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Tuesday, January 27, 2015

## MAIN ARENA 1

09:30 – 11:00

### Changing paradigms and future concepts in peripheral interventions

*CHAIRMAN:*

Dierk Scheinert

**Gary Ansel**

*MODERATOR:*

Karl-Ludwig Schulte

Steven Kum

Erich Minar

Andrew Holden

Michael Jaff

Iris Baumgartner

09:30 – 10:00

Drug-coated balloons: Finally proven as the first-line therapy for femoro-popliteal de-novo lesions?

09:30 – 09:35

In.Pact-SFA clinical trial: Update on 1-year data

Gunnar Tepe

09:35 – 09:40

LEVANT II clinical trial: 2-year data

Dierk Scheinert

09:40 – 09:45

My take-home messages from LEVANT II and In.Pact SFA – a critical review

Michael Jaff

09:45 – 09:50

Panel discussion and vote

09:50 – 10:00

Live case transmission from Leipzig part I

10:00 – 11:00

Future prospects for DCB and alternative endovascular concepts

10:00 – 10:05

DCB + atherectomy: The ISAR STATH trial results

Massimiliano Fusaro

10:05 – 10:10

DCB + atherectomy for complex lesions: DEFINITIVE AR – Final data

Gunnar Tepe

10:10 – 10:15

Early look at the VISION Trial: OCT guided atherectomy using Avinger's Pantheris catheter

Arne Schwindt

10:15 – 10:20

The role of vessel preparation – insights from the Heidelberg PANTHER registry

Erwin Blessing

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| 10:20 – 10:25 | A future concept for drug delivery: The Mercator Bullfrog technology<br>Dierk Scheinert                 |
| 10:25 – 10:43 | Live case transmission from Leipzig part II   |
| 10:43 – 10:48 | Should all stents promote swirling flow?<br>Thomas Zeller   |
| 10:48 – 10:53 | The TOBA-trial 12 months results with the Tack-device for dissection sealing in the SFA<br>Marc Bosiers |
| 10:53 – 11:00 | Biodegradable vascular scaffolds – how far have we come?<br>Iris Baumgartner                            |

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## MAIN ARENA 1

- 13:30 – 15:00**     **Symposium: DCB setting the stage for standard of care – an evidence-based review**  
supported with an educational grant from Medtronic  
*CHAIRMAN:*  
Erich Minar  
*MODERATOR:*  
Peter Gaines  
Gunnar Tepe  
**Gary Ansel**  
Hans Krankenberg  
William Gray
- 13:30 – 13:40     IN.PACT in fem-pop TASC A-B and diabetics  
Gunnar Tepe
- 13:40 – 14:00     Live case transmission from Leipzig
- 14:00 – 14:10     IN.PACT global sub-analysis update: TASC C-D lesions  
**Gary Ansel**
- 14:10 – 14:20     DCB and ISR: Insights from FAIR study  
Hans Krankenberg
- 14:20 – 14:30     Are all DCB equal?  
William Gray
- 14:30 – 14:50     Live case transmission from Cotignola
- 14:50 – 15:00     IN.PACT role in SFA: Critical overview of modern endovascular therapies  
Frank Vermassen

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The logo for LINC (Leipzig Interventional Network Course) features the letters 'L I N C' in a bold, sans-serif font. A large, dark blue, brush-stroke-like graphic element curves behind the letters, starting from the bottom left and sweeping upwards and to the right, passing behind the 'I' and 'N'.

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## DISCUSSION FORUM

11:00 – 12:30

**VIVA @ LINC: Post-EVAR disasters – how I fix problems when they occur**

*CHAIRMAN:*

Peter Schneider

*DISCUSSANT:*

Michael Dake

Chris Metzger

**Gary Ansel**

11:00 – 12:30

This is a case-based session focussing on what we like best ... real cases with challenges and complications that make the experts sweat. In this amphitheatre setting, audience participation is encouraged and step-by-step case management is featured and discussed. This round room setting is dedicated to controversial or interactive talk-show-like sessions

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## TECHNICAL FORUM

**13:30 – 15:00**      **Scrub in with the experts: Frontiers of vascular repair – solving problems in venous disease**

*LIVE FROM TEANECK:*

John Rundback

*CHAIRMAN:*

John Kaufman

*MODERATOR:*

**Gary Ansel**

Tony Das

Cees Wittens

Peter Schneider

13:44 – 13:49      Flash presentation: May Thurner syndrome: An emerging but still underdiagnosed condition. How I find it and how I treat it

**Gary Ansel**

14:22 – 14:27      Flash presentation: Thoracic outlet syndrome with venous complications. Timing, treatment options, long-term management

Peter Schneider

14:41 – 14:46      Flash presentation: Vena cava filters: Why do usage rates vary so much and what's my take on filter removal

John Kaufman

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## TECHNICAL FORUM

16:30 – 18:00

### Scrub in with the experts: The last frontiers: Below-the-ankle disease

*LIVE FROM ABANO TERME:*

Marco Manzi

*CHAIRMAN:*

**Gary Ansel**

Roberto Ferraresi

*MODERATOR:*

Sigrid Nikol

Jihad Mustapha

Dai-Do Do

Ralf Langhoff

Hiroyoshi Yokoi

16:45 – 16:50

Flash presentation: Foot vessel disease in critical limb ischemia: innocent bystander or leading factor?

Roberto Ferraresi

17:15 – 17:20

Flash presentation: Pedal angioplasty: landmark and access lines

Thomas Rand

17:30 – 17:35

Flash presentation: Outcome of CLI interventions through the retrograde pedal access

Andrej Schmidt

17:45 – 17:50

Flash presentation: “No-option-patients”: Is angiogenesis with gene or cell therapy still an option?

Sigrid Nikol

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