

Surgery of The Thoracic Aorta

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BOLOGNA - ITALY

Course Director:
Roberto Di Bartolomeo

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INTRODUCTION

Considering the success that met with, testified by the high presence of foreign guests, the Course intend to give continuity and to deepen more advanced surgical techniques and the new technologies now available in aortic valve, in surgery of the thoracic aorta and transcatheter surgery (TEVAR, TAVI). At the same time, particular care will be given to the diagnostic methods and to the new needs of the transcatheter surgery (hybrid operating room).

This course is aimed at Heart Surgeons, Vascular Surgeons, Cardiologists, Interventionist Radiologists and Anaesthetists. We will offer them a complete and diverse scientific programme containing a full spectrum of exchange and learning opportunities. Also during this edition, as in the past one, methods regarding surgery of aortic valve and of thoracic aorta in paediatric patients and regarding illnesses with connective origin will be developed.

Therefore the programme could interest Paediatric Surgeons and Specialists in genetic diseases, too.

The Course will also offer a live number of surgery demonstrations from the operating rooms at the S. Orsola Hospital in order to illustrate various procedures, techniques, prosthetic materials and devices available for this fascinating surgery.

As for past editions, participants will be given the possibility to present one or more videos (no longer than 5 minutes) about course topics, prosthetic materials and the different devices used by them.

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PROGRAMME

Monday, 11st November 2013

8.45 – 13.00 morning session

John A. Elefteriades, New Haven

Four Insights into the Aortic Wall

G. El Khoury, Belgium

Bicuspid aortic valve repair: why and how

M. Borger, Germany

Should we be performing TAVI in medium-risk patients?

E. Roselli, Cleveland USA

Endovascular therapy for the ascending aorta: the next frontier

- Live surgery demonstration (from the operating room of the S Orsola Hospital)
- Interactive session with videos

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14.00 – 18.00 afternoon session

Zhong Sun Li, Pechino CINA

The Sun's procedure in the treatment of aortic dissection

H. Jakob, Germany

Treatment of acute type A aortic dissection: the "Essen" approach

G. Matalanis, Australia

Complete aortic repair for Acute type A dissection

- Live surgery demonstration (from the operating room of the S Orsola Hospital)
- Interactive session with videos

Tuesday, 12nd November 2013

8.30 – 13.00 morning session

S. Lansman, New York

Aortic Arch Replacement Using the Spielvogel graft and Selective Cerebral Perfusion.

Y. Okita, Japan: Total arch replacement from the left thoracotomy using ante grade cerebral perfusion

J. Coselli, Houston USA

Thoracoabdominal Aortic Aneurysm Repair: From Mavericks to Maestros to Virtuosos

C. Hughes

Hybrid techniques for thoracoabdominal aneurysm repair

- Live surgery demonstration (from the operating room of the S Orsola Hospital)
- Interactive session with videos

14.00 – 17.00 afternoon session

J. Bavaria, Philadelphia USA

TEVAR versus open TAAA repair for chronic type B dissection: decision making and results

A. Estrera, Texas

Open repair of the Chronic descending thoracic aortic dissection: The Distal First Approach

- Live surgery demonstration (from the operating room of the S Orsola Hospital)
- Interactive session with videos

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