

Third International Branislav Brano Radovancevic Heart failure Forum

Portoroz, September 30 - October 2, 2010

FINAL PROGRAMME

Thursday, September 30, 2010

12.00-12.30 Opening

THU 30/9 12.30-14.00 New heart failure programs

Chairs: B. Vrtovec, D. Shumakov, A. Wasler

12.30 - 12.45 Heart transplantation and assist devices - historical perspective
12.45 - 13.00 15 years of heart transplantation in University hospital Dubrava
13.00 - 13.15 Heart transplantation in Ljubljana
13.15 - 13.30 VAD experience in University hospital Dubrava
13.30 - 13.45 Surgical experience in treatment of heart failure in Slovenia
13.45 - 14.00 Initiating a mechanical circulatory support program
14.00 - 14.15 Discussion

*O.H. Frazier
D. Barić
M. Šebešljen
Z. Sutlić
I. Knežević
T. Myers*

14.15 - 14.45 Break

THU 30/9 14.45 - 16.15 Novel concepts in heart failure

Chairs: E. Potapov, H. Reichenspurner, D. Vega

14.45 - 15.00 Physiological aspects in patients on continuous vs. pulsatile LVADs
15.00 - 15.15 Renal replacement therapy in chronic heart failure
15.15 - 15.30 Improvements of the Heartassist 5 VAD to reduce thrombogenicity
15.30 - 15.45 Cath-lab implanted long-term circulatory assist device
15.45 - 16.15 Discussion

*B. de Mol
B. Čížman
E. Tuzun
F. Raissi*

16.15 - 16.45 Coffee break

THU 30/9 16.45 - 18.00 Heart failure and congenital heart disease

Chairs: R. Körfer, M. Loebe, P. Przybylowski

16.45 - 17.00 Management of right heart failure

E. Potapov

17.00 - 17.15 Cardiac failure in adults with corrected congenital transposition

M. Koželj

17.15 - 17.30 Cardiac resynchronization therapy

U. Mazič

17.30 - 18.00 Discussion

Friday, October 1, 2010

FRI 1/10 8.00-9.45 Novel treatment approaches in acute heart failure

Chairs: I. Gregorič, R. Smalling, M. Strüber

08.00 - 08.15 Heart failure in acute myocardial infarction and reperfusion therapy

Z. Vasiljević

08.15 - 08.30 Emergent surgical interventions in acute heart failure

P. Przybylowski

08.30 - 08.45 Percutaneous MCS in acute heart failure

P. Loyalka

08.45 - 09.00 Surgical MCS in acute heart failure

E. McGee

09.00 - 09.15 Is there a new paradigm for cardiopulmonary collapse management

A. Pavie

09.15 - 09.45 Discussion

09.45-10.15 Coffee Break

FRI 1/10 10.15-12.00 Medical management of advanced chronic heart failure

Chairs: J. Kobasigawa, E. Birks, D. Vega

10.15-10.30 Medical management in chronic heart failure

D. Planinc

10.30-10.45 Shifting the treatment of heart failure

P. Jourdain

10.45-11.00 BNP therapy in heart failure

M. Mirić

11.00-11.15 Heart failure and atrial fibrillation

M. Šinkovec

11.15-11.30 The future of medical management in chronic heart failure

S. Hunt

11.30-12.00 Discussion

12.00-12.30 Brano's ISHLT Fellowship Award Lecture

*S. Borović,
O.H. Frazier,
L. Damme*

12.30-13.30 Lunch Symposium (Novartis)

13.30-14.15 Break

FRI 1/10 14.15-16.00 Interventions in chronic heart failure

Chairs: J. Long, B. Sun, G. Wieselthaler

14.15 - 14.30 Clinical effects of pulsatile and nonpulsatile flow

14.30 - 14.45 Surgical interventions in chronic heart failure

14.45 - 15.00 Who is an appropriate ambulatory LVAD candidate?

15.00 - 15.15 Minimally invasive devices

15.15 - 15.30 The future of interventions in chronic heart failure

15.30 - 16.00 Discussion

16.00 - 16.30 Coffee Break

*R. Smalling
A. Wasler
W. Dembitsky
R. Delgado
A. Civitello*

FRI 1/10 16.30-18.30 Cardiac regeneration and stem cell therapy

Chairs: S. Hunt, B. de Mol, A. Ghodsizad

16.30 - 16.45 Histologic markers of myocardial recovery in heart failure

16.45 - 17.00 Myocardial recovery with LVAD

17.00 - 17.15 Stem cell implantation in periinfarct zone during CABG

17.15 - 17.30 Myoblast transplantation in heart failure

17.30 - 17.45 Stem cell therapy in dilated cardiomyopathy

17.45 - 18.00 Combined stem cell and LVAD therapy in end-stage heart failure

18.00-18.30 Discussion

*A. Segura
E. Birks
Z. Trifunović
H. Reichenspurner
B. Vrtovec
I. Gregorič*

Saturday, October 2, 2010

SAT 2/10 8.00-9.45 Mechanical circulatory support

Chairs: W. Dembitsky, D. Taylot, E. McGee

- 08.00 - 08.15 Destination LVAD therapy
08.15 - 08.30 Complications of LVAD therapy
08.30 - 08.45 Implantable biventricular support
08.45 - 09.00 Will 3rd VAD generation replace heart transplantation?
09.00 - 09.15 The future of mechanical circulatory support in chronic heart failure
09.15 - 09.45 Discussion
- 9.45-10.15 Coffee break

*J. Long
B. Sun
M. Strüber
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O.H. Frazier*

SAT 2/10 10.15-12.00 Heart Transplantation

Chairs: O.H. Frazier, S. Hunt, B. Vrtovec

- 10.15 - 10.30 Evolving indications for heart transplantation
10.30 - 10.45 MCS effect on HT
10.45 - 11.00 Heart transplantation complications
11.15 - 11.15 Heart-lung transplantation
11.15 - 11.30 The future of heart transplantation
11.30 - 12.00 Discussion

*D. Taylor
R. Körfer
D. Vega
M. Loebe
J. Kobashigawa*

12.00-12.30 Meeting Highlights
S. Hunt, O.H. Frazier

12.30-13.00 Farewell reception