

# ECIC2017

# 3<sup>rd</sup>



European Congress on

## Intrapartum Care

Making Birth Safer

## STOCKHOLM Sweden



**25<sup>th</sup> - 27<sup>th</sup> May, 2017**

**Erling Persson Hall**

**Aula Medica**

**Karolinska Institutet**

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# Welcome to ECIC 2017

## 3<sup>rd</sup> European Congress on Intrapartum Care

Following on the successes of the previous editions of the **European Congress on Intrapartum Care (ECIC) – Making Birth Safer**, we are delighted to welcome you to the **third edition - ECIC 2017** - in the beautiful city of **Stockholm**.

Jointly organised by the **European Association of Perinatal Medicine** and the **European Midwives Association**, this congress constitutes a unique opportunity for all healthcare professionals working in the labour ward to meet each other, share their ideas and experiences, and obtain updated information on key aspects of clinical care. The congress is strongly focused on evidence-based practice and aims to promote excellence in all aspects of labour management. It endorses the visions of safe and respected birth, genuine teamwork in the labour ward, and provision of a positive birth experience to all women.

The congress is held within the famous **Karolinska Institutet**, home of the Nobel prizes and more than 200 years of history in development of the Medical sciences. **Stockholm** spreads out over 14 islands and is particularly famous for its grand public buildings and palaces, beautifully preserved old town, fine gothic churches, and cosmopolitan city atmosphere. All the conditions will be present for you to enjoy a unique scientific, social and cultural experience.



Diogo Ayres-de-Campos,  
Portugal  
Chair-Scientific Committee



Mervi Jokinen,  
UK  
Co-chair-Scientific Committee



Isis Amer-Wahlin,  
Sweden  
Chair-Local Organizing Committee

# Thursday, 25<sup>th</sup> May 2017

## PRE-CONGRESS COURSE

(min. 20, max. 100 participants)

**14:00-19:00 FIGO intrapartum fetal monitoring course**  
**Coordinators:** Sabaratnam Arulkumaran (UK),  
Diogo Ayres-de-Campos (P)

**14:00-14:10 Introduction** Sabaratnam Arulkumaran (UK)  
**14:10-14:45 Pathophysiology of fetal oxygenation during labor** Branka Yli (N)

**14:45-15:00 Intermittent auscultation** Emmanuel Roth (F)  
**15:00-15:40 Cardiotocography** Diogo Ayres-de-Campos (P)  
**15:40-16:00 Adjunctive technologies** Anneke Kwee (NL)

### 16:00-16:30 COFFEE BREAK

**16:30-19:00 Case discussion 1**  
Austin Ugwumadu (UK), Diogo Ayres-de-Campos (P)  
**16:30-19:00 Case discussion 2**  
Tullia Todros (I), Anneke Kwee (NL)  
**16:30-19:00 Case discussion 3**  
Susanna Timonen (FIN), Branka Yli (N)  
**16:30-19:00 Case discussion 4**  
Cristophe Vayssière (F), Emmanuel Roth (F)

## HANDS-ON TRAINING COURSES

**14:00-19:00 Training of vacuum, forceps, and shoulder dystocia** (min. 8, max. 20 participants)

**Chair:** Tim Draycott (UK)  
**Collaborators:** Jo Crofts (UK), Cathy Winter (UK),  
Bianca Masturzo (I)

**14:00-19:00 Repair of 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> degree tears**  
(min. 10, max. 30 participants)

**Chair:** Elham Baghestan (N)  
**Collaborator:** Susana Santo (P)

**14:00-19:00 Protection of the perineum during labor**  
(min. 8, max. 20 participants)

**Chair:** Tiina Pirhonen (FIN)  
**Collaborator:** Jouko Pirhonen (S)

**14:00-19:00 Crew resource management - team training in the labor ward** (min. 8, max. 20 participants)

**Chair:** Isis Amer-Wahlin (S)  
**Collaborator:** Aina Wallin (S)

**14:00-19:00 Mindful practice in childbirth**  
(min. 8, max. 20 participants)

**Chair:** Ana-Maria Whitmer-Jacobsson (S)  
**Collaborator:** Lilian Wirken (NL)

## Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> May 2017

### 08:15-08:30 WELCOME

Sabarathnam Arulkumaran (UK), Gerard Visser (NL),  
Frances Day-Stirk (UK), Diogo Ayres-de-Campos (P),  
Mervi Jokinen (UK), Isis Amer-Wahlin (S)

### 08:30-10:20 SESSION 1

#### Normal birth

**Chair:** Frances Day-Stirk (UK)

### 08:30-08:55 Use of the partogram and the diagnosis of arrested first and second stage of labor

Tina Lavender (UK)

### 08:55-09:20 How long should the second stage of labor last?

Camille LeRay (F)

### 09:20-09:45 To protect or not to protect the perineum?

Katarina Laine (N)

### 09:45-10:10 Use of the Rebozo technique for labor and turning the breech

Laura Sparholt (DK)

### 10:10-10:20 Selected oral presentation

### 10:20-10:45 COFFEE BREAK

### 10:45-12:35 SESSION 2

#### Induction and augmentation of labor

**Chair:** Gerard Visser (NL)

### 10:45-11:10 Should we induce labor for suspected fetal macrosomia?

Michel Boulvain (CH)

### 11:10-11:35 Elective labor induction for all at 39 weeks?

Jim Thornton (UK)

### 11:35-12:00 High versus low-dose oxytocin for induction

Marie Berg (S)

### 12:00-12:25 Reducing the rates of labor augmentation

Susanna Timonen (FIN)

### 12:25-12:35 Selected oral presentation

### 12:35-13:00 KEYNOTE LECTURE 1

**Chair:** Sabarathnam Arulkumaran (UK)

#### The new WHO guidelines on intrapartum care

Metin Gulmezoglu (CH)

### 13:00-14:30 CATERED LUNCH AND POSTER VISIT

### 14:30-16:20 SESSION 3

#### Intrapartum fetal monitoring

**Chair:** Anneke Kwee (NL)

### 14:30-14:55 How should we monitor low-risk births?

Diogo Ayres-de-Campos (P)

## Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> May 2017

### 14:55-15:20 Intrapartum fever: causes, treatment, and long-term consequences

Branka Yli (N)

### 15:20-15:45 Infectious exposure during pregnancy and delivery and cerebral palsy

Bo Jacobsson (S)

### 15:45-16:10 Neonatal imaging to determine timing and prognosis of hypoxia

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### 16:10-16:20 Selected oral presentation

### 16:20-16:50 SELECTED

#### ORAL PRESENTATIONS 1

(3min presentations + 2min discussion)

**Chairs:** Zarko Alfirovic (UK), Emmanuel Roth (F)

### 16:50-18:00 PANEL 1

#### The different realities of birth in Europe

**Chairs:** Christophe Vayssi re (F),

Eva Matintupa (Fin)

### 16:50-17:05 Eastern Europe

Yoana Stancheva (BG)

### 17:05-17:20 Northern Europe

Lars Ladfors (S)

### 17:20-17:35 Southern Europe

Serena Donati (I)

### 17:35-18:00 Discussion

### 20:00 CONGRESS DINNER

## Saturday, 27<sup>th</sup> May 2017

### 08:30-10:20 SESSION 4

**Labor in particular situations**

**Chair:** Austin Ugwumadu (UK)

**08:30-08:55** **Diagnosis and treatment of preterm labor** Roberto Romero (USA)

**08:55-09:20** **Issues specific to the delivery of twins** Thomas Schmitz (F)

**09:20-09:45** **Labor and birth in water** Kathryn Gutteridge (UK)

**09:45-10:10** **Labor and delivery in obese women** Christina Vinter (DK)

**10:10-10:20** **Selected oral presentation**

### 10:20-10:45 COFFEE BREAK

### 10:45-12:35 SESSION 5

**Improving the organization of labor care**

**Chair:** Susanna Timonen (FIN)

**10:45-11:10** **Innovation brought about by downsizing of labor wards** Marie Storkholm (DK)

**11:10-11:35** **The life cycle of a birth centre - a business model approach** Pamela Mazzocato (S)

**11:35-12:00** **Evaluating neonatal near-misses to improve outcome in Russia** Anton Mikhailov (RUS)

**12:00-12:25** **Measuring patient experiences as a way to improve care - the ICHOM project** Charlotte Roberts (UK)

**12:25-12:35** **Selected oral presentation**

### 12:35-13:00 KEYNOTE LECTURE 2

**Chair:** Bo Jacobsson (S)

**Each baby counts - national quality improvement programme for intrapartum care** Zarko Alfirevic (UK)

### 13:00-14:30 CATERED LUNCH AND POSTER VISIT

### 14:30-16:45 SESSION 6

**Emerging methods and treatments**

**Chairs:** Tullia Todros (I),  
Diogo Ayres-de-Campos (P)

**14:30-14:45** **Computerized CTG analysis - the INFANT trial** Philip Steer (UK)

**14:45-15:00** **Ultrasound to evaluate labor progress** Christopher Lees (UK)

**15:00-15:15** **Objective evaluation of labor progress** Jacky Nizard (F)

## Saturday, 27<sup>th</sup> May 2017

**15:15-15:30** **Home monitoring of maternal and fetal wellbeing** Olav Bjorn Petersen (DK)

**15:30-15:45** **Transabdominal fetal ECG and electromyography** Alexandra Hulsboom (NL)

**15:45-16:00** **The Odon device for instrumental vaginal delivery** Giancarlo di Renzo (I)

**16:00-16:15** **Suction devices for management of postpartum hemorrhage** Sabaratnam Arulkumaran (UK)

**16:15-16:30** **Tranexamic acid for treatment of postpartum hemorrhage** Ian Roberts (UK)

**16:30-16:45** **Discussion**

### 16:45-17:15 SELECTED

#### ORAL PRESENTATIONS 2

(3min presentations + 2min discussion)

**Chairs:** Joeri Vermeulen (B), Branka Yli (N)

### 17:15-17:40 KEYNOTE LECTURE 3

**Chair:** Isis Amer-Wahlin (S)

**The amniotic fluid embolism syndrome** Roberto Romero (USA)

### 17:40-18:00 TAKE-HOME MESSAGES

Gerard Visser (NL)

### 18:00-18:10 CLOSING SESSION

Anneke Kwee (NL),  
Gerard Visser (NL), Mervi Jokinen (UK)

# Organizing Institutions:

Study Group on Intrapartum Fetal Monitoring



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## Registrations available from May 2016

| Categories                                        | Before<br>28.02.2017 | After<br>28.02.2017 |
|---------------------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| Doctors                                           |   350,00             |   450,00            |
| Midwives                                          |   200,00             |   270,00            |
| Residents                                         |   200,00             |   270,00            |
| Others (including medical and midwifery students) |   125,00             |   150,00            |

Half-day pre-congress courses -   75,00

Half-day HOT sessions -   100,00

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