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PRELIMINARY PROGRAM



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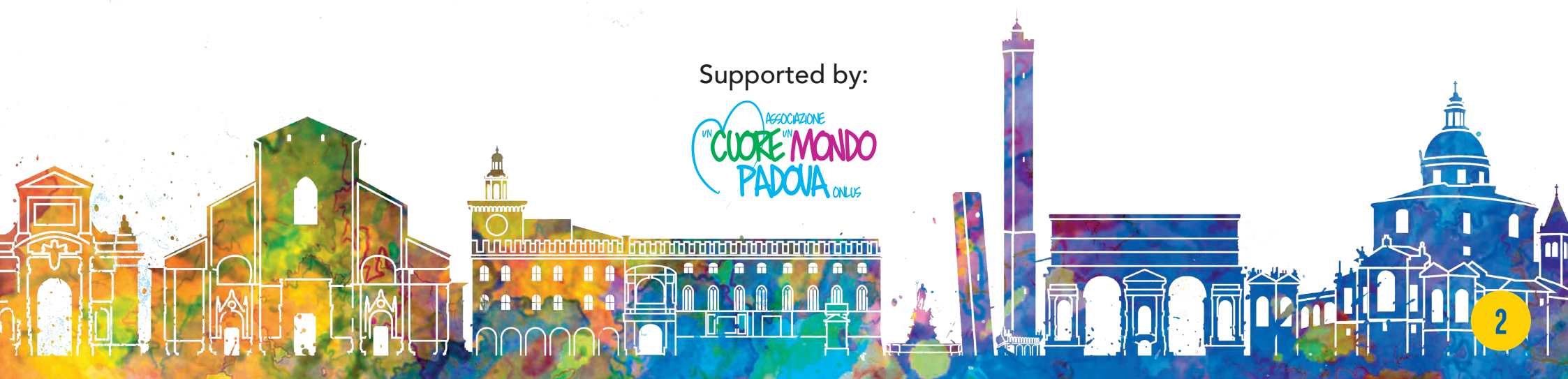


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TOPICS

MAIN TOPIC

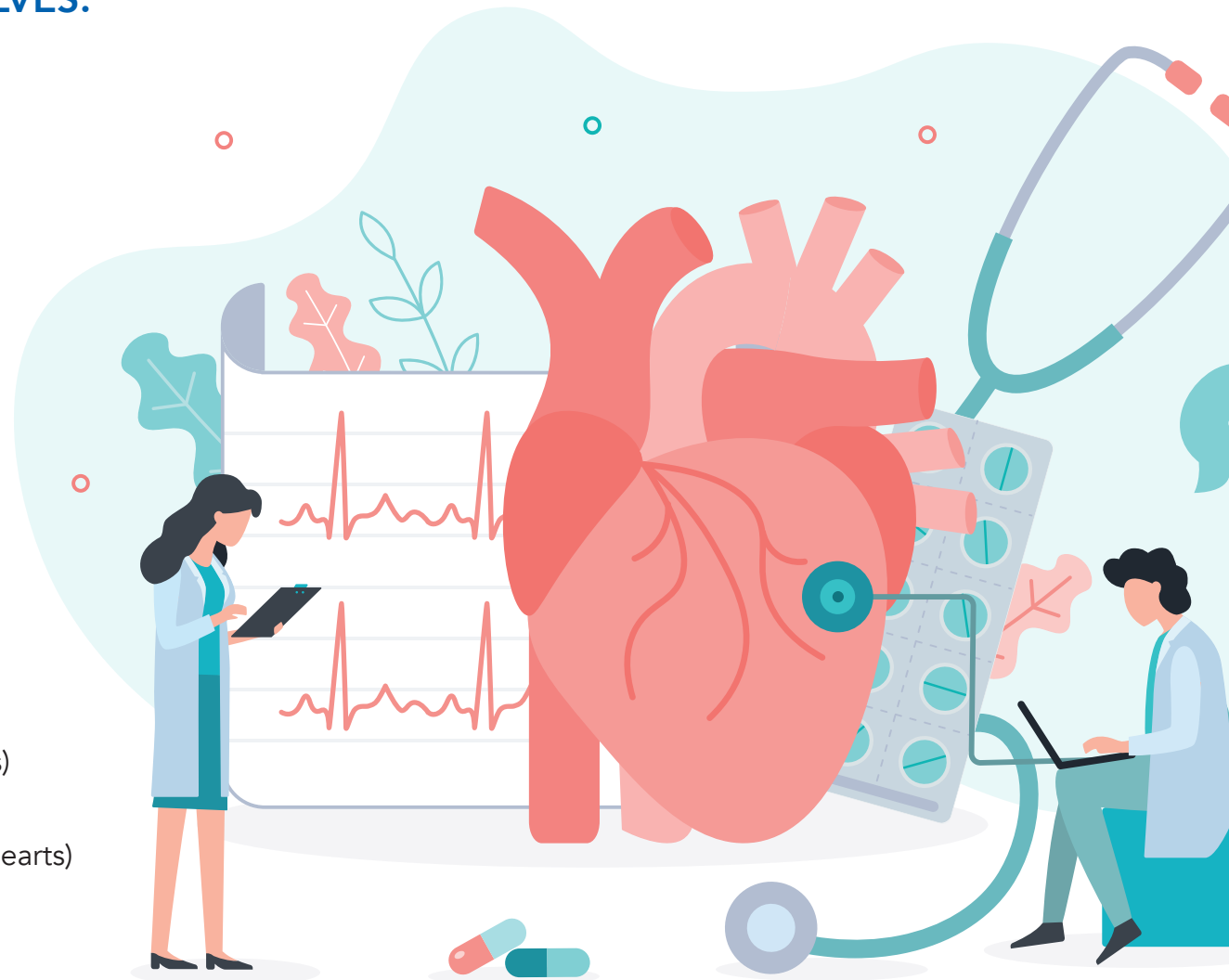
FATE OF THE ATRIOVENTRICULAR VALVES: FROM THE FETUS TO THE ADULT

SUBTOPICS:

- Surgery for congenital mitral valve anomalies
- Surgery for congenital tricuspid valve anomalies
- Valvar reconstruction in balanced atrio-ventricular defects
- Surgical management of atrio-ventricular valve in single ventricle hearts
- Surgical management of failing atrio-ventricular valves and ventricles

For each topic there will be presentations followed by discussion on:

- Anatomic introduction
- Advanced diagnostic features
- Current surgical strategies (and perfusion techniques)
- Interventional cardiology treatment
- Use of mechanical assist devices (in cases of failing hearts)



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PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Wednesday June 5, 2024 - 14:00 to 18:00

PRE-MEETING WORKSHOPS (SYMPOSIA) (PARALLEL SESSIONS)

ROOM A

HANDS-ON IN PEDIATRIC AND CONGENITAL CARDIAC SURGERY (3D SIMULATION)

Chairs:

Vladimiro Vida, Gaetano Gargiulo, Lorenzo Galletti, Alessandro Giamberti

Aims:

to perform simple and complex cardiac surgical procedures while promoting the potential use of innovative devices (mitral/aortic mechanical/biological valves, mitral valve rings, aortic valve rings, prosthetic conduits, biological patches for aortic arch reconstruction or valve reconstruction, sutures)

Methods: The procedures will be performed on 3D printed hearts/great vessels inserted in 12 dedicated simulators that will be used by up to 24 trainees / early career surgeons.

Simulations:

1) aortic/mitral valve replacement, 2) Norwood procedure for hypoplastic left heart syndrome, 3) mitral valve ring annuloplasty, 4) mitral valve /tricuspid valve leaflet patch extension, 5) aortic valve ring annuloplasty

Duration:

240 minutes

Timeline:

- One Sponsored lecture (30 minutes)
- Briefing: 30 minutes (surgical background, surgical demonstration, assignments)
- Execution: two 3D heart models for each simulator
- Debriefing and discussion (30 minutes)

Participants:

residents, fellows, junior attendings

ROOM B

HANDS-ON IN INTERVENTIONAL CARDIOLOGY

Chairs:

Massimo Chessa, Gianfranco Butera, Biagio Castaldi, Andrea Danti

Aims:

promote the knowledge of new percutaneous approaches to congenital heart disease and congenital or acquired valve disease or on prostheses (septal occluders, vascular occluders, vascular stents, vascular prosthesis, percutaneous valves)

Methods: creation of 4-8 "working stations", where the device will be presented and utilized into a simulator or into a 3D printed heart model.

Duration:

240 minutes

Timeline

- One Sponsored lecture (30 minutes)
- Briefing: explanation of how to carry out the procedure, division into groups, brief background on procedures (30 minutes)
- Execution: each trainee will access the single simulation station for 20 minutes; the functioning of the individual devices will be explained and the implantation simulated
- Debriefing and discussion (30 minutes)

Participants:

cardiologists, clinicians and cardiac surgeons who want to learn the indications, contraindications, and operating methods for individual procedures

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Wednesday June 5, 2024 - 14:00 to 18:00

PRE-MEETING WORKSHOPS (SYMPOSIA) (PARALLEL SESSIONS)

ROOM C

TEACHING OF ADVANCED PAEDIATRIC ECHOCARDIOGRAPHY SIMULATION

Chairs:

Giovanni Di Salvo, Gabriele Rinelli, Antonio Saracino, Anna Balducci

Aims:

promote the knowledge of Advanced Paediatric Echocardiography simulation

Methods:

to offer a hands on session to 20-25 participants on a pediatric simulator to practice on paediatric echocardiography and to work on laptops on advanced software (4D, Speckle tracking) to familiarized with the new development in real time 3D echocardiography and functional echocardiography.

Duration:

240 minutes

Timeline

- One Sponsored lecture (30 minutes)
- Presentation on New 2D-3D echo Techniques (30 minutes)
- Direct echo scanning on paediatric simulator (up to 250 congenital heart disease cases)(90 minutes)
- Hands on session on laptops for 4D echo and speckle tracking (60 minutes)

Participants:

cardiologists, clinicians, obstetricians and cardiac surgeons who want to learn advanced paediatric echocardiography features.

18:00 - 19:00

Editorial Board Meeting of the World Journal for Pediatric and Congenital Heart Surgery (Board members + local host)

18:00 - 18:30

Database Committee Meeting - ECHSA

18:30 - 19:00

Research Committee Meeting - ECHSA

19:00 to 22:00

Governing Council Meeting WSPCHS - (By invitation only)
(buffet dinner)

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Thursday, June 6, 2024 - 8:00 to 18:00

FATE OF THE ATRIOVENTRICULAR VALVES: FROM THE FETUS TO THE ADULT

SESSION 1 • 8:00 - 8:40

8:00 - 8:20

Welcome from ECHSA President

Vladimiro Vida - *Padova, Italy*

Welcome from WSPCHS President

James K. Kirklin - *Birmingham, USA*

Welcome from CHSS President

David Overmann - *Minneapolis, MN*

Welcome from WSPCHS Executive Director

Christo I. Tchervenkov - *Montreal, Canada*

8:20 - 8:40 • SPECIAL LECTURE 1

Topic: Morphology of congenital mitral valve anomalies

SESSION 2 • 08:40 - 10:20 (MITRAL VALVE I)

8:40 - 9:00

LECTURE 1

Echocardiography of the Mitral Valve: From clinician to surgeon

9:00 - 9:20

LECTURE 2

Reconstructive surgery for mitral valve in infancy: What are the options?

9:20 - 9:40

LECTURE 3

The long-term outcomes of surgical reconstruction of the mitral valve in infancy

9:40 - 10:00

LECTURE 4:

Conservative surgery of the mitral valve: What can the adult cardiac surgeon teach to the congenital surgeon? (rings, chordae, minimally invasive approaches. etc)

10:00 - 10:15 • DISCUSSION

10:15 - 10:45 • COFFEE BREAK

10:15 - 10:45

Walking Poster ABSTRACT Session 1

SESSION 3 • 10:45 - 12:00 (ORAL PRESENTATIONS)

10:45 - 11:00

Oral abstract presentation 1

11:00 - 11:15

Oral abstract presentation 2

11:15 - 11:30

Oral abstract presentation 3

11:30 - 11:45

Oral abstract presentation 4

11:45 - 12:00

Oral abstract presentation 5

12:00 - 12:30

9th Stella & Richard Van Praagh Lecture

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Thursday, June 6, 2024 - 8:00 to 18:00

FATE OF THE ATRIOVENTRICULAR VALVES: FROM THE FETUS TO THE ADULT

12:30 - 13:00

CHSS Presidential Address

13:00 - 14:00 • LUNCH

13:00 - 14:00

INDUSTRY SPONSORED SESSION

SESSION 4 • 14:00 - 15:30 (MITRAL VALVE II)

14:00 - 14:20

LECTURE 5

Current therapeutic strategies, surgical techniques, and outcomes for Rheumatic Mitral Valve Disease

14:20 - 14:40

LECTURE 6

Transcatheter Mitral Valve Therapies/reconstruction (including valve replacement, repair, perivalvar leaks)

14:40 - 15:00

LECTURE 7

Surgical replacement of the Mitral Valve in children: Experience with mechanical valves

15:00 - 15:20

LECTURE 8

Alternative surgical options for Mitral Valve Replacement when a mechanical prosthesis is not feasible.

15:20 - 15:30 • DISCUSSION

15:30 - 16:00 • COFFEE BREAK

15:30 - 16:00

Walking Poster ABSTRACT Session 2

SESSION 5 • 16:00 - 17:15 (ORAL PRESENTATIONS)

16:00 - 16:15

Oral abstract presentation 6

16:15 - 16:30

Oral abstract presentation 7

16:30 - 16:45

Oral abstract presentation 8

16:45-17:00

Oral abstract presentation 9

17:00 - 17:15

Oral abstract presentation 10

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Thursday, June 6, 2024 - 8:00 to 18:00

FATE OF THE ATRIOVENTRICULAR VALVES: FROM THE FETUS TO THE ADULT

SESSION 6 • 17:15-17:40 (RAPID FIRE PRESENTATIONS)

17:15 - 17:20

Rapid fire presentation 1

17:20 - 17:25

Rapid fire presentation 2

17:25 - 17:30

Rapid fire presentation 3

17:30 - 17:35

Rapid fire presentation 4

17:35 - 17:40

Rapid fire presentation 5

17:40 - 19:15

ECHSA BOARD Meeting (By invitation only)

19:30

WELCOME RECEPTION & OPENING CERIMONIES



PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Friday, June 7, 2024 - 8:00 to 18:00

FATE OF THE ATRIOVENTRICULAR VALVES: FROM THE FETUS TO THE ADULT

8:00 - 8:20

SPECIAL LECTURE 2

Topic: Morphology of congenital tricuspid valve anomalies

SESSION 7 • 8:20 - 10:00 (TRICUSPID VALVE I)

8:20 - 8:40

LECTURE 9

Advanced imaging of the Tricuspid Valve: From clinician to surgeon

8:40 - 9:00

LECTURE 10

Neonatal management of Ebstein anomaly

9:00 - 9:20

LECTURE 11

Technical aspects of the CONE procedure

9:20 - 9:40

LECTURE 12

Long - term results of surgical treatment of Ebstein anomaly

09:40 - 10:00 • DISCUSSION

10:00 - 10:30 - COFFEE BREAK

10:00 - 10:30

Walking Poster ABSTRACT Session with presentation 3

SESSION 8 • 10:30 - 12:00 (TRICUSPID VALVE II)

10:30 - 10:50

LECTURE 13

Surgery for congenital tricuspid valve disease (non- Ebstein) in infants, children, and adults

10:50 - 11:10

LECTURE 14

Percutaneous options for treating tricuspid valve regurgitation in adolescence/ adulthood (+/- pulmonary valve replacement)

11:10 - 11:30

LECTURE 15

Surgical treatment of tricuspid valve in systemic position (ccTGA)

11:30 - 11:50

LECTURE 16

Tricuspid valve surgery for conditions other than congenital (endocarditis, management of tricuspid regurgitation during pulmonary valve replacement, etc.)

11:50 - 12:00 • DISCUSSION

12:00 - 12:30

4th Adib D. Jatene Lecture on Surgical Innovation

12:30 - 13:00

ECHSA Presidential Address

13:00 - 14:00 • LUNCH

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Friday, June 7, 2024 - 8:00 to 18:00

FATE OF THE ATRIOVENTRICULAR VALVES: FROM THE FETUS TO THE ADULT

13:00 - 14:00 • INDUSTRY SPONSORED SESSION

Topic: Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension: lesson learned how to treat (and repair) challenging cases

14:00 - 14:20

SPECIAL LECTURE 3

Topic: Morphology of the AV canal (balanced and unbalanced forms)

SESSION 9 • 14:20 - 16:00 (VALVAR RECONSTRUCTION IN BALANCED AND UNBALANCED AV CANAL)

14:20 - 14:40

LECTURE 17

Echocardiography and advanced imaging of the Common Atrioventricular Valve (including unbalanced forms)

14:40 - 15:00

LECTURE 18

The difficult LAVV in AV canal: Management Options

15:00 - 15:20

LECTURE 19

Late AVV outcomes and management following AVSD repair: Re-repair or replacement

15:20 - 15:40

LECTURE 20

Surgical treatment of unbalanced forms of AV canal: Staging the unbalanced AV canal to biventricular repair

15:40 - 16:00 • DISCUSSION

SESSION 10 • 16:00 - 17:05 (ORAL PRESENTATIONS)

16:00 - 16:15

Oral abstract presentation 11

16:15 - 16:30

Oral abstract presentation 12

16:30 - 16:45

Oral abstract presentation 13

16:45 - 17:00

Oral abstract presentation 14

17:00 - 17:30 • COFFEE BREAK

17:00 - 17:30

Walking Poster ABSTRACT Session with presentation 4

SESSION 11 • 17:30 - 18:45 (ORAL PRESENTATIONS)

17:30 - 17:45

Oral abstract presentation 15

17:45 - 18:00

Oral abstract presentation 16

18:15 - 18:30

Oral abstract presentation 17

18:30 - 18:45

Oral abstract presentation 18

20:30 • GALA DINNER

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Saturday, June 8, 2024 - 8:00 to 18:00

FATE OF THE ATRIOVENTRICULAR VALVES: FROM THE FETUS TO THE ADULT

8:00 - 8:20

SPECIAL LECTURE 4

Topic: The morphology of single ventricle hearts

SESSION 12 • 8:20 - 9:50 (SURGICAL MANAGEMENT OF ATRIOVENTRICULAR VALVES IN FUNCTIONALLY UNIVENTRICULAR HEARTS)

8:20 - 8:40

LECTURE 21

Echocardiography and Advanced Imaging of the Atrioventricular Valve in Functionally Univentricular Hearts

8:40 - 9:00

LECTURE 22

Common AV valve regurgitation: repair techniques and surgical results

9:00 - 9:20

LECTURE 23

Management of Tricuspid Valvar Regurgitation in the neonate and infant with hypoplastic left heart syndrome

9:20 - 9:40

LECTURE 24

Management of atrioventricular valvar regurgitation after the Fontan Operation

09:40 - 9:50 • DISCUSSION

09:50 - 10:20 • COFFEE BREAK

SESSION 13 • 10:10 - 12:00 (SURGICAL MANAGEMENT OF FAILING AV VALVES AND FAILING VENTRICLES)

10:20 - 10:40

LECTURE 25

The role of PAB in patients with dilated cardiomyopathy and MV regurgitation

10:40 - 11:00

LECTURE 26

VAD in Fontan patients

11:00 - 11:20

LECTURE 27

LVAD in HLHS patients as bridge to transplant

11:20 - 11:40

LECTURE 28

HM III and other LVADs for congenital heart disease.

11:40 - 12:00 • DISCUSSION

12:00 - 12:30

9th Aldo R. Castañeda Lecture

12:30 - 13:00

WSPCHS Presidential Address

13:00 - 14:00 • LUNCH

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Saturday, June 8, 2024 - 8:00 to 18:00

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SESSION 14 • 14:00 - 15:10 (HUMANITARIAN MISSIONS)

14:00 - 14:15

LECTURE 29

A European multicentre educational program

14:15 - 14:30

LECTURE 30

Long term impact of our cooperation model

14:30 - 14:45

LECTURE 31

What we need in order to grow our programs and serve our patients

14:45 - 15:00

LECTURE 32

The cooperation in Cameroon: pros and cons

15:00 - 15:10 • DISCUSSION

SESSION 15 • 15:10 - 16:00 (VIDEO PRESENTATIONS)

15:10 - 15:20

Video presentation 1

15:20 - 15:30

Video presentation 2

15:30 - 15:40

Video presentation 3

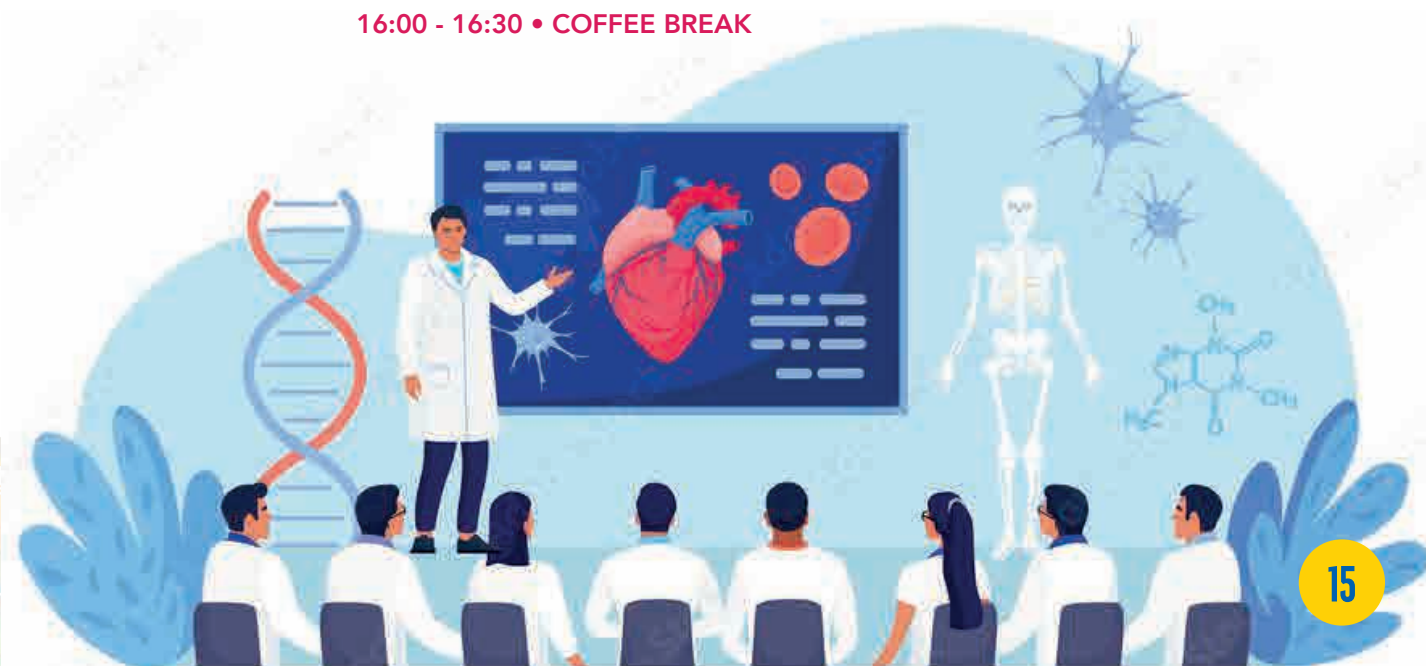
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Video presentation 4

15:50 - 16:00

Video presentation 5

16:00 - 16:30 • COFFEE BREAK



PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Saturday, June 8, 2024 - 8:00 to 18:00

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SESSION 16 • 16:30 - 16:55 (RAPID FIRE PRESENTATIONS)

16:30:16:35

Rapid fire presentation 6

16:35 - 16:40

Rapid fire presentation 7

16:40 - 16:45

Rapid fire presentation 8

16:45 - 16:50

Rapid fire presentation 9

16:50:16:55

Rapid fire presentation 10

17:00 - 17:30

RASTELLI LECTURE

17:30 - 18:00

World University for Pediatric and Congenital Heart Surgery:
A Global Education Tool

18:00 - 18:30

Farewell remarks

World Summit for Pediatric and Congenital Heart Surgery

18:30 - 19:30

Annual Business Meeting (ECHSA Members only)

20:00 - 22:00

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