Day 1 - 14 December 2016

12:30  Finger food lunch

14:00-14:30  Welcome Address and Introduction (30’)
Chairpersons: Educ Cttee Chairman, ESC Pres, ESC Pres-Elect, VP NCS
Paulus Kirchhof – Introduction (5’)
Jeroen Bax – Education and ESC Membership (10’)
Barbara Casadei – Research and Education (10’)
Bela Merkely – The importance of National Cardiac Societies (5’)

14:30-14:50  ESC Survey on ‘National Training in Cardiology in Europe 2016’
Peter Kearney (10’+10’)

14:50-15:00  Introduction and find your workshop group
Update on 2015 Education Conference key findings – Kevin Fox (5’)
Expectations for 2016 interactive workshops – Dipak Kotecha (5’)

15:00-16:30  Interactive workshops
Assessment of skills and knowledge (90’)
  • Group 1: Finland - Juha Hartikainen & Kevin Fox
  • Group 2: Greece - Konstantinos Tsioufis & Paulus Kirchhof
  • Group 3: Ireland – Brendan McAdam & Alessandro Sionis
  • Group 4: Italy – Paolo Calabrò & Dipak Kotecha
  • Group 5: Netherlands – Patrick Verhorst & Davor Milicic
  • Group 6: Poland – Andrzej Budaj & Agnès Pasquet

16:30-16:50  Coffee Break (visit European Heart Academy, Guidelines and Registries stands)

16:50-18:00  ESC eLearning sessions (2 x 30 minutes)
  • ESCeL Platform (Plenary Room 1 & 2)
  • ESC Clinical Case Gallery & ESC Webinar Series (Room 4 & 5)
    Groups 1, 2 & 3 start in Plenary Room. Groups 4, 5 & 6 start in Room 4 & 5
    then exchange rooms

18:15  Shuttle to Hotel (AC Marriot Nice)

19:45  Cocktail & Dinner (AC Marriot Nice)
Day 2 – 15 December 2016

06:30 -07:30   Breakfast and check-out
07:30          Shuttle from Hotel to European Heart House
08:15-08:30   Welcome coffee
08:30-09:45   **Keynote presentations:**
                 • Skills Assessment – Electronic portfolio platform, Eelco Kunst, VREST (15’)
                 • Knowledge Assessment – High Stake assessment – Gavin Busuttil-Reynaud, AlphaPlus Consulting (15’)
                 • ESC Practice Guidelines – Marco Roffi (15’)
                 • The virtuous circle: linking Guidelines, Education & Registries – Alec Vahanian (15’)
                 Q&A with panel (15’)
09:45-10:30   Coffee break (visit European Heart Academy, Guidelines and Registries stands)
10:30-12:15   **Debrief on key messages from Day 1 workshops**
12:15-12:45   **Open floor plenary & Closing**
12:45          Networking lunch
14:00          Departure shuttle to Airport