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The logo for LINC (Leipzig Interventional Course) features the letters 'L I N C' in a bold, blue, sans-serif font. The letters are arranged horizontally, with a large, dark blue, brush-stroke-like graphic element that curves around the 'I' and 'N', resembling a stylized 'C' or a dynamic swoosh.

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Wednesday, January 29, 2014

## SCIENTIFIC POSTERS

### 09:30 – 10:50 Moderated poster round in front of the LINC studio

*JUROR:*

**Ralph-Ingo Rückert**

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| 09:30 – 10:35 | Endovascular surgery/aortic  |
| 09:30 – 09:35 | New approach to standard access in interventional procedures A. Kaledin  |
| 09:35 – 09:40 | Comparison of the impact of open and endovascular abdominal aortic aneurysm repair on renal function A. Saratzis   |
| 09:40 – 09:45 | Pevar: analysis of costs and benefits compared with femoral surgery access L. Garriboli  |
| 09:45 – 09:50 | Lessons learned from mid-term result of hybrid arch TEVAR and its solutions H. Matsuda   |
| 09:50 – 09:55 | Long-term outcome of endovascular repair for elective and ruptured abdominal aortic aneurysms; a 15-year single centre experience P. Broos   |
| 09:55 – 10:00 | Surgical options in endograft infections M. Ruffino  |
| 10:00 – 10:05 | Object of study and purpose: Persistent type II endoleaks (PT2) after EVAR have been shown to correlate with aneurysm sac expansion and increased need for secondary interventions F. Bontempi   |
| 10:05 – 10:10 | The Aorfix stent graft – tackling challenging anatomy with favourable medium term outcomes K. Augustine  |
| 10:10 – 10:15 | Robotic routing in complex aortic intervention<br>Thomas Nolte   |
| 10:15 – 10:20 | Two year experience repairing common iliac aneurysms with a modified endograft that compartmentalizes iliac flow through upstream bifurcation<br>Patrick Kelly   |
| 10:20 – 10:25 | Background: Endovascular aneurysm repair (EVAR) has been suggested in several studies to be superior to open surgery repair (OSR) for the treatment of ruptured abdominal aortic aneurysms (rAAAs), but this finding might be affected by selection bias based on aneurysm morphology and patient characteristics. We tested rAAA anatomy according to EVAR suitability in patients undergoing OSR to assess the impact on mortality F. Krenzien |
| 10:25 – 10:50 | Miscellaneous  |

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| 10:25 – 10:30 | Introduction – Supervised exercise therapy (SET) is the primary treatment for intermittent claudication (IC). The aim of this study was to calculate annual savings if a stepped care model (SCM, primary SET treatment followed by revascularization in case of SET failure) would have been followed H. Fokkenrood |
| 10:30 – 10:35 | The impact of Vascular Chronic Q fever Infections: lessons learned from the world's largest outbreak P. Broos  |
| 10:35 – 10:40 | Acute Mesenteric ischemia – surgical management and outcomes T. Sahu   |
| 10:40 – 10:45 | Clinical outcomes of less invasive endovascular treatment in the patient of peripheral arterial disease K. Hozawa  |
| 10:45 – 10:50 | Clinical results of infrapopliteal PTA and association of risk factors with primary patency and limb salvage in the patients of hemodialysis K. Hozawa   |

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## TECHNICAL FORUM

- 16:30 – 18:00**     **The last frontiers: Long SFA occlusions and calcified lesions**  
*CHAIRMAN:*  
Karl-Ludwig Schulte  
Chris Metzger  
*MODERATOR:*  
**Ralph-Ingo Rückert**  
Amman Bolia  
Patrick Peeters
- 16:30 – 16:37     2000 patients, real-world nitinol stent registry – 1 year results  
Johannes Ruef
- 16:37 – 16:44     Is there a role for drug eluting stents in SFA treatment?  
Yann Gouëffic
- 16:44 – 16:49     12 months results with Zilver PTX in long femoropopliteal lesions  
Thomas Zeller
- 16:49 – 16:56     New concepts for DES in femoropopliteal arteries - the Illumina trial  
Dierk Scheinert
- 16:56 – 17:15     Live case transmission from Berlin
- 17:15 – 17:20     First results of the RAPID trial, RCT with use of the Lefflow DEB for long-segment SFA obstructions  
Via satellite from Leipzig cathlab  
Daniel van den Heuvel
- 17:20 – 17:27     The Freeway study projects – status update  
Karl-Ludwig Schulte
- 17:27 – 17:34     Patient-tailored solutions for calcified femoropopliteal lesions  
Craig Walker
- 17:34 – 17:53     Live case transmission from Leipzig
- 17:53 – 18:00     Vessel scoring + DEB – the solution for complex lesions?  
Erwin Blessing

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## GLOBAL EXPERT EXCHANGE

12:35 – 13:05

### Challenging EVAR cases and complications – Part II

*CHAIRMAN:*

Piergiorgio Cao

Patrick Kelly

*MODERATOR:*

Dieter Raihnel

**Ralph-Ingo Rückert**

12:35 – 12:40

Outcomes of intentional left subclavian artery coverage during TEVAR in patients with traumatic aortic injury – a quality of life study

12:40 – 12:45

Repair of innominate artery pseudoaneurysm and tracheo-innominate fistula with a modified endovascular graft

12:45 – 12:50

Novel measure to counter access trouble in TEVAR cases - external iliac artery approach using TRIMLINE vertebral retractor

12:50 – 12:55

First-in-man use of Endologix VELA cuff: Our initial experience with the world's first four cases

12:55 – 13:00

Contra-lateral limb cannulation technique during EVAR for hostile neck

13:00 – 13:05

Techniques for successful percutaneous EVAR

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## MAIN ARENA 1

- 16:30 – 18:00**     **The last frontier: Endovascular interventions in the common femoral and popliteal arteries**  
*CHAIRMAN:*  
Barry Katzen  
*MODERATOR:*  
Reza Ghotbi  
Patrick Peeters  
Chris Metzger  
**Ralph-Ingo Rückert**  
Peter Schneider
- 16:30 – 16:35     The TECCO trial: results of the French multicentric randomized clinical trial comparing endovascular vs. open surgery for the treatment of common femoral artery de novo lesions  
Yann Gouëffic
- 16:35 – 17:00     Live case transmission from Bad Krozingen
- 17:00 – 17:07     Anatomical and biomechanical specifics of the popliteal artery  
Stefan Müller-Hülsbeck
- 17:07 – 17:12     Clinical trial update: ETAP randomized clinical trial: 24 months update  
Via satellite from Bad Krozingen  
Thomas Zeller
- 17:12 – 17:17     Clinical trial update: The Durability Pop study – 2 year results  
Patrick Peeters
- 17:17 – 17:22     The Leipzig SUPERA Popliteal artery stent registry - long-term results  
Johannes Schuster
- 17:22 – 17:27     Entrapment syndrome of the popliteal artery – diagnostic work-up and treatment  
**Ralph-Ingo Rückert**
- 17:27 – 17:53     Live case transmission from Leipzig
- 17:53 – 18:00     Endovascular repair of popliteal artery aneurysms: Technical considerations, patient selection, and outcome  
Barry Katzen

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