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Tuesday, January 30, 2018

## ROOM 3 - TECHNICAL FORUM

- 12:35 – 13:20**      **LUNCH SYMPOSIUM: Unmet needs in EVAR: do they exist?**  
supported with an educational grant from Cardinal Health  
*MODERATOR:*  
Giovanni Torsello  
*PANEL:*  
**Giovanni Pratesi**  
Jean-Pierre Becquemin
- 12:35 – 12:52      Unmet needs in EVAR: case and discussion  
Giovanni Torsello  
Arne Schwindt
- 12:52 – 13:09      Percutaneous technique for EVAR: case and discussion  
Giovanni Torsello  
Arne Schwindt
- 13:09 – 13:16      Latest clinical results from INCRAFT™ AAA Stent Graft – 5 years of data  
Giovanni Torsello  
Arne Schwindt
- 13:16 – 13:20      Discussion and conclusion

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## ROOM 2 - MAIN ARENA 2

- 09:30 – 11:00**      **EVAR – Current status, open questions, and future perspectives**  
*MODERATOR:*  
Frank Veith  
Frans Moll  
*PANEL:*  
Sven Seifert  
Jean-Pierre Becquemin  
Martin Malina  
Wei Guo  
Roger Greenhalgh  
Giovanni Torsello
- 09:30 – 09:36      Steps to clinical effectiveness and cost effectiveness – Lessons from EVAR 1  
Fiona Rohlfes
- 09:36 – 09:42      Endovascular repair for patients physically unsuitable for open repair. EVAR 2 15-year results  
Roger Greenhalgh
- 09:42 – 09:48      RCTs for EVAR: 15 years later are the conclusions obsolete?  
Jean-Pierre Becquemin
- 09:48 – 09:54      How much open surgery is still required in aortic surgery: A review of 800 aortic aneurysm cases  
Ralf Kolvenbach
- 09:54 – 10:00      Complex-anatomy large aneurysms and why we should consider use of no-treatment and open-surgery strategies more frequently  
Frank Criado
- 10:00 – 10:05      Role of gender in TEVAR and EVAR: report from the GREAT registry  
Mauro Gargiulo
- 10:05 – 10:10      Long-term outcomes of EVAR in female patients: A 5-year analysis from the ENGAGE registry  
**Giovanni Pratesi**
- 10:10 – 10:40      Live case transmission from Leipzig  
University Hospital Leipzig, Dep. Angiology - Live case center
- 10:40 – 10:45      Ovation endograft: 4-year, real world results from the Ovation European post market registry  
Martin Storck

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| 10:45 – 10:50 | 10-year outcome analysis of the ITER registry with the GORE Excluder® endograft for infrarenal abdominal aortic aneurysms<br><b>Giovanni Pratesi</b> |
| 10:50 – 10:55 | Predictors of abdominal aortic aneurysm sac enlargement after EVAR; long-term results from the ENGAGE registry<br>Dittmar Böckler                    |
| 10:55 – 11:00 | Discussion   |

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## ROOM 2 - MAIN ARENA 2

- 11:00 – 12:30**      **Advanced techniques for juxtarenal aneurysms and challenging neck anatomy**  
*MODERATOR:*  
Eric Verhoeven  
Jean-Pierre Becquemin  
*PANEL:*  
Konstantinos Donas  
Piotr Kasprzak  
Eric Ducasse  
Spiridon Botsios
- 11:00 – 11:06      A new conformable abdominal endovascular device  
Robert Rhee
- 11:06 – 11:12      Early experience with Ovation Alto™ stent graft: next generation ovation design with an elevated sealing ring  
Sean Lyden
- 11:12 – 11:18      Custom EVAR (c-EVAR) designs, a step in between standard EVAR and FEVAR devices  
Jos van den Berg
- 11:18 – 11:24      Endovascular fixation of aortic endografts – a solution for short aortic necks?  
**Giovanni Pratesi**
- 11:24 – 12:30      FEVAR VS. CH-EVAR: WHAT IS THE BEST FOR CHALLENGING AORTIC NECKS?
- 11:24 – 11:30      In favor of Ch-EVAR and Endoanchor-EVAR and how they have emerged as highly useful treatment options for short-neck and juxtarenal AAAs  
Frank Criado
- 11:30 – 11:35      In favor of FEVAR and why extended sealing zones with 3 and 4 fenestrations are better than standard double fenestration  
Eric Verhoeven
- 11:35 – 12:03      Live from Münster: Chimney EVAR for short aortic neck pathology – Step by step  
St. Franziskus Hospital Münster - Live case center
- 12:03 – 12:09      Two year comparison of fenestrated and branch grafts vs. parallel grafts for the treatment of juxtarenal and thoracoabdominal aneurysms at a single center  
James McKinsey

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| 12:09 – 12:15 | Evaluating the optimal combination of aortic endografts and chimney devices in the treatment of complex aneurysms: insights from the Pericles registry<br>Konstantinos Donas  |
| 12:15 – 12:21 | First clinical experience with a new balloon-expandable stent graft: Potential advantages for side branch reconstruction during EVAR of complex pathologies<br>Eric Verhoeven |
| 12:21 – 12:27 | ChEVAS Nellix with chimneys: What we've learned from a single center study<br>Piotr Szopiński   |
| 12:27 – 12:30 | Discussion and conclusion   |

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## ROOM 4 - DISCUSSION FORUM

- 14:00 – 15:00**      **Experience the treatment journey of complex cases with innovative vascular solution – Case studies across the spectrum of vascular care**  
supported with an educational grant from Gore & Associates  
*MODERATOR:*  
Michel Makaroun
- 14:00 – 14:10      Treatment of complex thoracic cases  
Christoph Nienaber
- 14:10 – 14:20      Clinical implications of the aortic arch and thoracic curvature remodeling after TEVAR  
Vicente Riambau
- 14:20 – 14:30      Preserving the hypogastric artery: why, when, and how  
**Giovanni Pratesi**

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Thursday, February 01, 2018

## ROOM 2 - MAIN ARENA 2

- 10:15 – 11:00**      **Focus session: Endovascular fixation of endografts**  
*MODERATOR:*  
Giovanni Torsello  
*PANEL:*  
Vicente Riambau  
Jean-Paul de Vries  
Colin Bicknell  
**Giovanni Pratesi**  
Hence Verhagen
- 10:15 – 10:39      Live case transmission from Münster  
St. Franziskus Hospital Münster - Live case center
- 10:39 – 10:46      Mid-term results from ANCHOR: How does this data influence the treatment algorithm for hostile  
EVAR anatomies  
Colin Bicknell
- 10:46 – 10:53      Failure modes of endoanchors – What have we learned?  
Jean-Paul de Vries
- 10:53 – 11:00      Endoanchors can prevent cranial migration of thoracic endografts: When and how should they be  
used  
Vicente Riambau

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## ROOM 2 - MAIN ARENA 2

- 13:30 – 14:15**      **Vessel closure devices in large hole access – Patient benefits and best practices**  
supported with an educational grant from Abbott Vascular  
*MODERATOR:*  
**Giovanni Pratesi**  
*PANEL:*  
Darren Schneider  
Wouter Lansink
- 13:30 – 13:35      Introduction
- 13:35 – 13:43      Perclose ProGlide vs. surgical closure outcomes – Real world evidence  
Darren Schneider
- 13:43 – 13:51      Sutured mediated closure – technique for closing complex large hole cases  
Wouter Lansink
- 13:51 – 13:59      Tips and predictors of real world outcomes from Italian Club del Percutaneo  
**Giovanni Pratesi**
- 13:59 – 14:07      Percutaneous axillary artery access for branch grafting for complex TAAAs and pararenal AAAs: How to do it safely  
Daniela Branzan
- 14:07 – 14:15      Discussion and conclusion

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## ROOM 2 - MAIN ARENA 2

- 14:15 – 15:00**      **Symposium: Strategies and techniques for optimising patient outcomes in complex aortic aneurysm anatomies**  
supported with an educational grant from Medtronic  
*MODERATOR:*  
Giovanni Torsello  
*PANEL:*  
Dittmar Böckler  
Vicente Riambau
- 14:15 – 14:21      Treating aortic aneurysms with large necks: What are the considerations?  
Hence Verhagen
- 14:21 – 14:28      Treating very short necks (ffl 4mm <10mm) using the Endurant stent graft + EndoAnchors: 1-year results and current insights  
**Giovanni Pratesi**
- 14:28 – 14:35      PROTAGORAS: Standardisation of the chEVAR technique can improve outcomes in patients with short necks  
Konstantinos Donas
- 14:35 – 14:42      Tips and techniques for utilising EndoAnchors in TEVAR  
Colin Bicknell
- 14:42 – 15:00      Panel discussion: What factors should be considered when treating complex aortic aneurysm anatomies (EVAR and TEVAR)?

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