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Programme Update

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26th-28th March, 2015 - Johannesburg, South Africa

Editorial



AfricaPCR 2015 will be held on 26th-28th March in Johannesburg, the economic hub and the gateway to much of the African continent. In 2014, in Cape Town, a new African stand-alone Course in interventional cardiovascular medicine was born. This birth was an exciting culmination of years of preparation and it represented a truly African meeting with frank interchange between the regions of this vast continent.

The goal for 2015 is to expand on some of the themes introduced in Cape Town and to introduce others with a view to forging practical solutions to our many challenges and to develop processes for sustainability and growth of our discipline in Africa. Highlights of the 2015 Johannesburg programme will be: STEMI – exploring

solutions to problems defined in 2014 and plotting a way forward for systems implementation in Africa. Setting up a cathlab service in Africa will be a case-based session to guide resource management and will focus on equipment and skills required for performing essential procedures, guiding patient management with resource limitations. A session on the high-risk patient will be an exciting component covering a broad range of clinical scenarios. In addition, atrial septal defect, left atrial appendage closure and left main intervention will be featured, in an African context, while the complex issue of peri-procedural antithrombotic pharmacology will be distilled into a rational, practical approach. There will be an awareness of local environment and particular circumstances within each region of Africa and each of our regional needs will be discussed openly and freely, as in 2014, by the faculty and you the participants.

Once again an Allied practitioners programme will run parallel and will focus on congenital heart disease and on complications. The Interactive Case Corner, hugely successful last year, will be expanded since there were double the case submissions compared to 2014. The standard of submissions was very high resulting in a 80% acceptance rate. The most relevant cases will be presented in the Main arena.

The sprawling city of Johannesburg is a city of trees – classified as a forest – the largest man-made forest in the world, visible from space. March in Johannesburg is a truly wonderful time with exquisite summer weather and a green city after the rainy season. We will be in a state-of-the-art beautiful venue, ideally suited to fostering an environment of collaboration. Please join us and help to carry forward the vision of an interactive Course where together we plot our future in cardiovascular intervention.



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Call for... clinical cases

Thank you to all the many submitters!

We are delighted to report a 100% increase in submissions compared to last year, with clinical cases sent in from 23 countries in Africa and beyond.

This Course is made By and For you: your clinical cases have been integrated into the following sessions of the scientific programme:

- › STEMI: evolving management strategies for Africa
- › The high-risk patient
- › Setting-up a new cathlab service in Africa
- › Peri-procedural antithrombotic pharmacology
- › Interactive Case Corner sessions



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Programme at-a-glance

Thursday 26th March, 2015

Main arena

Ivory auditorium

Recorded Live STEMI case
Welcome
STEMI: evolving management strategies for Africa
Opening cocktail

Friday 27th March, 2015

Main arena

Ivory auditorium

Industry supported session
The high-risk patient
Break
Setting-up a new cathlab service in Africa
Lunch
Industry supported session
Left main coronary disease
Break
Atrial septal defect

Room 2

Ebony auditorium

Industry supported session
Allied practitioners session
Break
Interactive Case Corner
Lunch
Industry supported session
Interactive Case Corner
Break
Interactive Case Corner

Room 3

Interactive Case Corner

Saturday 28th March, 2015

Main arena

Ivory auditorium

Industry supported session
Industry supported session
Break
Left atrial appendage occlusion
Lunch
Peri-procedural antithrombotic pharmacology
Wrap-up

Room 2

Ebony auditorium

Interactive Case Corner
Break
Allied practitioners session
Lunch
Interactive Case Corner

Room 3

Interactive Case Corner

Plenary session for active participants "Call for" based session Allied practitioners programme Industry-supported session

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Thursday 26th March, 2015

16:30-17:30 ■ Recorded Live STEMI case

MAIN ARENA
IVORY
AUDITORIUM

Attend this session if you want:

- › To demonstrate standard of care in primary PCI
- › To initiate discussion of the future of STEMI treatment in Africa

18:00-19:30 ■ STEMI: evolving management strategies for Africa *Session comprising selected AfricaPCR 2015 clinical case submissions*

MAIN ARENA
IVORY
AUDITORIUM

How would
I like to treat?

Attend this session if you want:

- › To explore a practical way forward for STEMI management in Africa
- › To develop solutions to be implemented in Africa

18:00 › Introduction and objectives

18:05 **Case presentation: Inferior STEMI in a 34-year old treated with thrombus aspiration 5 days later**

18:10 › How would I like to treat?

18:15 › How would I like to treat?

18:20 › How would I like to treat?

18:25 › How did I treat?

18:30 › Discussion and audience interaction

18:40 › Consensus

18:45 **Case presentation: Failed early thrombolysis in a young patient with anterior STEMI**

18:50 › How would I like to treat?

18:55 › How would I like to treat?

19:00 › How would I like to treat?

19:05 › How did I treat?

19:10 › Discussion and audience interaction

19:20 › Consensus

19:25 › Take-home message

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Friday 27th March, 2015

09:00-10:30 ■ The high-risk patient

MAIN ARENA
IVORY
AUDITORIUM

Cases

Session comprising selected AfricaPCR 2015 clinical case submissions

Attend this session if you want:

- › To better understand what makes a patient «high-risk»
- › To share what could be an ideal preparation of a high-risk patient for procedure
- › To appreciate how to prevent and avoid complications

09:00 › Introduction and objectives

09:05 › Multivessel and left main disease with renal dysfunction and vascular disease

09:25 › Is it possible to defer left main stenting in STEMI with cardiogenic shock?

09:45 › Mitral stenosis post mitral valve replacement

10:05 › Management of mitral stenosis in pregnancy

10:25 › Take-home message

09:00-10:30 ■ Congenital heart disease, a session for the Allied practitioners

ROOM 2
EBONY
AUDITORIUM

Attend this session if you want:

- › To understand concepts in foetal cardiac development and learn how to distinguish atrial septal defects and patent foramen ovale
- › To review the techniques used to quantify atrial septal defects and patent foramen ovale
- › To assess the benefits of treating patients with atrial septal defects and patent foramen ovale

11:00-12:30 ■ Setting-up a new cathlab service in Africa

MAIN ARENA
IVORY
AUDITORIUM

Must do, must have

Session comprising selected AfricaPCR 2015 clinical case submissions

Attend this session if you want:

- › To explore how to decide what are the most important cathlab requirements for your environment
- › To better assess how to manage your cases with limited resources

14:00-15:30 ■ Left main coronary disease

MAIN ARENA
IVORY
AUDITORIUM

Learning

Attend this session if you want:

- › To better understand which left main lesion is suitable for PCI procedure
- › To learn how to safely perform PCI in a left main lesion

16:30-18:00 ■ Atrial septal defect

MAIN ARENA
IVORY
AUDITORIUM

Learning

Attend this session if you want:

- › To understand the needs of heart defect team in Africa
- › To understand who to treat and who not to treat in an African context
- › To learn the key steps when performing an atrial septal defect procedure

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Saturday, 28th March 2015

10:30-12:00 ■ Left atrial appendage occlusion

MAIN ARENA
IVORY
AUDITORIUM
Learning

Attend this session if you want:

- › To understand how to define the scope of the problem of atrial fibrillation in Africa
- › To learn how to select patients for left atrial appendage occlusion
- › To learn the key steps when performing left atrial appendage occlusion

10:30-12:00 ■ How to treat complications, a session for the Allied practitioners

ROOM 2
EBONY
AUDITORIUM
Learning

Attend this session if you want:

- › To appreciate the importance of patient preparation to minimise PCI-related complications
- › To understand the different roles of the cathlab team members
- › To learn how to recognise and manage complications

13:00-14:30 ■ Peri-procedural antithrombotic pharmacology

MAIN ARENA
IVORY
AUDITORIUM

Session comprising selected AfricaPCR 2015 clinical case submissions

Attend this session if you want:

- › To transform this complex subject into a rational, practical approach
- › To build together how to establish a systematic approach for peri-procedural management in Africa for acute and stable coronary cases

General information

Course dates

Thursday 26th March, 2015

Friday 27th March, 2015

Saturday 28th March, 2015

Course venue

The Forum, The Campus

The Wanderers Building, Cnr Sloane Street & Main Road, Bryanston, Johannesburg, 2021, South Africa

Official language

The official language of the Course is English.

Registration

	Until 30 th January, 2015	From 31 st January, 2015
Physician/Cardiologist/Surgeon	ZAR 6,500	ZAR 7,500
Cathlab Sister/Allied practitioners/Radiographer (justification required)	ZAR 3,350	ZAR 4,350
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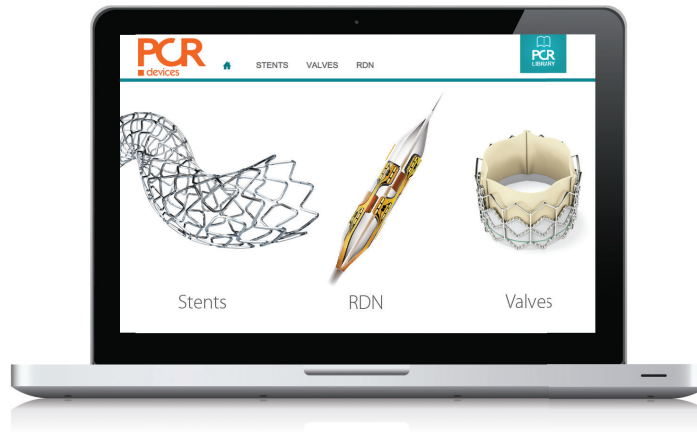


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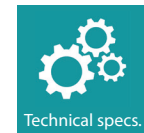
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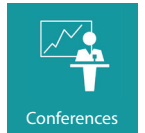
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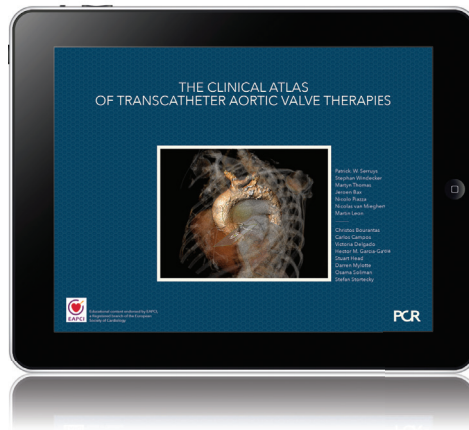
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