



IV Central European Vascular Forum
International Educational Course

and

VI Adriatic Vascular Ultrasound Society
Meeting about Vascular Ultrasonography



Opatija - Croatia - Hotel Adriatic
15-18. October 2009.



Welcome

Dear friends and colleagues,

It is with great honour and pleasure that we invite you to join as at the joint meeting - IV Central European Vascular Forum Educational Course and VI Adriatic Vascular Ultrasound Society meeting dedicated primarily to vascular sonography, but with many lectures that also cover broad topics of angiology, vascular surgery and vascular medicine in general.

The meeting is the result of international collaboration of distinguished speakers, a team of clinicians and expert investigators in the field of vascular medicine. Distinguished faculty members from all central European countries, but also from Great Britain, USA and Switzerland guarantee high quality lectures that will cover many fields of vascular medicine and vascular ultrasound, from basics to the latest frontiers of research.

The attendants will benefit from the state-of-art lectures, hands-on sessions, clinical case-analysis and personal communication with the speakers. The aim of the meeting is to share knowledge and experience and to promote education in the field of vascular medicine and vascular ultrasound in central European countries and beyond.

We are looking forward to meeting you in beautiful city of Opatija for the third time, for another memorable course.

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HOW TO PERFORM DOPPLER EXAMINATION & TECHNICAL POINTS, EQUIPMENT AND HANDS-ON

- 14.00-14.15 **Basic physics and safety of Doppler**
B. Breyer
- 14.15-14.35 **Knobology**
S.Rainer
- 14.35-14.55 **Haemodynamics and basic interpretation of Doppler spectra**
C. Deane
- 14.55-15.15 **Carotid and vertebral arteries**
S.Castellani
- 15.15-15.30 **Transcranial Doppler**
S.Castellani
- 15.30-15.50 *Coffee Break*
- 15.50- 16.10 **Peripheral arteries**
K.Jäger
- 16.10-16.30 **Peripheral veins**
S.Rainer
- 16.30-16.45 **Renal arteries and kidneys**
B.Brkljačić
- 16.45-17.00 **Aorta and visceral arteries**
V.Napoli
- 17.00-17.30 **Liver and contrast-enhanced ultrasound**
Z.Harkanyi
- 17.30-19.30 **Hands-on Scanning**
- 20.00 *Welcome Reception*

ULTRASOUND OF EXTRACRANIAL AND INTRACRANIAL ARTERIES

- 9.00-9.15 **Intima media thickness**
P.Poredoš
- 9.15-9.35 **Clinical applications and criteria for grading ICA stenosis**
B.Brkljačić
- 9.35-9.55. **Transcranial Doppler- clinical applications**
S.Castellani
- 9.55-10.15 **Neurovascular interventions and imaging**
M.Radoš
- 10.15-10.35 **Carotid surgery and Carotid Stenting**
Z.Milošević
- 10.35-10.55 *Coffee Break*

ULTRASOUND OF AORTA AND VISCERAL ARTERIES

- 10.55-11.10 **Abdominal aorta and mesenteric vessels & pathology**
V.Napoli
- 11.10-11.30 **Liver Doppler & portal hypertension and tumors**
I.Grgurević
- 11.30-11.45 **Liver transplants**
I.Čikara
- 11.45-12.00 **Inflammatory bowel disease and Doppler**
S.Rainer
- 12.00-13.30 **Hands on scanning**
- 13.30-15.00 **Lunch symposium & case presentations:**
B.D.Coley and Z.Harkanyi

UROGENITAL APPLICATIONS OF DOPPLER

- 15.00-15.20 **Renal transplants**
F.Drudi
- 15.20-15.35 **Renovascular hypertension and other kidney applications**
B.Brkljačić
- 15.35-15.55 **Parenchymal kidney diseases and other kidney applications**
J.Tuma

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- 15.55-16.15 **Erectile dysfunction**
P.Pavlica
- 16.15-16.35 **Scrotum**
M.Bertolotto
- 16.35-16.50 **Pelvic congestion syndrome**
P.L.Antignani
- 16.50-17.05 *Coffee Break*

ULTRASOUND OF PERIPHERAL ARTERIES

- 17.05-17.25 **Doppler of peripheral arteries**
K.Jäger
- 17.20-17.45 **Ultrasound in interventional radiology of perihperal arteries**
L.Cambj-Sapunar
- 17.50-18.05 **Endothelial dysfunction**
M.Šebeštjen
- 18.05-18.30 **Evaluation of arteries of arms and hemodialysis shunts**
C.Deane
- 18.30-19.45 **Hands-on-scanning**
- 20.15 *Gala Dinner*

**DOPPLER US VEINS, THYROID GLAND, MUSCULOSKELETAL
DOPPLER, BREAST, EYE AND PEDIATRIC DOPPLER APPLICATIONS**

- 9.00-9.30 **Deep venous thrombosis and alternative diagnoses**
D. Gaitini
- 9.30-9.55 **Chronic venous insufficiency**
K.Jäger
- 9.55-10.25 **Pediatric applications**
B.D.Coley
- 10.25-10.40 **Thyroid gland**
G.Ivanac
- 10.40-10.55 **Breast**
I.Drinković
- 10.55-11.15 **Eye and vascular malformations**
Z.Harkanyi
- 11.15-11.30 **Musculoskeletal Doppler**
G.Ivanac
- 11.30-11.45 *Coffee Break*
- 11.45-13.00 **Hands-on-scanning**
- 12.30-14.00 *Lunch*

VASCULAR SURGERY - SECTION

- 14.00-14.20 **Surgical treatment of thoracic aortic aneurysms**
C.Dzsinich
- 14.20-14.35 **Supraaortic atherosclerotic occlusive disease:
surgical and endovascular options**
I. Lovričević:
- 14.35-14.50 **TBA**
I. Tonković
- 14.50-15.05 **RFITT in treatment of varicose leg veins**
M. Ajduk
- 15.05-15.20 **CEA under local anesthesia: standard or option**
L. Erdelez
- 15.20-15.35 **Spinal anesthesia for varicose veins treatment:
pro and contra**
I. Tudorić
- 15.35-15.50 **Role of anesthesiologist in aortic aneurysm surgery**
D. Guštin

15.50-16.05 **Treatment of brain ischemia due to the stenosis of internal carotid artery**

M.Szostek

16.05-16.15 **Discussion**

16.15-16.30 *Coffee Break*

MISCELLANEOUS TOPICS

16.30-16.45 **Vasculitis of aorta**

V.Štvrtinova

16.45-17.00 **Position of crosscutomy in 2009**

C.Allegra

17.00-17.15 **Patients with PAO are treated less intensively**

K.Roztočil

17.15-17.30 **Treatment of SFA Instent Restenosis**

E.Minar

17.30-17.45 **The connection carotid & coronary arteries: contribution of coronary MDCT**

S.Novo

17.45-18.00 **The ABI measurement - utility of screening**

C.Andreozzi

18.00-18.15 **Microvascular investigation on critical limb ischemia**

R.Martini

18.15-18.30 **Long-term follow-up of recanalisation of DVT**

Z.Pecsvarady

18.30-18.45 **Diagnosis and treatment of superficial thrombophlebitis**

A.Jecu

18.45-19.00 **Update on post DVT recurrence, recanalization, reflux and postthrombotic syndrome**

J.J.Michiels

19.00-19.15 **New insights in atherosclerosis**

Ž.Reiner

19.15-19.30 **Treatment of deep venous thrombosis**

H.Brajčić

19.30-19.45 **Secondary prevention in patients with peripheral arterial disease**

A.Blinc

19.45-20.00 **Questions**

20.30 *Dinner*

General Information

FEES

	GALA DINNER not included	GALA DINNER included
Doctors	EUR 200,00	EUR 250
Residents	EUR 120,00	EUR 170

The Registration Fee includes : Admission to the Basic Training Course and all lectures, hands on scanning, Coffee break as in the programme, Certificate, Welcome reception and Gala dinner.

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All participants have to pay a costs of accommodation directly at reception desk by cash or by credit cards.

Cost of registration fee and gala dinner participants can pay only by prepayment to the account of organizer or by cash at registration desk.

ADRIATIC 1 (****)

Double bed room: 62,00 €

Double bed room single use: 92,00 €

ADRIATIC 2 (***)

Double bed room: 48,00 €

Double bed room single use: 72,00 €

Price are per person, per day (tourist tax and VAT included) on bed and breakfast base.

SOCIAL PROGRAMME

Welcome reception

Thursday - 15.10. 2009 -20.00 h

Gala dinner

Friday - 16. 10. 2009 - 20.15 h

Excursions and tours

Sunday - 18. 10. 2009 - Optional excursion to Istria or boat excursion



Notes





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pouzdanost

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