



FINAL PROGRAMME

| 08th October

Friday

Times in WEST (Porto time)

SESSION 1

OPEN CEREMONY

PRIZE FREE ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

Moderators: Pier Luigi Antignani (Italy) | Armando Mansilha (Portugal)

- 08h00 | Understanding the Journey of patients with CVI and their Comorbidities, notably Diabetes Mellitus: a quantitative survey among physicians in different countries around the world**
Giacomo Gastaldi (Switzerland)

- 08h08 | Failure to Rescue is Associated with Operative Volume and Complication Pattern after Repair of Ruptured Abdominal Aortic Aneurysms**
Mario D'Oria (Italy)

- 08h16 | Impact of proximal neck anatomy on short-term and mid-term outcomes after treatment of abdominal aortic aneurysms with new-generation low-profile endografts. Results from the multicentric "ITALian north-east registry of ENDOvascular aortic repair with the BOItOn Treo endograft (ITA-ENDOBOOT)**
Mario D'Oria (Italy)

- 08h24 | Abdominal compartment syndrome after r-EVAR: a systematic review with meta-analysis on incidence and mortality**
José Oliveira Pinto (Portugal)

- 08h32 | Potential Benefits of Cannabidiol on Chronic Venous Disease Pathophysiology: A molecular approach.**
Antonio Solano (Colombia)

- 08h40 | Sulodexide in sclerotherapy for the prevention of hiperpigmentation: Results of a multicenter, randomized, controlled, clinical trial.**
Alejandro Gonzalez-Ochoa (México)

- 08h48 | The impact of venous stenting across the inguinal ligament on primary patency: a systematic review**
Joel Sousa (Portugal)



SESSION 2

SCLEROTHERAPY OF VARICOSE VEINS

Moderators: Leonardo Aluigi (Italy) | Yongquan Gu (China)

09h00 | How to classify the sclerosing agents?

Igor Suchkov (Russia)

Discussant: Daniela Radu (Romania)

09h10 | How to produce a stable foam?

Enric Roche (Spain)

Discussant: Lorenzo Tessari (Italy)

09h20 | Tips and tricks to perform ultrasound guided foam sclerotherapy

Victor Canata (Paraguay)

Discussant: Mario Sica (France)

09h30 | The treatment of telangiectasias

Mark Whiteley (UK)

Discussant: Sorin Olariu (Romania)

SESSION 3

WHY TO OPERATE VARICOSE VEINS?

Moderators: Thomas Karplus (Australia) | Roberto Simkin (Argentina)

10h00 | Why to use endovenous laser ablation to treat varicose veins?

Marc Vuylsteke (Belgium)

Discussant: Jean-Luc Gerard (France)

10h10 | Why to use radiofrequency ablation to treat varicose veins?

Suat Doganci (Turkey)

Discussant: Marie Josee van Rijn (Netherlands)

10h20 | Why to use glue to treat varicose veins?

Kursat Bozkurt (Turkey)

Discussant: Larisa Chernukha (Ukraine)

10h30 | Why to use modern open surgery to treat varicose veins?

Armando Mansilha (Portugal)

Discussant: Zaza Lazarashvili (Georgia)



SESSION 4

COMPRESSION AND INTERVENTIONAL TECHNIQUES

Moderators: Patrick Carpentier (France) | Shoab Padaria (India)

11h00 | Do we need compression after sclerotherapy?

Sergio Giancesini (Italy)

Discussant: Lourdes Reina (Spain)

11h10 | Do we need compression after endothermal ablation?

Rebeca Reachi Lugo (Mexico)

Discussant: Ayman Fakhry (Egypt)

11h20 | Do we need compression after glue?

Evgeny Shaydakov (Russia)

Discussant: Imre Bihari (Hungary)

11h30 | Do we need compression after modern open surgery?

Christopher Lattimer (UK)

Discussant: Joel Sousa (Portugal)

SESSION 5

NEWS ON CHRONIC VENOUS DISEASE

Moderators: Pedro Pablo Komlos (Brasil) | Pauline Raymond-Martimbeau (Canada)

14h00 | Understanding the new CEAP classification

Fedor Lurie (USA)

Discussant: Elena Goranova (Bulgaria)

14h10 | Tips and tricks to map varicose veins

Jorge Ulloa (Colombia)

Discussant: Jean François Uhl (France)

14h20 | How to improve the image for better aesthetic treatments

Rodrigo Kikuchi (Brasil)

Discussant: Vadim Bogachev (Russia)

14h30 | How to avoid the EHIT?

Lowell Kabnick (USA)

Discussant: Carlos Simkin (Argentina)



SESSION 6

RECENT GUIDELINES ON DEEP VEIN THROMBOSIS

Moderators: Jawed Fareed (USA) | Karel Roztocil (Czech Republic)

15h00 | Cancer patients: when and how to extend the anticoagulation after DVT?

Eduardo Ramacciotti (Brazil)

Discussant: Valente Guerrero (Mexico)

15h10 | When do not use DOACs after DVT?

Stavros Kakkos (Greece)

Discussant: Rashad Bishara (Egypt)

15h20 | Can we prevent the Post-thrombotic syndrome using elastic stockings?

Thomas Urbanek (Poland)

Discussant: Alejandro Ochoa (Mexico)

15h30 | Anticoagulation strategies after deep venous stenting interventions

Manj Gohel (UK)

Discussant: Alejandro Latorre (Colombia)

15h40 | Can we reduce the incidence of post thrombotic syndrome?

Pier Luigi Antignani (Italy)

Discussant: Matija Kozak (Slovenia)

SESSION 7

VENOUS MECHANICAL THROMBECTOMY AND STENTING

Moderators: Peter Gloviczki (USA) | Sherif Sultan (UK)

16h00 | Defining “inappropriate” stenting for non-thrombotic iliac vein disease

Steve Elias (USA)

Discussant: Sergi Bellmunt (Spain)

16h10 | Pre-procedure anatomical mapping to predict outcomes after deep venous stenting

Houman Jalaie (Germany)

Discussant: João Rocha Neves (Portugal)

16h20 | Key patient characteristics that determine outcomes after deep venous stenting

Gerard O’Sullivan (Ireland)

Discussant: Ravul Jindal (India)

16h30 | Indications to stenting in pelvic venous disorders

Cees Wittens (The Netherlands)

Discussant: Joana Ferreira (Portugal)



SESSION 8

MEDITERRANEAN LEAGUE FOR ANGIOLOGY AND VASCULAR SURGERY

Moderators: Nicos Angelides (Cyprus) | Pavel Poredos (Slovenia)

17h00 | The status of Vascular Surgery in the Mediterranean Region

Gabriel Szendro (Israel)

Discussant: José Fernandes e Fernandes (Portugal)

17h10 | The status of Vascular Medicine in the Mediterranean Region

Patrick Carpentier (France)

Discussant: Pier Luigi Antignani (Italy)

17h20 | End-stage of Critical Limb Ischemia: Exotic interventional and non-interventional remedies

Christos Liapis (Greece)

Discussant: Emad Hussein (Egypt)

17h30 | The contribution of Mediterranean Diet on Health, Longevity and Prevention of Chronic Cardiovascular Diseases: A trial under the Auspices of the Mediterranean League of Angiology and Vascular Surgery

Eleni Andreou (Cyprus)

Discussant: Salvatore Novo (Italy)

17h40 | Final Comment

Present Challenges in Angiology and Vascular Surgery

José Fernandes e Fernandes (Portugal)



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SESSION 9 IUA YOUTH COMMITTEE

Moderators: Qing-sheng Lu (China) | Nicola Troisi (Italy)

08h00 | Urgent treatment of symptomatic inflammatory thoracoabdominal aneurysm using the off the shelf multibranched T-branch endograft
Mario D'Oria (Italy)

08h10 | TEVAR through false lumen in a patient with chronic type B aortic dissection
Donglin Li (China)

08h20 | Case series of late open surgical conversion after EVAR presenting with rAAA
Petar Zlatanovic (Serbia)

08h30 | Endovascular treatment of May Thurner syndrome
Domenico Baccellieri (Italy)

08h40 | Endovascular treatment for renal artery CTO
Yang Min (China)

Discussant: Yao Chen (China)

SESSION 10 CONTROVERSIES ON PERIPHERAL ARTERIAL DISEASE

Moderators: Andrew Nicolaides (Cyprus) | Emad Hussein (Egypt)

09h00 | How to map the peripheral arteries by ultrasound
Ramon Villa (Spain)
Discussant: Giacomo Failla (Italy)

09h10 | How to define the PAD best medical treatment
Jill Belch (UK)
Discussant: Ales Blinc (Slovenia)

09h20 | Are there any indications to operate patients with claudication?
Julian Scott (UK)
Discussant: Salvatore Novo (Italy)

09h30 | Tips and tricks to treat the infected diabetic foot
Daniel Brandão (Portugal)
Discussant: Zsolt Pecsvarady (Hungary)



SESSION 11

HOT TOPICS ON ABDOMINAL AORTIC ANEURYSM

Moderators: Jan Pitha (Czech Republic) | José Fernandes e Fernandes (Portugal)

- 10h00 | Standard EVAR can be used in most challenging necks**
Mauro Gargiulo (Italy)
Discussant: Ricardo Castro Ferreira (Portugal)
- 10h10 | Open AAA surgery is still the “gold” standard**
Alun Davies (UK)
Discussant: Nelson Oliveira (Portugal)
- 10h20 | A plea for following aortic substitutes stability**
Nabil Chakfé (France)
Discussant: Frederico Bastos Gonçalves (Portugal)
- 10h30 | Emergency EVAR should be the standard of care for ruptured AAA**
Jordi Maeso (Spain)
Discussant: José Oliveira Pinto (Portugal)
- 10h40 | Medical treatment in the management of the AAA**
Saroj Das (UK)
Discussant: Luís Mendes Pedro (Portugal)

SESSION 12

MANAGEMENT OF CAROTID ARTERY STENOSIS

Moderators: Christos Liapis (Greece) | Rodrigo Rial (Spain)

- 11h00 | Its Time to Stop Doing ‘Revascularisation’ Procedures on Asymptomatic Carotid Stenosis**
Anne Abbott (Australia)
Discussant: Kosmas Paraskevas (Greece)
- 11h10 | Carotid artery stenting can be safe and effective**
Athanasios Giannoukas (Greece)
Discussant: Andreia Coelho (Portugal)
- 11h20 | Local anaesthesia is safer than general anaesthesia for carotid endarterectomy**
Hans Henning Eckstein (Germany)
Discussant: Arkadiusz Jawien (Poland)
- 11h30 | Mini-skin incision for carotid endarterectomy should be the “gold” standard**
Armando Mansilha (Portugal)
Discussant: Ahmed Nassef (UK)



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SYMPOSIUMS FROM OUR SPONSORS

12H00



NET CLINICAL BENEFIT IN PAD CLINICAL MANAGEMENT: THE RELEVANCE OF INDIVIDUAL RISK ASSESSMENT IN THE BEST MEDICAL TREATMENT APPROACH

Chair: Pier Luigi Antignani (Italy)

12h00 | ESC guidelines, recent innovation and open challenges in PAD management

Armando Mansilha (Portugal)

12h10 | Clinical expertise in PAD management across Europe

Arkadiusz Jawien (Poland)

12h20 | IUA perspective about unmet needs and best practice in PAD management

Pier Luigi Antignani (Italy)

13H30



CHRONIC VENOUS DISEASE (CVD) & DIABETES MELLITUS (DM): MANY COMMONALITIES ?!

Speaker: Dr. Giacomo Gastaldi

Division of Endocrinology and Diabetology, Geneva University Hospitals, Switzerland