



7th IUA Course for Young Vascular Specialists

July 10 - 14, 2019
Prague, Czech Republic



SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

Updated on May 11, 2019

Wednesday, July 10

from 12.00 *Arrival*
19.30–21.30 *Get-Together Dinner*

Thursday, July 11

- 9.00–9.30 *Introductory Remarks*
K. Roztocil (Czech Rep.), J. Fareed (USA), J. Pitha (Czech Rep.)
- 9.30–10.00 *Pre-Course Evaluation Test*
J. Pitha (Czech Rep.), K. Roztocil (Czech Rep.)
- 10.00–10.15 *Coffee mini-break*
- 10.15–12.00 *Detection and Management of (Cardio)Vascular Risk Factors***
Moderators: M.K. Jezovnik (Slovenia), J. Pitha (Czech Rep.)
- 10.15–10.40 *Risk Factors for Cardiovascular Diseases and Their Management with Focus on PAD*
J. Pitha (Czech Rep.)
- 10.40–11.05 *Diabetes Mellitus and Vascular Disease*
P. Pithova (Czech Rep.)
- 11.05–11.30 *Detection of Preclinical Atherosclerosis Using Ultrasound and Its Value in Cardiovascular Risk Assessment*
M.K. Jezovnik (Slovenia)
- 11.30–12.00 *Panel discussion*
- 12.00–13.00 *Lunch*
- 13.00–15.15 *Peripheral Arterial Disease***
Moderator: J. Chlupac (Czech R.), M.K. Jezovnik (Slovenia)
- 13.00–13.25 *Diagnostic Approaches to PAD & Medical Management*
M.K. Jezovnik (Slovenia)
- 13.25–13.50 *Endovascular Treatment of PAD*
TBA
- 13.50–14.15 *Stem Cells in PAD Treatment – Clinician’s Perspective*
L. Guo (China)
- 14.15–14.40 *Anticoagulant/Antiplatelet Combinations and PCSK9 Inhibitors in the Management of Atherosclerotic Progression*
E. Ramacciotti (Brazil)



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- 14.40–15.15 Panel discussion
- 15.15–15.30 *Coffee mini-break*
- 15.30–17.00 **Hands-On Workshops**
Duplex Ultrasound of Peripheral Arteries & Abdominal Aorta
(3 groups: J. Pitha, M.K. Jezovnik, J. Kazil)

Friday, July 12

- 9.00–11.00 **Venous Thromboembolism I**
Moderators: J. Hirmerova, K. Roztocil (Czech Rep.)
- 9.00–9.25 Pathogenesis of Thrombotic and Vascular Disorders: Update on the Newer Mechanisms
J. Fareed (USA)
- 9.25–9.50 Thrombophilias
J. Hirmerova (Czech Rep.)
- 9.50–10.15 VTE Risk Stratification Including the Caprini Score
A. Tafur (USA)
- 10.15–10.40 Advances in the Diagnosis and Medical Management of Venous Thromboembolism
E. Ramacciotti (Brazil)
- 10.40–11.00 Panel discussion
- 11.00–11.15 *Coffee mini-break*
- 11.15–13.00 **Venous Thromboembolism II**
Moderators: J. Hirmerova, K. Roztocil (Czech Rep.)
- 11.15–11.40 Perioperative Anticoagulation Management
A. Tafur (USA)
- 11.40–12.05 Surgical and Endovascular Management of Venous Thromboembolism
E. Ramacciotti (Brazil)
- 12.05–12.30 Can We Prevent DVT Recurrence?
E. Ramacciotti (Brazil)
- 12.30–12.50 Panel discussion
- 12.50–13.50 *Lunch*



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- 13.50–15.50 **Chronic Venous Disease**
Moderator: K. Roztocil (Czech Rep.)
- 13.50–14.15 Pathophysiology of Chronic Venous Disease and Related Disorders
C. Lattimer (UK)
- 14.15–14.40 Venoactive Drugs
K. Roztocil (Czech Rep.)
- 14.40–15.20 Open and Endovascular Treatment of Varicose Veins – Comparison of Methods
R. Vlachovsky (Czech Rep.)
- 15.20–15.45 Air Plethysmography and the New Venous Drainage Index
C. Lattimer (UK)
- 15.45–16.15 Panel discussion
- 16.15–16.30 *Coffee mini-break*
- 16.30–17.30 **Hands-On Workshops**
Duplex Ultrasound of Peripheral Veins (4 groups: *J. Hirmerova, M.K. Jezovnik, J. Kazil, J. Pitha*)
Air Plethysmography
(1 group: *C. Lattimer*)

Saturday, July 13

- 9.00–10.45 **Aortic Disease**
Moderator: J. Chlupac (Czech Rep.)
- 9.00–9.25 Diagnostic Approaches
TBA
- 9.25–9.50 Open Repair of Aortic Disease
J. Chlupac (Czech Rep.)
- 9.50–10.15 Endovascular Approaches to AAA
S. Nikol (Germany)
- 10.15–10.45 Panel Discussion
- 10.45–11.00 *Coffee mini-break*
- 11.00–13.00 **Cerebrovascular Artery Disease and Stroke**
Moderators: H.C. Koennecke (Germany), J. Pitha (Czech Rep.)
- 11.00–11.25 Stroke Management
H.C. Koennecke (Germany)



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- 11.25–11.40 The Best Medical Treatment in (A)symptomatic and Not Only Carotid Stenosis – Practical Approach
J. Pitha (Czech Rep.)
- 11.40–11.55 Patients with (A)symptomatic Carotid Stenosis – Neurologist’s View
H.C. Koennecke (Germany)
- 11.55–12.10 The Best Intervention(s) in (A)symptomatic Carotid Stenosis – Surgeon’s View
J. Chlupac (Czech Rep.)
- 12.10–12.25 The Best Intervention(s) in (A)symptomatic Carotid Stenosis – Interventional Angiologist’s View
S. Nikol (Germany)
- 12.25–13.00 Panel discussion
- 13.00–14.00 *Lunch*
- 14.00–15.30 Novel Imaging Methods and Interactive Case Reports**
- 14.00–15.00 Interactive Case Reports
P. Carpentier (France)
- 15.00–15.30 Importance of Microcirculation in the Clinical Approach to Vascular Diseases
P. Carpentier (France)
- 15.30–15.45 *Coffee mini-break*
- 15.45–16.10 Clinical Research & Trials**
- 15.45–16.10 Basic Principles for Clinical and Translational Research in Vascular Medicine – Importance of Clinical Trials
E. Ramacciotti (Brazil)
- 16.15–17.30 **Hands-On Workshops**
Duplex Ultrasound of Carotid Arteries (3 groups: *M.K. Jezovnik, J. Kazil, P. Pithova*)
Duplex Ultrasound of Hemodialysis AV shunts (1 group: *J. Pitha*)
Air Plethysmography
(1 group: *C. Lattimer*)



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Sunday, July 14

- 9.30–10.45** **Complications in Vascular Interventions – Prevention and Management**
Moderator: J. Chlupac (Czech Rep.)
- 9.30–9.55 Main Complications in Vascular Interventions/Surgery
TBA
- 9.55–10.20 Hematologic Problems in Vascular Surgery: Bleeding and Thrombosis
J. Fareed (USA)
- 10.20–10.45 Panel discussion
- 10.45–11.00* *Coffee mini-break*
- 11.00–13.00** **Lymphology and AV Malformations**
Moderator: A. Tafur (USA)
- 11.00–11.35 Lymphatic Disorders: An Overview, Advances in Therapy and Clinical Cases
I. Quere (France) – TBC
- 11.35–12.10 Vascular Malformations: An Overview, Advances in Therapy and Clinical Cases
A. Tafur (USA)
- 12.10–12.45 Vascular Aneurysms (title to be specified)
R. Novotny (Czech Rep.)
- 12.45–13.00 Panel discussion
- 13.00–14.00* *Lunch*
- 14.00–15.30** **Case Reports I**
Moderators: J. Pitha (Czech Rep.), J. Kazil (USA), M.K. Jezovnik (Slovenia)
- 15.30–15.45* *Coffee mini-break*
- 15.45–17.00 **Case Reports II**
Moderators: J. Pitha (Czech Rep.), J. Kazil (USA), M.K. Jezovnik (Slovenia)
- 17.00 Closing Remarks