Dear Colleagues,

Many of you will have been at yesterday’s training and education opening. Today just gets better and better. Some selected highlights include:

- **CMR at the Limits** (8:15 - Main Room, Opening Plenary), including Jeroen Bax “What CMR should do that it currently does not”, Next generation scanning by Peter Kellman, CMR in extreme conditions by Pierre Croisille and CMR in the developing world by Juliano Ferandes.
- **Valvular Heart Disease Debate** (17:00 – Main Room) with Saul Myerson for CMR against Frank Flachskampf for echo
- **Cardiology vs Radiology**, the World Cup. With chairs Andrew Crean and Gianluca Pontone (both dual accredited). Team Cardiology, team Radiology, may the odds be ever in your favour!

Some more unusual sessions are:

- Graham Cole on “Imaging scandal, controversy and best practice” (9:45 - Room 2) in the “delivering CMR research” session
- Adam Timmis, lead of the UK NICE guidelines, for chest pain testing on “CT is the breakthrough technology for chest pain testing” (11:30 - Main Room)
- For a global feel, I highlight the cases from around the world – Romania, Egypt, Canada, Hungary, Australia, India, Mexico, Portugal, Poland and China – sounds busy! (15:00 - Room 3)

Some things not to forget:

- Your badge, particularly for level 1 and technologist track barcode scanning
- Visit our exhibitors and sponsors who help make this happen (iPad prize draw if they you get your A5 prize card stamped!)
- Explore the whole area including the poster area and members only lounge
- Our special courses if you are registered (3D printing, anatomy and flow). These are overbooked.

Join us at the Meet & Greet reception (19:00) in the exhibition area.

Finally, don’t forget to enjoy the beautiful city of Prague, but we start again at 7:30 am tomorrow! (breakfast provided!)

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