



2nd EUROPEAN VENOUS FORUM HANDS-ON WORKSHOP on

VENOUS DISEASE

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Vösendorf, Vienna, Austria
20-22 October 2011

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WELCOME

We invite you to participate in the 2nd EVF Hands-on workshop in Vienna. The first workshop in Cyprus November 2010 was, according to evaluation of participants, faculty and our industrial partners, very successful. We accepted only 100 participants and had to deny another 50 applicants the opportunity to attend.

The workshop is open to all physicians, including physicians in training, wanting to learn the various techniques available to treat and manage venous disease.

We will offer a unique opportunity to get a global hands-on experience on the new methods to diagnose and treat acute and chronic venous disease such as *Duplex investigations, IVUS/Stenting, Saphenous ablation, Bandaging, Foamsclerotherapy, Thrombectomy and IVC filter placement*. New in 2011 is an Exhibition.

The Organizing Committee, which I am chairing includes Andrew Nicolaidis, Peter Neglén, Jan Christenson, Bernhard Partsch and Alfred Obermayer. The Faculty is comprised of 35 world leaders in the field of venous disease. The participants will interact with the renowned faculty and skilled industry representatives, who will all be available at the 20 workstations during the entire three days.

The daily format is morning presentations (36) followed by illustrative clinical problem cases discussed in dialogue with the participants (15). Over 12 hours in the afternoons are dedicated to hands-on workshops.

Regular Registration is £500. For physicians in training and physicians currently resident and working in non-EU Eastern European countries the registration fee is reduced to £300. Attendance is limited to 100 delegates and will be on a first come basis.

Looking forward to seeing you in Vienna in October



Bo Eklöf, MD, PhD
Chair Organizing Committee

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

Thursday 20 October 2011

07.45 Welcome

Basic principles and varicose veins

Basic principles

Moderator: Bo Eklöf

- 08.00 Whats new in pathophysiology of CVD?
Andrew Nicolaides (Cyprus)
- 08.15 Why is classification and assessment of outcome important for the clinician? George Geroulakos (UK)
- 08.30 How accurate are our tests for reflux and obstruction?
Peter Neglén (Cyprus)
- 08.45 Discussion

Treatment of varicose veins

Moderator: Peter Neglén

- 09.00 Are drugs indicated and efficient? Michel Perrin (France)
- 09.10 Stockings or bandages – all the same? Giovanni Mosti (Italy)
- 09.20 Discussion
- 09.30 Surgery still treatment of choice? Marzia Lugli (Italy)
- 09.35 Why do I prefer laser? Lars Rasmussen (Denmark)
- 09.40 Why do I prefer radiofrequency? Ian J Franklin (UK)
- 09.45 Nothing beats foam sclero! Andrew Bradbury (UK)
- 09.50 Steam the bugger! René Milleret (France)
- 09.55 Why should we save the saphenous vein?
Paul Pittaluga (France)
- 10.00 The controversy of the perforators. Olle Nelzén (Sweden)
- 10.10 Coffee break and visit to exhibition
- 10.45 Panel Discussion
- 11.15 How do we make sense of all this? Alun Davies (UK)
- 11.30 How to perform a duplex study for CVD?
Nicos Labropoulos (USA)

12.15 Lunch and visit to exhibition

13.15 **Case reports and discussions (3 cases, 15 min each)**

Moderator: Jan Christenson

- 14.00 **Workshops: Organiser: Peter Neglén**
Duplex investigations, IVUS/Stenting, Saphenous ablation, Bandaging, Foamsclerotherapy, Thrombectomy, IVC filter placement and visit to exhibition
- 18.20

19.30 **Dinner**

Friday 21 October 2011

Acute Thromboembolism

Moderator: Andrew Nicolaides

- 08.00 Can we avoid the postthrombotic syndrome?
Bo Eklöf (Sweden)
- 08.10 Recent guidelines for prevention of DVT.
Andrew Nicolaides (Cyprus)
- 08.20 Recent guidelines for treatment of DVT.
Andrew Bradbury (UK)
- 08.30 Guidelines for treatment of superficial thrombophlebitis.
Athanasios Giannoukas (Greece)
- 08.40 Discussion
- 08.50 How to perform a duplex study for acute DVT.
Maura Griffin (UK)

Treatment of Acute DVT

Moderator: Bo Eklöf

- 09.15 Conservative treatment of acute DVT. Hugo Partsch (Austria)
- 09.25 Catheter-directed thrombolysis. Niels Baekgaard (Denmark)
- 09.35 Pharmacomechanical thrombectomy. Peter Neglén (Cyprus)
- 09.45 Endovenous thrombus removal in cancer patients.
Gerard O'Sullivan (Ireland)
- 09.50 The role of IVC filters. Anthony Gasparis (USA)
- 10.00 Coffee break and visit to exhibition
- 10.30 Panel discussion
- 11.00 **Case reports and discussions (6 cases, 15 min each)**
Moderators: Jan Christenson/Andrew Bradbury
- 12.30 Lunch and visit to exhibition
- 13.30-17.35 **Workshops: Organiser: Peter Neglén**
Duplex investigations, IVUS/Stenting, Saphenous ablation, Bandaging, Foamsclerotherapy, Thrombectomy, IVC filter placement and visit to exhibition

19.00 **Dinner**

Saturday 22 October 2011

Diagnosis and treatment of chronic venous insufficiency (C3-C6)

Moderator: Peter Neglén

- 07.45 Sequential treatment plan for CVI. Peter Neglén (Cyprus)
- 07.55 Compartment pressure and venous ulcers – the role of fasciotomy. Jan Christenson (Switzerland)
- 08.05 Sourcing of reflux in ulcerated limbs. A new concept.
Alfred Obermayer (Austria)
- 08.15 Compression treatment of venous ulcers.
Dragan Milic (Serbia)
- 08.25 Repair of primary deep vein incompetence.
Michel Perrin (France)
- 08.35 Repair of postthrombotic deep vein incompetence.
Oscar Maleti (Italy)
- 08.45 Treatment of deep vein obstruction. Olivier Hartung (France)
- 08.55 Panel Discussion
- 09.30 Coffee break and visit to exhibition

Where do we go from here?

Moderator: Hugo Partsch

- 10.00 Future of simulators in venous education.
Lars Lönn (Sweden)
- 10.10 The Russian algorithm to avoid the PTS.
Evgeny Shaidakov (Russia)
- 10.20 A critical appraisal of the association between MS and venous obstruction
Pro: Zbigniew Rybak (Poland)
Con: Nicos Labropoulos (USA)
- 10.40 RCT's on endovenous treatment for GSV incompetence.
Michel Perrin (France)
- 10.50 Future impact of economy-based medicine on phlebology.
Alun Davies (UK)
- 11.00 **Case reports and discussions (6 cases, 15 min each)**
Moderators: Jan Christenson/Michel Perrin
- 12.30 Lunch and visit to exhibition
- 13.30-19.30 **Workshops: Duplex investigations, IVUS/Stenting, Saphenous ablation, Bandaging, Foamsclerotherapy, Thrombectomy, IVC filter placement and visit to exhibition**
- 19.30 **Gala dinner**

Hands-on Workshops

Thursday 20 October - 14.00: Introduction of workshops by Peter Neglén.

- 15 min between each workshop
- Duration of each workshop is 1h55mins. Each workshop contains 4 stations, i.e. 25 min/station. Each group will consist of 20 participants with 5 participants/station
- Workshop: Station 1 -25min, change -5min, Station 2 -25min, change -5min, Station 3 -25min, change -5min, Station 4 -25min = 2 hours

Report Card signed by each Workshop and Exhibit to receive Proof of Attendance

Workshop	Thursday 20 October		Friday 21 October		Saturday 22 October	
	14.15-16.10	16.25-18.20	13.30-15.25	15.40-17.35	13.30-15.25	15.40-17.35
1	A	E	D	C	B	Free choice
2	B	A	E	D	C	Free choice
3	C	B	A	E	D	Free choice
4	D	C	B	A	E	Free choice
5	E	D	C	B	A	Free choice

Workshop 1 – Duplex investigation

Station 1 – Pelvic Insufficiency (Zonare)
Station 2 – Superficial Incompetence (Zonare)
Station 3 – Deep Incompetence (Aloka)
Station 4 – Sourcing in ulcer patients

Workshop 3 – Stenting/IVUS/Compression

Station 1 – Stent (Cook)
Station 2 – IVUS (Volcano)
Station 3 – Stent (BSCI)
Station 4 – Compression (CircAid Medical)

Workshop 5 – Compression/Foam and Steam

Station 1 – Steam Ablation (Varix)
Station 2 – Bandage (Lohmann & Rauscher)
Station 3 – Foam sclerotherapy (STD Pharma)
Station 4 – Foam simulator (3B Scientific)

Workshop 2 – IVC Filter/thrombectomy

Station 1 – Compression (BSN/Jobst)
Station 2 – IVC Filter (Cook)
Station 3 – Angiojet (Medrad)
Station 4 – Mentice (IVC filter simulator)

Workshop 4 – Saphenous Ablation

Station 1 – Laser (Biollitec)
Station 2 – Laser (KLS Martin Group)
Station 3 – Radiofrequency (Covidien)
Station 4 – Tips and Tricks (Covidien)

Visit to Exhibition

Medi Germany,
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REGISTRATION FORM

Please note that places are strictly limited to 100 delegates only.

Please complete and return to:

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Registration Fee.

	Before 20 September 2011	After 20 September 2011	Amount due
Delegate	£ 500	£ 600	£
Physician in Training*	£ 300	£ 400	£
Physicians resident and working in a Non EU Eastern Country	£300	£400	£

TOTAL PAYMENT DUE £

The registration fee includes access to all lectures, workshops, hands on sessions, tea/coffee breaks, certificate of attendance and conference documentation including a CD of the lectures and videos from the 1st Workshop held in Cyprus 2010. It does not include any meals. Please note that delegates must attend all parts of the programme in order to receive an attendance certificate. *A letter, signed by the head of department, confirming the status as Physician in Training must accompany the registration booking form to be eligible for the reduced registration fee.

PAYMENT OPTIONS

Payment must be included with the registration form. Registration will not be confirmed unless payment is received. Payment can be made by credit card, cheque or by bank transfer as follows:

Payment by Credit Card: Please deduct the sum of £_____ from my VISA/MASTERCARD

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Expiry Date: Signature: Date:

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CANCELLATION

Notification of cancellation must be sent in writing to the office. Refund of fees, less 30% administration charges may be applied for until 20 September 2011. After this date, no refund can be made. Refunds will be processed after the Congress

