



**7th INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS
ON CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES**
Sofia Princess Hotel, Sofia, Bulgaria
October 24 - 26, 2013

DRAFT AGENDA

Thursday, 24 October 2013

Opal Hall

11:00-13:30 Registration

13:30-15:30 Session 1: HYPERTENSION AND CAD

13:30-13:50 The Autonomic Nervous System And Individual Approach
In Treatment Of Hypertension
Branislav Milovanovic (Serbia)

13:50-14:10 Prevalence And Characteristics Of Hypertensive Patients With
Diagnosed Atrial Fibrillation In Bulgarian Urban Population
Stefan Naydenov (Bulgaria)

14:10-14:30 Antihypertensive Treatment And Circulation Of The Target Organs.
The J-Curve : Is It Clinically Relevant ?
Svetla Torbova (Bulgaria)

14:30-14:50 Management Of Geriatric Hypertension
V.V. Muthusamy (India)

14:50-15:10 Diet And Hypertension
Yoto Yotov (Bulgaria)

15:10-15:30 Hypertension, CVD And Women
Krasimira Hristova (Bulgaria)

15:30 -16:00 Coffee-break and visit to the exhibition and the poster session

16:00-17:20 Session 2: HEART FAILURE – MANAGEMENT, THERAPY, OUTCOMES

16:00-16:20 Heart Failure- An Emerging Global Epidemic in the Elderly
Adarsh Kumar (India)

16:20-16:40 How To Strengthen Heart Muscle (Failing Heart)?
Daniel Pella (Slovakia)

- 16:40-17:00 Globalization Of Risk Factors And The Future Of Cardiovascular Protection
RB Singh (India)
- 17:00-17:20 Social Class And All Cause Mortality, In An Urban Population Of North India
J. Sharma (India)

17:30-18:30 Industry Supported Session: Gold Sponsor - Berlin -Chemie

18:30- 19:30 Opening Ceremony of 17th WCCN and 7th ICCD

Circadian Timing Matters For The Administration Of Medications, Nutraceuticals, And Food – A Tribute To Franz Halberg
Germaine Cornelissen (USA)

Friday, 25 October 2013

Opal Hall

**8:30-10:10 Session 3: METABOLIC SYNDROME, TYPE II DIABETES AND ATHEROSCLEROSIS
(joint session with Bulgarian Society of Endocrinology)**

8:30-8:50 Presentation of Matrosova (Bulgaria)

8:50 -9:10 Presentation of Elenkova (Bulgaria)

9:10- 9:30 Presentation of Boiadjieva (Bulgaria)

9:30-9:50 Cardiovascular Risk Factors In Polycystic Ovary Syndrome (PCOS)
Maria Orbetzova (Bulgaria)

9:50-10:10 Late Onset Hypogonadism And Cardio-Vascular Risk In Men
Zdravko Kamenov (Bulgaria)

10:10 -11:00 Coffee-break and visit to the exhibition and the poster session

**11:00-13:00 Session 4: ADVANCED DIAGNOSTIC METHODS AND IMAGING TECHNIQUES /ECHOCARDIOGRAPHY
(joint session with BWG of Echocardiography and EACVI)**

11:00-11:20 Presentation of Edita Plonska (Poland)

11:20-11:40 Presentaion of Maurizio Galderisi (Italy)

11:40-12:00 Echocardiography And Risk Stratification In Patients With Aortic Stenosis
Yoto Yotov (Bulgaria)

12:00-12:20 Presentaion of K.Hristova (Bulgaria)

12:20-12:40 Presentation

12:40-13:00 Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) - Option For Early Detection Of Atherosclerosis?
Jan Fedacko (Slovakia)

13:00- 14:00 Lunch break

13:00-13:45 Industry supported session

14:00-16:00 Session 5: EPIDEMIOLOGY OF HEART DISEASE

14:00-14:20 Therapeutic Approaches In Prehypertension
Peter Nikolov (Bulgaria)

14:20-14:40 Awareness Of The Bulgarian Population About Arterial Hypertension, Concomitant Cardiovascular Risk Factors And Personal Risk Profile
Stefan Naydenov (Bulgaria)

14:40-15:00 Guidelines For Drug Therapy In Hypertension In Relation To Jnc-8
RB Singh

15:00-15:20 Presentation

15:20-16:00 EUROASPIRE IV and Bulgaria
Nina Gotcheva (Bulgaria)

16:00 -16:30 Coffee-break and visit to the exhibition and the poster session

16:30-17:30 Industry supported session

17:30-19:00 Session 6: AWARDS SESSION

17:30-18:00 Dr. Zumkley Memorial Award Plenary Lecture

18:00-18:30 Dr. RB Singh Felicitation Award Lecture

18:30– 19:00 Lecture

Saturday, 26 October 2013

Opal Hall

8:30-10:30 Session 7: ACUTE CORONARY SYNDROMES: DETECTION, PREVENTION AND TREATMENT

8:30- 8:50 Cardiogenic Shock – New Inside The Therapy
Dobrin Vassilev

8:50 -9:10 End-Procedural Ischemia, But Not Postprocedural Myonecrosis After Coronary Bifurcation Stenting Predicts Long-Term Results And In-Stent Restenosis At 12 Months Follow-Up From Intracoronary Electrocardiogram (ECG) and Myonecrosis After

Bifurcation Stenting (COSIBRIA&CO)
Dobrin Vasilev, Alexander Alexandrov (Bulgaria)

9:10- 9:30 Presentation of Michele Gulizia (Italy)

9:30-9:50 Vitamin D and Immunomodulation of Coronary Artery Disease
Agrawal Devendra (USA)

9:50-10:10 Vitamin D supplementation in Management of Coronary Heart
Disease in Elderly Patients
Adarsh Kumar (India)

10:10 -10:30 Individualized Antithrombotic Therapy In Patients With CAD -
Myth Or Reality
Arman Postadjian (Bulgaria)

10:30 -11:00 Coffee-break and visit to the exhibition and the poster session

**11:00-13:00 Session 8: SECONDARY PREVENTION, MODIFICATION OF LIPOPROTEINS,
PROGNOSIS, RISK STRATIFICATION**

11:00-11:20 The Mystery Of HDL – Cholesterol
Ludmila Vladimirova –Kitova (Bulgaria)

11:20-11:40 The Link Between Salt Intake And Health: Are Students Aware Of
It?
Jelena Jovičić-Bata (Serbia)

11:40-12:00 Immunobiology Of Stenosis In Carotid Artery: Why Some People
Are Symptomatic And Others Not?
Agrawal Devendra (USA)

12:00-12:20 Optimizing Responses To Lipid-Modifying Interventions: Can
Genetic Testing Improve Safety And Efficacy?
Brian Tomlinson (Hong Kong)

12:20-12:30 Comparison Between The Immunological Changes In Elastin,
Collagen And Advanced Glycation Endproducts Turnover In
Hypertensive Patients With And Without Diabetes Mellitus
E. Mekenyan (Bulgaria)

12:30- 12:40 Immunological Changes In Elastin Metabolism In Prehypertensive
Patients With Metabolic Syndrome
E. Mekenyan (Bulgaria)

12:40-13:00 Epicardial Adipose Tissue, Obesity and Inflammation in
Atherosclerosis
Agrawal Devendra (USA)

13:00- 14:00 Lunch break

13:00-13:45 **Industry supported session**

14:00-16:30 **Session 9: PRIMARY PREVENTION OF CORONARY ARTERY DISEASE / RISK FACTORS FOR ATHEROTHROMBOTIC DISEASE**

- 14:00-14:20 Alcohol And Cardiovascular Risk Factors
Fedya Nikolov (Bulgaria)
- 14:20-14:40 Relationship Between Cardiovascular Risk Factors Reduction And Degree Of Weight Loss
Valentina Mincheva (Bulgaria)
- 14:40-15:00 Challenges In The Pharmacological Management Of Atherosclerosis
Anna Tavridou (Greece)
- 15:00-15:20 Heart Rate, Blood Pressure And Psychological Functioning Of Adolescents
Agnieszka Wilczynska (Poland)
- 15:20-16:00 Estradiol Has Opposing Action On Inflammation In Women With Cardiac Syndrome X
Yousef Rasmi (Iran)
- 16:00-16:15 Correlation Of Blood Pressure And Sodium Intake Among Students From Novi Sad, Serbia
Jelena Jovičić-Bata (Serbia)
- 16:15-16: 30 Cardiovascular Changes In Patients Having Psoriasis Vulgaris
Snejana Tisheva (Bulgaria)

16:30 -16:45 **Closing remarks**