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EuroCMR 2016 - Welcome to the leading cardiovascular magnetic resonance meeting in Europe

Dear Colleagues,

EuroCMR 2016 opens the doors today in the lovely city of Florence with a new record number of approximately 800 people including delegates, faculty, and exhibitors. There is also a new record number of abstracts that have been submitted for the exchange of important research. The meeting is organised by the European Association of Cardiovascular Imaging (EACVI) and focuses on education in cardiac magnetic resonance (CMR) imaging, exchange of actual research both preclinically and clinically in the field, and also on showing the most recent technical advancements. The meeting has emerged to the most important CMR meeting in Europe and also offers several symposia where were organized in collaboration with multiple partner associations and industries.

The keynote lecture today with the title "The double-edged sword of reperfusion in myocardial infarction: the role of CMR" presented by Prof. Albert van Rossum will focus on the role of CMR for imaging of myocardial infarction. CMR has unique opportunities due to the excellent imaging properties for tissue characterization. It allows imaging of the area at risk, the infarct size and also potential measures of reperfusion injury such as microvascular obstruction and also hemorrhage. Several of these parameters offer prognostic information and allow to risk stratify patients. Furthermore, and even more important CMR provides the unique option to find new methods for the prevention of reperfusion injury since it is for the first time possible to measure reperfusion injury in humans non-invasively.

This keynote lecture by the well-known pioneer in CMR and distinguished researcher Prof. Albert van Rossum will set the scene for the overall conference which allows the exchange of current and future clinical applications of CMR within the next 3 days.

By Prof. Holger Thiele, Lubeck, Germany

Sessions not to be missed

Basic course - Auditorium - 09:00-13:30

Advanced course - Sala verde - 09:00-16:00

Industry Face off session – Auditorium – 13:30-14:30

Key note lecture - Auditorium - 18:30-19:00

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Session reports to be published throughout the meeting escardio.org/eacvi

Tracks

Level 1 track

Basic course - Auditorium - 09:00-13:30



Advanced course III - Auditorium - 14:30-16:00

Medtronic symposium - Auditorium - 16:45-18:30

Congenital track

Advanced course - Auditorium - 14:30-16:00

Advanced course 2 - Sala verde - 16:45-18:30

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Learn more about the EACVI initiatives

Visit the EACVI stand

New! e-Learning programme on CMR. 10 CMR tutorials to be released shortly

Industry sessions

Medtron showcase - Agora during break - 11:00-11:45

Siemens showcase - Agora during break - 16:00-16:45

Medtronic symposium

Auditorium – 16:45-18:30 – coffee/snack provided

* This offer applies to the Silver level and is restricted to EuroCMR 2016 paying delegates. Offer valid from 12/05/2016 to 14/05/2016 onsite only.

