Final Programme

Surgery of The Thoracic Aorta

EIGHTH POSTGRADUATE COURSE

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**Monday**

**9th November 2015**

## SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

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## INTERACTIVE SESSION: VIDEO PRESENTATIONS

1. Intermediate-Term Efficacy of Geometric Ring Annuloplasty during Tre-Leaflet Aortic Valve Repair  
   Rankin Scott, Munich – Germany

2. Fragile annulus requires special attention  
   Ricardo Dias, San Paulo – Brazil

3. Commissural reconstruction, free edge reinforcement and subcommissural annuloplasty in tricuspid aortic valve repair  
   Emiliano Navarra, Bruxelles – Belgium

4. Repair of a dilated aortic autograft using geometric ring annuloplasty and Root Restoration  
   Domenico Mazzitelli, Munich – Germany

5. Commissural reconstruction and external annuloplasty in bicuspid aortic valve repair  
   Emiliano Navarra, Bruxelles – Belgium

6. Bicuspid Aortic Valves: different repair approaches based on different root diameters  
   Carlo Antona, Milan – Italy

7. Pericardial repair for Bicuspid Aortic Valve Endocarditis  
   Domenico Mazzitelli, Munich – Germany

8. Aortic root graft for creation of pseudo-sinuses in aortic root repair using patch technique  
   Petros Bougioukakis, Bad Neustadt – Germany

9. Early Efficacy of Geometric Ring Annuloplasty during Bicuspid Aortic Valve Repair  
   Scott Rankin, Munich – Germany

10. 3D intra-cardiac assessment of the Aortic Valve and Ascending Aorta, a new training model  
    Ehsan Natour, Groningen – The Netherlands

11. Aortic valve repair with three-leaflet and bicuspid ring annuloplasty during aortic/ root aneurysm resection: Root Restoration  
    Domenico Mazzitelli, Munich – Germany

12. Standard Aortic Perceval Implant  
    Aniello Pappalardo, Trieste – Italy

13. Transcatheter mitral valve implantation and AVR in open heart surgery: off-label techniques  
    Carlo Savini, Bologna – Italy

14. Trans apical implantation of a JenaValve in a patient with low coronary ostia  
    Martin Grabenwöger, Vienna – Austria

15. AVR with Sorin Perceval in BAV and Replacement of Ascending Aorta through a Upper Mini-sternotomy  
    Matteo Ferrarini, Milan – Italy

16. Aortic valve sparing operation: reimplantaion (David I), upper partial sternotomy  
    Mauro del Giglio, Ravenna – Italy

17. Transaortic Lotus implantation  
    Sabine Bleiziffer, Munich – Germany
SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME AFTERNOON

14.00 AORTIC DISSECTION

Chairmen: J. Coselli, Houston TX
S. Lansman, Valhalla NY

- Type B Acute Dissection today:
  - Fet Procedure
    M. Grabenwoger, Vienna
  - TEVAR
    L. Lovato, Bologna

- The Treatment of Malperfusion in Acute Aortic Dissection
  J. Bavaria, Philadelphia

- Up to 10 years experience with the E-vita open and new developments at the horizon
  J. Heinz, Essen

- Latest News from Australasia
  V. Bashi, Chennai - M. Kato, Osaka
  G. Matalanis, Melbourne - Y. Okita, Kobe
  N. Uchida, Hiroshima

- Arch Hybrid- Extended Indications: An Indian Experience
  V. Bashi, Chennai

- Frozen Elephant Trunk from past to present
  M. Kato, Osaka

- Branch First Arch Repair with Complex Anatomy
  G. Matalanis, Melbourne

- Replacement of the aortic arch to descending aorta through the right thoracotomy in a patient with Kommerell’s diverticulum complicated with acute type B aortic dissection
  Y. Okita, Kobe

- Extended total arch replacement using frozen elephant trunk for acute type A aortic dissection with malperfusion
  N. Uchida, Hiroshima

16.30 Coffee Break

16.50 LIVE SURGERY DEMONSTRATION
From the Operating Room of S. Orsola Hospital

19.00 Closing remarks
R. Di Bartolomeo, Bologna

20.30 Conference Dinner - Palazzo Albergati

INTERACTIVE SESSION: VIDEO PRESENTATIONS

18. Bentall de bono composite graft in a Marfan patient with severe pectus excavatum
Giuseppe Maria Raffa, Palermo – Italy

19. Aortic valve repair and root remodeling with an expandable ring
Gianluigi Bisleri, Brescia – Italy

20. Sub-acute Type B dissection. Early treatment with total arch debranching and endovascular prosthesis
Giuseppe Pettrilli, Verona – Italy

21. Aortic valve sparing in Type A acute aortic dissection
Emiliano Navarra, Bruxelles – Belgium

22. Ascending aortic cannulation in acute type I aortic dissection “Direct true lumen technique
Dainius K. Rimantas Benetis, Kaunas – Lithuania

23. First in human repair of the type an aortic dissection with left subclavian branched TEVAR
Joseph E. Bavaria, Philadelphia – USA

24. Prevention Aortic Rupture Screening Italian Study (PARSIS): Results in the first 5600 cases
Marco Diena, Novara – Italy

25. Case Report: Aortic Dissection diagnosed with modified TEE with A-View®
Arno Nierich, Zwolle – The Netherlands

26. Mini-Bentall Procedure - “French Cuff” Technique
Tristan Yan, Sydney – Australia

27. Mini Bentall surgery with Mitroflow Valsalva conduit
Paolo Beretta, Teramo - Italy

28. Type A aortic dissection in a 11 month old Loeys Dietz child
Guido Oppido, Naples – Italy

29. Life Thru the Glass- Use of Google Glass during Replacement of Aortic Valve
Mauro Rinaldi, Turin – Italy

30. Totally Endoscopic Aortic Valve Replacement (TEAVR): work in progress
Marco Vola, St. Etienne – France

31. Smart App in Cardiac Surgery: your pocket prompter: AORTA TEVAR INDICATOR, a new tool to plan the right treatment for thoracic aortic pathology
Paolo Magagna, Vicenza – Italy

32. New technique in type I aortic dissection for arch stabilization and future landing zone creation without arch replacement: the Salerno canoe technique
Antonio Panza, Salerno – Italy
SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME MORNING

08.15  SURGERY OF THE AORTIC ARCH

13.00  Chairmen:  J. Bavaria, Philadelphia
          L. Girardi, New York

- Aortic Arch Repair: the Hannover experience
  M. Shrestha, Hannover

- Re-Operations in Thoracic
  Aortic Arch
  A. Pochettino, Rochester

- The Classical Elephant TRUNK Procedure: still a valuable option
  W. Morshuis, Nieuwegein

- Aortic Arch Replacement – One for All
  S. Lansman, Valhalla NY

- Endovascular and Hybrid Repair of the Aortic Arch
  P. Cao, Rome

10.30  Coffee Break

10.50  LUNCH

13.00  LIVE SURGERY DEMONSTRATION

From the Operating Room of S. Orsola Hospital

14.00  INTERACTIVE SESSION:

VIDEO PRESENTATIONS

1.  The Arch Projects - An Overview
   Tristan Yan, Sidney – Australia

2.  Selective whole body perfusion during open arch repair
   Daniel Sebastian Dohle, Essen – Germany

3.  Carotid-jugular cannulation and modified biological Bental procedure in huge aortic aneurysm
   Aristidis Lenos, Bad Neustadt – Germany

4.  TOTAL, PERSONAL brain perfusion for aortic arch replacement
   Evgeniy Rosseikin, Penza – Russia

5.  Complex Aortic Repair
   Joseph S. Coselli, Houston TX – USA

6.  Frozen Elephant Trunk with Eva Plus and Total Arch Replacement with TBP + ACP
    through Upper Mini-sternotomy
   Antonio Miceli, Milan – Italy

7.  Angioscopy from aortic valve to descending aorta
   Daniel Sebastian Dohle, Essen – Germany

8.  Frozen Elephant Trunk with Jotec E-Vita Open Plus in ministernotomy with mild hypothermia
    and whole body perfusion
   Giampiero Esposito, Bergamo – Italy

9.  Rare Tuberculous Multiple Aneurysms Involving the Distal Arch up to Aortic Bifurcation in a 22-year-old: Single Stage
    Surgical Correction
   Velayudhan Bashi, Chennai – India

10. Aortic root and aortic arch replacement with pericardial tube grafts in a patient with infected and ruptured ascending
    aortic dissection
    Andreas Martens, Hannover – Germany

11. Re-do Replacement of the ascending aorta, aortic arch and the left common carotid artery with homograft in a patient with
    infected Dacron graft
    Erik Beckmann, Hannover – Germany

12. Aortic Arch Repair in “Complicated” Type B Aortic Dissection using Maquet Hemashield
    Angled Four Branched Graft with ministernotomic approach
    Giampiero Esposito, Bergamo – Italy
Tuesday 10th November 2015

INTERACTIVE SESSION: VIDEO PRESENTATIONS

1. Open repair of adult CoA
   Robin Heijmen, Cothen – The Netherlands

2. Novel treatment options for post-coarctectomy aneurysms
   Carlo de Vincentis, San Donato Milanese – Italy

3. Open repair of thoracoabdominal aortic aneurysm after previous aorticsurgery
   Marc Schepens, Brugge – Belgium

4. Hybrid 2-stage approach for TAAA repair
   Davide Pacini, Bologna – Italy

5. Extent II Thoracoabdominal Aortic Aneurysm Repair
   Joseph S. Coselli, Houston, TX – USA

6. Reoperative open TAAA repair in a patient with Marfan syndrome
   Leonard Girardi, New York – USA

7. Sutureless visceral arteries hybrid revascularization during TAAA open repair
   Roberto Chiesa, Milan – Italy

8. Hybrid Treatment of Thoraco-Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm: Mininvasive Thoracic Approach for Extra-Anatomical Splanchnic Revascularization
   Igor Vendramin, Udine – Italy

9. Large Aneurysm of the Left Main Coronary Artery, Giant LEFT Subclavian Artery Aneurysm with Calcified Thoraco-abdominal Aneurysm in a 35-year-old: Two Staged Hybrid Surgery
   Velayudhan Bashi, Chennai – India

10. Frozen Elephant Trunk using Siena Collared Graft: how we do it
    Eugenio Neri, Siena – Italy

11. Total endovascular arch repair with custom-made branched stentgraft
    Ciro Ferrer, Rome – Italy

12. TEVAR of a huge pseudoaneurysm as late complication after Aortic Coarctation repair
    Luigi Lovato, Bologna – Italy

13. Mechanical Interaction of Surgical Sealants on Aortic Suture Line Anastomoses: An In Vitro Investigation
    Davide Pacini, Bologna – Italy
The 3 best Video presentations will be published on CTSNet Aortic Portal Edited by Dr Mohamad Bashir

INTERACTIVE VIDEO ROOM
Videos listed below, together with those presented in the interactive sessions, will be available for consultancy in a multimedia room promoted by Jotec on the ground floor:

1. Minimally invasive aortic valve replacement: right minithoracotomy
   Mauro Del Giglio, Ravenna – Italy
2. Complete Aortic Valve Leaflet Replacement in the Pediatric Population using Tissue-Engineered Bovine Pericardium
   Domenico Mazzitelli, Munich – Germany
3. Updated strategy for organ protection during TAAA open repair
   Roberto Chiesa, Milan – Italy
4. Translational approach to root hemodynamics and coronary flow in different aortic valve sparing configurations
   Andrea Mangini, Milan – Italy
5. Bentall-De Bonon operation, upper partial sternotomy
   Mauro Del Giglio, Ravenna – Italy
6. A nightmare in the theater: a case with infected multiple stent-grafts
   Yutaka Okita, Kobe – Japan
7. Valve sparing aortic root replacement in a patient who had arterial switch operation for transposition of the great arteries
   Yutaka Okita, Kobe – Japan
8. HTK cardioplegia - “Tricks” and Pitfalls
   Claus J Preusse, Bonn – Germany
9. Frozen Elephant Trunk Repair for Extensive Thoracic Aortic Aneurysm - Arch Light Technique
   Gabriel Weiss, Vienna – Germany

The following videos are made by: The Cardiac Surgery Department, University of Bologna, S. Orsola Hospital Bologna, Italy

AORTIC VALVE, ASCENDING AORTA AND ROOT
1. Bentall procedure in previous Ross operation
2. Pseudoaneurysm of the left coronary button in previous Bentall procedure
3. Pseudoaneurysm of the right coronary button and tricuspid valve regurgitation in previous Bentall procedure
4. Bentall procedure for aortic root dilatation and severe aortic valve regurgitation after ascending aorta and hemiarch replacement for type A aortic dissection
5. Pseudoaneurysm in previous aortic valve replacement
6. David procedure
7. Reoperation in Bentall endocarditis
8. Prosthetic aortic valve sparing operation
9. Shelly conduit implant for endocarditis in previous Bentall operation
10. Supra aortic stenosis in previous ascending aorta replacement
11. Bentall procedure in previous ascending aorta replacement
12. Bentall procedure with Biovalsalva conduit in aortic root endocarditis
13. Iatrogenic Type A aortic dissection after arch cannulation
14. Bentall procedure with Biovalsalvabiplex conduit
15. Apico aortic conduit
16. Bentall procedure with Sorinmitroflowvalsalva conduit
17. Transcatheter mitral valve implantation and AVR in open heart surgery: off-label techniques

AORTIC ARCH
18. Ascending aorta, hemiarch and aortic valve replacement in patient with porcelain aorta
19. Ascending aorta and arch replacement for aortic arch aneurysm and type I endoleak post thoracic endoprosthesis
20. Aortic arch replacement for pseudoaneurysm in previous Bentall operation
21. Bentall procedure and aortic arch replacement in previous ascending aorta replacement
22. Ascending aorta and hemiarch replacement in type A aortic dissection
23. Complete aortic arch replacement
24. Aortic arch replacement in type I endoleak post thoracic endoprosthesis

FROZEN ELEPHANT TRUNK
25. Prosthetic aortic valve sparing reoperation (RDB technique) after FET with EVITA prosthesis
26. FET with Thoraflex prosthesis
27. FET with Thoraflexprosthesis after previous Bentall procedure
28. FET with EVITA prosthesis
29. FET, aortic root and mitral valve replacement in chronic type A aortic dissection after previous ascending aorta replacement
30. FET in lusoria subclavian artery

THORACOABDOMINAL AORTA
31. TAAA repair in Marfan patient with previous David operation, FET and TEVAR
32. Open repair of TAAA after previous aortic surgery (TAA+FET)
33. Open repair of TAAA using VascutekCoselli prosthesis
34. Hybrid 2-stage approach for TAAA repair
35. TAA replacement of a large aortic aneurysm as complication of coarctation
36. Extra anatomic debranching: left subclavian artery to celiac trunk
37. Abdominal vessels debranching
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GENERAL INFORMATION

COURSE VENUE
Palazzo della Cultura e dei Congressi
P.zza della Costituzione 4/a
40128 Bologna – Italy

SECRETARIAT ON SITE
The reception desk will be open at the Course venue on the following days:
Monday, 9th November 7.30 - 19.00
Tuesday, 10th November 8.00 - 17.00

ENTRANCE BADGE
Participants must wear the identification badge received at the Secretariat Desk upon registration during all conference sessions and events. If you lose your badge, please contact the New Registration Desk.

- **Badge**
  - Blue: Participant
  - Grey: Faculty
  - Green: Exhibitor
  - Red: Accompanying People

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE
The official Course language is English. Simultaneous translation will be provided from English to Italian.

CERTIFICATION OF ATTENDANCE
Certificates of Attendance will be available on request at the end of the Course.

EXHIBITION
A technical exhibition will take place throughout the Course. For information, please contact the Organizing Secretariat: info@noemacongressi.it

SLIDE CENTRE
All speakers are kindly invited to deliver their presentations to the Slide Centre at least one hour before their presentation. The Slide Centre is located on the First Floor.

LIABILITY
The organisers accept no liability whatsoever in case of injury to Course participants or for damage or loss to personal belongings either during the meeting or during Course events.

REGISTRATION FEES
(price including 22% VAT)

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*Reduced fee for individual registrations only

The registration fee for Surgeons includes:
Admittance to all sessions, access to the exhibition, Course materials, certificate of attendance, coffee breaks and lunches on 9th and 10th November, Conference Dinner on 9th November.

The registration fee for Trainees includes:
Admittance to all sessions, access to the exhibition, Course materials, certificate of attendance, coffee breaks and lunches on 9th and 10th November.

The registration fee for Accompanying People includes:
Conference Dinner on 9th November, a guided tour on 10th November.
SOCIAL PROGRAMME

Monday, 9th November
CONFERENCE DINNER
Palazzo Albergati
Via Masini, 46 - 40069 Zola Predosa (Bologna)

The dinner will be held at Palazzo Albergati, a sumptuous and magnificent country dwelling named after the Bolognese family. It is one of the most important and original architectural works of the entire Emilian 17th century. The building is surprisingly impressive due to its remarkable size and to the unusual contrast between the austerity of its exterior and the unexpected baroque space effect of its interior. The interior is decorated and enhanced by a prestigious series of frescos, typical of the 17th and 18th century Emilian school. During the 18th century, it was a very lively cultural centre of social life, which hosted popes, kings, princes, musicians, men of letters, scientists as well as famous adventurers.

A round trip shuttle service for Palazzo Albergati will be available at 19.45 from all the hotels booked through the Organizing Secretariat.

Tuesday, 10th November
BOLOGNA GUIDED TOUR

Bologna is the capital of this prosperous region of Italy, Emilia Romagna. Not yet spoiled by mass tourism, the city is the ideal choice for cultural breaks as well as leisure activities and relaxation. The Piazza Maggiore tour includes visits to all the buildings and monuments surrounding the main square of Bologna: Palazzo d’Accursio, Palazzo dei Notai, Palazzo di Re Enzo, Palazzo del Podestà and Fontana del Nettuno. There is a visit to Basilica di San Petronio and a walking tour through the historical centre and its traditional market.

The meeting point is in front of the Neptune fountain in Piazza Maggiore at 10.00 a.m.

TRANSFERS

Transfers to and from all the hotels booked through the Organizing Secretariat and also to and from the Conference Dinner venue, will be available for the duration of the whole Course.

You are kindly asked to find out the final transfer schedule which will be situated in the reception area of your hotel.

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