





# **CONGRESS OF THE**

# **EUROPEAN SOCIETY OF VASCULAR MEDICINE**



SAVE the DATE

Milan, 12-14 October 2023



17:45-18:30

**Keynote 1** 

• Does hemodynamics have a sex?

# Educate, Share and Collaborate!

Thursday October 12th	
10:30-11:30	Master classes MC1: DUS venous insufficiency assessment: what a young angiologist should know MC2: DUS carotid artery assessment: it is all a matter of "angle"
11:30-12:30	Master classes MC3: The secrets of compression treatment MC4: A "basic" arterial endovascular revascularization procedure explained to the non interventionalist
13:00-14:30	Plenary session 1  CAROTID ARTERY STENOSIS, WHERE DO WE STAND IN 2023?  • Stroke: state of the art what is new?  • Criteria for Carotid artery stenosis: are we still debating?  • Asymptomatic carotid artery stenosis: Intervention or best medical therapy only?  • When and how to treat symptomatic carotid artery stenosis?  • Do we need to follow up patients with carotid stenosis?
14:30-15:30	Symposium 1 and 2 (Industry)
15:30-16:00	Coffe Break and poster viewing in exposition area
16:00-17:00	Parallel Session 1  PERIPHERAL ARTERY DISEASE, LOOKING BEYOND LOWER LIMBS  • Mesenteric artery stenting: when and how?  • Subclavian and brachiocephalic stenting: indications and techniques  • When and how should we treat renal artery stenosis?  • Radial artery occlusion: how should we treat?
16:00-17:00	Parallel Session 2  VENOUS DISEASES  Pelvic congestion syndrome: a 2023 update  Superficial venous treatment in ulcer care  Venous ablation, what are first line options in 2023?  May Thurner syndrome from A to Z
17:00-17:45	OPENING CEREMONY

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# **Friday October 13th**

08:00-09:00 Breakfast with the expert

**Chairs:** 

Breakfast with the editor of VASA

09:00-10:30 Plenary session 2

#### LYMPHOEDEMA AND LYMPHATICS

- Imaging of lymphatics: how, when, why?
- Surgical treatment of lymphedema: for whom, how, when?
- Differentiating between lipoedema, lymphoedema and obesity
- Are genes involved in lymphatic failure?
- Mechanisms of lymphatic renewal and repair

10:30-11:00 Coffe Break and poster viewing in exposition area

11:00-12:00 Parallel session 3 in collaboration with the Italian Society of Vascular Medicine (SIAPAV)

#### LIFESTYLE AND ARTERIAL DISEASE

- Peripheral artery disease: Mediterranean diet for all?
- Electronic cigarette: a false "good" thing?
- Pollution and peripheral artery disease
- What about a cup of tea, coffee, or chocolate?

11:00-12:00 Parallel session 4:

#### CRITICAL LIMB ISCHEMIA AS MULTIDISCIPLINARY TASK

- Are we ready for consensus definition and assessment?
- What should we do for revascularization after BEST CLI?
  - Pro
  - Contra

12:00-13:00 Why we need a strong European Society of Vascular Medicine?

- Why ESVM?
- European guidelines and consensus papers: Update
- Are we ready for European Vascular training requirements and exam? Role of ESVM
- Vascular medicine: The USA experience
- Round table

12:00-13:00 Lunch and poster viewing in exposition area

13:00-14:30 Plenary session 3

#### PERIPHERAL ARTERY DISEASE: UNSOLVED ISSUES

- Who to screen for PAD, are we ready for a consensus?
- Exercise and PAD, are we ready for a consensus?
- Are we ready for circulating biomarkers use in PAD?
- Common femoral artery revascularization: endovascular or surgical: how and why?
- Can artificial intelligence lead to better outcomes?



14:30-15:30 Symposium 3 and 4 (Industry)

15:30-16:00 Coffee break and poster viewing in exposition area

## 16:00-17:30 Plenary session 4: Joint session with the European Society of Atherosclerosis

#### PAD PATIENTS: A HIGH CARDIOVASCULAR RISK PATIENT

- "Vulnerable" plaques, where do we stand and where are you going?
- Follow up of patients with PAD: When, how and what intervals?
- CV risk estimation and management in women
- Tryglicerydes and residual cardiovascular risk
- New paradigm in lipid lowering
- Lp(a), cardiovascular risk and PAD

#### 17:30-18:30 Parallel session 5: Joint session with the ESC WG Aorta & Peripheral vascular disease

#### **AORTA**

- AAA: when to screen and when to treat
- Non-atherosclerotic aortic diseases
- Imaging of aortic diseases
- AAA: Open or Endo which method for which patient

#### 17:30-18:30 Parallel session 6:

# MICROCIRCULATION

- How to assess microcirculation?
- Contribution of oligodendrocyte precursor cells to cerebral small vessel disease
- Vascular-macrophage crosstalk in the muscle
- Exercise to reverse microvascular dysfunction induced by age and lifestyle



## **Saturday October 14th**

#### **08:30-09:30** Parallel session **7**:

#### ANTITHROMBOTICS IN VASCULAR DISEASES

- In daily practice, have we really adopted the COMPASS and Voyager data with regard to PAD treatment?
- Does it make sense to screen for non responders to aspirin and clopidogrel?
- Which DOAC for which indication?
- Is there still a need for dual antiplatelet therapy following arterial revascularization, and for how long?

#### 08:30-09:30 Parallel session 8

#### **DIABETES AND VASCULAR DISEASES**

- Are all antidiabetic agents equally beneficial in PAD patients?
- Screening for PAD in diabetics: When should it start, how and how often?
- Multidisciplinary diabetic foot teams: early diagnosis and aggressive treatment
- When vascular physicians should care about diabetes?

#### 09:30-10:00 Keynote 2

The challenges of frailty in PAD management

#### 10:00-10:30 Coffee break and poster viewing in exposition area

# 10:30-11:30 Parallel sessions organized by the young ESVM angiologists Joint with the French Society of Vascular Medicine

1. Young academy session 1 (case based)

## RARE VASCULAR DISEASES

- A case of vascular Ehlers-Danlos syndrome (vEDS)
- Overview on vEDS
- A case of antiphospholipid syndrome
- Overview on antiphospholipid syndrome

#### 2. Young academy session 2

#### **NEW INSIGHTS ON VASCULAR ANOMALIES**

Pathophysiology and current classification of vascular anomalies

- The genetic basis of vascular anomalies: current data and future therapeutic perspectives
- Interventional therapy of vascular anomalies: past, present and future

#### 11:30-12.45 Plenary session 5 joint session with SVM

# **VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM**

- The post thrombotic syndrome and elastic stockings: are we missing something?
- Pregnancy and pulmonary embolism, is risk stratification working?
- VTE and the cancer patient: which anticoagulant therapy?
- Interventional treatment options for PE, has their time come?

#### 12:45-13.15 Concluding remarks/prizes



# **GENERAL INFORMATION**

# **CONGRESS VENUE**

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# **ORGANIZING SECRETARIAT**



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