



European Bifurcation Club



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## Sixth Bulgarian Bifurcation and Complex Coronary Interventions Course

20-22 January 2017

Sofia, Acibadem City Clinic Tokuda Hospital

### PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Friday, 20 January 2017

13:00 <i>/floor 9/</i>	<b>Registration</b>
14:00 - 15:30 <i>/Study hall, floor 2/</i>	<b>Session I - Hands-on session for young interventional cardiologists</b> <b>G. Stankovic</b> <i>/Only approved in advance applicants will be eligible to join hands-on activities. Sessions will be transmitted live in the Study hall. Please, consider the limited capacity of the Study hall – up to 20 persons./</i>
15:30 – 15:45	<b>Break</b>
15:45 – 17:00 <i>/Study hall, floor 2/</i>	<b>Session II - Hands-on session for young interventional cardiologists</b> <b>Y. Louvard, G. Stankovic</b> <i>/Only approved in advance applicants will be eligible to join hands-on activities. Sessions will be transmitted live in the Study hall. Please, consider the limited capacity of the Study hall – up to 20 persons./</i>
17:00 – 17:15 <i>/floor 9/</i>	<b>Coffee-break and a visit to the exhibition</b>
17:15 – 18:15 <i>/Auditorium, floor 9/</i>	<b>Session III - Recorded cases of young interventional cardiologists I - presentations</b> Moderators: Y. Louvard, G. Heyndrickx, M. Pan Panelists: D. Trendafilova, F. Fouladvand, K. Karamfilov 17:15 – 17:30 Case 1 17:30 – 17:35 Discussion  17:35 – 17:50 Case 2 17:50 – 17:55 Discussion  17:55 – 18:10 Case 3 18:10 – 18:15 Discussion

**Saturday, 21 January 2017**

**Auditorium, floor 9**

<b>8:00 – 8:15</b>	<b>Opening ceremony</b>
<b>8:15 – 9:15</b>	<b>Session IV: Bifurcations – What's new?</b> Moderators: G. Stankovic, Y. Louvard Panelists: D. Hazarbasanov, I. Petrov
	8:15 – 8:35      Summary of the studies of the last year R. Gil
	8:35 – 8:55      Update and technical approaches for coronary bifurcation stenting G. Stankovic
	8:55 – 9:15      Bifurcation that will never be included in neither study Y. Louvard
<b>9:15 - 10:30</b>	<b>Live case session I</b> Moderators: S. Mot, R. Gil Panelists: D. Trendafilova, P. Gatzov, I. Jeleva Operators: Case 1: Case 2:
<b>10:30 – 10:45</b>	<b>Coffee-break and a visit to the exhibition</b>
<b>10:45 - 11:45</b>	<b>Symposium of Gold Sponsor – Balton</b> <b>BiOSS Lim C and ALEX Plus stents (Balton Company, Warsaw PL) - further steps towards the optimization of coronary stenosis treatment</b> Chairmen: D. Vassilev, R. Gil Panelists: <b>10:45 – 10:48 Welcome to BALTON symposium</b> R. Gil <b>10:48 – 11:03 Assessment of vascular response of BiOSS LIM C® stent vs Orsiro® stent in the porcine coronary artery model</b> D. Vassilev <b>11:03 – 11:18 First-in-Men for a Thin-Strut, Chromium-Cobalt Version of the Dedicated Bifurcation Stent BiOSS® Lim: 3 month results for ongoing Registry</b> R. Gil <b>11:18 – 11:33 Sirolimus-eluting stent ALEX Plus® with a biodegradable polymer in the all-comers population: one year clinical results with quantitative coronary angiography and optical coherence tomography analysis</b> R. Gil <b>11:33 – 11:43 Presentation of clinical cases</b> R. Gil <b>11:43 – 11:45 Take home message</b> D. Vassilev

<b>11:45 – 12:15</b>	<b>Symposium of Silver Sponsor - Biotronik</b> <b>Proven last generation products combined with upcoming future – Magmaris</b> <b>D. Vassilev, V. Gelev, I. Jeleva</b>
<b>12:15 - 13:30</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>13:30 – 14:00</b>	<b>Symposium of Silver Sponsor – Bracco</b> <b>ACIST Symposium – Microcathether based FFR</b> <b>D. Vassilev</b>
<b>14:00 - 15:00</b>	<b>Session V: Left Main</b> Moderators: J. Jorgova, I. Ungi, J. Rigatelli Panelists: S. Kedev, G. Tonev, V. Stoyanov 14:00 – 14:20 Treatment strategies of Left Main S. Kedev 14:20 – 14:40 The role of the intravascular imaging in the Left Main treatment M. Pan 14:40 – 15:00 Left Main PCI in the context of randomized trial /Excel & Noble registries/ M. Ferenc
<b>15:00 - 16:30</b>	<b>Live case session II</b> Moderators: I. Ungi, Y. Louvard Panelists: I. Manoukov, N. Konstantinidis Operators: Case 3: Case 4:
<b>16:30 – 16:45</b>	<b>Coffee-break and a visit to the exhibition</b>
<b>16:45 - 17:45</b>	<b>Session VI: CTO News</b> Moderators: G. Sianos, V. Gelev Panelists: Y. Louvard, S. Kedev 16:45 – 17:05 Retrograde approach - modern trends in CTO recanalization and the role of retrograde approach G. Sianos 17:05 – 17:25 Antegrade approach for CTO recanalization I. Ungi 17:25 – 17:45 Rationale for CTO recanalization N. Konstantinidis <b>17:45 – 18:00 Presentation by Terumo</b> <b>The role of double-lumen micro-catheters in a CTO recanalization</b> <b>G. Sianos</b>
<b>18:00 - 19:30</b>	<b>Live case session III</b> Moderators: Y. Louvard, S. Kedev Panelists: Operators: G. Sianos, V. Gelev Case 5

**Sunday, 22 January 2017**

**Auditorium, floor 9**

<b>9:00 – 10:00</b>	<b>Session VII: Complications</b> Moderators: G. Sianos, I. Ungi Panelists: M. Pan, J. Rigatelli, G. Mazdrakov 9:00 – 9:20 Coronary perforation – incidence, mechanism, outcome G. Heyndrickx 9:20 – 9:40 Management and new devices J. Rigatelli 9:40 – 10:00 Discussion
<b>10:00 – 10:30</b>	<b>Symposium of SMT - Silver Sponsor</b> <b>TALENT RCT in Bulgaria and Supraflex in UK</b> <b>Chairperson: D. Vassilev</b> <b>Panelists: H. Mateev, D. Hazarbasanov</b>  <b>Talent RCT in Bulgaria, G. Tonev, Plovdiv (Bulgaria)</b>  <b>Supraflex in UK</b> <b>A. Choudhury, University hospital Wales, Cardiff, UK</b>
<b>10:30 – 10:45</b>	<b>Coffee-break and a visit to the exhibition</b>
<b>10:45 – 11:15</b>	<b>Symposium of Silver Sponsor – Quantum &amp; Meril</b> <b>Clinical Kaleidoscope of Novel Interventional Technologies</b> <b>Moderator: S. Kedev</b> <b>Expert panel: D. Vassilev, V. Gelev, H. Mateev</b>  <b>10:45 – 10:55 BioMime Novel DES and clinical update and future technologies</b> G. Mazdrakov <b>10:55 – 11:05 My experience with BioMime Morph – world's 1<sup>st</sup> tapered coronary SES</b> I. Ungi <b>11:05 – 11:15 Substance to Sublime – MeRes 100 clinical update and cases</b> S. Kedev
<b>11:15 - 12:15</b>	<b>Session VIII: Revascularization strategies in patients with diabetes</b>  <b>Educational grant by:</b> <b>Actavis</b>  Moderators: S. Kedev, Y. Louvard, R. Gil Panelists: M. Konteva, R. Kasabov 11:15 – 11:45 PCI in Diabetics – Pros R. Gil 11:45 – 12:15 PCI in Diabetics – Cons I. Sheiban

**12:15 – 13:15**      **Session IX - Recorded cases of young interventional cardiologists II - presentations**

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Moderator: Y. Louvard

Panelists: D. Trendafilova, F. Fouladvand, K. Karamfilov

12:15 – 12:30 Case 4

12:30 – 12:35 Discussion

12:35 – 12:50 Case 5

12:50 – 12:55 Discussion

12:55 – 13:10 Case 6

13:10 – 13:15 Discussion

**13:15 - 13:30**      **Best case award and closing remarks**