would I treat?
- 14:55 > How did I treat? - A. Freyre
- 15:00 > How did I treat? - Y. Ishimbo
- 15:05 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:10 > Consensus
- 15:15 > Case 2 - Ruptured aneurysm
- 15:20 > How would I treat? - A. Freyre
- 15:25 > How did I treat?
- 15:30 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:35 > Consensus
- 15:40 > Case 3 - Hybrid debranching and endovascular repair of extensive thoraco-abdominal aneurysm - S. Işbir
- 15:45 > How would I treat?
- 15:50 > How did I treat? - S. Işbir
- 15:55 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 16:00 > Consensus
- 16:05 > Session evaluation and key learnings - F. Bazurk

**14:40-15:40**  
ROOM 352A  
Tips and tricks in the management of complex PCI procedures

Chairperson: S. Griggo  
Panelists: L. Bartunek, H. Fallot  
Co-chairperson: H. Fallot  
Facilitator: S. Carson

- > Attend this session if you want:
  - > To understand the importance of a holistic preparation of a patient for a complex procedure
  - > To understand the skills required to participate in complex angioplasty
  - > To better understand how advanced imaging is required to support complex procedures

- 14:40 > Session objectives - H. Fallot
- 14:45 > Patient preparation - R. Bohin
- 14:50 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 14:55 > How to prepare the team - S. Carson
- 15:00 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:05 > How to plan a coronary CTO: clinical case - I. Cobbour
- 15:10 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:15 > Coronary bifurcation: the new side branch - I. Bender
- 15:20 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:25 > Left main - How essential is intracoronary imaging - R. Esteves
- 15:30 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:35 > Radiation exposure: how to reduce it for every procedure
- 15:40 > A. Masciella
- 15:45 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:50 > Session evaluation and key learnings - S. Griggo

**14:40-16:40**  
ROOM 352AB  
Percutaneous treatment of mitral regurgitation: edge-to-edge repair

Co-chairperson: C. Franzen  
Attend this session if you want:  
> To understand the impact of anatomy on the success of mitral repair  
> To learn how to select good candidates for MitraClip  
> To learn how to improve outcomes

- 14:40 > Session objectives - O. Franzen
- 14:45 > Which patients are suitable for MitraClip in 2015? - T. Feljman
- 14:50 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:00 > Case demonstration
- 15:05 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:10 > What is the role of MitraClip today compared to surgical valve replacement/repair? - R. Cori
- 15:15 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:20 > How to make it easy: tips and tricks - H. Ince
- 15:25 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:30 > Session evaluation and key learnings

**14:40-15:40**  
ROOM 351  
All you need to know about coronary physiology:

FFR, IFR, IMR  
Co-chairperson: J. Escaned  
Chairperson: P. MacCarthy

- > Attend this session if you want:
  - > To review a comprehensive and clinically relevant update on this field
  - > To identify the current evidence base and existing guidelines
  - > To recognise the open questions that need addressing in the near future

- 14:40 > Session objectives - J. Escaned
- 14:45 > Background and clinical data: FFR - P. MacCarthy
- 14:50 > Technical and clinical issues: IFR and IMR - P. Zeller
- 14:55 > Guidelines - E. Barbato
- 15:00 > Unresolved issues and outlook - J. Escaned
- 15:05 > Questions and answers
- 15:10 > Session evaluation and key learnings - P. MacCarthy

**14:40-15:40**  
ROOM 352A  
Bosnia & Herzegovina and Serbia share their most educational cases

With the collaboration of the Working Group for Cardiac Catheterisation and Percutaneous Coronary Interventions of the Cardiology Society of Serbia and the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Association of Cardiologists of Bosnia and Herzegovina  
Chairpersons: M.A. Nedeljkovic, I. Terzic

- > Attend this session if you want:
  - > To understand the causes, mechanisms, clinical course, and bailout strategies of most feared complications in the catheterisation laboratory
  - > To reflect on preventive measures that could minimise the chance for particular complication
  - > To share experience with colleagues on most important technical details and strategies that operators performed

- 14:40 > Session objectives - I. Terzic
- 14:45 > Case 1 - Left main dissection during diagnostic angiography followed by successful PCI
- 14:50 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 14:55 > Case 2 - Right coronary artery and wrong (chain of events) - A. Delic
- 15:00 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:05 > Case 3 - Iatrogenic left main dissection during recanalisation of occluded circumflex artery - N. Bazinovic
- 15:10 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:15 > Case 4 - Left anterior descending artery dissection during stent implantation in circumflex artery - I. Terzic
- 15:20 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:25 > Session evaluation and key learnings - M.A. Nedeljkovic

**14:40-16:40**  
ROOM 352B  
Cyprus, Moldova and Romania share their most educational cases

With the collaboration of the Cyprus Interventional Cardiology Working Group, the Moldovan Working Group of Interventional Cardiology and the Romanian Working Group of Interventional Cardiology  
Chairpersons: S. Constantinides, S.D. Mot, I. Popovici

- > Attend this session if you want:
  - > To reflect on acute and mid-term complications of true ostial left anterior descending lesions
  - > To recognise and evaluate the different options in addressing procedural complications
  - > To share expertise in avoiding complications of left main PCI

- 14:40 > Session objectives - S. Constantinides
- 14:45 > Case 1 - Primary PCI for ostial left anterior descending occlusion: to stent or not to stent the left main?
- 14:50 > How would I treat? - C. Efychiou
- 14:55 > How did I treat? - C. Efychiou
- 15:00 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:05 > Consensus - S. Constantinides
- 15:10 > Case 2 - Restenosis after successful primary PCI in ostial left anterior descending artery followed by acute thrombosis of left main
- 15:15 > How would I treat? - C. Efychiou
- 15:20 > How did I treat? - I. Nedeljkovic
- 15:25 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:30 > Consensus
- 15:35 > Case 3 - Restenosis in ostial circumflex and ramus intermedius after successful primary PCI in the ostial left anterior descending
- 15:40 > How would I treat? - I. Nedeljkovic
- 15:45 > How did I treat?
- 15:50 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 15:55 > Consensus - S.D. Mot
- 16:00 > Session evaluation and key learnings - S.D. Mot

**14:40-16:40**  
LEARNING  
Learning transseptal technique for left atrial appendage closure

Facilitators: A. Vahanian, C. Wolf  
Attend this session if you want:  
> To understand how anatomical landmarks and imaging can guide transseptal puncture  
> To share tips and tricks for safe procedural technique  
> To review in depth how optimal transseptal access for left atrial appendage closure differs from other indications

- 15:45 > Session objectives - R. Kornyowski
- 15:50 > Virtual FFR computation from multislit computed tomography
- 15:55 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 16:00 > Virtual FFR computation from invasive angiography
- 16:05 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 16:10 > Co-registration of coronary angiography with IVUS - E. Itagar
- 16:15 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 16:20 > Co-registration of coronary angiography with OCT - G. Guaglianini
- 16:25 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 16:30 > Session evaluation and key learnings - P. Lillier

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**15:45-16:45**  
ROOM 252A  
Integrating coronary anatomy and physiology: advances in co-registration techniques

Chairperson: R. Kornyowski  
Co-chairperson: P. Lillier  
Attend this session if you want:

- > To review advances in image-based integration of coronary anatomy and physiology
- > To recognise innovations in co-registration of two- and three-dimensional coronary angiography with IVUS or OCT
- > To understand the potential value and pitfalls of imaging-based functional computation

- 15:45 > Session objectives - R. Kornyowski
- 15:50 > Virtual FFR computation from multislit computed tomography
- 15:55 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 16:00 > Virtual FFR computation from invasive angiography
- 16:05 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 16:10 > Co-registration of coronary angiography with IVUS - E. Itagar
- 16:15 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 16:20 > Co-registration of coronary angiography with OCT - G. Guaglianini
- 16:25 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 16:30 > Session evaluation and key learnings - P. Lillier

**15:45-16:45**  
ROOM 352A  
Kazakhstan and Slovakia share their most educational cases

With the collaboration of the Society of Interventional Cardiology of Kazakhstan and the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Slovak Society of Cardiology  
Chairpersons: V. Fridrich, O. Sakharov

- > Attend this session if you want:
  - > To learn about optimal PCI strategy for patients with STEMI and multivessel disease and how potential life-threatening complication during primary PCI should be managed
  - > To reflect on the role of PRAMI study in the formation of new treatment strategy for STEMI patients
  - > To share similar experience between peers

- 15:45 > Session objectives - O. Sakharov
- 15:50 > Case 1 - Management of critical left main stenosis and CTO of right coronary artery in patient with cardiogenic shock - M. Drigalski
- 15:55 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 16:00 > Case 2 - Primary PCI and cardiogenic shock: what stenosis should be treated later?
- 16:05 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 16:10 > Case 3 - Coronary artery rupture during primary PCI
- 16:15 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 16:20 > Case 4 - The late comer with STEMI and primary PCI
- 16:25 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 16:30 > Session evaluation and key learnings - V. Fridrich

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16:50-18:20 **Radial access in challenging situations**

**THEATRE BORDEAUX**  
 Chairperson: *J. Monsegu*  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To improve patient selection for vascular access  
 > To learn practical tips and tricks to make radial access easier  
 > To share experience for prevention and management of complications

- > Session objectives
- > LIVE demonstration from Clinique Pasteur - Toulouse, France
- > Time to React@PCR
- > How to overcome difficulties - *H. Benamer*
- > Time to React@PCR
- > Practical tips and tricks to prevent and solve complications? - *S.P. Semko*
- > Time to React@PCR
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - *J. Monsegu*

16:50-18:20 **Left atrial appendage closure systems: Implantation techniques**

Attend this session if you want:  
 > To review currently used devices and procedural techniques  
 > To learn how to tackle challenging anatomies with the different devices  
 > To avoid complications during implantation

- > Session objectives
- > Watchman Flex: step-by-step case-based discussion
- > Time to React@PCR
- > ACP/Amulet: step-by-step case-based discussion
- > Time to React@PCR
- > Closure device: step-by-step case-based discussion
- > Time to React@PCR
- > Session evaluation and key learnings

16:50-18:20 **Glimpse into the future: streamlining peripheral interventions**

**THEATRE HAVANE**  
 Chairperson: *A. Cremonesi*  
 Co-chairperson: *T. Zeller*  
 Panelists: *Z. Krajcar, S.T. Lim, A. Sauguet, H. Sievert*  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To step into a new horizon in the peripheral field  
 > To discuss the potential role of upcoming technologies in peripheral interventions  
 > To understand how technology advancements could help you in your daily practice

With continuous LIVE demonstration from Maria Cecilia Hospital - Carpi, Italy  
 With continuous time to React@PCR

- > Session objectives - *T. Zeller*
- > Advanced imaging - *A. Cremonesi*
- > Beyond the limits of drug-coated techniques - *A. Sauguet*
- > Biodynamic dissection: a novel re-entry technique for subintimal approach in below-the-ankle vessel - *R. Feriases*
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - *A. Cremonesi*

16:50-18:20 **Innovation in cardiovascular pharmacology for the interventional cardiologist**

**ROOM MAILLOT**  
 Chairperson: *R. Kornowski*  
 Co-chairperson: *R.G. Steg*  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To be updated on emerging cardiovascular pharmacotherapy  
 > To recognise new drugs and medications undergoing late-phase clinical trials  
 > To appreciate interactions between current and future pharmacologic interventions

- > Session objectives - *R.G. Steg*
- > Injectable antithrombotics - *R. Storey*
- > Oral antithrombotics - *P. Varicak*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Anti-inflammatory agents - *P. Waller*
- > Post-conditioning pharmacology - *M. Owize*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Lipid modifying agents: LDL reducers and HDL augmenters - *R.G. Steg*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - *R. Kornowski*

16:50-18:20 **The essentials: how to manage cardiogenic shock in a patient with ACS**

**ROOM 241**  
 With the collaboration of the EAPCI New Initiatives For Young Interventionalists Committee  
 Senior advisor: *S.B. King III*  
 Facilitators: *A. Elghamazy, G. Tarh*  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To be able to rapidly identify the signs of haemodynamic deterioration  
 > To discuss the pharmacological options in patients with shock

- > To discuss about the utility of intra-aortic balloon pump, left ventricular assist devices and extra-corporeal membrane oxygenation

16:50-18:20 **Alternatives to catheter-based renal sympathetic denervation in hypertension**

**ROOM 242AB**  
 With the collaboration of the CURENDS 2015  
 Chairperson: *T.F. Lüscher*  
 Co-chairperson: *M. Lobo*  
 Panelists: *S. Berrig, J. Daemen, E. Lev, D. Scheiner*  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To appreciate device-based alternatives to renal denervation  
 > To understand how to modulate blood pressure  
 > To be exposed to a critical appraisal about these devices

- > Session objectives - *T.F. Lüscher*
- > Why do we need interventional approaches to treat hypertension in 2015? - *K. Tsuda*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Arteriovenous coupler - The Flox system - *M. Lobo*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Carotid bulb restoration - The CardioKinetics system
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Baroreflex stimulation - CVRx system - *R. Wachter*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Aortic stimulation - Enopace device
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - *M. Lobo*

16:50-18:20 **New heart failure devices**

**ROOM 252A**  
 Chairperson: *J. Baruteau*  
 Co-chairperson: *D. Burkhardt*  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To understand the role of device-based interventions in the current multidisciplinary management of heart failure  
 > To discuss new devices aiming at heart failure monitoring  
 > To understand the principles and potential of novel therapeutic devices for heart failure interventional treatment

- > Session objectives
- > Vectors for left atrial pressure monitoring
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Magneta device for renal denervation
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Enopace: stimulating third chamber
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > V-Wave device for unidirectional left-to-right atrium decompression
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Session evaluation and key learnings

16:50-18:20 **TAVI: how to optimise patients' outcomes in challenging situations?**

**ROOM 342AB**  
 With the collaboration of the EAPCI Women Committee  
 Chairperson: *J. Mehilli*  
 Co-chairperson: *A.S. Petronio*  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To identify the anatomical pitfalls of TAVI  
 > To learn about decision-making in patients with challenging anatomy  
 > To learn procedural tips and tricks to overcome challenging anatomy

- > Session objectives - *J. Mehilli*
- > Clinical case: small annulus - *D. Mylotte*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Clinical case: bicuspid valve - *H. Elchamraoui*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Clinical case: paradoxical low-flow/low-gradient
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Clinical case: outflow obstruction
- > Lecture: gender and TAVI outcomes - *M. Gilard*
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - *A.S. Petronio*

16:50-18:20 **Percutaneous coronary interventions in Asia-Pacific**

**ROOM 351**  
 With the collaboration of the Asian Interventional Cardiovascular Therapeutics  
 Chairperson: *A. Seth, H.C. Tan*  
 Panelists: *K.H. Sim, W. Udayachalaram*  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To learn about the practice of PCI in the Asia-Pacific region  
 > To discuss interesting and complex cases performed by experts in Asia

- > EuroPCR welcomes AICT
- > Session objectives - *H.C. Tan*
- > How has FFR changed my PCI practice - *S.J. Park*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > A complex CTO: how I did it? - *H.L. Koo*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Transradial coronary intervention: how 'slender' can we go?
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > My most memorable bifurcation case
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - *A. Seth*

16:50-18:20 **Stent for Life Initiative in perspective**

**ROOM 352A**  
 With the collaboration of Stent for Life  
 Chairperson: *P. Kala*  
 Co-chairperson: *Z. Kolozova*  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To share with the audience the best therapeutic approach in patients at highest clinical risk, i.e. high-risk NSTEMI, out-of-hospital cardiac arrest and acute stroke  
 > To discuss the need for precise data management  
 > To learn and agree on the need of high-quality STEMI network

- > Session objectives - *P. Kala*
- > STEMI Registry data: validation and quality improvement
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > High-risk NSTEMI population as our next target - *H. Perera*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > STEMI-like network for acute stroke management
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Indication for coronary angiography / PCI in patients with out-of-hospital cardiac arrest - *M. Noc*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - *Z. Kolozova*

16:50-18:20 **Iran and United Kingdom share their most educational cases**

**ROOM 352B**  
 With the collaboration of the Iranian Society of Interventional Cardiology (ISOC) and the British Cardiovascular Intervention Society (BCIS)  
 Chairpersons: *M. Hashemian, S. Reelwood*  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To understand the importance of the multidisciplinary team approach to patient care  
 > To learn percutaneous options for aortic trauma  
 > To appreciate difficult management decisions regarding concomitant valve disease in presence of aortic stenosis

- > Session objectives - *M. Hashemian*
- > Case 1 - Traumatic thoracic aortic transection - *S. Taghavi*
- > How would I treat? - *R.H. Stables*
- > How would I treat?
- > How did I treat? - *S. Taghavi*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Consensus - *M. Hashemian*
- > Case 2 - Aortic stenosis with concomitant mitral disease: a difficult management dilemma - *D. Muir*
- > How would I treat?
- > How would I treat? - *R.H. Stables*
- > How did I treat? - *D. Muir*
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Consensus - *S. Reelwood*
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - *S. Reelwood*

16:50-18:20 **Re-learning femoral access for structural interventions**

**ROOM 353**  
 Facilitators: *T. Lefevre, F. Ribichini, E. Stabile*  
 Attend this session if you want:  
 > To identify the appropriate candidate for femoral access  
 > To discuss the pros and cons of available closure devices  
 > To share ways to prevent and treat access site complications

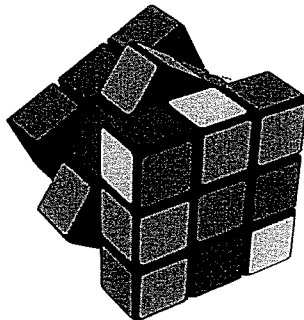
- > Session objectives
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > How to prevent and treat access site complications
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - *T. Lefevre*

- 16:50-18:20 ■ **Strategies for successful medical writing**  
 With the collaboration of *EuroIntervention and AsiaIntervention*  
 Chairpersons: P. De Feyter, U. Kaul, P.W. Serruys, X. Zhang
- Attend this session if you want:
- > To appraise the various types of research methodology
  - > To simplify your research writing process
  - > To advance your scientific career
- 16:50 > Session objectives
- 16:53 > Research methodology, randomised clinical trials versus observational studies - Pros and cons of meta-analysis, large registries
- 17:01 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:08 > How to make it easier for journal editors to select your research
- 17:14 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:21 > How to respond to peer-review comments
- 17:27 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:34 > Boost your scientific career - High impact and tools for the smart researcher
- 17:40 > Discussion and audience interaction
- 17:47 > Session evaluation and key learnings

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## Scientific programme

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May, 2015



Valid as of 19<sup>th</sup> March, 2015  
 Only Faculty who confirmed their attendance are listed in this programme.  
 For real-time updates, please consult the interactive programme.





09:00-12:40 - 09:00 -

**09:00-12:40**  
**MAIN ARENA**  
**Complex cardiovascular interventions and new techniques: LIVE demonstrations from Golden Jubilee National Hospital, West of Scotland Heart & Lung Centre - Glasgow, United Kingdom and from Städtische Kliniken Neuss, Lukaskrankenhaus - Neuss, Germany**

**09:00-10:30**  
**THEATRE BLEU**  
**How and when should we perform PCI in a patient after CABG - Native vessel or saphenous vein graft PCI?**

- Chairperson: F. Hellig**  
**Co-chairperson: P. Dillier**
- Attend this session if you want:
    - > To discuss the pros and cons for saphenous vein graft PCI versus native vessel PCI
    - > To reflect on the key points when planning a saphenous vein graft PCI
    - > To exchange about the treatment of no reflow or slow flow after saphenous vein graft PCI
  - Session objectives - *P. Dillier*
    - > Key points to successfully treat a lesion in a degenerated saphenous vein graft - *S. Kober*
    - > Time to React@PCR
  - LIVE demonstration from Thoraxcenter - Rotterdam, The Netherlands
    - > Time to React@PCR
    - > How to successfully prevent and treat slow flow or no reflow after saphenous vein graft PCI? - *J. Mehlich*
    - > Time to React@PCR
    - > Session evaluation and key learnings - *F. Hellig*

**09:00-10:30**  
**THEATRE BORDEAUX**  
**Treating coronary artery disease in the TAVI patient - Why, when and how?**

- Chairperson: S. Windecker**  
**Co-chairperson: T. Lefèvre**
- Attend this session if you want:
    - > To learn the current evidence of the impact of coronary artery disease on survival post TAVI
    - > To develop clinical strategies to safely manage coronary artery disease in the TAVI patient
    - > To refine your case selection according to the latest evidence
  - Session objectives - *S. Windecker*
    - > Why do PCI? Which patient and which lesion should we treat? - *B. De Bruyne*
  - Time to React@PCR
  - LIVE demonstration from Städtische Kliniken Neuss, Lukaskrankenhaus - Neuss, Germany
    - > Time to React@PCR
    - > When and how to do PCI? - *A. Colombo*
    - > Time to React@PCR
    - > Session evaluation and key learnings - *T. Lefèvre*

**09:00-10:30**  
**THEATRE HAVANE**  
**Controversies in management of STEMI with cardiogenic shock**

- Chairperson: C.K. Naber**  
**Panelist: D. Mylotte**  
**Co-chairperson: D. Dudek**
- Attend this session if you want:
    - > To learn how to individualise patient management
    - > To discuss the scientific evidence for management of high-risk patients
    - > To learn practical tips and tricks to prevent and solve complications
  - Session objectives - *D. Dudek*
    - > Intra-aortic balloon pump: evidence versus practice - *S. Redwood*
    - > Discussion and audience interaction
  - Role of other left ventricular assist devices for management of STEMI with cardiogenic shock? - *H. Thiele*
    - > Discussion and audience interaction
    - > Complete revascularisation as gold standard?
    - > Discussion and audience interaction
  - Specific antithrombotic strategies in STEMI patients with cardiogenic shock - *M. Noc*
    - > Discussion and audience interaction
    - > Session evaluation and key learnings - *C.K. Naber*

**09:00-10:30**  
**ROOM MAILLOT**  
**New tools and techniques in coronary CTO**

- Chairperson: A. Serra**
- Attend this session if you want:
    - > To remain updated on new micro-catheters and wires designed for CTO procedures
    - > To acquire new tools and techniques that appear useful for CTO recanalisation
    - > To discuss the role of novel intracoronary imaging during CTO recanalisation
  - Session objectives - *A. Serra*
    - > New catheters to enhance the proximal cap penetration - *S. Walsh*
    - > Questions and answers
  - New guide-wires to improve propagation and crossability - *M. Yamane*
    - > Questions and answers
    - > New applications of catheter-based imaging - *C. Di Mario*
    - > Discussion and answers
    - > Tools and techniques to optimise retrograde recanalisation - *M. Ochai*
  - Questions and answers
  - Retrograde scaffolds in coronary CTO: lessons from initial experiences and follow-up - *M. Lesiak*
    - > Discussion and answers
    - > Discussion and audience interaction
    - > Session evaluation and key learnings

**09:00-10:30**  
**ROOM 241**  
**The essentials: how to prevent and manage PCI complications**

- With the collaboration of the EAPCI New Initiatives For Young Interventionalists Committee**  
**Senior advisor: E. Grube**  
**Facilitators: C.T. Chin, O. Gøtzsche, A. Wolf**
- Attend this session if you want:
    - > To discuss how to prevent the most common PCI complications
    - > To know how to manage PCI complications
    - > To share your complication with your peers

10:40-12:40 - 10:00 -

**09:00-10:30**  
**ROOM 342A**  
**Controversy in antithrombotic management in patients undergoing coronary interventions**

- With the collaboration of Acute Cardiovascular Care Association (ACCA)**  
**Chairperson: R. Stoney**  
**Co-chairperson: J. Morais**
- Attend this session if you want:
    - > To learn how to use P2Y12 inhibitors prior to angiography in NSTEMI
    - > To know how long you should use DAPT following coronary stenting
    - > To understand how to manage triple therapy after coronary stenting
  - Session objectives - *R. Stoney*
    - > Pre-treatment in ACS - *L. Bogdanov*
    - > Discussion and audience interaction
  - DAPT duration after coronary stenting: 1, 3, 6 or 12 months - *R. Byrne*
    - > Discussion and audience interaction
    - > Triple therapy after coronary stenting: for how long?
    - > Discussion and audience interaction
  - Antithrombotic therapy after 1 year of oral anticoagulation is mandatory: why and for whom? - *J.P. Collet*
    - > Discussion and audience interaction
    - > Session evaluation and key learnings - *J. Morais*

**09:00-10:30**  
**ROOM 352B**  
**Croatia and Czech Republic share their most educational cases**

- With the collaboration of the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Croatian Society of Cardiology and the Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Czech Society of Cardiology**  
**Chairpersons: A. Ernst, J. Stasek**
- Attend this session if you want:
    - > To reflect on concept of physiology-guided revascularisation in complex multivessel disease
    - > To discuss revascularisation strategy in a patient after previous CABG
    - > To learn some technical aspects and priorities in multivessel coronary artery interventions
  - Session objectives - *A. Ernst*
    - Case 1 - Revascularisation of a patient with ACS and three-vessel disease
    - How would I treat?
    - How did I treat?
  - Consensus - *A. Ernst*
    - Case 2 - FFR-guided complex multivessel PCI in a patient after CABG - *M. Maras*
    - How would I treat? - *H. Pinaric*
    - How did I treat? - *M. Matez*
    - Discussion and audience interaction
  - Consensus - *J. Stasek*
    - Session evaluation and key learnings - *J. Stasek*

**09:00-10:30**  
**ROOM 10330**  
**Learning rotablator**

- Facilitators: A. Ong, F. Shtarf**
- Attend this session if you want:
    - > To review the basic principles, patient and lesion selection
    - > To understand how to safely and successfully use rotational atherectomy
    - > To find out how to overcome or manage the most frequent issues

**10:40-12:40**  
**THEATRE BORDEAUX**  
**A future vision of TAVI - A simplified and reproducible procedure**

- Chairperson: C. Tamburino**  
**Co-chairperson: R. Lange**
- Attend this session if you want:
    - > To understand how to perform TAVI under conscious sedation
    - > To explore how to select patients for safe early discharge
  - Session objectives - *C. Tamburino*
    - > Conscious sedation - Is this now the default? - *H. Elchananoff*
    - > Time to React@PCR
  - Do we really need peri-procedural echocardiography? - *M. Monaghan*
    - > Time to React@PCR
    - LIVE demonstration from Städtische Kliniken Neuss, Lukaskrankenhaus - Neuss, Germany
    - > Time to React@PCR
    - > A strategy for safe early discharge
    - > Time to React@PCR
    - > Session evaluation and key learnings - *R. Lange*

**10:40-12:40**  
**THEATRE HAVANE**  
**Revascularisation in patients with ischaemic heart failure: reflecting on indications and outcomes**

- Chairperson: P. Kala**  
**Co-chairperson: P. Kolh**  
**Panelist: G. Angelini**
- Attend this session if you want:
    - > To reflect on the clinical follow-up of the heart failure patients: revascularised LIVE during EuroPCR 2014
    - > To apply the most appropriate decision-making and revascularisation strategies in patients with ischaemic heart failure
    - > To become familiar with the need for patient-tailored and heart team-guided multidisciplinary management in ischaemic heart failure
  - Session objectives - *P. Kala*
    - Patient follow-up from EuroPCR 2014 LIVE cases: revascularisation outcomes in ischaemic heart failure - *J. Barunek*
    - Re-appraisal of these cases in 2015: what did we learn? - *D. Burkhardt*
  - Time to React@PCR
  - Patient with ischaemic heart failure: imaging for decision-making
  - Time to React@PCR
  - LIVE demonstration from Thoraxcenter - Rotterdam, The Netherlands
    - > Time to React@PCR
    - > Wrap-up: dos, don'ts and maybes
    - > Session evaluation and key learnings - *P. Kolh*

10:40-12:10  
ROOM 251  
Late breaking - Clinical research in interventional cardiology from a multidisciplinary perspective  
Chairperson: L. Kivgaard  
Co-chairperson: D. Zughof

- > Attend this session if you want:
- > To understand the impact of clinical trials on daily practice
- > Session objectives - L. Kivgaard
- > The basics of research: why, how and who - L. Moriani
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > The landmark trials of interventional cardiology
- > D. Capodanno
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Late breaking update - D. Zughof
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Why research in daily practice is a multidisciplinary responsibility - L. Jørgensen
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - L. Kivgaard

10:40-12:10  
ROOM 352A  
How should I treat?

- > France and Lebanon share their most educational cases
- > With the collaboration of the *Alharama Coronary and Interventional Cardiology Group of the French Society of Cardiology (GACI)* and the *Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Lebanese Society of Cardiology and Coronary Surgery*
- Chairpersons: Z. Ghazzal, R. Koning
- > Attend this session if you want:
- > To appreciate the importance of the pie-procedural planning and anticipation of risks in complex percutaneous interventions
- > To recognise and promptly evaluate the different options in addressing serious procedural complications
- > To learn tips and tricks in the management of procedural complications

- > Session objectives - R. Koning
- > Case 1 - Procedural complication during percutaneous intervention of multivessel disease
- > How would I treat? - R. Azar
- > How would I treat? - P. Cormeau
- > How did I treat?
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Consensus - R. Koning
- > Case 2 - Procedural complication during a primary angioplasty for anterior STEMI in a patient with multivessel disease - A. Rebeiz
- > How would I treat? - P. Cormeau
- > How would I treat? - R. Azar
- > How did I treat? - A. Rebeiz
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Consensus - Z. Ghazzal
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - Z. Ghazzal

10:40-12:10  
ROOM 352B  
How should I treat?

- > Israel and Russia share their most educational cases
- > With the collaboration of the *Working Group on Interventional Cardiology of the Israel Heart Society and the Russian Scientific Society of Interventional Cardiology (RSICA)*
- Chairpersons: A. Finkelstein, D.G. Ioseliani
- > Attend this session if you want:
- > To reflect on the feasibility of simultaneous TAVI-PCI with multiple stenting
- > To understand the efficacy and safety of combine TAVI-PCI procedures
- > To understand the technical and practical issues
- > Session objectives - A. Finkelstein
- > Case 1 - TAVI in a patient with severe aortic stenosis and anomalous origin of the left main coronary artery from the right coronary artery with an inter-arterial course - R. Jaffe
- > How would I treat? - S.P. Srmiko
- > How did I treat? - H. Danenberg
- > How would I treat? - R. Jaffe
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Consensus - A. Finkelstein
- > Case 2 - Simultaneous TAVI and multivessel coronary stenting in a 81-year-old female patient
- > How would I treat? - H. Danenberg
- > How did I treat? - S.P. Srmiko
- > Discussion and audience interaction
- > Consensus - D.G. Ioseliani
- > Session evaluation and key learnings - D.G. Ioseliani

10:40-12:40

Learning TAVI

Facilitators: P. Kahlert, T. Schmitz, D. Tchêché

- > Attend this session if you want:
- > To learn how to improve your technical skills in percutaneous transfemoral TAVI
- > To learn how to prevent periprocedural complications

12:15-12:45  
ROOM 251

Nurses and Technicians best abstract and clinical case presentation award and closing ceremony

Chairperson: L. Kivgaard  
Co-chairperson: S. Grigolo  
Panellists: M. Gilard, M. Oberhoff

- > Session objectives - S. Grigolo
- > Best EuroPCR 2015 Nurses and Technicians abstract announcement - D. Zughof
- > Best EuroPCR 2015 Nurses and Technicians clinical case announcement - D. Zughof
- > Closing down the Nurses and Technicians programme for 2015 - L. Kivgaard

12:40-13:00

Closing EuroPCR 2015

MAIN ARENA

- 12:00 -