

Aortic Highlights

2024



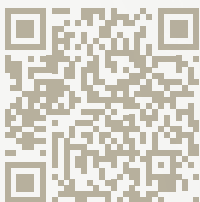
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Thursday, 21 March 2024 | 13:00-18:00 CET

13:00 Day 1 opening



Session

1

Hot off the press

13:10 TAVI outcomes in the spotlight of current trials
SAVR outcomes: a benchmarking perspective
Low-risk patient management: EACTS and STS position
Round table discussion

14:10 Coffee break



Session

2

SAVR: Surgical Aortic Valve Rethink

14:20 Navigating the grey zones and diagnostic dilemmas
Pre-operative assessment:
simple tools for an optimal surgical strategy
Why is PPM unacceptable in 2023?
Live-in-a-box: Surgical options for annular enlargement
Round table discussion

15:30 Coffee break



Session

3

Minimally invasive surgery

15:50

Introduction

Case presentation and interactive discussion

Technical approaches to perform MIS

Live-in-a-box: The transaxillary approach step-by-step

Round table discussion

16:50

Day 1 take-home messages

17:00

Aortic Highlights Challenge | Test your knowledge

19:15

Group Dinner

Friday, 22 March 2024 | 08:45-13:00 CET

08:45

Day 2 opening



Session

4

Future of valve surgery through synergy between research and clinical practice

09:00

Tissue-engineered heart valves: concepts and challenges

Revolutionizing cardiovascular care:
bridging equity gaps with artificial intelligence and
advanced imaging

Round table discussion

Guest Lecture: Harmonizing hearts: bridging
biomedical innovations and surgical expertise for a
sustainable future

10:15

Coffee break



Session

5

Alternative to surgical prostheses

10:25

When is a surgical prostheses a suboptimal solution?



ROSS procedure: from concept to practice

What makes an Aortic valve easy to repair?

Live-in-a-box: Aortic valve repair step-by-step

Round table discussion

11:40

Coffee break



Session

6

Aortic pathologies

12:00

Pre-operative assessment for acute Type A aortic dissection



Different ways of addressing the arch
for Type A aortic dissection

Lifetime management of Type A aortic dissection;
initial strategy and subsequent treatment options

Live-in-a-box: type A dissection.

Round table discussion

13:10

Day 2 take-home messages

13:20

Lunch

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