



JUNE 18 – 19, 2021, Riga, Latvia

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Guest Faculty: Rimantas Benetis (Lithuania), David Iosseliani (Russia), Stefan Hoffmann (Germany), Jan Kovac (United Kingdom), Jacek Legutko (Poland), Sunao Nakamura (Japan), Christian Stumpf (Germany), Marcus Wiemer (Germany).

FRIDAY, 18 JUNE

University of Latvia The House of Science, Jelgavas iela 3, Rīga

09:30 – 09:50 Welcome

Andrejs Erglis, MD, PhD, FESC, FACC (Latvia),
Vice President, Latvian Academy of Sciences,
President, Latvian Society of Cardiology,
Chief, Latvian Center of Cardiology

09:50 – 10:10 Using IVUS to Simplify CTO Treatment

Sunao Nakamura, MD, PhD, FESC, FACC (Japan),
New Tokyo Hospital

10:10 – 10:30 Over 10 years after balloon angioplasty or stenting – what happens to the coronary arteries and stents?

David Iosseliani, MD, FESC (Russia),
Moscow Center of Interventional Cardioangiology

10:30 – 10:50 Importance of intravascular imaging in acute myocardial infarction

Jacek Legutko, MD, PhD (Poland),
Jagiellonian University Medical College,
John Paul II Hospital

10:50 – 11:10 Repair or replace aortic valve?

Rimanta Benetis, MD, PhD (Lithuania),
Lithuanian University of Health Sciences, Kaunas

11:10 – 11:30 How TAVI(R) matured at the end of the 2nd decade since its conception

Jan Kovac, MD, PhD (United Kingdom),
University of Leicester





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- 11:30 – 11:50** **Coronary artery bypass grafting in younger patient population vs elderly. From scientific to practical considerations**
Peteris Stradins MD, PhD (Latvia),
Chief, Centre of Cardiac Surgery, Pauls Stradins CUH
- 11:50 – 12:10** **Detection and Treatment of Lipid-Rich Coronary Plaque**
Karlis Trusinskis, MD, PhD (Latvia),
Pauls Stradins Clinical University Hospital
- 12:10 – 12:40** **Update on Absorbable Scaffolds**
Marcus Wiemer, MD, PhD (Germany),
University Hospital Johannes Wesling, Minden
- 12:40 – 13:10** **Lunch**
- 13:10 – 13:30** **One and Two-year follow up data of Mg-bioresorbable stent registry**
Ieva Briede, MD (Latvia),
Pauls Stradins Clinical University Hospital
- 13:30 – 14:00** **Best performing modern Drug Eluting Stents in complex lesions**
Stefan Hoffmann, MD, PhD (Germany),
Berlin Vivantes Kaulsdorf
- 14:00 – 14:20** **Intrahospital and long-term outcomes after true bifurcation stenting**
Indulis Kumsars, MD, PhD (Latvia),
Pauls Stradins Clinical University Hospital
- 14:20 – 14:50** **Modern Drug Eluting Stents in Left Main Ostial Lesions**
Christian Stumpf, MD, PhD (Germany),
Bayreuth Klinikum
- 14:50 – 15:10** **Coffee break**
- 15:10 – 15:30** **Asymptomatic coronary artery disease in patients with peripheral artery disease**
Gustavs Latkovskis, MD, PhD, FESC (Latvia),
Pauls Stradins Clinical University Hospital
- 15:30 – 15:50** **PFO closure - Why? Whom? When?**
Ainars Rudzitis, MD, PhD (Latvia),
Pauls Stradins Clinical University Hospital
- 15:50 – 16:05** **Most Important Cardiovascular Disease Drivers Based on Cross-sectional Study of Cardiovascular Risk Factors in Population of Latvia**
Iveta Bajare, Mg.sc.sal. (Latvia),
University of Latvia

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SATURDAY, JUNE 19

ZOOM online

Pauls Stradins Clinical University Hospital

09:30 – 10:00 Welcome

Andrejs Erglis, MD, PhD, FESC, FACC (Latvia)
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Rinalds Mucins,
Chairman of the Board,
Pauls Stradins Clinical University Hospital

Ilze Kreicberga,
Member of the Board,
Pauls Stradins Clinical University Hospital

Eva Strike
Chief physician,
Pauls Stradins Clinical University Hospital

10:00 – 10:40 Don't forget the danger from CVD in Covid-19 era. Latvia 2020-2021.

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10:40 – 17:00 Workshop with Interventional and Heart Surgery Faculty

Pauls Stradins Clinical University Hospital with live broadcast to Zoom online

Live interventional and heart surgery cases

- Complex lesions (left main, total occlusions, bifurcations etc.)
- Scoring devices (cutting balloon, angiosculpt, etc.)
- Protection devices
- Closure devices for congenital heart diseases
- QCA, IVUS, Virtual histology, OCT
- Structural heart disease
- Radiofrequency catheter ablation of ventricular tachycardia after myocardial infarction with Carto system
- High density mapping and pulmonary vein re-isolation

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