



Final Programme

**European Society for Vascular Surgery
30th Annual Meeting**

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Copenhagen, Denmark

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Welcome!



Dear ESVS members, colleagues, partners and friends,

We are delighted to welcome you to the beautiful city of Copenhagen for the 30th Annual Meeting of the ESVS.

This year's meeting is very special as it marks the 30th anniversary of the event. Since its inception, the ESVS has supported education and scientific research to stimulate debates, to challenge existing knowledge, and to educate the next generation and all those interested in vascular surgery and medicine.

As a result, over the years we have created an excellent and well regarded Journal. ESVS practice guidelines including AAA, CLI, carotid and venous disease which are very well cited have been implemented. An education and training committee was formed and numerous well attended workshops and courses have been offered. Continuous efforts are made to unite the European vascular community. Support and close collaboration with the UEMS has ensured that the Fellow of European Board of Vascular Surgery (FEBVS) Examination is well established and now mandatory to work as a vascular surgeon in some countries. To implement common standards and learn from each other, the VascuNet collaboration was inaugurated. Quality improvement and health care maintenance are important cornerstones within the work of this multinational group.

In this perspective, we are excited to provide vascular specialists with a three day meeting on the latest innovation in research, developments in clinical practice, and care.

Our extensive programme gives you the opportunity to:

- Take part in presentations and discussions by leading vascular clinicians on important updates and re-evaluations of the latest technologies and techniques, pharmaceutical agents, radiation protection, diagnostic modalities, and data from clinical trials.
- Improve your skills in our extensive vascular and endovascular workshop programme.
- Engage with your peers during plenary scientific sessions derived from peer reviewed abstracts, in addition to state of the art lectures.

We also invite you to meet and connect with colleagues and industry partners during our various social events and coffee breaks.

We hope that you will enjoy our scientific programme and wish you a memorable meeting.

We look forward to speaking with you personally.

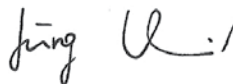
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Programme at a Glance

Wednesday, 28 September 2016

	CONGRESS HALL	CARSTENSEN	PJERROT	EXHIBITION HALL	COLUMBINE	ARKADEN 8	HARLEKIN
08:00					FEBVS Technical Skills Revision Course		
08:45	Opening Comments						
09:00	SY 01 - Aortic	EVST 01 Case Reports	N&T 01 - Vascular Nurses Plenary Session I	Posters on Display		Masterclass on Scientific Writing	Complex AAA Workshop
09:30							
10:00							
10:45	Coffee						
11:15	SS 01 - Thoracic Aorta	EVST 02 Training Session	N&T 02 - Vascular Nurses Plenary Session II				
11:30							
12:00		EVST AGM					
12:30	Lunch			VascForward Lunch Symposium		Lunch	
13:00							
13:30							
14:00	SS 02 - Prize Session	EVST 03 Aortic Dissection	N&T 03 - Endovascular Assistant Plenary Session	Judging of ESVS Posters by Scoring Committee		Fundamental Endovascular Workshop	Vascular Trauma Workshop
14:30							
15:00							
15:30	Coffee						
16:00	SY 02 - Carotid	SS 03 - Aorta		EVST 04 - Prize Poster Session			
16:30							
17:00			EVST Honorary Lecture				
17:30	ESVS AGM						
18:00							
18:15		Presidential Address					
18:30				Welcome Reception			
19:00							
19:30							

Thursday, 29 September 2016

	ARKADEN 6	CONGRESS HALL	CARSTENSEN	PJERROT	EXHIBITION HALL	COLUMBINE	ARKADEN 8			
07:00	Vascunet Meeting									
07:30										
08:00		SY 03 - ESVS/ DKKS Joint Symposium	SS 04 - Miscellaneous (1)	ESVS Prize Poster Session	Posters on Display	FEBVS Academic & Clinical Skills Revision Course				
08:30										
09:00	SY 04 - ESVS/ EWMA Joint Symposium	SS 05 - Carotid	N&T 04 - Vascular Technicians and Nursing Research Plenary Session	Venous Workshop						
09:30										
10:00										
10:45	Coffee									
11:15	SY 05 - Ongoing Trials	SS 06 - PAD	N&T 05 - Round Table Discussions							
11:30										
12:00										
12:30	Volodos Keynote Lecture									
13:00	Lunch		Industry Lunch Symposium - Venous	Lunch			Lunch			
13:30										
14:00		ISS 01 - Aorta	ISS 02 - Venous	ISS 03 - Clinical Trials			Masterclass Lower Limb Ultrasound			
14:30										
15:00										
15:30	Coffee									
16:00		SY 06 - ESVS/ EACTS Joint Symposium	SY 07 - PAD	SS 07 - Basic Science						
16:30										
17:00										
17:30										
18:00										

Programme at a Glance

Friday, 30 September 2016

	CONGRESS HALL	CARSTENSEN	PJERROT	EXHIBITION HALL
08:00	SS 08 - Miscellaneous (2)	ISS 04 - Wound Management		Posters on Display
08:30				
09:00	SY 08 - Mesenteric Ischemia	SS 09 - Venous/Wound		
09:30				
10:00	Coffee			
10:30	SY 09 - ESVS/SVS Debates	SY 10 - Venous	SS 10 - Miscellaneous (3)	
11:15				
11:30				
12:00				
12:15	Closing Ceremony			
13:00				



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Scientific Programme

Wednesday, 28 September 2016
SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

Wednesday, 28 September 2016

08:45 – 9:00

CONGRESS HALL
Ground floor

OPENING COMMENTS

Jürg Schmidli, ESVS President, Switzerland
Henrik Sillesen, Local Committee Chair, Denmark

09:00 – 10:45

CONGRESS HALL
Ground floor

SY 01 – AORTIC

Update on AAA Treatment

Chairs: *Jürg Schmidli, Switzerland* and *Henrik Sillesen, Denmark*

- Influencing factors and prevention of aneurysm growth and rupture
Anders Wanhainen, Sweden
- Meta-analysis and long-term results of the major EVAR trials
Janet Powell, United Kingdom
- AAA indication, treatment and results: are male and female equal?
Tina Cohnert, Austria
- Device developments in EVAR: what did we learn from the past, what do we need for the future?
Fabio Verzini, Italy
- Fenestrated grafts or chimneys: which to prefer when?
Nikolaos Tsilimparis, Germany
- What to do with the hypogastric artery?
Eric Verhoeven, Germany

09:00 – 10:45

EVST 01 – CASE REPORTS

CARSTENSEN

-1 floor

Chairs: **Vincent Jongkind**, *The Netherlands* and **Roman Radysh**, *Ukraine*

- Failed fully minimally invasive staged treatment of a giant aortic sac aneurysm in extremely hostile abdomen after open repair of a rupture abdominal aortic aneurysm.
Andres Reyes Valdivia, *Africa Duque Santos, Juan Sanchez Corral, Javier Blazquez Blazquez, Julia Ocaña Guaita, Claudio Gandarias Zúñiga*
- Repair of multiple aneurysms in Takayasu arteritis and family planning
Florian Enzmann, *Manuela Aspalter, Patrick Nierlich, Julio Ellacuriaga San Martin, Thomas Hölzenbein*
- Aneurysm of a right aortic arch and aberrant left subclavian artery: hybrid treatment
Marvin E. Garcia Reyes, *Valentín Fernández Valenzuela, Daniel Gil Sala, Jose Manuel Domínguez González, Sergi Bellmunt Montoya*
- Semiconversion as a definitive treatment for persistent type 2 endoleak causing aneurysm sac enlargement
Alexander Croo, *Eva-Line Decoster, Isabelle Van Herzeele, Frank Vermassen*
- Endovenectomy of the femoral veins for post-thrombotic syndrome with venous claudication
Silvan Jungi, *Thomas Wyss, Pascal Kissling, Vladimir Makaloski, Daniel Becker, Jürg Schmidli*
- Management of abdominal aortic protheto-duodenal fistula by in-situ replacement with a custom made bifurcated aortoiliacal bovine pericardium xenograft
Juliette Brusa, *Stefan Ockert, Robert Seelos*
- Familial abdominal aortic aneurysm
Koen M. Van De Luijngaarden, *Frederico Bastos Gonçalves, Sanne Hoeks, Dittmar Böckler, Robert Jan Stolker, Hence Verhagen*
- Vascular and endovascular interventions in retro-peritoneal sarcoma
Mohamed Abdelhamid, *Joseph Hockley, Shirley Jansen, Stefan Ponosh*
- Endovascular recanalization of endograft limb occlusion after endovascular aortic repair
Carlota Fernandez Prendes, *Sara Busto Suarez, Ahmad Amer Zanabli Al-Sibbai, Jose Manuel Llana Coto, Lino Antonio Camblor Santervas, Manuel Alonso Perez*

09:00 – 10:45

PJERROT
Ground floor

N&T 01 – VASCULAR NURSES PLENARY SESSION I

Chair: **Margit Roed**, *Denmark*

- Secondary prevention for patients with PAD – What do we know about the effects?

Christine Kumlien, *Sweden*

- Patient participation in quality improvement and research

Hanne Konradsen, *Sweden*

- Patient involvement from a UK perspective

Louise Allen, *United Kingdom*

- Patient safety in vascular surgery

Rachael Lear, *United Kingdom*

11:15 – 13:00

CONGRESS HALL
Ground floor

SS 01 – THORACIC AORTA

Chairs: **Jürg Schmidli**, *Switzerland* and **Sebastian Debus**, *Germany*

Keynote Lecture

Does remodeling of the aorta outweigh morbidity and mortality of early TEVAR in uncomplicated Type B aortic dissection?

Stephan Haulon, *France*

OP 001

New facilitated method for F-Evar and B-Evar

Krister Liungman, *Anders Wanhainen*, *Kevin Mani*, *Linus Bosaeus*,
Mario Lachat

OP 002

T-branch in thoraco-abdominal aneurysm treatment

Tomasz Jakimowicz, *Jacek Szmidi*, *Piotr Hammer*, *Grzegorz Witek*,
Slawomir Nazarewski

OP 003

Arteriotomy closure devices in EVAR, TEVAR, and TAVR: A systematic review and meta-analysis of indications, complications and duration of treatment

Bastiaan P. Vierhout, *Robert Pol*, *Mostafa El Mounni*, *Clark J. Zeebregts*

OP 004

Late results of thoracoabdominal aortic aneurysm open repair with respect to different visceral artery revascularization techniques

Andrea Kahlberg, *Riccardo Miloro*, *Angela M. Ferrante*, *Luca Bertoglio*,
Daniele Mascia, *Enrico Rinaldi*, *Germano Melissano*, *Roberto Chiesa*

OP 005

Early and mid-term outcome of fenestrated and branch thoracoabdominal aortic repair with renovisceral incorporation and supraceliac coverage

Andreas Koutsoumpelis, *Massimo Vezzosi*, *Mauro Lafrancesco*,
Aaron Ranasinghe, *Jorge Mascaro*, *Martin Claridge*, *Donald Adam*

OP 006

Surgical treatment of 52 patients with midaortic dysplastic syndrome
Valeriy Arakelyan, *Inna Chshieva*, *Vasil Papitashvili*, *Nazim Gamzaev*,
Nikita Gidaspov, *Natalya Bortnikova*

OP 007 Modified reversed frozen elephant trunk for thoracoabdominal aortic repair in a pig model
Sebastian Debus, Tilo Kölbel, Daniel Manzoni, Anna Dupree, Henrik Rieß, Nikolaos Tsilimparis, Sabine H. Wipper

OP 008 Treatment trends and outcomes of open and endovascular thoracoabdominal aortic repairs in a single center
Gustavo S. Oderich, Ying Huang, Mauricio Ribeiro, Thomas C. Bower, Alberto Pochettino, Manju Kalra, Mark D. Fleming, Randall R. DeMartino, Peter Glaviczi

OP 009 Thoraco-abdominal open repair in patients with previous thoracic endografting
Enrico Rinaldi, Germano Melissano, Luca Bertoglio, Andrea Kahlberg, Daniele Yamume Tshomba, Roberto Chiesa

11:15 – 12:30

EVST 02 – TRAINING SESSION

CARSTENSEN
 -1 floor

Chairs: **Jonathan Beard**, United Kingdom and **Igor Banzic**, Serbia

- Non-technical skills for surgeons
Jonathan Beard, United Kingdom
- How to plan successful fellowship
Sabine Wipper, Germany
- Importance of workshops in your training
Fernando Gallardo Pedrajas, Spain
- Medical simulation in vascular training
Isabelle Van Herzeele, Belgium

11:15 – 13:00

N&T 02 – VASCULAR NURSES PLENARY SESSION II

PJERROT
 Ground floor

Chairs: **Christina Kumlien**, Sweden and **Camilla von Jessen**, Denmark

- 10 years after implementing a fast-track program for aortic aneurysm - how to ensure quality of nursing care?
Dorthe Hjort Jakobsen and **Lone Schmidt**, Denmark
- Improvement of pain treatment – A 360 degrees view
Pernille Lykke Pedersen and **Birgitte Kitter**, Denmark
- Prevention of foot ulcers in patients with diabetes
Magdalena Gershtater, Sweden
- The value of Negative Pressure Wound Therapy (NPWT) in vascular patients
Christina Monsen, Sweden

12:30 – 13:00

CARSTENSEN
-1 floor

EVST AGM

- Opening and Introduction
Hubert Stepak, Poland
- Update on EVST Membership
Vincent Jongkind, The Netherlands
- Presentation new EVST executive committee
Vincent Jongkind, The Netherlands,
Joel Fernando Ferreira Sousa, France
- Questions from EVST members

13:00 – 14:00

PJERROT
Ground floor

VASCFORWARD LUNCH SYMPOSIUM

Chairs: *Alison Halliday, United Kingdom* and *Elin Laxdal, Norway*

- How I got there - Research and Training in Houston, Texas
Sabine Wipper, Germany
- Discussion
- Questions & Answers

14:00 – 15:30

CONGRESS HALL
Ground floor

SS 02 – PRIZE SESSION

Chairs: *Ross Naylor, United Kingdom* and *Philippe Kolh, Belgium*

OP 010

Long-term outcome after carotid artery stenting – a population based matched cohort study - inferior outcome of carotid stenting in long term follow up
Magnus Jonsson, David Lindström, Peter Gillgren, Anders Wanhainen, Jonas Malmstedt

OP 011

A proficiency-based stepwise endovascular curricular training (prospect) program enhances performance in real life: a randomized controlled trial
Heidi Maertens, Frank Vermassen, Nathalie Moreels, Isabelle Van Herzele

OP 012

Radiation-associated DNA damage in operators during endovascular aortic repair
Tamer El-Sayed, A.S. Patel, P. Saha, O. Lyons, F. Ludwinski, S. Abisi, P. Gkoutzios, S. Black, A. Smith, B. Modarai

OP 013

Distal seal dynamics and clinical consequences after endovascular aneurysm repair
Nelson Gomes Oliveira, Frederico Bastos Gonçalves, Marie Josee van Rijn, Klaas Ultee, Sander Ten Raa, Sanne Hoeks, Robert Stolker, Henc Verhaegen

OP 014

A nationwide study on treatment of mycotic abdominal aortic aneurysms 1994-2014

Karl Sörelius, *Anders Wanhainen, Martin Björck, Mia Furebring, Peter Gillgren, Kevin Mani*

OP 015

Mechanochemical ablation vs. thermoablation in the treatment of GSV reflux: a randomized trial

Sari Vähäaho, *Osman Mahmoud, Karoliina Halmesmäki, Anders Albäck, Pirkka Vikatmaa, Katariina Noronen, Maarit Venermo, Ayman Hasaballah*

14:00 – 15:30

EVST 03 – AORTIC DISSECTION

CARSTENSEN

-1 floor

Chairs: **Jürg Schmidli**, *Switzerland* and **Joel Fernando Ferreira Sousa**, *France*

- Is there an uncomplicated dissection?

Gustav Fraedrich, *Austria*

- Open repair of aortic dissection

Jürg Schmidli, *Switzerland*

- Endovascular treatment of aortic dissection

Arjan Hoksbergen, *The Netherlands*

- Conservative treatment – connective tissue disease

Yskert von Kondolitsch, *Germany*

14:00 – 15:30

N&T 03 – ENDOVASCULAR ASSISTANT PLENARY SESSION

PJERROT

Ground floor

Concept of EVA

Chairs: **Sebastian Debus**, *Germany* and **John Leth**, *Denmark*

- Requirements and education: introduction of concept

Sebastian Debus, *Germany*

- Experience as endovascular technician in Germany

Nathalia Michalski, *Germany*

- Experience as endovascular assistant in a venous clinic

John Leth, *Denmark*

- X-ray protection and contrast safety

Tilo Kölbel, *Germany*

16:00 – 17:30

CONGRESS HALL
Ground floor

SY 02 – CAROTID

Challenging Cerebrovascular Scenarios

Chairs: **Ross Naylor**, *United Kingdom* and **Barbara Rantner**, *Austria*

- Expedited CEA/CAS in symptomatic patients: lessons from randomised trials & national registries
Barbara Rantner, *Austria*
- Performing CEA/CAS after thrombolysis
Martin Björck, *Sweden*
- Management of symptomatic vertebral artery disease
Hugh S. Markus, *United Kingdom*
- Accessing the distal ICA in complex carotid disease
Ross Naylor, *United Kingdom*
- Treating tandem inflow and bifurcation disease
Gert-Jan de Borst, *The Netherlands*
- Neurorescue after embolic stroke during CEA/CAS
Jos C. van den Berg, *Switzerland*

16:00 – 17:30

CARSTENSEN
-1 floor

SS 03 – AORTA

Chairs: **Tina Cohnert**, *Austria* and **Eric Verhoeven**, *Germany*

OP 016

Variations in abdominal aortic aneurysm treatment: one disease, two guidelines, eleven countries
Adam W. Beck, *Kevin Mani*, *Art Sedarkyan*, *Jialin Mao*, *Maarit Venermo*, *Rumi Faizer*, *Sebastian Debus*, *Christian Behrendt*, *Salvatore Scali*, *Martin Altreuther*, *Marc Schermerhorn*, *Barry Beiles*, *Zoltan Szeberin*, *Nikolai Eldrup*, *Gudmundur Danielsson*, *Ian Thomson*, *George Heller*, *Martin Björck*, *Jack Cronenwett*

OP 017

The best conditions for 2 and 3 parallel stenting during EVAR: an in vitro study
Gaspar Mestres, *Xavier Yugueros*, *Ana Apodaka*, *Savino Pasquadibisceglie*, *Xavier Alomar*, *Vincent Rimbau*

OP 018

Changes in renal anatomy after fenestrated endovascular aneurysm repair
Blandine Maurel, *Yucef Lounes*, *Mau Amako*, *Dominique Fabre*, *Adrien Hertault*, *Jonathan Sobocinski*, *Rafaelle Spear*, *Richard Azzaoui*, *Tara M. Mastracci*, *Stephan Haulon*

OP 019

Evar with flared iliac limbs has a high risk of late type 1b endoleak
Daphne Gray, *Jan S. Brunkwall*, *Michael Gawenda*

- OP 020** Female sex is an independent risk factor for worse clinical outcomes in abdominal aortic aneurysm treatment. A secondary data analysis of the nationwide German DRG microdata 2005-2013
Matthias Trenner, Andreas Kuehnl, Hans-Henning Eckstein
- OP 021** Lesson learned with the use of iliac branch devices: 10-year results in 150 consecutive patients
Gianbattista Parlani, Gioele Simonte, Luca Farchioni, Giacomo Isernia, Enrico Cieri, Massimo Lenti, Piergiorgio Cao, Fabio Verzini
- OP 022** The long-term durability of intraoperatively placed of palmaz stents for the treatment of type Ia endoleaks after repair of AAA
Mohammed Abdulrasak, Timothy Resch, Björn Sonesson, Jan Holst, Thorarinn Kristmundsson Nuno Dias
- OP 023** The UK pilot study on multi-layer flow-modulating stents for thoraco-abdominal and peri-renal aneurysms: results at three years
Chris Lowe, Ferdinand Serracino-Inglott, Ray Ashleigh, Charles McCollum

16:00 – 17:00

EVST 04 - PRIZE POSTER SESSION

EXHIBITION AREA
Ground floor

Chairs: *Kakkhee Yeung, The Netherlands* and *Joel Fernando Ferreira Sousa, France*

- PP 001** Popliteal angiosarcoma as a late evolution of previously treated popliteal aneurysm
Manuela Cherchi, Luigi Pibiri, Stefano Campanini
- PP 002** A case of mobile aortic arch thrombus syndrome with systemic embolisation
Stephan Micallef Eynaud, Francesca Aquilina, Ian Said, Adrian Mizzi, Sinisa Pejic
- PP 003** Iatrogenic type A dissection in a marfan's syndrome patient repaired using E-xl® stent
Liliana Fidalgo Domingos, Noelia Cenizo, Vicente Gutiérrez, Isabel Estévez, Diana Gutiérrez, Carlos Vaquero
- PP 004** Suspected type IIIb endoleak. An intrasac "neo-vascularization like" image following suprarenal fixation with adjunctive self-expandable nitinol stent due to short neck
Andres Reyes Valdivia, Africa Duque Santos, Juan Sanchez Corral, Javier Blazquez Blazquez, Julia Ocaña Guaita, Claudio Gandarias Zúñiga
- PP 005** Stenting for stenotic aorto-renal bypass
Miguel Lemos Gomes, Gonçalo Sobrinho, João Vieira, Luís M. Pedro, José Fernandes e Fernandes
- PP 006** Surgical treatment of inferior mesenteric artery aneurysm
Jelena Timofejeva, Aina Kratovska, Kaspars Staudzs, Patricija Ivanova, Arturs Ligiers, Vitalijs Zvirgzdins

- PP 007** Open surgery of Leriche's Syndrome in a patient with crossed fused renal ectopia and duplication of the inferior vena cava
David Garbaisz, Csaba Csobay-Novak, Zsuzsa Nagy, Zoltan Szeberin
- PP 008** Kissing-covered-stent for aortoiliac disease
Mariel Stefania Riedemann Witsuba, Carol E. Padrón Encalada, Amer Zanabli Al-Sibbai, Lino A. Cambor Santervás, Jose M. Llaneza Coto, Manuel Alonso Pérez
- PP 009** "Extended posterior approach" for giant popliteal aneurysm extended to superficial femoral artery
Tomoki Cho, Japan
- PP 010** A case of accidental stent deployment: what we did?
Burak Acikgoz, Elif Guneyusu, Ali A. Kavala, Senel Altun, Vedat Bakuy
- PP 011** Ehlers-Danlos Syndrome type IV: can we prevent a tragedy?
Sérgio Teixeira, Pedro Sá Pinto, Carlos Veiga, João Gonçalves, Ivone Silva, Duarte Rego, Vitor Ferreira, Gabriela Teixeira, Inês Antunes, Rui Almeida

17:00 – 17:30

PJERROT

Ground floor

EVST HONORARY LECTURE

Chair: *Vincent Jongkind, The Netherlands*

Changes in Vascular surgery and its impact on the education of the vascular specialist

José Fernandes e Fernandes, Portugal

17:30 – 18:15

CONGRESS HALL

Ground floor

ESVS AGM

- Report and Introduction by the President
- Report of the Treasurer
- Report of the Editor in Chief
- Report of the Secretary General
- Election of the President 2017-2018
- Any Other Business

18:15 – 18:30

CONGRESS HALL

Ground floor

PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

Jürg Schmidli, ESVS President, Switzerland

08:00 – 17:00

FEBVS TECHNICAL SKILLS REVISION COURSE

COLUMBINE
Ground floor

Convener: *Hans-Henning Eckstein, Germany*

The Revision Course is aimed at vascular surgical trainees who intend to take the FEBVS Assessment within the next year. The course covers the aspects of the FEBVS Assessment in an interactive format and the small group size ensures one-to-one involvement of every participant. There is a high faculty to participant ratio and the faculty are all experienced senior vascular surgeons.

This year, the Revision course is divided into two modules, each of one-day duration. This first module will cover the technical skills required for the FEBVS Assessment. The day begins with an overview of the open and endovascular skills simulations used in the Assessment. Participants then have the opportunity to practice procedures on these simulators, such as open AAA repair, distal (tibial) anastomosis and carotid endarterectomy. They will then be assessed on each simulation and receive direct feedback on their performance.

09:00 – 13:00

MASTERCLASS ON SCIENTIFIC WRITING

ARKADEN 8
+2 floor

Convener: *Florian Dick, Switzerland*

Should you have missed this highly informative course at the EVC Meeting in Maastricht, don't hesitate to join the course now! This intensive academic training will be composed of 2 parts. The first part will focus on how to successfully write and present an abstract, while the second part will teach participants how to effectively read, interpret and write a paper. Participants will not only follow lectures, but also work in interactive groups where they will be trained to write an abstract with data given by the course leader, present their abstract and learn from group feedback.

09:00 – 13:00

COMPLEX AAA WORKSHOP

HARLEKIN
Ground floor

Convener: *Michael Jenkins, United Kingdom*

This practical workshop comprises of short lectures and practical surgical demonstrations from experts, followed by supervision of the trainees performing the same steps on models. The course has been developed over a number of years following information derived from candidates sitting the FEBVS exam and potential gaps in their training with more complex cases. Detailed feedback is obtained from each candidate after each course, which is then continually adapted and improved based on this structured feedback. The course aims to give established surgeons more confidence and "tips and tricks" when tackling more complicated aortic cases.

14:00 – 18:00

ARKADEN 8
+2 floor

FUNDAMENTAL ENDOVASCULAR WORKSHOP

Convener: *Fabio Verzini, Italy*

Endovascular procedures gain an ever increasing importance in the treatment of arterial lesions. This workshop will offer the participants the opportunity to get familiar with the materials (sheaths, wires, catheters, balloons, stents) used for endovascular interventions and to learn the different steps in iliac and femoral interventions. After a short theoretical introduction the procedures will be trained hands-on on high-fidelity simulators.

This course is intended for (young) vascular surgeons with no or limited practical experience in endovascular techniques, aiming to perform these procedures in the future or at least to know what interventionalists are talking about.

14:00 – 18:00

HARLEKIN
Ground floor

VASCULAR TRAUMA WORKSHOP

Convener: *Carl Wahlgren, Sweden*

The need for improving vascular surgical technique, both open and endovascular, has been increasingly recognized in recent years. These masterclass workshops on simulators have proved to be a very effective method of skills training. This workshop provides excellent hands on experience on realistic models to perform open peripheral vascular trauma repair. The tutors are extremely experienced and the close tutor-participant interaction guarantees an intensive learning process. The training atmosphere is relaxed and full discussion is encouraged.

Thursday, 29 September 2016

08:00 – 09:00

CONGRESS HALL
Ground floor

SY 03 – ESVS/DKKS JOINT SYMPOSIUM

Critical Limb Ischemia Revascularisation

Chairs: **Martin Björck**, Sweden and **Kim Houlind**, Denmark

- Five year results from the Danish VIVA trial - a large population based randomised screening trial for AAA, PAD and hypertension?
Jes Lindholt, Denmark
- What is the evidence in favour of endovascular treatment of infrainguinal disease in patients with CLI
Torben Schroeder, Denmark
- Safety and efficacy of distal venous bypass in the era of crural PTA
Kim Houlind, Denmark
- Management of critical limb ischemia in the patient with diabetes
Robert Hinchliffe, United Kingdom

08:00 – 09:00

CARSTENSEN
-1 floor

SS 04 – MISCELLANEOUS (1)

Chairs: **Clark Zeebregts**, The Netherlands and **Anders Albäck**, Finland

OP 024

Degradation phenomena on second generation of explanted aortic textile endografts

Nabil Chakfe, Yannick Georg, Agnes Bussmann, Frederic Heim Julie Papillon, Elie Girsowicz, Charline Delay, Delphine Dion, Anne Lejay, Fabien Thaveau

OP 025

Diastolic blood pressure as an independent risk factor for periprocedural events following carotid endarterectomy in asymptomatic patients (on behalf of the ACST-1 collaborative group))

Djurre De Waard, Gert-Jan de Borst, Richard Bulbulia, Alison Halliday

OP 026

Conteci program. A new way to control peripheral arterial disease using the new technologies and the patient empowerment. Randomized trial.
Meritxell Davins, Vicenç Artigas Raventós, Xavier Borràs, Pérez, Elisabet Palomera Fanegas, Mateu Serra Prat, Jesús Alós Villacrossa

OP 027 A novel prediction tool to predict mobility outcome after lower extremity amputation secondary to peripheral arterial disease and/or diabetes
Joseph Czerniecki, Aaron Turner, Rhonda Williams, Mary Lou Thompson, Kevin Hakimi, Gregory Landry, Dan Norvell

OP 028 Assessment of foot perfusion before and after revascularization of critically ischemic foot using indocyanine green fluorescence imaging
Nicla Settembre, Anders Albäck, Petteri Kauhanen, Kristyna Spillerova, Maarit Venermo

08:00 – 09:00

ESVS PRIZE POSTER SESSION

PJERROT

Ground floor

Chairs: *Nabil Chakfe, France* and *Mauro Gargiulo, Italy*



In this session, the authors of the 12 best ESVS Posters selected on Wednesday, 28 September will deliver a short oral presentation on their research. The winner of the Best ESVS Poster will be announced during the Networking Event, on Thursday, 29 September at the Store VEGA.

09:00 – 10:45

CONGRESS HALL

Ground Floor

SY 04 – ESVS/EWMA JOINT SYMPOSIUM

Diabetic Foot

Chairs: *Melina Vega de Ceniga, Spain* and *Arkadiusz Jawien, Poland*

- How revascularisation did change the prognosis of global diabetic foot treatment
Jan Apelqvist, Sweden
- A tale of two diseases
Michael Edmonds, United Kingdom
- The complexity of diabetic foot macroangiopathy - the surgeon's view
Frank Vermassen, Belgium
- How to maintain the revascularised foot revascularised
Anders Albäck, Finland
- Does the angiosome concept also work for the diabetic foot?
Robert Hinchliffe, United Kingdom
- Diabetic foot ulcers in the Dutch population
Robert Stoekenbroek, The Netherlands
- How should multidisciplinary diabetic foot centers be organised?
Panel Discussion

09:00 – 10:45

SS 05 – CAROTID

CARSTENSEN
-1 floor

Chairs: *Hari Hakovirta, Finland* and *Alison Halliday, United Kingdom*

- OP 029** Individual patient data analysis of 5226 patients in the asymptomatic carotid surgery trials - benefits and hazards of immediate surgery in patients taking contemporary medical therapies (on behalf of ACST-1, ACAS & VACS collaborators and the CSTC)
Alison Halliday, Hongchao Pan, Peter Rothwell, Richard Bulbulia, Richard Peto
- OP 030** A systematic review and meta-analysis of outcomes following staged/ synchronous carotid artery stenting and coronary artery bypass surgery
Kosmas Paraskevas, Sarah Nduwayo, Athanasios Saratzis, Ross Naylor
- OP 031** Shunting during carotid endarterectomy: what we have learned from diffusion-weighted magnetic resonance imaging
Elke Wybailie, Patrick Seynaeve, Hans Pottel, Gunter De Smul, Paul Wallaert, Philip Lerut
- OP 032** The national Norwegian carotid study: time from symptom debut to surgery is too long, giving additional neurological events
Knut Eivind Kjørstad, Svein T. Baksaas, Dorte Bundgaard, Erik Halbakken, Terje Hasselgård, Geir T. Jørgensen, Anne H. Krog, Kirsten Krohg-Sørensen, Elin Laxdal, Sven R. Mathisen, Gudmundur V. Oskarsson, Synnøve Seljeskog, Inge Settemsdal, Beate Viddal, Frode Aasgaard, Erney Mattsson
- OP 033** Significant association of annual hospital volume with the risk of in-hospital stroke or death following carotid endarterectomy but not carotid stenting: secondary data analysis of the statutory German carotid quality assurance database
Andreas Kuehnl, Pavlos Tsantilas, Christoph Knappich, Sofie Schmid, Thorben Breitkreuz, Alexander Zimmermann
- OP 034** Surgical treatment of carotid body tumors
William Stone, Samuel Money, Victor Davila, Richard Fowl, Thomas Bower
- OP 035** Fate of distal false aneurysms complicating internal carotid artery dissection: a systematic review
Kosmas Paraskevas, Andrew Batchelder, Ross Naylor
- OP 036** Impact of different procedural variables on the risk of in-hospital stroke or death after carotid endarterectomy and carotid artery stenting in routine practice: a secondary data analysis of the statutory nationwide German quality assurance database
Christoph Knappich, Andreas Kuehnl, Pavlos Tsantilas, Sofie Schmid, Thorben Breitkreuz, Michael Kallmayer, Alexander Zimmermann, Hans-Henning Eckstein

09:00 – 10:45

PJERROT

Ground floor

**N&T 04 – VASCULAR TECHNICIANS AND NURSING RESEARCH
PLENARY SESSION**

Chairs: *Tracey Gall, United Kingdom* and *Henrik Sillesen, Denmark*

- Training to become vascular technician in the United Kingdom
Tracey Gall, United Kingdom
- Certification of competences in vascular ultrasonography in Spain
Ramon Vila Coll, Spain
- New developments in vascular ultrasonography: 3D imaging
Henrik Sillesen, Denmark
- New developments in vascular ultrasonography: the use of ultrasound contrast agents
Kim Bredahl, Denmark
- Endovascular treatment of abdominal aortic aneurysms with the chimps technique: a challenge for the OR nurse
Donatella Riccio, Italy
- Heparin-saline flushing devices dose solution in endovascular procedures
Brugues Calaf, Spain

11:15 – 12:30

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SY 05 – ONGOING TRIALS

Chairs: *Henrik Sillesen, Denmark* and *Philippe Kolh, Belgium*

- ECST-2 Trial
Martin Brown, United Kingdom
- Best CLI Trial
Matthew Menard, United States
- Euclid Trial
Martin Björck, Sweden
- ACST-2: Over 2200 patients randomised to CEA vs CAS – Maximizing European participation
Alison Halliday and Richard Bulbulia, United Kingdom

11:15 – 12:30

CARSTENSEN

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SS 06 – PAD

Chairs: *Thomas Hölzenbein, Germany* and *Lazar Davidovic, Serbia*

Keynote Lecture

Does the rate of amputations increase in the era of lower limb endovascular first strategy?
Maarit Venermo, Sweden

- OP 037** Cost effectiveness analysis of heparin versus standard polytetrafluoroethylene graft alongside a randomised controlled trial with five years follow-up
Jes S. Lindholt, Marie Villemoes, Kim C. Houliand, Bo Gottschalksen, Christian N. Pedersen, Martin Rasmussen, Charlotte Wedel, Morten B. Bramsen, Rikke Søgaard
- OP 038** Contemporary cardiovascular risk and secondary preventive drug treatment patterns in peripheral arterial disease patients undergoing revascularization
Birgitta Sigvant, Björn Kragsterman, Marten Falkenberg, Marcus Thuresson, Joakim Nordanstig
- OP 039** Ten years experience with community claudication clinics
Colin Wood, M.C Ruiz, M.M Mirghani, E. Allen, L. Crawford, A. McCusker, E. Brankin, R.N Scott
- OP 040** Drug-eluting balloon angioplasty versus uncoated balloon angioplasty in patients with femoropopliteal arterial occlusive disease: a meta-analysis of randomized controlled trials
Hidde Jongma, Joost Bekken, Jean-Paul de Vries, Henc Verhagen, Bram Fioole
- OP 041** A high ankle-brachial index is associated with all-cause mortality in a population without cardiovascular disease. The REGICOR study
Alina Velescu, Albert Clará Velasco, Judith Peñafiel Muñoz, Lidia Marcos Garcia, Jaume Marrugat de la Iglesia, Roberto Elosua Llanos
- OP 042** Prevalence of major lower limb amputation across Denmark and its relationship with revascularization, demography and disease risk factors
Louise Skovgaard Londero, Annette Høgh, Kim Houliand, Jes Lindholt

11:15 – 13:00

PJERROT
Ground floor

N&T 05 – VASCULAR NURSES ROUND TABLE SESSION

Participants will be invited to join one of the 9 round tables, moderated by the Speakers of the previous plenary sessions. The participants will have the chance to join 3 different tables and therefore discuss and exchange ideas on 3 different topics with their peers. The different themes are: prevention for patients with PAD, patient involvement and participation, fast-track programs, pain treatment, ulcers and wound treatment in vascular surgery, prevention and treatment of pressure ulcers, endovascular assistance in vascular surgery, vascular technicians, and research in vascular nursing.

12:30 – 13:00

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VOLODOS KEYNOTE LECTURE

Chair: *Jürg Schmidli, Switzerland*

- The war against error
Ross Naylor, United Kingdom

16:00 – 17:30

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Ground floor

SY 06 – ESVS/EACTS JOINT SYMPOSIUM

Spinal cord ischemia after TAAA open repair and TEVAR

Chairs: **Jürg Schmidli**, *Switzerland* and **Christian Etz**, *Germany*

- Does anatomy of spinal cord supply influence the therapeutic modality?
Christian Etz, *Germany*
- Overview of assessing spinal cord function
Werner Mess, *The Netherlands*
- Is there evidence for a staged approach for endovascular therapy?
Tilo Kölbel, *Germany*
- Is there evidence for a staged approach for open repair?
Michael Jacobs, *The Netherlands*
- What is the rationale behind delayed spinal cord ischemia and how can this be prevented?
Bartosz Rylski, *Germany*
- The role of adjuncts to prevent spinal cord ischemia in open repair
Matthias Siepe, *Germany*

16:00 – 17:30

CARSTENSEN

-1 floor

SY 07 - PAD

Chairs: **Henrik Sillesen**, *Denmark* and **Martin Björck**, *Sweden*

- How is PAD treated according to European registries?
Joakim Nordanstig, *Sweden*
- Antiplatelet therapy prescription before and after diagnosis of peripheral artery disease and lower extremity revascularization: a United Kingdom database study of patterns and time trends
Luis Alberto García Rodríguez, *Spain*
- Can outcomes of vascular surgery be improved by optimal medical management?
Robert Hinchliffe, *United Kingdom*

DEBATE 1

Life or limb or both! Who should be responsible?

- Angiologist's view
Anders Gottsäter, *Sweden*
- Vascular Surgeon's view
Henrik Sillesen, *Denmark*

DEBATE 2

Do PAD patients need a multi-disciplinary approach?

- Angiologist's view
Marianne Brodmann, *Austria*
- Vascular Surgeon's view
Maarit Venermo, *Finland*

16:00 – 17:30

SS 07 – BASIC SCIENCE

PJERROT

Ground floor

Chair: **Anders Wanhainen**, Sweden

- OP 043** Circulating levels of VEGF-associated growth factors in end-stage peripheral arterial disease
Olli Hautero, Juho Jalkanen, Mikael Maksimow, Sirpa Jalkanen, Harri Hakovirta
- OP 044** Upregulation of 14q32 micrnas in human subcutaneous adipose tissue of patients with critical limb ischemia at risk of major amputation
Yael Nossent, Sabine Welten, Ming Tao, Alban Longchamp, Szymon Kielbasa, Paul Quax, Keith Ozaki
- OP 045** A novel anti-inflammatory biomarker that predicts peripheral vein graft failure
Michael Sobel, Mayumi Yagi, Gale L. Tang, Ted R. Kohler, Errol S. Wijelath, Richard D. Kenagy, Katherine T. Moreno
- OP 046** Differential gene expression during progression of human abdominal aortic aneurysm
Gabor Gäbel, Frank Schönleben, Irene Hinterseher, Hendrik Bergert, Jan H. Lindeman
- OP 047** Further insights into tissue engineered small diameter vascular grafts: impact of surface modification on patency and in vivo compatibility
Max Theodor Wacker, Dieter Klemm, Maximilian Scherner, Carolyn Weber, Kaveh Eghbalzadeh, Stefanie Reinhardt Thorsten
- 2016 Spring Meeting Best Abstract** Simulator for training in endovascular infrarenal aneurysm repair: the use of 3D printers
Inez Torres, Spain
- 2016 Spring Meeting Best Abstract** Complete percutaneous transapical instrumentation for single-sidebranch arch endograft using a percutaneous closure device in pigs
Sabine Wipper, Germany
- OP 048** Can peritoneum become an artery? Peritoneum as an arterial graft material in a large mammal
Petter Davik, Martin Altreuther, Erney Mattsson

08:00 – 17:00

COLUMBINE
Ground floor

FEBVS CLINICAL AND ACADEMIC SKILLS REVISION COURSE

Convener: **Jonathan Beard**, *United Kingdom*

This second module will cover the academic and clinical skills required for the FEBVS Assessment. The day begins with an overview of the clinical and academic skills stations used in the Assessment, followed by tips on how to pass the academic station. Participants then rotate in small groups around the academic and four clinical stations. The clinical stations cover leg artery disease and trauma, aortic and mesenteric disease, carotid and upper limb disease, and venous/lymphatic disease. At each clinical station, every participant will be assessed on a typical scenario used in the FEBVS Assessment and feedback given on their performance. At the academic stations, each participant is required to present a critique of a paper that they have been given to review.

09:00 – 13:00

ARKADEN 8
+2 floor

VENOUS WORKSHOP

Convener: **Stephen Black**, *United Kingdom*

This half-day theoretical and hands on workshop on venous stenting and thrombolysis is meant for physicians, vascular surgeons and radiologists. Participants will be divided in small groups and rotate every hour around 4 stations to become acquainted with the various stations and to offer as much hands-on practice as possible. Participants should have basic skills in venous diagnostics and treatment.

14:00 – 18:00

ARKADEN 8
+2 floor

LOWER LIMB ULTRASOUND MASTERCLASS

Convener: **Jonas Eiberg**, *Denmark*

Vascular ultrasound is a rapidly developing modality in vascular surgery. The objective with this workshop is to introduce you to vascular ultrasound of the lower limb arteries (above and below knee) and to understand the indication and limitation for such a scan – and, ideally, make you capable to start your own scan back in the clinic. We will teach you normal “ultrasound anatomy”, choice of equipment, optimizing the scan, to avoid some pitfalls as well as tips and tricks from tutors highly experienced with lower limb US. The course is an intensive 4-hour workshop with focus on hands-on training on healthy models under supervision.

The course is designed for vascular surgeons, vascular surgeons in training and vascular nurses with some basic knowledge to (vascular) ultrasound.

Friday, 30 September 2016

08:00 – 09:00

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SS 08 – MISCELLANEOUS (2)

Chairs: **Zoltán Szeberin**, *Hungary* and **Jörg Heckenkamp**, *Germany*

- OP 049** VasQ- an innovative external support device improves functionality of arteriovenous fistulas: pilot study results
Eric Chemla, *United Kingdom*
- OP 050** PTFE thigh loops provide better primary patency, than other vascular access locations
Peter Konstantiniuk, *Stefanie Santler*, *Georg Schramayer*, *Florian Prüller*, *Ulrike Demel*, *Tina Cohnert*
- OP 051** Diastolic diameter measurements on the thoracic aorta can lead to accurate sizing of endografts in young patients
Peter Sotonyi, *Csaba Csobay-Novak*, *Daniele M. Fontanini*, *Brigitta Szilagyi*, *Kalman Huttli*
- OP 052** Three-dimensional contrast-enhanced ultrasound improves the detection and classification of endoleaks following endovascular aneurysm repair
Chris Lowe, *Abeera Abbas*, *Steven Rogers*, *Lee Smth*, *Jonathan Ghosh*, *Charles McCollum*
- OP 053** Follow-up of fascial suture after endovascular aneurysm repair with duplex ultrasound
Kim Bredahl, *Kristian Fredholm*, *Lars Lönn*, *Katja Vogt*, *Henrik Sillesen*, *Jonas Eiberg*, *Kim Bredahl*
- OP 054** Prevention of incisional hernia after abdominal aortic aneurysm repair (AIDA study)
Holger Diener, *Hans Henning Eckstein*, *Heiner Wenk*, *Johannes Gahlen*, *Richard Kellersmann*, *Jochen Grommes*, *Eric Verhoeven*, *Harald Daum*, *Thomas Hupp*, *Sebastian Debus*

09:00 – 10:00

SS 09 – VENOUS/WOUND

CARSTENSEN
-1 floor

Chairs: **Athanasios Giannoukas**, Greece and **Tankut Akay**, Turkey

- OP 055** A systematic review of stenting in the management of acute deep venous thrombosis
Mohamed A. H. Taha, Andrew Busuttill, Roshan Bootun, Alun H. Davies
- OP 056** Endovenous laser therapy (ELT) of saphenous vein reflux using thulium laser (TM, 1940nm) with radial fiber - one year results
Anna Esipova, Claus-Georg Schmedt, Slobodan Dikic, Abhay Setia, Sahit Demhasaj, Thomas Dieckmann, Marius- Mircea Tipi, Ronald Sroka
- OP 057** Reconstruction of the venous outflow of the lower extremity in post-thrombotic syndrome and iliac vein compression syndrome
Timme Van Vuuren, Mark A. de Wolf, Carsten W. Arnoldussen, Ralph L. Kurstjens, Jorinde H. van Laanen, Houman Jalaie, Rick de Graaf, Cees H. Wittens.
- OP 058** Endovascular recanalization of chronic non-malignant obstruction of the inferior vena cava
Ole Jørgen Grøtta, Tone Enden, Gunnar Sandbæk, Dag Bay, Carl-Erik Slagsvold, Gard F. Gjerdalen, Jørgen J. Jørgensen, Antonio Rosales
- OP 059** “To cover or not to cover, that is the question” - rectus femoris muscle flaps in groin defects after vascular surgery
Jurek Conings, Jan Willem Daemen, Ilse Mostaert, Jan-Willem Elshof, Marc Scheltinga, Barend Mees
- OP 060** Negative pressure wound therapy to prevent groin infections after vascular surgery - a randomized controlled trial
Julien Hasselmann, Tobias Kühme, Stefan Acosta

09:00 – 10:00

SY 08 – MESENTERIC ISCHEMIA

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Chairs: **Martin Björck**, Sweden and **Tina Cohnert**, Austria

- The ESVS Guidelines on the management of diseases of the mesenteric arteries and veins
Martin Björck, Sweden
- Chronic mesenteric ischaemia, which are the controversies?
Tim Lees, United Kingdom
- Acute arterial mesenteric ischaemia, which are the controversies?
Stefan Acosta, Sweden
- Venous mesenteric ischaemia, which are the controversies?
Mark Koelemay, The Netherlands

10:30 – 12:15

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SY 09 – ESVS/SVS DEBATES

Chairs: **Jürg Schmidli**, *Switzerland* and **Bruce Perler**, *United States*

DEBATE 1

Real world outcomes after CEA do match RCT results and therefore CEA remains the gold standard

Bruce Perler, *United States* vs **Henning Eckstein**, *Germany*

DEBATE 2

A paradigm of open repair is the preferred method of treating patients with infrarenal abdominal aortic aneurysm and short, angulated neck (>60°)

Florian Dick, *Switzerland* vs **Clement Darling**, *United States*

DEBATE 3

In popliteal artery aneurysm, great saphenous vein interposition or bypass graft provide the best long term outcome

Stefan Acosta, *Sweden* vs **Alik Farber**, *United States*

10:30 – 12:15

CARSTENSEN
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SY 10 - VENOUS

Chairs: **Stephen Black**, *United Kingdom* and **Armando Mansilha**, *Portugal*

- Assessing the efficacy of varicose vein treatment – histological evaluations
Marc Vuylsteke, *Belgium*
- Treating acute DVT – advances and challenges
Armando Mansilha, *Portugal*
- Advances in venous stenting for the treatment of PTS
Erin Murphy, *United States*
- Venous valves – the next frontier
Antonio Rosales, *Norway*
- Treatment of superficial reflux: strategies, options and outcomes
Sarah Thomis, *Belgium*
- Assessing the outcome of venous interventions – QOL data and disease specific scores
Manjit Gohel, *United Kingdom*
- A decade of experience of venous intervention
Patty Thorpe, *United States*

10:30 – 12:15

SS 10 – MISCELLANEOUS (3)

PJERROT

Ground floor

Chair: *Gianmarco de Donato, Italy*

- OP 061** 10-year experience of cryopreserved arterial allografts
Anne Lejay, Charline Delay, Elie Girsowicz, Bettina Chenesseau, Mathieu Roussin, Vincent Meteyer, Fabien Thaveau, Yannick Georg, Nabil Chakfe
- OP 062** The DANCAVAS pilot study of multifaceted screening for subclinical cardiovascular disease in men and women aged 65-74
Thomas Vedel Kvist, Jes S. Lindholt, Lars M. Rasmussen, Rikke Søgaard, Jess Lambrechtsen, Flemming H. Steffensen, Lars Frost, Michael H. Olsen, Hans Mickley, Jesper Hallas, Grazina Urbonaviciene, Martin Busk, Kenneth Egstrup, Axel Diederichsen
- OP 063** Long-term results of the NAIS procedure for aortic-graft infections and mycotic aneurysms: a single-center experience
Valerie Gauvin, Julien Bernatchez, Pascal Rheaume
- OP 064** A multicentre randomised controlled trial of patient-specific rehearsal prior to evar: impact on procedural planning and team performance.
Liesbeth Desender, Isabelle Van Herzeele, Zoran Rancic, Mario Lachat, Johan Duchateau, Colin Bicknell, Nung Rudarakanchana, Joep Teijink, Jan Heyligers, Frank Vermassen
- OP 065** A 12-week home exercise programme augmented with nordic pole walking improves the quality of life and ABPIs of claudicants. Most patients continue to use their poles and improve their walking distance at one year.
Jonathan Beard, Clare Spafford, Clare Oakley
- OP 066** The fate of patients with intermittent claudication in the 21st century revisited - results from the CAVASIC study
Barbara Rantner, Barbara Kollerits, Johannes Pohlhammer, Marietta Stadler, Claudia Lamina, Slobodan Peric, Peter Klein-Weigel, Hannes Mühlthaler, Gustav Fraedrich, Florian Kronenberg
- OP 067** Eye dose reduction with various x-ray protection shields during endovascular procedures
Sara Bruce, Kevin Mani, Karolina Lindskog, Lars Jangland, Anders Wanhainen
- OP 068** Kidney volume change in patients with type B aortic dissection in relation to perfusion from true or false lumen
Nikolaos Tsilimparis, Ruth Jacobi, Fiona Rohlfes, Sabine Wipper, Axel Larena-Avellaneda, E. Sebastian Debus, Tilo Kölbel

Posters

This year there are 119 posters on display in the Exhibition Space! Posters will be on display throughout the meeting, so please make sure to visit them as they represent high-quality scientific work!

The judging of posters will take place on Wednesday, 28 September from 14:00 to 15:30. Presenting Authors are invited to be present next to their Poster to answer the Jury's questions.

The authors of the 12 selected posters will deliver a short oral presentation, supported by 3 PowerPoint slides, during the ESVS Prize Poster Session on Thursday, 29 September, from 08:00 to 09:00

	TITLE	PRESENTING AUTHORS
PO 001	Early Carotid Endarterectomy After Intravenous Thrombolysis Is Safe	<i>Pirkka Vikatmaa, Petra Ijäs, Lauri Soinne, Maarit Venermo</i>
PO 002	Influence Of Metabolic Syndrome On The Short And Long-Term Outcome After Carotid Endarterectomy	<i>Linda Visser, Bas M. Wallis de Vries, Udo J. Mulder, Martijn Uyttenboogaart, Sterre van der Veen, Clark J. Zeebregts, Robert A. Pol</i>
PO 003	Development Of A Microsimulation Model To Predict Stroke And Long-Term Mortality In Adherent And Non-Adherent Medically Managed And Surgically Treated Octogenarians With Asymptomatic Significant Carotid Artery Stenosis	<i>Thomas Luebke, Jan Brunkwall</i>
PO 004	Changes In Choroidal Thickness After Carotid Endarterectomy Using Enhanced Depth Imaging Optical Coherence Tomography	<i>Fabien Layrere, Elixene Jean-Baptiste, Elisabeth Nguyen, Jacques Chofflet, Jérôme Doyen, Réda Hassen-Khodja, Pierre Gastaud</i>

	TITLE	PRESENTING AUTHORS
PO 005	Carotid Stenosis Treatment: Defining Practice Patterns Across The Globe	<i>Maarit Venermo, Grace Wang, Randall DeMartino, Nikolaj Eldrup, Art Sedrakyan, Jialin Mao, Barry Beiles, Gabor Menyhei, Kevin Mani, Martin Altreuther, Ian Thomson, Pius Wigger, Gudmundur Danielsson, Jack Cronenwett, Martin Björck</i>
PO 006	The Combined Risk Of Stroke Or Death Is Associated With Age, But Not With Sex In Patients Treated With Cea Or Cas In Routine Practice In Germany – Risk Of Stroke Is Associated With Age In Cas Patients Only.	<i>Andreas Kuehnl, Sofie Schmid, Pavlos Tsantilas, Christoph Knappich, Michael Kallmayer, Thorben Breitkreuz, Alexander Zimmermann, Hans-Henning Eckstein</i>
PO 007	Multicenter Experience With In Situ Fenestration For Endovascular Aortic Arch Repair: Data From The Archif Registry.	<i>Reinhard Kopp, Yoshiaki Katada, Norio Hongo, Björn Sonesson, Leonard Tse, Sean Crawford, Piotr M. Kasprzak</i>
PO 008	The Efficacy Of Pharmacological Preconditioning In Carotid Endarterectomy	<i>Maxim Kuznetsov, Anatoly Karalkin, Anatoly Fedin, Alexander Knyazev, Nikolay Kunicin</i>
PO 009	Patterns Of Acute Ischemic Strokes After Carotid Endarterectomy And Therapeutic Implications	<i>Fabien Lareyre, Elixene Jean-Baptiste, Juliette Raffort, Caroline Weil, Laurent Suissa, Nirvana Sadaghianloo, Serge Declémy, Réda Hassen- Khodja</i>
PO 010	Safety, Tolerability And Pharmacokinetics Of A Novel Human Phosphorylcholine Antibody (Pc-Mab) In Patients With Peripheral Arterial Disease Undergoing Thromboendarterectomy Or Vein Graft Bypass	<i>Claes Bergmark, Karin Wähländer, Per Blom, Knut Pettersson, Eva Karlöf</i>
PO 011	Pre-Operative Predictors Of Poor Outcomes In Patients Undergoing Surgical Lower Extremity Revascularisation	<i>Mohammed Ashrafi, Rohini Salvadi, Philip Foden, Stephanie Thomas, Mohamed Baguneid</i>
PO 012	When Is Supervised Exercise Therapy Considered Useful For Intermittent Claudication: An Update Of The Dutch Vascular Surgeons' Attitude Towards Conservative Management	<i>Gert-Jan Lauret, David Hageman, Lindy N. Gommans, Mark J. Koelemay, Marc R. van Sambeek, Joep A. Teijink</i>
PO 013	Trends In The Prognosis Of Patients With Intermittent Claudication And Critical Limb Ischemia In The Netherlands	<i>Steven Van Haelst, Carla Koopman, Frans L. Moll, Ilonca H. Vaartjes, Gert-Jan de Borst</i>

	TITLE	PRESENTING AUTHORS
PO 014	Differential Impact Of Bypass Surgery And Angioplasty On Angiosome-Targeted Infrapopliteal Revascularization In Diabetics.	<i>Nicla Settembre, Kristyna Spillerova, Fausto Biancari, Anders Albäck, Maarit Venermo</i>
PO 015	Infrapopliteal Endovascular Interventions With Selective Stenting In Complex Lesions Does Not Rival Great Saphenous Vein Bypass	<i>Hasan Dosluoglu, Sikandar Z. Khan, Mariel Rivero, Linda Harris, Maciej Dryjski</i>
PO 016	Dream And Reality – Covered Stentgraft As Treatment Of Superficial Artery Lesions	<i>Michael Gawenda, Daphne Gray, Robert Shahverdyan, Roland Thul</i>
PO 017	Open Surgery Is The First-Line Treatment To Infrapopliteal Lesions In Critical Limb Ischemia.	<i>Taku Kokubo, Naoko Ohkubo, Shinsuke Kikuchi, Yumi Sasajima, Tadahiho Sasajima</i>
PO 018	Measurement Of Microcirculation Suggests That Angiosome Shunting Excists Mainly Through Angiographically Visible Collaterals	<i>Mette Berggren-Olsen, Johnny Christensen, Hanne Birke-Sørensen, Kim Houllind</i>
PO 019	Outcome For Popliteal Stents Grafts Are Comparable To Bypass Grafts For Popliteal Artery Aneurysm (Paa).	<i>Irwin Mohan, Kerry Hitos, Bernie Bourke, Barry Beiles</i>
PO 020	Endovascular And Open Repair Of Popliteal Artery Aneurysms: Ten-Years' Experience	<i>Anne Lejay, Benjamin Del Tatto, Mathieu Roussin, Charline Delay, Elie Girsowicz, Vincent Meteyer, Yannick Georg, Fabien Thaveau, Nabil Chakfe</i>
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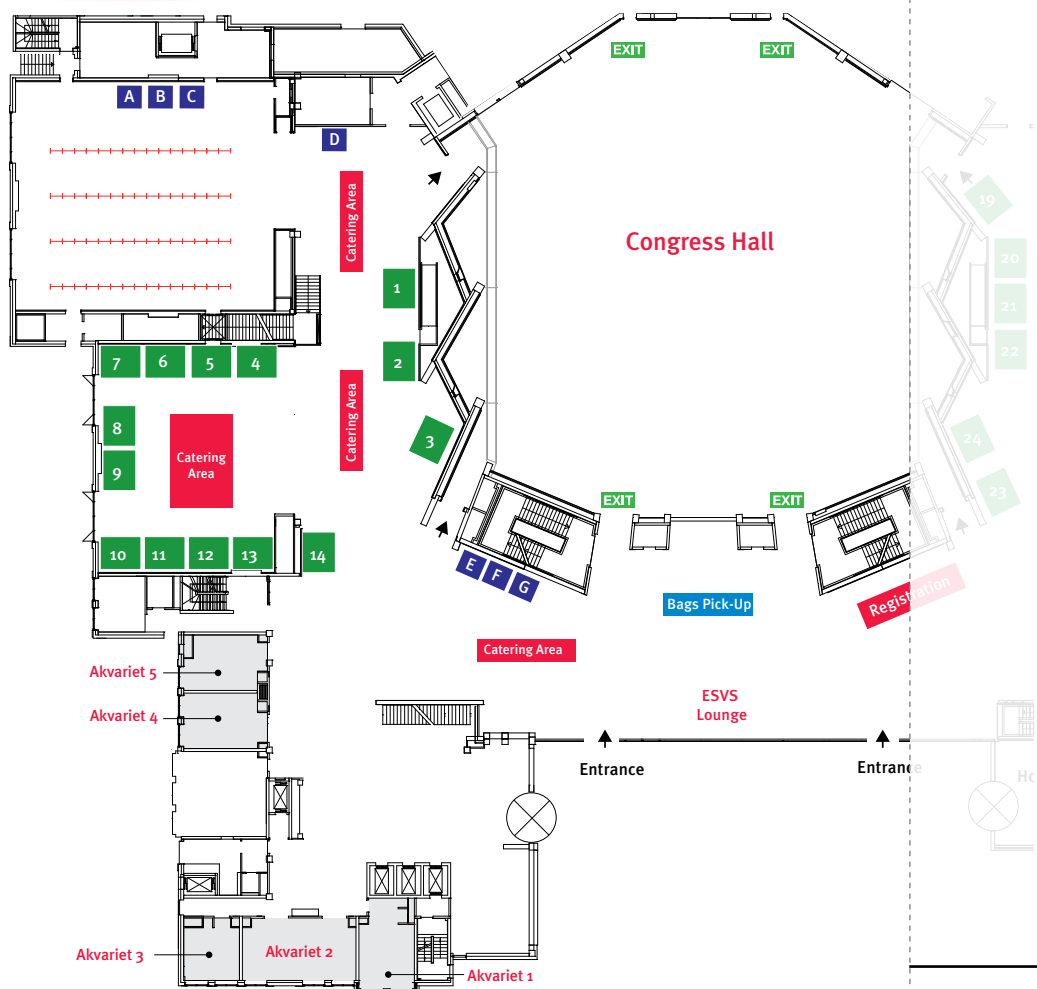


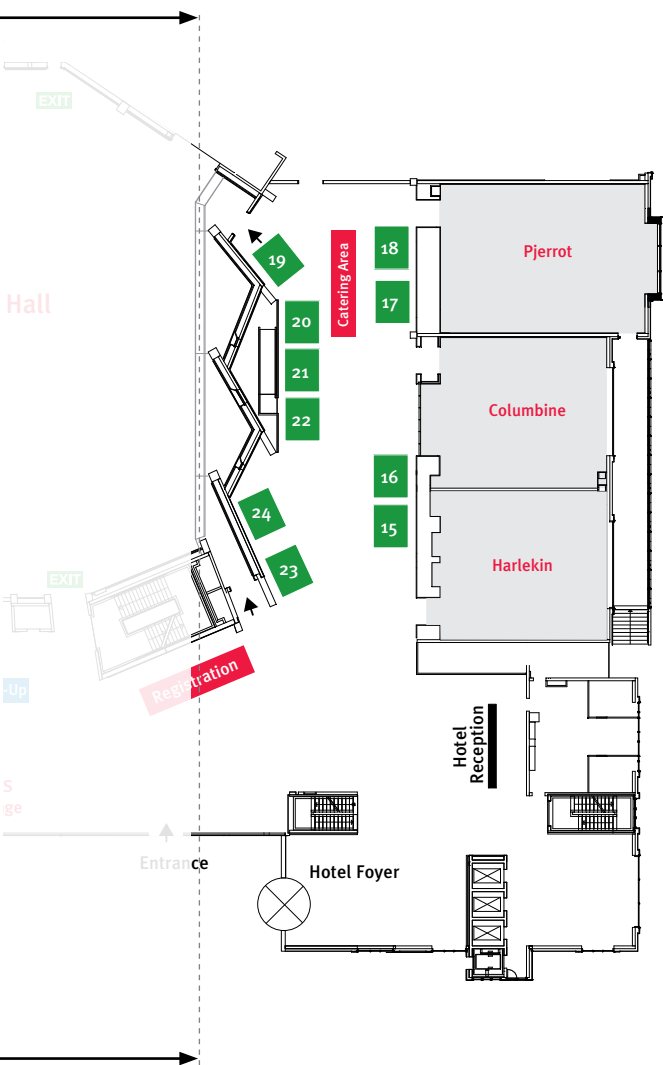
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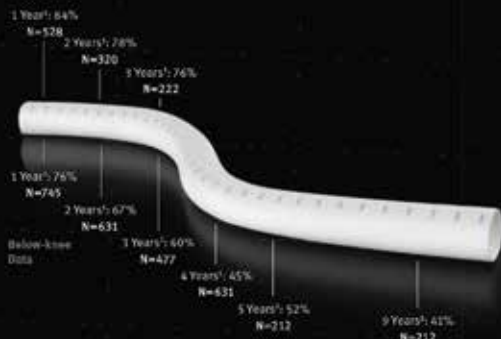


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2. Monaca V, Battaglia G, Turiano SA, Tringale R, Catalfamo S. Sub popliteal revascularization. Criteria analysis for use of E-P.T.F.E. (Propaten®) as first choice conduit. *Italian Journal of Vascular & Endovascular Surgery*. 2013;20(3):165-169.

Summary of changes:

- Addition of four gold radiopaque markers bonded to the graft at each end of endoprosthesis
- 5–8 mm diameter devices incorporate this change
- Catalogue numbers will change for all devices (5–13 mm PAC, PAH, and PAJ configurations)

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- Delivery system and profile unchanged
- 9–13 mm diameter devices do NOT have radiopaque markers on the endoprosthesis



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Wednesday: 07:00 – 19:00

Thursday: 07:00 - 17:30

Friday: 07:00 - 12:00

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Each participant will receive a name badge at registration. For security reasons all participants are requested to wear their badge during all the meeting activities and social events.

EXHIBITION HALL

The commercial exhibition highlighting medical companies will be held in conjunction with the meeting. Access to the exhibition is free for registered participants. The exhibition will be open on 28-30 September 2016 during the meeting hours.

DIRECTIONS

Direction from Copenhagen Airport to Tivoli Hotel and Congress centre:

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Take the train direct from Copenhagen Airport Terminal 3 on track 2 to Copenhagen. Get off at Copenhagen Central Station and walk to the hotel, which is within 8-10 minutes walking distance. You can also get a train on tracks 11 and 12 at Central Station that will take you to Dybbølsbro Station.

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By Taxi:

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LANGUAGE

The official language of the meeting is English.

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Lunches, coffee, tea and other refreshments will be available around the exhibition area.

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- Venous disease – why treat?
Stephen Black, United Kingdom
- Management of acute DVT
Richard O'Neill, United Kingdom
- Post thrombotic syndrome and patient care pathway
Bruce Braithwaite, United Kingdom
- Cases are challenging but the results are rewarding – practice in action
Patricia Thorpe, United States

14:00 – 15:30

CONGRESS HALL
Ground floor

ISS 01 - AORTA

Chair: *Arkadiusz Jawien, Poland*



- How new sealing technologies improve prevention of endoleaks
Piotr Szopinski, Poland
- Benefits of sealing technologies compared to EVAR
Robert Fisher, United Kingdom
- Treatment of iliac aneurysms with a sac anchoring endoprosthesis
Jean-Paul de Vries, The Netherlands
- EVAS Global Registry building the clinical evidence
Dittmar Boeckler, Germany
- Nellix within IFU: more patients less endoleaks
Jan Heyligers, The Netherlands

14:00 – 15:30

ISS 02 - VENOUS

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Chair: **Stephen Black**, *United Kingdom* and **Kursat Bozkurt**, *Turkey*

14:00 – 14:30

- My daily practice using AngioJet™ in DVT treatment
Lorenzo Moramarco, *Italy*



14:30 - 15:00

- Creating the endovascular arteriovenous fistula (endoAVF) with the everlinQ™ endoAVF System



- Understanding the procedure and clinical data to date
Eric Chemla
- The European experience with the everlinQ™ endoAVF System
Tobias Steinke
- Panel discussion

15:00 – 15:30

- Challenges and solutions for DVT treatment
Cuneyt Koksoy, *Turkey*



14:00 – 15:30

ISS 03 - CLINICAL TRIALS

PJERROT
Ground floor

Chair: **Sebastian Debus**, *Germany* and **Anders Albäck**, *Finland*

14:00 – 14:40

- Relay®Plus clinical results
Zoltan Szeberin, *Hungary*
- TREO®clinical results
Ferdinand Serracino-Inglott, *United Kingdom*
- Scalloped Thoracic Stentgrafts For Short Landing Zones: Results From A Nationwide Registry
Clark Zeebregts, *The Netherlands*



14:40 – 15:05

- What we have learned from the global ENGAGE registry and a single center experience
Giuseppe Galzerano, *Italy*



15:05 – 15:30

- The Eluvia DES clinical journey
- From MAJESTIC FIM to IMPERIAL head to head & EMINENT health economic trials
Stefan Müller-Hülsbeck, Germany



Friday, 30 September

08:00 – 09:00

ISS 04 – WOUND MANAGEMENT

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- Mode of action of NPWT: what do we know about how NPWT wounds on closed incision surgery
Hanne Birke Sørensen, Denmark
- Groin infections after vascular surgery
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