31st Annual Cardiologists Conference
June 17–19, 2019
Rome

Day 1 | June 17, 2019 | Monday

**Registration**
08:00-08:15

**Opening Ceremony**
08:15-08:25

**Introduction**
08:25-08:35

The potential role of a unique, simple, quick, accurate, inexpensive, routine evaluation of Autonomic Nervous System (ANS) Sympathetic(S) and Parasympathetic(P) activity in Cardiovascular Diseases (CVD)

Gary L Murray, Heart and Vascular Institute, Germantown & International College of Angiology, USA

**Keynote Forum**
08:35-08:45

**Network & Refreshment Break: 10:05-10:20**

08:45-09:30

**Keynote Forum**

09:30-10:15

**Network & Refreshment Break: 10:55-11:05**

10:15-11:00

The pharmacogenomics of essential hypertension: Role of G protein-coupled receptor kinase 4

Pedro A. Jose, The George Washington University School of Medicine & Health Sciences, USA

First time IVUS used to detect lesion in tortuous, overlapping and trifurcation of at distal left main vessel

AM Thirugnanam, Ipcard Cardiac Care Center, India

**Sessions:**
Clinical Cardiology | Heart Diseases | Electrocardiography | Nuclear Cardiology | Diabetes & Heart | Women & Heart Disease

**Session Chair:** Gary L Murray, Heart and Vascular Institute, Germantown & International College of Angiology, USA

**Session Chair:** Pedro A. Jose, The George Washington University School of Medicine & Health Sciences, USA

11:00-12:00

Hypertension, albuminuria and fatal stroke long after acute coronary syndrome – the ABC study on acute coronary syndrome

Giuseppe Berton, Conegliano General Hospital, Italy

Mass media campaign to improve poor diagnosis and poor medical adherence in atrial fibrillation

Jochen Senges, Stiftung für Herzinfarktforschung Ludwigshafen, Germany

**Group Photo:** 12:50-12:55

**Lunch Break:** 12:55-13:55

13:00-14:25

Complementary supportive therapy for symptomatic patients with a left ventricular dilatation and reduced ejection fraction

Mila Jakovljevic, Polyclinic for Cardiovascular Diseases and Prevention, Croatia

**Network & Refreshment Break: 15:55-16:10**

14:25-15:25

Ventricular interdependence in pulmonary hypertension

Camelia Nicolae, Carol Davila University of Medicine and Pharmacy, Romania

**Panel Discussions**

14:55-15:35

Lung ultrasound for interstitial syndrome development monitoring in cardiac and non-cardiac patients who underwent non-cardiac surgical procedures

Maja Karaman Ilić, Clinical Hospital Sveti Duh & JJ Strossmayer University of Osijek, Croatia

**Lunch Break:** 12:55-13:55

15:25-16:00

Formula for blood flow: New cardiovascular diagnostics method

Mikhail Rudenko, Russian New University, Russia

16:10-16:40

Prostaglandin E2 promotes vascular remodeling of the ductus arteriosus

Susumu Minamisawa, The Jikei University, Japan

**Panel Discussions**

16:40-17:20

Clinical implications of cardiovascular outcome trials in type 2 diabetes: From DCCT to EMPA-REG

Vasileios Lekakis, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece

**Keynote Forum**
08:00-08:45

Chemotherapy-induced cardiotoxicity

Eugenio Greco, Fellow of ESC, Italy

**Network & Refreshment Break: 10:15-10:30**

08:45-09:30

Using smart ECG t-shirt with AI based arrhythmia detection

Oleksii Vynogradov, Hearitin Inc, USA

10 years experience of autologous bone marrow derived stem cells delivery in wide spectrum of pathologies (potential role of sympathetic nervous system)

Aris Lacis, University Children Hospital, Latvia

**Panel Discussions**

10:30-11:15

Current methods to palliate refractory angina and research on the development of collaterals from occluded or tunnellized internal mammary arteries: The point in 2019

Marco Piciché, San Bortolo Hospital, Italy
### Sessions

**Cardiac Surgery | Cardiac Nursing | Cardio-Oncology | Pediatric & Geriatric Cardiology | Interventional Cardiology | Hypertension**

**Session Chair:** Eugenio Greco, Fellow of ESC, Italy  
**Session Chair:** Aris Lacis, University Children Hospital, Latvia

#### 11:15-11:45
**Surgery for infective endocarditis**  
Nicholas Kang, Green Lane Cardiothoracic Surgical Unit, New Zealand

**Combined transcatheter aortic valve implantation and endarterectomy of the ipsilateral internal carotid artery**  
Mahmoud Fouda, Asklepios Hospital Harburg, Germany

#### 11:45-12:15
**Pulmonary hypertension: Past, present and future**  
Eric Fenstad, Minneapolis Heart Institute, USA

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**Lunch Break:** 12:50-13:50

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#### 13:00-14:00
**The great masquerader: Pulmonary embolism**  
Syed Tanveer Alam, UK

**Repair mitral valve disease**  
Guillermo N. Vaccarino, Hospital Universitario Austral, Argentina

#### 14:00-14:30
**Retinal fluorescein angiography: A sensitive and specific tool to predict coronary slow flow**  
Hany Taha Asklnany, Minya University, Egypt

**Knowledge about cardiovascular disease is low and stress is highly prevalent among U.S. adolescents and young adults and may**  
Corynn Branche, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA, USA

#### 15:00-15:30
**A rare case of syphilitic aortic aneurysm in the era of modern antibiotics**  
Jasper Val Ian M. Pablo, Philippine Heart Center, Philippines

**Effect of elevated preoperative HbA1c on outcome of coronary artery bypass grafting**  
Sushil Kumar Singh, King George’s University, India

**Assessment of liver enzymes level in Sudanese hypertensive patients**  
Sami Mohamed Hamed, Alneelain University, Sudan

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**Network & Refreshment Break:** 15:50-16:05

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### Day 3 | June 19, 2019 | Wednesday

#### Keynote Forum

09:00-09:45
**Blood pressure reduction by enhanced external counterpulsation (EECP) therapy is proportional to degree of hypertension and**  
Darshak Karia, University Health Care System, USA

09:45-10:30
**Surgical results of ebstein anomaly based on pathology and techniques**  
Qingyu Wu, The First Hospital of Tsinghua University, China

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**Network & Refreshment Break:** 10:15-10:30

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**Sessions:**  
- Case Reports on Cardiology  
- Cardiology Education and Training  
- Cardiac Regeneration  
- Entrepreneurs Investment meet  
- Devices / CRT / ICD / Surgery  
- Sports Cardiology

**Session Chair:** Marco Picichè, San Bortolo Hospital, Italy

#### 10:30-11:00
**Care of the pregnant cardiac patient**  
Karen L Fiorio, University of Missouri-Kansas City & Saint Luke’s Hospital of Kansas City, USA

**Peripheral nerve injury due to hypertension is aggravated by diabetes**  
Valérie Paula Sassioli Fazan, University of São Paulo, Brazil

**Is TAVI becoming the treatment of choice in patients undergoing aortic valve replacement with previous patent double IMA**  
Georges Tedy, Mount Lebanon Hospital, Lebanon

#### 11:15-11:45
**Hemodynamic management of resistant hypertension: physics and physiology to guide therapy**  
Francisco J. Chacon-Lozsan, Central University of Venezuela, Venezuela

**Group Photo:** 12:45-12:50

**Lunch Break:** 12:50-13:50

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### Panel Discussions

09:00-09:43
**Volumetric overload shocks in the patho-etiology of the transurethral resection prostatectomy syndrome and acute dilution**  
Ahmed Ghanem, Mansoura University, Egypt

**Hypertensive retinopathy can predict severity of coronary artery disease in hypertensive patients presenting with angina**  
Sushil Kumar Singh, King George’s University, India

**Fetal heart rate extraction from abdominal electrocardiograms through multivariate empirical mode decomposition**  
Praveen Gupta, Government Polytechnic College, India

**Sepsis induced cardiomypathy**  
Ali Al Bshabshe, King Khalid University, Saudi Arabia

**Efficacy and safety of the angiotensin II receptor blocker losartan for hypertrophic cardiomyopathy: Systematic review and meta-analysis**  
Sami Salahia, Ain Shams University, Egypt

**Closing Ceremony**  
**Network & Refreshment Break:** 16:50-17:05
Note: Tentative Program has been designed with the projected Speakers Names and Titles. Dates and timings in this program are subject to change.