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Main Topics:

- Peripheral artery disease
- Disease of aorta
- Venous thromboembolism
- Chronic venous disease
- Lymphatic disease
- Vasculitis
- Vascular malformations
- Workshops – vascular ultrasound



Credits:

- June 15th 2023 – 6 credits
- June 16th 2023 – 7 credits
- June 17th 2023 – 3 credits



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June 15th 2023, Thursday

09:30 – 10:00 . . . **Welcome and opening remarks** (Mazzolai L, Madaric J)

10:00 – 12:00. . . **Workshops – Vascular Ultrasound**

Workshop no. 1: Colour duplex ultrasound of arterial disease (Flak L, Dzupina A jr)

Workshop no. 2: Ultrasound of venous disease (Sirila M, Pataky S)

12:00 – 13:00 . . . Lunch break

13:00 – 14:45 . . . **Workshops – Vascular Ultrasound**

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14:45 – 15:00 . . . Coffee break

15:00 – 17:00. . . **Management of Peripheral Artery Disease from A to Z** (Brodmann M, Madaric J)

Discussion facilitator: Flak L

- a) Pitha J. **Atherosclerosis, current concept**
- b) Vacula I. **Diagnostic algorithm of PAD**
- c) Espinola-Klein Ch. **Best medical treatment of PAD patients**
- d) Brodmann M. **Lower extremity revascularisation – endovascular versus surgical treatment – proper indications**
- e) Madaric J. **Regeneration therapy in patients with no-option critical limb ischemia.**

June 16th 2023, Friday

08:30 – 10:00 . . . **Chronic venous disease, lymphatic disease – up to date** (Mazzolai L, Stvrtinova V)

Discussion facilitator: Dzupina A jr.

- a) Celovska D. **Epidemiology, risk factors and diagnosis of chronic venous disease.**
- b) Stvrtinova V. **Conservative management of CVD – from compression to pharmacotherapy.**
- c) Sumaj M. **Endovenous therapy of CVD**
- d) Mazzolai L. **Lymphedema or lipedema?**

10:00 – 10:15 . . . Coffee break

10:15 – 12:00 **Venous thromboembolism – current evidence** (Bura-Riviere A, Schlager O)

Discussion facilitator: Vacula I

- a) Mazzolai L. **VTE: from diagnosis to treatment and follow up**
- b) Bura-Riviere A. **Management of VTE and anticoagulation in women**
- c) Flak L. **Management of PE – current guidelines**
- d) Schlager O. **When is endovascular therapy indicated in patients with DVT and PE?**

12:00 – 13:00 Lunch break

13:00 – 14:45 **Carotid arteries and aorta** (Espinola-Klein Ch, Varejka P)

Discussion facilitator: Pataky S

- a) Brodmann M. **Carotid artery disease – current evidence of treatment**
- b) Varejka P. **Type B aortic dissection – diagnosis and endovascular therapy**
- c) Espinola-Klein Ch. **Screening and follow-up of patients with AAA**
- d) Spak L. **Current treatment of pts with AAA**

14:45 – 15:00 Coffee break

15:00 – 17:00 **Vascular Medicine – Varia** (Schlager O, Bura-Riviere A)

Discussion facilitator: Celovska D

- a) Rasiova M. **Vasculitis – basic principles of diagnosis and treatment**
- b) Kopalova I. **Vascular malformations – current concept**
- c) Schlager O. **Buerger disease**
- d) Bura-Riviere A. **Raynaud syndrome: from diagnosis to treatment**
- e) Madaric J. **What is significant renal artery stenosis?**

June 17th 2023, Saturday

08:30 – 10:00 **Clinical cases discussion 1** (Mazzolai L, Pitha J)

Discussion facilitator: Flak L

10:00 – 10:15 Coffee break

10:15 – 12:00 **Clinical cases discussion 2** (Madaric J, Brodmann M)

Discussion facilitator: Celovska D

12:00. **Closing remarks** (Mazzolai L, Madaric J)



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