



European Bifurcation Club



Bulgarian
Bifurcation Course



Bulgarian Society
of Interventional Cardiology

Bulgarian Bifurcation and Complex Coronary Interventions Course

23-24 January 2015
Tokuda Hospital, Sofia

PROGRAM

Friday, 23 January 2015

- 8:00 – 8:30** **Registration**
- 8:30 – 9:00** **Opening ceremony**
Opening from International Directors of BBCCIC
Y. Louvard
R. Gil
Opening from National Director of BBCCIC
D. Vassilev
V. Velchev
V. Gelev
- 9:00 – 11:00** **Morning session**
/with the educational grant by Actavis/
Moderators: Y. Louvard, R. Gil
Panelists: I. Iakovou, G. Rigatelli, V. Gelev, P. Gatzov, I. Sheiban
- 9:00 – 9:20 New EBC statement – what new?
Y. Louvard
- 9:20 – 9:40 Should we have to do KBI - lessons from trials
I. Sheiban
- 9:40 – 10:00 What IVUS and OCT could give for bifurcation PCI?
I. Iakovou
- 10:00 – 10:20 What we have learnt from bench tests?
F. Nagy
- 10:20 – 10:40 Drug eluting balloons in bifurcation PCI
G. Rigatelli
- 10:40 – 11:00 BVS as a potential device for bifurcation
R. Gil
- 11:00 – 11:20** **The collaboration between cardiology and cardiac surgery in complex coronary intervention**
L. Samuels
- 11:20 – 11:40** **Coffee-break**
- 11:40 – 13:00** **Live case session I**
Moderators: G. Rigatelli, I. Sheiban
Panelists: M. Ferenc, V. Gelev, M. Konteva
Operators:
Case 1: I. Iakovou, V. Velchev, I. Zheleva
Case 2: R. Gil, D. Vassilev, O. Radev

13:00 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 14:30	Symposium of Silver Sponsor – Abbott Vascular & Medimag MS How should I treat coronary bifurcations with BVS? Introduction V. Gelev Case 1 O. Radev Discussion Case 2 K. Karamfiloff Discussion Take-home messages D. Vassilev
14:30 – 17:10	Afternoon session Moderators: M. Ferenc, D. Vassilev Panelists: V. Velchev, I. Martinov, D. Hazarbassanov, G. Tonev, D. Trendafilova 14:30 – 14:50 Are there still a role of FFR in bifurcation PCI? G. Heyndrickx 14:50 - 15:10 FFR in LM and tandem stenosis. How to base treatment decision on numbers? I. Iakovou 15:10 – 15:30 What is the best 2 stent technique for bifurcation lesions? – Crush & Culottes I. Sheiban 15:30 – 15:50 What is the best 2 stent technique for bifurcation lesions? – T-stenting and TAP M. Ferenc 15:50 – 16:10 When we should do double stenting in coronary bifurcation PCI – SL V. Gelev 16:10 – 16:30 How to overcome difficult situations during bifurcation PCI? Y. Louvard 16:30 – 16:50 Dedicated bifurcation stents overview R. Gil 16:50 – 17:10 Presentation sponsored by Vega Medical - official partner of Biosensors in Bulgaria Can we use dedicated bifurcation stent in ACS? Just AXXESS it! F. Fouladvand
17:10 – 17:30	Chocolate coffee-break
17:30 – 18:00	Symposium of Silver Sponsor – Biotronik Proven and leading drug eluting technologies for complex lesions by Biotronik B. Beleslin, Cardiology Clinic, Clinical Center Serbia, Belgrade V. Stoyanov
18:00 – 19:20	Live case session II Moderators: Y. Louvard, R. Gil Panelists: V. Velchev, F. Fouladvand, G. Heyndrickx Operators: Case 3: M. Ferenc, V. Gelev Case 4: I. Sheiban, D. Vassilev, I. Zheleva

Saturday, 24 January 2015

8:30 – 9:50 **Restenosis after PCI - EBM and treatment algorithm
/with the educational grant by Astra Zeneca/**
Moderators: V. Gelev, F. Nagy
Panelists: M. Ferenc, Y. Louvard, O. Radev, V. Velchev
8:30 - 8:50 Restenosis mechanisms
 I. Martinov
8:50 - 9:10 ISR post DES – treatment options
 D. Trendafilova
9:10 - 9:30 Re-restenosis after DEB
 R. Gil
9:30 – 9:50 Restenosis – how to treat in 2015?
 I. Sheiban

9:50 – 10:20 **Apple coffee-break**

10:20 – 10:50 **Silver Sponsor’s presentation and discussion – Medtronic
Bifurcations and transradial approach**
J. Kostov, University Cardiology Clinic, Skopje, Macedonia

10:50 - 12:00 **Case – restenosis after DES**
Moderators: G. Heyndrickx, F. Nagy
Panelists: M. Konteva, N. Rifai, K. Karamfiloff
Operators:
Case 5: Y. Louvard, V. Gelev
Case 6: G. Rigatelli, O. Radev

12:00 – 13:00 **Gold Sponsor’s symposium - Balton**
Our approach to optimal treatment of complex coronary stenoses
Chairpersons: R. Gil, D. Vassilev
Panelists: V. Gelev, V. Velchev

Welcome and objectives
R. Gil, D. Vassilev

ALEX stent: thin struts and bioresorbable polymer as best solution for healing
promotion and outcome improvement.

BiOSS stent: from stainless steel to chromium-cobalt alloy. Lessons from registries
and randomized studies.

Presentation of interesting clinical cases

Closing remarks
R. Gil

13:00 – 14:00 **Lunch**

- 14:00 -15:00** **Complete revascularization – reality or dream**
The Rational behind the complete revascularization and the role of residual Syntax score to assess it
Functional revascularization (opposed to anatomical) in multivessel patient
Moderators: D. Trendafilova, K. Karamfiloff
Panelists: G. Heyndrickx, Y. Louvard, G. Tonev
- 14:00 - 14:20 FFR in multivessel disease- my way and tips and tricks for the FFR-naive interventionalist
G. Heyndrickx
- 14:20 – 14:40 How much vital myocardium is needed to justify CTO recanalisation? Quantitive assessment from PET, SPECT, MRI, Stress echo
Y. Louvard
- 14:40 – 15:00 FFR in bifurcation PCI – is it alive?
D. Vassilev
- 15:00 -16:00** **Live-case – multivessel patient – functional assessment?**
Moderator: G. Heyndrickx, K. Karamfiloff
Panelists: M. Ferenc, O. Radev, I. Zheleva
Operators:
Case 7: R. Gil, V. Stoyanov
Case 8: Y. Louvard, V. Gelev
- 16:00 – 16:20** **Coffee-break**
- 16:20 – 16:50** **Symposium of Silver Sponsor – Meril**
Kaleidoscope of Novel Interventional Technologies
Co-chair and moderator: J. Jorgova
Expert panel: D. Vassilev, D. Hazarbassanov
- 16:20 – 16:28 Science behind BioMime and meriT clinical update & meriT V
H. Mateev
- 16:28 – 16:36 BioMime Bulgarian experience and clinical data
G. Mazhdakov
- 16:36 – 16:44 Novel technologies from Meril - BRS, TAVR and beyond
D. Vassilev
- 16:44 – 16:50 Panel Discussion
- 16:50 - 18:10** **Lesion preparation before stenting**
Moderator: V. Velchev
Panelists: G. Rigatelli, F. Nagy, M. Konteva, I. Martinov
- 16:50 - 17:10 Intracoronary imaging IVUS vs. OCT?
M. Konteva, M. Marzyanov
- 17:10 – 17:30 Rota – When and how? Tips and tricks
G. Heyndrickx
- 17:30 - 17:50 Pre- and post dilatation. Rules for rational balloon selection
G. Rigatelli
- 17:50 – 18:10 Criteria for optimal/acceptable final result from angio, stent boost, IVUS, OCT
F. Nagy