

Scientific Program of LAA 2014

Friday,
November
14th, 2014

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| 08:00 - 18:30 | Registration |
| 08:00 - 08:05 | Welcome |
| 08:05 - 08:45 | Session 1: How Morphology Affects Short- and Long-term Outcome? What you Need to Know Moderator: Neil Wilson, MD / Stefan Bertog, MD / Julie Humphries, MD The Pathologist Point of View: Demonstration of a Heart Dissection Yen Ho, MD Implications for the Implanter Maxim Didenko, MD |
| 08:45 - 10:15 | Session 2: LAA Imaging Moderator: Shakeel A. Qureshi, MD / Sameer Gafoor, MD / Maurice Buchbinder, MD • Screening and Intra-procedural TEE: Basics and Advanced Tips and Tricks Julie Humphries, MD Intraprocedural Angiography Maurice Buchbinder, MD 3D Rotational Angiography Tom de Potter, MD TEE Follow-up: Thrombus and Residual Leak Simon Lam , MD ICE Guidance During LAA Closure Sergio Berti CT: Using Osirix Sergio Berti Panel Discussion |
| 09:00 - 18:00 | AMPLATZER Left Atrial Appendage Occlusion Virtual Reality Training |
| 09:00 - 18:00 | WATCHMANTM Implant Simulation Based in Simbionix Virtual Reality |
| 09:00 - 18:00 | WATCHMANTM Trans-esophageal Echo Simulation Based in IML Heartworks Virtual Reality |
| 09:00 - 15:00 | CT Training for LAA Closure |
| 09:00 - 15:00 | LARIAT Procedure Bench TopTraining |
| 09:00 - 10:00 | Parallel: How to Retrieve Embolized Devices |
| 10:15 - 10:45 | Coffee & Tea Break |
| 10:45 - 12:45 | Session 3: LAA Closure With the Watchman Occluder - LAA Closure: What have we learned and where do we go? Moderator: Neil Wilson, MD / Gilles. Montalescot, MD Scientific Update and Data From Daily Practice Lucas Boersma, MD Which Anti-thrombotic strategy for which patient? Martin W. Bergmann |

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| | <p>Specific Design Features of the Watchman Device: Major Differences to Other Devices Martin W. Bergmann</p> <p>Watchman Step by Step Maurice Buchbinder, MD</p> <p>TEE Follow-up After Watchman Implantation Julie Humphries, MD</p> <p>Patient Identification-Creating of a Successful LAA Closure Practice <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two Examples From Real Life - The Interventionalist's Point of View Richard Folkeringa, MD Two Examples From Real Life - The Neurologist's Point of View </p> <p>Case Examples Maurice Buchbinder, MD</p> <p>Panel Discussion</p> |
| 11:00 - 12:00 | Human and Animal Specimens |
| 12:45 - 13:45 | Lunch Break and Industry Exhibition |
| 13:45 - 15:45 | <p>Session 4: LAA Occlusion With Amplatzer LAA Devices Moderator: Apostolos Tzikas, MD / Fabian Nietlispach, MD</p> <p>Specific Design Features of the Amplatzer Device: Major Differences to Other Devices Dabit Arzamendi, MD</p> <p>AMPLATZER LAA Devices: Step-by-Step Jens Erik Nielsen - Kudsk, MD</p> <p>TEE of the LAA Prior, During and After LAA Closure With the Amplatzer Occluder Klaus Tiemann, MD</p> <p>Building My LAA Practice Johannes Brachmann, MD</p> <p>Case Examples <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jai-Wun Park, MD Fabian Nietlispach, MD </p> <p>Panel Discussion</p> |
| 14:00 - 15:00 | Advanced Watchman Seminar - Talk to the Proctors |
| 15:45 - 16:00 | Coffee & Tea Break |
| 16:00 - 17:30 | <p>Session 5: How to Close the LAA With the Lariat Device Moderator: Shakeel A. Qureshi, MD / Randall (Randy) Lee, MD</p> <p>How to Select Patients for the Lariat Device Dhjanunjaya Lakkireddy, MD</p> <p>Pericardial Access for LAA Closure - The Mystery and the Reality Christopher Ellis, MD</p> <p>Lariat Step by Step Randall (Randy) Lee, MD</p> <p>LARIAT Experience in Patients Contraindicated to Anticoagulation Sameer Gafoor, MD</p> <p>Ligation and Ablation Versus Ablation Only in Patients With Persistent AF Dhjanunjaya Lakkireddy, MD</p> |

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| | <p>Post Procedure Management with LARIAT Hosakote Nagaraj, MD</p> <p>Case Examples Krzysztof Bartus, MD</p> <p>Treatment Strategies in Patients With Incomplete Closure of the LAA Gafoor Sameer</p> <p>Panel Discussion</p> |
| 16:00 - 17:00 | Advanced ACP Seminar - Talk to the Proctors |
| 17:30 - 18:30 | Advanced Lariat Seminar - Talk to the Proctors |
| 17:30 - 18:30 | <p>Session 6: LAA Closure With the Coherex WaveCrest Occluder Moderator: Neil Wilson, MD / Maurice Buchbinder, MD</p> <p>Specific Design Features of the WaveCrest LAA Occlusion System Brian Whisenant, MD</p> <p>WaveCrest Step by Step Tom de Potter, MD</p> <p>Case Examples KR Julian Chun , MD</p> <p>Panel Discussion</p> |

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**Saturday,
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| 07:30 - 18:00 | Registration |
| 08:00 - 10:00 | <p>Session 7: Rationale for LAA Closure Moderator: Shakeel A. Qureshi, MD / Stefan Bertog, MD</p> <p>Pharmacological Stroke Prevention in Atrial Fibrillation - What are the Main Concerns Heyder Omran</p> <p>When Does LAA Exclusion Make Sense? The Clinical Need, Risks and Benefits Dhjanunjaya Lakkireddy, MD</p> <p>Antithrombotic Treatment After LAA Closure Dhjanunjaya Lakkireddy, MD</p> <p>MitraClip and TAVI Combined With LAA Closure Fabian Nietlispach, MD</p> <p>Debate <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Atrial Fibrillation Ablation and LAA Closure Should be Performed During the Same Session Christopher Ellis, MD LAA Closure Should not be Performed During the Same Session Randall (Randy) Lee, MD </p> <p>Impact of LAA Exclusion on Cardiovascular Physiology and Systemic Homeostasis Dhjanunjaya Lakkireddy, MD</p> |
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| 10:30 - 12:30 | <p>Session 8: LAA Closure: A Multidisciplinary Approach Moderator: Neil Wilson, MD / Maurice Buchbinder, MD</p> <p>What to Consider Before you Start Your Program Maurice Buchbinder, MD</p> <p>Health Care Economics of LAA Closure Sandeep Panikker , MD</p> |
| 12:30 - 13:15 | Lunch Break and Industry Exhibition |
| 13:15 - 14:15 | <p>Session 9: Update on Clinical Trial Results Moderator: Shakeel A. Qureshi, MD / Stefan Bertog, MD / Martin W. Bergmann</p> <p>Watchman Stefan Bertog, MD</p> <p>Amplatzer Apostolos Tzikas, MD</p> <p>Lariat Dhjanunjaya Lakkireddy, MD</p> <p>WaveCrest Martin W. Bergmann</p> <p>New Guidelines and Recommendations Martin W. Bergmann</p> |
| 14:15 - 15:30 | <p>Session 10: New Devices and Techniques Moderator: Neil Wilson, MD / Stefan Bertog, MD / Sameer Gafoor, MD</p> <p>The Amplatzer Amulet Kevin P. Walsh, MD</p> <p>Lifetech LAA Closure Device: Initial Human Experience Yat-Yin Lam, MD</p> <p>Initial Results of the Clinical Trial With Occlutech LAA Occluder Jai-Wun Park, MD</p> <p>Recorded Live Case: Occlutech LAA Occluder Jai-Wun Park, MD</p> <p>Initial Results with the PROLIPSIS device Basilios Sideris</p> <p>AtriClip Christopher Ellis, MD / Mark La Meir, MD</p> <p>How to Close Residual Leaks Sameer Gafoor, MD</p> |
| 15:30 - 16:00 | Coffee & Tea Break |
| 16:00 - 18:00 | <p>Session 11: Challenging Cases and Complications Moderator: Shakeel A. Qureshi, MD / Neil Wilson, MD</p> <p>Case 1: Delayed Onset of Pericarditis After Percutaneous Device Closure of Left Atrial Appendage Yong-Giun Kim, MD</p> <p>Case 2: Very Large LAA Christopher Ellis, MD</p> <p>Case 3: Air Embolism During Left Atrial Appendage Occlusion</p> |

