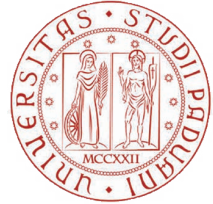


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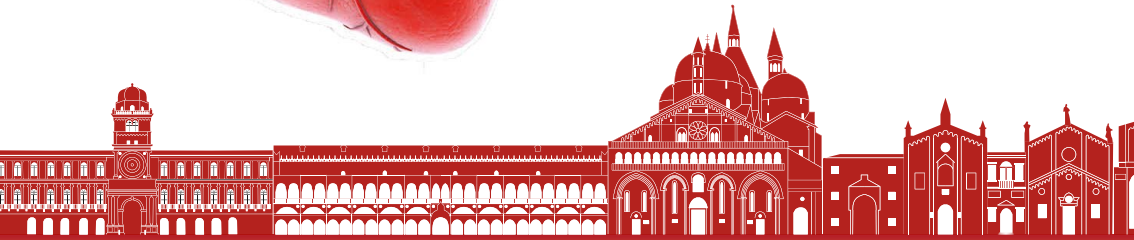
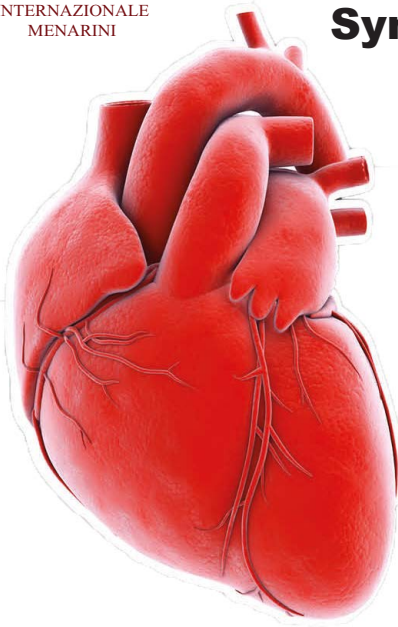


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**International
Symposium on:**

THE RIGHT HEART. THE NEW FRONTIER



Padua, March 1st - 3th, 2017

Palazzo del Bo and Botanical Garden, Padua

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PROGRAMME

Wednesday, March 1st - Afternoon

Opening ceremony

04.00 p.m. **Master Lecture**
Introduced by **Sabino Iliceto, Padua, I**
Galileo Galilei and the origin of the scientific method at the University of Padua
(**Gaetano Thiene, Padua, I**)

Introduced by **Luciano Daliento, Padua, I**
The spectrum of congenital heart diseases with systemic right ventricle
(**Michael Gatzoulis, London, UK**)

06.00 p.m. *Guided visit to the old University and anatomical theatre*

Thursday, March 2nd - Morning

THE RIGHT HEART CHAMBERS. NO LONGER THE NEGLECTED NEIGHBOURS OF THE LEFT

Chairpersons: **Sabino Iliceto (Padua, I)**, **Kristina Haugaa (Oslo, N)**

Session I - RIGHT HEART CHAMBER ASSESSMENT:

08:30 a.m. **Marco Guazzi (Milan, I)**
Right heart structure and function.

08:50 a.m. **Denisa Muraru (Padua, I)**
Echocardiographic assessment of the right ventricle

09:10 a.m. **Chiara Bucciarelli Ducci (Bristol, UK)**
CMR assessment of the right ventricle

09:30 a.m. **Bijoy Khanderia (Milwaukee, USA)**
Why and how to assess the right atrium?

09:50 a.m. **Stefano Caselli (Rome, I)**
Right ventricular adaptation and maladaptation to exercise

10:10 a.m. Discussion

10:30 a.m. Coffee break

Session II - RIGHT VENTRICULAR FAILURE

Chairpersons: **Gianfranco Sinagra (Trieste, I)**, **Alex Linhardt (Prague, CZ)**

10:50 a.m. **Marco Metra (Brescia, I)**
Epidemiology and clinical significance

11:10 a.m. **Veli-Pekka Harjola (Helsinki, FI)**
Acute right ventricular failure

11:30 a.m. **Bogdan Popescu (Bucharest, RO)**
The right ventricle failure in left heart failure patients

11:50 a.m. **Patricia Pellikka (Rochester, USA)**
Carcinoid Heart Disease: the Right Ventricle and Valves

12:10 p.m. **Alina Nicoara (Durham, USA)**
How to assist the failing RV

12:30 p.m. Discussion

01:00 p.m. Lunch

Thursday, March 2nd - Afternoon

Session III - ARRHYTHMOGENIC RIGHT VENTRICULAR CARDIOMYOPATHY.

Chairpersons: **Gaetano Thiene (Padua, I)**, **Richard N.W. Hauer (Utrecht, NL)**

02:30 p.m. **Cristina Basso (Padua I)**
ARVC advances at the University of Padua

02:50 p.m. **Kristina Haugaa (Oslo, N)**
Guidelines about cardiac imaging assessment.

03:10 p.m. **Domenico Corrado (Padua, I)**
Risk stratification and therapy

03:30 p.m. **Mark Link (Dallas, USA)**
Idiopathic RVOT tachycardia

03:50 p.m. **Elijah Behr (London, UK)**
ARVC and Brugada syndrome: what is new?

04:10 p.m. Discussion

04:30 p.m. Coffee Break

Session IV - PULMONARY HYPERTENSION.

Chairpersons: **Marco Metra (Brescia, I)**, **Patricia A Pellikka (Rochester, USA)**

04:50 p.m. **Nazareno Galie' (Bologna, I)**
Pulmonary arterial hypertension in 2017: classification and prognostication

05:10 p.m. **Alex Linhart (Prague, CZ)**
Is cardiac catheterization really needed to differentiate Group I from Group II patients?

05:30 p.m. **Simon Gibbs (London, UK)**
Evolving treatment paradigm in pulmonary hypertension: aggressive upfront therapy or sequential addition of drugs.

05:50 p.m. **Vittorio Pengo (Padua, I)**
Pathophysiology and treatment of chronic thromboembolic pulmonary hypertension

06:10 p.m. **Andrea M D'Armini (Pavia, I)**
Technique and outcomes of pulmonary endarterectomy surgery. How to select the right patient?

06:30 p.m. Discussion

Friday, March 3th - Morning

TRICUSPID VALVE. FROM THE FORGOTTEN VALVE TO A TERAPEUTIC TARGET

Session V - ASSESSMENT OF THE TRICUSPID VALVE

Chairpersons: **Sabino Iliceto (Padua, I)**, **Maurizio Taramasso (Zurich, CH)**

08:30 a.m. **Roberto M Lang (Chicago, USA)**
The normal tricuspid valve

08:50 a.m. **Luigi P. Badano (Padua, I)**
Pathophysiology of functional tricuspid regurgitation

09:10 a.m. **Yoram Agmon (Haifa, IL)**
Tricuspid valve remodeling in right ventricular overload

09:30 a.m. **Maurice-Enrique Sarano (Rochester, USA)**
Assessment of tricuspid regurgitation severity

09:50 a.m. **Jae-Kwan Song (Seoul, South Korea)**
Which parameter will predict succesful and durable tricuspid annuloplasty?

10:10 a.m. Discussion

10:30 a.m. Coffee break

Session VI - SURGICAL/INTERVENTIONAL MANAGEMENT OF TRICUSPID VALVE REGURGITATION

Chairpersons: **Gino Gerosa (Padua, I)**, **Maurice-Enrique Sarano (Rochester, USA)**

10:30 a.m. **Maurizio Taramasso (Zurich, CH)**
Why and when should we surgically repair the tricuspid valve?

10:50 a.m. **Giovanni Stellin (Padua, I)**
More than valve repair: effect of cone reconstruction on right ventricular geometry and function in patients with Ebstein anomaly.

11:10 a.m. **Rebecca T. Hahn (New York, USA)**
Transcatheter repair of the tricuspid valve: is it suitable for my patient?

11:30 a.m. **Sorin Pislaru (Rochester, USA)**
When is it too late?

11:50 a.m. **Tomaso Bottio (Padua, I)**
Pulmonary Hypertension in Advanced Heart Failure: Management Considerations and Strategies for Heart Transplantation and LVAD Candidates

12:10 a.m. Discussion

12:30 a.m. Lunch