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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16TH - MORNING

08.00-08.50	SESSION 1 PERIPHERAL ARTERIAL DISEASE I Moderators: Gonçalo Cabral Luca di Marzo Marta Lobato
08.00	In stent restenosis after drug eluting stent in the superficial femoral artery: plaque morphology comparison between different platform Speaker: Gianmarco de Donato
08.06	Lower limb revascularization by means of thrombectomy with specific devices Speaker: Stefano Bonvini
08.12	Endovascular PTA and stenting of deep femoral artery lesions is possible and effective Speaker: Pasqualino Sirignano
08.18	Prophylactic embolization Speaker: Michele Antonello
08.24	When innovation meets real-world challenges in SFA treatment Speaker: Daniele Mascia
08.30	Paclitaxel debate: what robust long-term data tell us about drug-coated balloons Speaker: Wassim Mansour
08.36	Orbital atherectomy Speaker: Felice Pecoraro
08.42-08.50	Discussion

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08.53-09.42	SESSION 2 VENOUS I Moderators: Domenico Baccellieri Julio Peclat Marie Josee van Tongerlo - van Rijn
08.53	A minimally invasive technique of open saphenectomy. How I do it Speaker: Calogero Presti
08.59	Advances in the treatment of venous insufficiency with dense foam sclerotherapy Speaker: Frederico Araujo Oliveira
09.05	Choosing between superficial venous interventions in modern venous practice Speaker: Manj Gohel
09.11	Is there still a place for open surgery in varicose veins? Speaker: Armando Mansilha
09.17	Modern sclerotherapy: what has changed? Speaker: Enric Roche
09.23	Foam sclerotherapy and the Brazilian Public Health System: Ten years results. Speaker: Marcelo Liberato de Moura
09.29	Why polidocanol endovenous microfoam (PEM) is becoming the gold standard treatment modality for symptomatic refluxing superficial veins despite limited long term results Speaker: Alexandra Natalie Ascher
09.35-09.42	Discussion

09.45-10.45	SESSION 3 CRITICAL TOPICS IN ARTERIAL SURGERY Moderators: Stefano Bonardelli Jorge Fernández Noya Fiona Rohlfes
09.45	Oncovascular surgery: role of the vascular surgeon in the treatment of neoplastic lesions Speaker: Gian Franco Veraldi
09.51	Management of acute mesenteric ischemia with retrograde open mesenteric stenting Speaker: Nabil Chakfé
09.57	Does omentoasty at index open aortic repair prevent from infection and aortoenteric fistula? Speaker: Gabriele Piffaretti
10.03	Modern Management of Median Arcuate Ligament Syndrome (MALS) Speaker: Benjamin Starnes
10.09	Cadaver lab testing in preclinical evaluation of new devices, the key role of skilled independent physicians Speaker: Luca Garriboli
10.15	Open renal artery reconstructions in endovascular era Speaker: Nelson De Luccia
10.21	Sac regression during follow-up Speaker: Felice Pecoraro
10.27 -10.35	Discussion
10.35-10.45	Keynote Lecture Management of aorto-oesophageal fistula Aung Oo

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10.48-11.35	SESSION 4 PERIPHERAL ARTERIAL DISEASE II Moderators: Diletta Loschi Pasqualino Sirignano Jos C. van den Berg
10.48	Retrospective multicenter study of below the knee revascularization in the absence of saphenous vein: comparison of prosthetic bypass and endovascular treatment Speaker: Raffaello Bellosta
10.54	Peroneal artery bypass for limb salvage in chronic limb-threatening ischemia: a multicenter 5-year experience Speaker: Efrem Civilini
11.00	Extreme retrograde punctures Speaker: Marta Lobato
11.06	Current options for revascularization of the ischemic diabetic foot: what has changed in recent years Speaker: Edwaldo Joviliano
11.12	Everolimus eluting resorbable scaffold system Speaker: Daniele Mascia
11.18-11.25	Discussion
11.25-11.35	Keynote Lecture Distal and ultra distal bypass after failed endo: challenges and solutions Gonçalo Cabral

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11.38-12.25	SESSION 5 VASCULAR EMERGENCIES I Moderators: Nelson De Luccia Beate Lindberg Valerio Tolva
11.38	SVS blunt thoracic aortic injury. Clinical practice guidelines 2.0 Speaker: Ali Azizzadeh
11.44	Current controversies on blunt aortic trauma Speaker: Luís Mendes Pedro
11.50	Blunt traumatic aortic injuries in 2026: when to intervene, when to wait, and how to do it safely Speaker: Tania Saez Guzman
11.56	Complex aortic emergencies: from silent killer to surgical success Speaker: Orwa Falah
12.02	Long term outcomes and cardiovascular remodeling after TEVAR for blunt thoracic aortic injury Speaker: Rabih Chaer
12.08-12.15	Discussion
12.15-12.25	Keynote Lecture Vascular trauma: An evolution in therapy Benjamin Starnes

12.28-13.20	SESSION 6 ARTERIAL/CAROTID Moderators: Franco Grego Michel S. Makaroun Bijan Modarai
12.28	Carotid body tumor: San Raffaele experience Speaker: Carlotta Bugna
12.34	From CEA to TCAR to CAS. A high volume surgeon journey on carotid disease over last 20 years Speaker: Fernando Gallardo
12.40	Micromesh stent for CAS Speaker: Gianbattista Parlani
12.46	Are the CREST-2 results reliable to change clinical practice in patients with asymptomatic carotid stenosis? Speaker: Armando Mansilha
12.52	Visceral artery aneurysms: insights from the European Visceral Artery Revascularization (EVisAR) study Speaker: Roberto Silingardi
13.58	Carotid body tumor: hybrid approach Speaker: Paolo Frigatti
13.04	The endless dilemma in the treatment of asymptomatic carotid disease: did CREST-2 change our paradigm? Speaker: Andrea Kahlberg
13.10-13.20	Discussion
13.20-13.30	Special Lecture Priorities in managing a major emergency involving 12 subjects with severe burns Speaker: Franz W. Baruffaldi Preis
13.30-14.00	LUNCH

14.00-15.07	SESSION 7 ARCH AND THORACO-ABDOMINAL AORTIC ANEURYSM Moderators: Dittmar Böckler Mauro Gargiulo Alvaro Razuk
14.00	Results of the arch brave multicenter study for branched zone zero repair Speaker: Nikolaos Tsilimparis
14.06	How to deal with arch pathology in high risk patients for open repair Speaker: Ruy Fernandes et Fernandes
14.12	Stroke prevention in TEVAR: what is the role of air, what are the outcomes of RCTs on carbondioxide flushing and how can a new device help to eliminate the risks associated with air-embolism? Speaker: Tilo Kölbel
14.18	120 carotid-subclavian bypasses- do we consider the subclavian ostium as part of the sealing zone? Speaker: Beate Lindberg
14.24	TEVAR in the presence of an aberrant left vertebral artery: planning, pitfalls, and revascularization strategies Speaker: Tania Saez Guzman
14.30	Total endovascular aortic arch repair with triple branched arch endograft Speaker: Giovanni Pratesi
14.36	Hybrid arch treatment Speaker: Enrico Rinaldi
14.42	Early results of fenestrated and branched endovascular repair of complex aortic aneurysms Speaker: Mauri Campanin
14.48-14.57	Discussion
14.57-15.07	Keynote Lecture Total endo arch repair Stephan Haulon

15.10-16.17	SESSION 8 COMPLEX AORTIC PROCEDURES Moderators: Luís Mendes Pedro Erica Mitchell Giovanni Nano
15.10	Clinical and geometrical results of self-expandable stent grafts for thoraco-abdominal aortic repair Speaker: Luca Mezzetto
15.16	Punch, ring, reload, deploy: a pole-position physician-modified endograft workflow Speaker: Csaba Csobay-Novák
15.22	Endovascular treatment of abdominal aortic aneurysms with hostile neck using polymer-ring stent grafts Speaker: Horatiu Moldovan (Marian Broasca)
15.28	Endo arch repair with multifeature endografts; scallop, fenestration and branch to manage complex anatomy Speaker: Michele Piazza
15.34	We now have multiple options for TEVAR at left subclavian level. Which should we use and when? Speaker: Michael Jenkins
15.40	Open Repair vs branched endovascular aortic repair in residual dissection after Type A surgical repair Speaker: Giovanni Tinelli
15.46	Advantages of a semi-custom endograft with low radial force in the treatment of aortic dissections Speaker: Paolo Frigatti
15.52	Fenestrated and branched endovascular repair for complex abdominal and thoracoabdominal aneurysms with repositionable devices: technical pearls and pitfalls Speaker: Edwaldo Joviliano
15.58-16.07	Discussion
16.07-16.17	Keynote Lecture How to choose the best option for patients with complex aortic disease Eric Verhoeven

16.20-17.10	SESSION 9 VENOUS II Moderators: Armando Mansilha Erben Young Paolo Zamboni
16.20	DUS imaging in patients with deep venous disease Speaker: Marie Josee van Tongerlo - van Rijn
16.26	MRI in pelvic venous insufficiency Speaker: Anna Palmisano
16.32	Pelvic venous disease: how I do zonal diagnosis and embolization – From IVUS to coils, glue & hybrid strategies Speaker: Marald Wikkeling
16.38	Diagnostic and therapeutic pathways for pelvic venous disorders – A national multidisciplinary consensus Speaker: Domenico Baccellieri
16.42	Venotonic drugs for chronic pelvic pain: a systematic review Speaker: Monika Gloviczki
16.48	Optimizing circulation through breathing during exercise: clinical changes in patients after two years of follow-up Speaker: Rebeca Reachi-Lugo
16.54-17.00	Discussion
17.00-17.10	Keynote Lecture How to perform pelvic vein embolization and choose the right technique Gloria Maria Martinez Salazar

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17.13-18.25	SESSION 10 COMPLICATIONS PREVENTION AND MANAGEMENT Moderators: Giovanni Rossi Benjamin Starnes Eric Verhoeven
17.13	Endovascular management of aortoesophageal fistula in a 2 year-old Speaker: Erica Mitchell
17.19	Treatment of aortic graft/stent graft infections, including the management of infected fenestrated/branched arch/TAAA stent grafts Speaker: Anders Wanhainen
17.25	Open surgery is the best option in abdominal and thoracic aortic endograft infection Speaker: Yamume Tshomba
17.31	Neo aortoiliac system: how I do it Speaker: James Black
17.37	Mycotic aortic aneurysm - current status Speaker: James Tunnicliffe
17.43	What is the lifetime outcome for patients undergoing endovascular treatment of aortic interventions and does surveillance matter? Population data from primary care Speaker: Michael Jenkins
17.49	Open conversion after failed EVAR is safe and effective Speaker: Andrea Kahlberg
17.55	Hybrid treatment of aorto-iliac occlusive disease Speaker: Walter Dorigo
18.01	The role of the anatomical configuration of the lumbar arteries in the progression of the aneurysm sac following standard EVAR Speaker: Filippo Benedetto
18.07	How I do it: managing reinterventions after F/BEVAR Speaker: Fatima Javairiah
18.13-18.25	Discussion

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18.28-19.30	SESSION 11 VASCULAR EMERGENCIES II Moderators: Ali Azzizadeh Germano Melissano Flavio Peinetti
18.28	Xenograft and homograft surgical reconstruction in complicated aortic infections Speaker: Valerio Tolva
18.34	Multidisciplinary protocols for acute mesenteric ischemia improve outcomes Speaker: Rabih Chaer
18.40	Acute embolic mesenteric ischemia: a vascular emergency Speaker: Rudi Stramanà
18.46	Vascular trauma: open and endo resources for a large center Speaker: Tayrine Mazotti
18.52	Management of pediatric vascular emergencies. Who will be the caretakers of pediatric vascular trauma? Speaker: Erica Mitchell
18.58	Endovascular hemostasis with an occlusive balloon in inferior vena cava lesions Speaker: Ricardo Yukio Okawa
19.04-19.10	Discussion

07.30-08.10	SESSION 12 ROUND TABLE GENDER ISSUES IN VASCULAR SURGERY Moderator: Alice Cabral Lopes Panellists: Alexandra Natalie Ascher Carlotta Bugna Mariangela De Masi Young M. Erben Tania Saez Guzman Marta Lobato Chiara Lomazzi Irene Morelli Grace Mulatti Rebeca Reachi-Lugo Sonia Ronchey Simona Zannetti Dora Z. Zatyko
07.30-07.42	Debate 1 IS MERITOCRACY ALONE SUFFICIENT IN MODERN SURGICAL LEADERSHIP?
	Introduction
	YES Speaker: Erica Mitchell
	NO Speaker: Fiona Rohlfes
	Audience voting
07.42-07.59	Debate 2 SHOULD GENDER BASED “QUOTAS” BE ENFORCED AT LEAST IN EVENTS FUNDED WITH PUBLIC MONEY?
	Introduction
	YES Speaker: Alice Cabral Lopes
	NO Speaker: Beate Lindberg
	Audience voting
	Leadership in different medical specialties Speaker: Elena Bignami
08.00-08.10	Panel discussion

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08.13-09.20	SESSION 13 ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE I Moderators: Antonio Freyrie Stefano Michelagnoli Kak Khee Yeung
08.13	The proof of concept of computational simulation on TEVAR Speaker: Santi Trimarchi
08.19	Prediction of cardiovascular disease progression in AAA patients using AI, the VASCUL-AID platform Speaker: Kak Khee Yeung
08.25	Automated objective metrics processing for training in vascular surgery Speaker: Nabil Chakfé
08.31	Artificial Intelligence in DVT Diagnosis - Changing the standard pathway Speaker: Efthymios Avgerinos
08.37	Advancing aortic care: from advanced imaging to robotic Intervention Speaker: Dora Z. Zatyko
08.43	AI applications for aortic procedures, is modern EVAR too complex to be managed with human estimation alone? Speaker: Fernando Gallardo
08.49	IMPROVE-AD gone artificial: how digital twin will be better in uncomplicated TBAD Speaker: Firas F. Mussa
08.55	Deep learning-driven false-lumen volumes predict adverse remodelling better than diameter in patients with residual aortic dissection CT Speaker: Alexis Jacquier
09.01-09.10	Discussion
09.10-09.20	Keynote Lecture Artificial intelligence in trauma care Speaker: Elena Bignami

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09.23-10.30	SESSION 14 AORTIC DISSECTION Moderators: Roberto Di Bartolomeo Igor Koncar Kay-Hyun Park
09.23	FET in chronic aortic dissection Speaker: Alessandro Castiglioni
09.29	5-year results of endosuture aneurysm repair (ESAR) in patients with wide neck AAA from the ANCHOR Registry Speaker: Giovanni Pratesi
09.35	Update on Type A dissections treatment with the EndoWheat approach Speaker: Stephan Haulon
09.41	IVUS guided Intervention of malperfusion syndrome in complicated type B or residual Type B aortic dissection Speaker: Jimmy Wei Hwa Tan
09.47	How to safely perform TEVAR for acute Type B intramural hematoma Speaker: Jean Panneton
09.53	Strategies for BEVAR in Chronic aortic dissection Speaker: Jorge Fernández Noya
09.59	Open surgery in chronic Type B aortic dissection Speaker: Laurent Chiche
10.05	Trends and variations in technique open adjuncts to enhance FBEVAR feasibility failing forward Speaker: Bernardo Mendes
10.11-10.20	Discussion
10.20-10.30	Debate High risk features may indicate TEVAR in Type B aortic dissection Joseph V. Lombardi NO: a CRT is needed Firas F. Mussa

10.33-11.47	SESSION 15 THORACO-ABDOMINAL AORTIC ANEURYSM Moderators: Marcelo Ferreira Jean Panneton Sonia Ronchey
10.33	Clinical experience with a new TAAA system Speaker: Stoyan Kondov
10.39	The three-stage approach for the treatment of complex thoraco-abdominal pathology Speaker: Martin Czerny
10.45	Transradial approach for BEVAR. One year accumulated experience Speaker: Nilo Mosquera
10.51	Total endovascular aortic repair by F/BEVAR from ascending to infra-renal aorta / iliac arteries Speaker: Mauro Gargiulo
10.57	Renal arteries complications in F/BEVAR Speaker: Alvaro Razuk
11.03	Strategies for shaggy aorta in open thoracic aortic surgery Speaker: Kay-Hyun Park
11.09	Inner vs. outer branches for complex aortic repair. Results of a multicenter study Speaker: Nikolaos Tsilimparis
11.15	Role of aortic arch debranching in the era of branched endografts Speaker: Muhammad Ali A. Rana
11.21	Dedication matters - durable bridging stents in FEVAR and BEVAR Speaker: Eric Verhoeven
11.27-11.37	Discussion
11.37-11.47	Keynote Lecture TAAA open surgery (in the endovascular era) Joseph S. Coselli

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11.50-12.50	SESSION 16 AORTIC DISSECTION (STABILISE TECHNIQUE) Moderators: Joseph V. Lombardi Barend Mees Santi Trimarchi
11.50	Early and mid-term results of thoraco-abdominal aneurysms and chronic dissections treated with a Brazilian fully repositionable and retrievable endograft Speaker: Arno von Ristow
11.56	What do we know about the mid-term outcomes of the STABILISE technique? Speaker: Luís Mendes Pedro
12.02	False lumen occlusion is becoming standard of care: long-term results from the international multicenter Candy-Plug Registry Speaker: Tilo Kölbel
12.08	The influence of shape differences and aortic remodelling after aortic Type B dissections Speaker: Kak Khee Yeung
12.14	Destiny of aortic branches after TEVAR in aortic dissection Speaker: Igor Koncar
12.20	Why zone 2 TEVAR is preferred over zone 3 for acute Type B aortic dissection Speaker: Jean Panneton
12.26	Spinal artery preservation after STABILISE: a multicentre analysis of patency and clinical implications Speaker: Alice Cabral Lopes
12.32-12.40	Discussion
12.40-12.50	Keynote Lecture STABILISE Registry Germano Melissano
12.50-13.20	LUNCH

13.20-14.35	SESSION 17 AORTA Moderators: Mariangela De Masi Chang Shu Nikolaos Tsilimparis
13.20	A new solution to an old challenge: off-the-shelf single-branch repair for Type A dissection Speaker: Ali Azizzadeh
13.26	Longterm outcome data after EVAR underline need for lifelong surveillance Speaker: Dittmar Böckler
13.32	Strategies to plan endografts or the long run and avoid regret Speaker: Bernardo Mendes
13.38	Endovascular treatment of Type I endoleak after arch-branch Speaker: Tomasz Jakimowicz
13.44	How to implement a physician modified program in your practice/institution Speaker: Young M. Erben
13.50	Improving results on outpatient EVAR program Speaker: Alvaro Razuk
13.56	PMEG- current status and future directions Speaker: Benjamin Starnes
14.02	Real-world post market early outcomes of a new off-the-shelf thoraco-abdominal endoprosthesis: evidence, experience, and technical consideration Speaker: Steven Maximus
14.08	How I do it: rescue strategies for failed EVAR Speaker: Fatima Javairiah
14.14-14.25	Discussion
14.25-14.35	Keynote Lecture The “Alfieri operation”: 35 years from intuition to worldwide standard Ottavio Alfieri, Francesco Maisano

14.38-15.30	SESSION 18 AORTA GENETICS Moderators: Gustavo S. Oderich Aung Oo Yamume Tshomba
14.38	Expanding role for endovascular treatment of complex aortic disease in genetically triggered aortic disease Speaker: Anders Wanhainen
14.44	Open surgery for heritable aortopathies Speaker: Joseph S. Coselli
14.50	Thoraco-abdominal aortic intervention as part of a multi-segment strategy for syndromic disease: the Liverpool Experience Speaker: Manoj Kuduvali
14.56	Transcriptomics and new therapeutic hypothesis Speaker: Alessandro Pini
15.02	Is CILCA variant of genetic origin? Speaker: Annarita Santoro
15.08	Truth, lies, and statistics in endovascular therapy for Marfan's Syndrome Speaker: James Black
15.14-15.20	Discussion
15.20-15.30	Keynote Lecture XV The “new” enemy book of heritable aortopathies John A. Elefteriades

15.33-16.35	SESSION 19 VENOUS III Moderators: Efthymios Avgerinos Marcelo Liberato de Moura Chiara Lomazzi
15.33	Iliac vein aneurysm: a rare circumstance with a curious ending Speaker: Mattia Mirandola
15.39	Role of open reconstruction in venous outflow obstruction Speaker: Manj Gohel
15.45	Update on new venous guidelines of the North-American Vascular Societies: what is new and what is controversial Speaker: Peter Gloviczki
15.51	Who, when, and how to treat with symptomatic acute DVT: Getting the right strategy Speaker: Domenico Baccellieri
15.57	Future is mechanical thrombectomy, paradigm change in endovascular acute DVT treatment Speaker: Mert Dumantepe
16.03	New technology in vascular ultrasound field Speaker: Edoardo Cervi
16.09	Clinical factors associated with iliac vein stent thrombosis Speaker: Enrico Ascher
16.15-16.25	Discussion
16.25-16.35	Keynote Lecture Stephen Black

16.38-17.50	SESSION 20 INTERESTING VASCULAR TOPICS Moderators: Gonçalo Cabral John A. Elefteriades Gabriele Piffaretti
16.38	Renal protection in complex aortic procedures Speaker: Diletta Loschi
16.44	Surgical management of vascular rings - How to do it? Speaker: Aung Oo
16.50	Role of vascular surgeons in cardiopulmonary emergencies (ECMO and pulmonary embolism) Speaker: Muhammad Ali A. Rana
16.56	Novel branched endograft for complex abdominal aortic aneurysms Speaker: Alexandre Araujo Pereira
17.02	State of the art treatment for acute mesenteric ischemia Speaker: Tayrine Mazotti
17.08	Importance of IVUS in aortic procedure Speaker: Wassim Mansour
17.14	Surgical treatment for midaortic syndrome: our experience Speaker: Beate Lindberg
17.20	VORTEC technique in different anatomical settings Speaker: Zoran Rancic
17.26-17.50	Discussion
17.50-18.00	Keynote Lecture Pragmatic follow-up schedule after EVAR and alternative treatment plans in case of failure Michel S. Makaroun

07.30-08.10

SESSION 21

ROUND TABLE

UNMET NEEDS IN EVAR: NEXT STEPS FOR A REAL CONSOLIDATION

Moderator: Vicente Rimbau

Panellists:

Marian Broasca

Adelino Leite Moreira

Giuseppe Mazzotta

Stefano Pirrelli

08.13-09.02	SESSION 22 ADVANCEMENTS IN DIAGNOSIS Moderators: Francesco De Cobelli Giovanni Simonetti Pierfrancesco Veroux
08.13	Our experience with the use of the Fiber Optic RealShape (FORS) Lumiguide technique for endovascular navigation during complex aortic procedures Speaker: Frederic Cochenne
08.19	TOE vs ICE in aortic dissection as a guide in the aortic dissection procedures Speaker: Eustachio Agricola
08.25	Non-adhesive liquid embolic agents in different thoracic and abdominal diseases Speaker: Massimo Venturini
08.31	Trans caval approach for type 2 endoleak treatment Speaker: Gianpaolo Carrafiello
08.37	Value of PET/CT scans in detecting and treating vascular graft infections: what are their limitations Speaker: Zoran Rancic
08.43	Aortic length as a component in indicating infrarenal aortic disease processes Speaker: Martin Czerny
08.49	Advantages of photon counting CT in aortic imaging Speaker: Antonio Esposito
08.55-09.02	Discussion

09.05-10.05	SESSION 23 VENOUS IV Moderators: Enrico Ascher Peter Gloviczki Rebeca Reachi-Lugo
09.05	Robotic assisted nutcracker syndrome management Speaker: Young M. Erben
09.11	Treatment strategies for Type IV and Type V Chronic Venous Obstructions Speaker: Mert Dumantepe
09.17	Optimizing outcomes in acute iliofemoral DVT: the emerging role of computer-assisted vacuum thrombectomy Speaker: Efthymios Avgerinos
09.23	Venous thoracic outlet syndrome, my practice and current evidence Speaker: Mert Dumantepe
09.29	Role of DCB treating vascular access stenosis Speaker: Matteo Tozzi
09.35	Midterm outcome of dedicated venous stent for treatment of central vein steno-occlusion in hemodialysis patients Speaker: Jimmy Wei Hwa Tan
09.41	Advanced lymphedema surgery: how I select, stage and perform reduction surgery in the modern era Speaker: Marald Wikkeling
09.47-09.55	Discussion
09.55-10.05	Keynote Lecture A systematic review and meta-analysis of the efficacy and safety of lytic and non-lytic early thrombus removal technologies for iliofemoral deep vein thrombosis Stephen A. Black

10.08-11.10	SESSION 24 TAAA Moderators: Joseph S. Coselli Nicola Mangialardi Anders Wanhainen
10.08	FEVAR using self-flared bridging stent Speaker: Giovanni Pratesi
10.14	Should zone 2 landing be solved with branched devices? Speaker: Vicente Riambau
10.20	Hole-y grail: mastering spot-on fenestrations in physician-modified Speaker: Csaba Csobay-Novák
10.26	The impact of operator's learning curve on the outcomes of an off-the-shelf multi-branched endograft for complex and thoraco-abdominal aneurysms repair Speaker: Enrico Gallitto
10.32	SVS clinical practice guidelines Speaker: Joseph V. Lombardi
10.38	Technical difficulties and complications during the treatment of aortic arch aneurysms and dissections with branched prostheses Speaker: Marcelo Ferreira
10.44	Left subclavian revascularisation: which endovascular strategy, and when? Speaker: Bijan Modarai
10.50-11.00	Discussion
11.00-11.10	Keynote Lecture How to avoid/treat complications of complex aortic endovascular procedures Gustavo S. Oderich

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11.13-12.25	SESSION 25 ORGAN PROTECTION Moderators: James Black Laurent Chiche Andrea Kahlberg
11.13	Clinical experience on almost 500 MEP assessments Speaker: Michael J.H.M. Jacobs
11.19	Aortic arch replacement, ideas to facilitate thoraco-abdominal second stage Speaker: Emanuele Gatta
11.25	Perfusion strategy in open thoracoabdominal surgery with challenging access. What are the options? Speaker: Morad Sallam
11.31	Prevention of spinal cord ischemia after endovascular stent-graft repair of thoracic aorta Speaker: Pierfrancesco Veroux
11.37	Spinal cord ischemia in endovascular aortic repair: contemporary prevention strategies and clinical outcomes Speaker: Grace Mulatti
11.43	Endograft stiffness hurts the heart: "Robbing Peter to Pay Paul" Speaker: John A. Elefteriades
11.49	Organ protection in TAAA Speaker: Joseph S. Coselli
11.55	Prevention of spinal cord ischemia after endo TAAA reapiir using patient-specific computational modelling Speaker: Barend Mees
12.01-12.10	Discussion
12.10-12.20	Keynote Lecture Cerebral protection during aortic arch surgery Davide Pacini
12.20-12.25	WINNERS OF THE YOUNG INVESTIGATORS COMPETITION Andrea Kahlberg

12.28-13.32	SESSION 26 ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE 2 Moderators: Firas F. Mussa Fatima Javairiah Santi Trimarchi
12.28	AI in planning, seizing and endoleak detection Speaker: Igor Koncar
12.34	Benefit in AI for CBCT reconstruction Speaker: Stephan Haulon
12.40	AI and biomechanics in AAA predictive analytics Speaker: Nathan L. Liang
12.46	Deep learning-driven false-lumen volumes predict adverse remodeling better than diameter in patients with residual aortic dissection on CT Speaker: Mariangela De Masi
12.52	From scalpel to sensor: how I integrate AI, telemonitoring and remote case support into daily vascular practice Speaker: Marald Wikkeling
12.58	Visualization and comparison of hemodynamics in the native aorta and after branched endovascular repair using computational flow simulations Speaker: Fiona Rohlfes
13.04	Digital twins in aortic disease: from concept to clinical decision tool Speaker: Bijan Modarai
13.10-13.20	Discussion
13.20-13.30	Keynote Lecture Robotics in thoracic surgery Giulia Veronesi
13.30-14.00	LUNCH

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18TH - AFTERNOON

14.00-15.00	SESSION 27 EVAR COMPLICATED/RUPTURED AAA Moderators: Ali Azizzadeh Alessia Giaquinta Michael Jenkins
14.00	Endovascular repair of ruptured abdominal aortic aneurysm Speaker: Felice Pecoraro
14.06	Open conversion of infected aortic endografts: data from a prospective, multicentre registry Speaker: Antonio Freyrie
14.12	Endovascular treatment of ruptured thoracic aneurysm - single center experience Speaker: Igor Koncar
14.18	An enhanced recovery protocol for late open conversion after EVAR failure Speaker: Efrem Civilini
14.24	Improved outcomes of open repair of abdominal aneurysm rupture Speaker: Kay-Hyun Park
14.30	Addressing Type II endoleak after EVAR: an innovative strategy to improve stent-graft stability and reduce the risk of late aneurysm rupture Speaker: Rocco Giudice
14.36	A decade of the GSTT aortic infection programme. Why we should focus more on management algorithm outcomes than comparing treatment options? Speaker: Morad Sallam
14.42-14.50	Discussion
14.50-15.00	Keynote Lecture XXII Impact of endovascular protocol adoption on ruptured aortic aneurysm outcomes: lessons learned from an institutional analysis Grace Mulatti

15.03-15.47	SESSION 28 SUPRA-AORTIC / CAROTID ARTERIES Moderators: Gaetano Lanza Jimmy Wei Hwa Tan Arno von Ristow
15.03	Mini-Incision carotid endarterectomy Speaker: Enrico Ascher
15.09	Beyond dogma: strategy-driven stroke prevention in carotid revascularization Speaker: Stefano Bartoli
15.15	Completion angiography after carotid endarterectomy is crucial Speaker: Dittmar Böckler
15.21	Is it worthwhile treating carotid pseudoocclusion? Speaker: Raffaele Pulli
15.27	Impact of carotid revascularization on cognitive performance Speaker: Gianluca Faggioli
15.33	CEA in very elderly patients: indications and AI potential role Speaker: Andrea Ascoli Marchetti
15.39-15.47	Discussion

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15.50-16.55	SESSION 29 MORE ARTERIAL TOPICS Moderators: Raffaella Berchiolli Andrea Gaggiano Bernardo Mendes
15.50	Femoral complications of percutaneous access: prevention and treatment Speaker: Diletta Loschi
15.56	Primary outcomes of a BTK sirolimus-eluting bioresorbable vascular scaffold for the treatment of infrapopliteal lesions Speaker: Michael Lichtenberg
16.02	Lessons from more than 650 CERAB cases in the BeGlory registry Speaker: Barend Mees
16.08	The semmelweis legacy: lessons learned applicable to vascular and wound care practices Speaker: Peter Gloviczki
16.14	Overcoming recoil in BTK interventions: tips and tricks Speaker: Jos C. van den Berg
16.20	The guidewire crosses but nothing else does. What to do? Speaker: Marta Lobato
16.26	Innovation in aortic arch and thoracic treatment: the role of the integrated CO ₂ protocol in reducing gas embolisms Speaker: Sara Speziali
16.32	Drug eluting stent in femoropopliteal disease: real-world evidence from a single-center experience Speaker: Alessia Giaquinta
16.38-16.45	Discussion
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16.58	Stenting for left renal vein compression Speaker: Rabih Chaer
17.04	Venous stenting in oncology patients Speaker: Efthymios Avgerinos
17.10	Twenty years of clinical experience with radiofrequency ablation: evidence, outcomes, and current Speaker: Chiara Lomazzi
17.16	Mechanical thrombectomy for iliofemoral DVT treatment – current technology Speaker: Michael Lichtenberg
17.22	Outcome of stent graft treatment in the central vein stenosis Speaker: Matteo Tozzi
17.28	Our experience in the management renal tumors with vena cava involvement requiring hepatic vascular exclusion Speaker: Frederic Cochenec
17.34	Innovation in stent design applied to ilio-caval reconstruction Speaker: Domenico Baccellieri
17.40	Cyanoacrylate glue venous truncal ablation – how I do it and 5 year results Speaker: Kevin Cassar
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18.08	Thermography for screening Speaker: Paolo Raugei
18.14	Open surgery for iliac artery Speaker: Daniele Mascia
18.20	Redo surgery can bring an Olympic gold Speaker: Laurent Chiche
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18.35-19.50	SESSION 32 AORTA Moderators: Michael J.H.M. Jacobs Grace Mulatti Raffaele Pulli
18.35	Managing aortic complexity with a new off-the-shelf thoraco-abdominal: evidence, experience, and technical consideration Speaker: Nathan Lang
18.41	Aneurysm sac dynamics and its prognostic significance following fenestrated and branched endovascular aortic aneurysm repair Speaker: Sonia Ronchey
18.47	From standardization to results: AI in 4-fen PMEG and SPHERE Registry Data Speaker: Michele Piazza
18.53	Physician-modified and in situ fenestration for visceral aorta repair: combine techniques to overcome challenges Speaker: Martina Bastianon
18.59	Quadruple arch-branch in patients with arteria lusoria Speaker: Tomasz Jakimowicz
19.05	Physician modification of commercially available devices to replicate the frozen elephant trunk technique Speaker: Enrico Rinaldi
19.11	Open conversion after failed EVAR is increasing and associated with better survival and reintervention rates to F/B FEVAR Speaker: George Geroulakos
19.17	How we approach complex aortic repair in Brazil Speaker: Julio Plecat
19.23	Complex Aortic Aneurysm Repair: the current status in South Africa Speaker: James Tunnicliffe
19.29	PMEG in resources limited settings Speaker: Mohamed Hosny
19.35	Techniques for the treatment of hostile necks during EVAR Speaker: Aaron Fargion
19.41-19.50	Discussion
19.50-20.00	Closing Remarks