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Aim of the Congress

This Congress is dedicated to Cardiothoracic Surgeons, Cardiothoracic Anaesthesiologists, Perfusionists and Industry Representatives who aim to further advance application of Minimal Invasive Extracorporeal Circulation Technologies into clinical practice. Lectures and hands-on training will focus on the following topics:

- Pathophysiology of Cardiopulmonary Bypass
- Open vs. Closed Systems
- MECC Equipment
- Commercially Available Circuits
- Perfusion Principles
- Surgical Considerations
- Anaesthetic Strategies
- Clinical Outcomes using MECC
- Application of MECC in Valve Surgery
- Application of MECC in non-coronary and non-valve procedures
- Modular MECC Systems

Congress Venue: Thessaloniki Concert Hall. One Main Auditorium (500 seats) and 2 additional Halls (Hall B and Hall C) with 200 seats.

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Provisional Scientific Programme

Friday 13th June 2014

Main Auditorium

16:00-17:00 Round Table: MECC: A Historical Perspective

Chairpersons: T. Carrel, J. Gummert Speakers: Alois Philipp: The Early Days

Frans Waanders: The Evolution of MECC

Adrian Bauer: What's next?

17:00-17:30 Chairperson: J. Murkin

Lecture: Neuroprotection after surgery with MECC (Polychronis Antonitsis)

17:30-18:30 Round Table: Special considerations in surgery with MECC

Chairpersons: Uwe Schönrock, H. Seiler

Speakers: Farouk Oueida: Minimal Invasive CABG for Severely Impaired LV

function Patients: "The Resting Heart "

Mizja Faber: Cardioplegia administration during surgery with MECC

Brian McCloskey: Safety and modern MECC circuits Olaf Stanger: Failure in MECC implementation

18:30-18:45 Break

18:45-19:15 Chairperson: M. Ranucci

Lecture: Cerebral protection strategies during cardiopulmonary bypass - unmasking the role of emboli and inflammation (John Murkin)

19:15-19:45 Chairperson: R. Hetzer

Lecture: CPB: A Historical Perspective (Stephen Westaby)

19:45-20:15 Chairperson: T. Carrel

Keynote Lecture: "MECC: The past, the present and the future" (Kyriakos

Anastasiadis)

20:30-21:20 Opening Ceremony

21:30-23:00 Welcome Reception

Hall B

16:00-16:30 Chairperson: C. Schmid

Lecture: Organ preservation after surgery with MECC (Win Jan van Boven)

16:30-17:30 Round Table: The MECC concept Chairpersons: A. Liebold, H. Hausmann

Speakers: Jan Schaarschmidt: The Coswig concept Apostolos Deliopoulos: The AHEPA concept

Hansjörg Jenni: The Bern concept

17:30-18:00 Break

18:00-19:00 Round Table: Coagulation Management

Chairpersons: H. Argiriadou, H. Nygaard Speakers: Urs Zenklusen: MECC and Coagulation

Christa Boer: POC during ECC

Florian Prüller: The influence of ECC on the coagulation system

19:00-19:30 Chairperson: A. Liebold

Lecture: Surgery with MECC in high-risk patients (C. Schmid)

Hall C

16:00-17:00 Session with oral presentations (4 abstracts included) Chairpersons: S. Ohri, G. Goh

1. EMERGENCY CABG SURGERY IN PATIENTS WITH OR WITHOUT ACUTE MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION USING THE MINIMIZED EXTRACORPOREAL CIRCULATION

Magdalena Rufa*, Jens Schubel*, Christian Ulrich **, Jan Schaarschmidt**, Adrian Bauer** & Harald Hausmann*

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2. IS THERE A LEARNING CURVE WHEN USING MINIMAL EXTRACORPOREAL CIRCULATION IN CORONARY REVASCULARIZATION PROCEDURES?

P. Antonitsis, C. Asteriou, H.Argiriadou, A. Deliopoulos, S. Gatzos, K. Anastasiadis Cardiothoracic Department, AHEPA University Hospital, Thessaloniki, Greece

3. MINIMAL ECCs ASSURE PERFORMANCE OUTCOME

B. Winkler*, U. Zenklusen, T, Döbele, B. Kohler, M. Grapow, F. Eckstein Department of Cardiac Surgery, University Hospital Basel, Basel, Switzerland

4. CORONARY ARTERY REVASCULARIZATION WITH A MINIMAL EXTRACORPOREAL CIRCULATION TECHNIQUE: SHOTGUN ANALYSIS IN A PROSPECTIVE, RANDOMIZED TRAIL WITH THREE DIFFERENT PERFUSION TECHNIQUES

A.H. Kiessling, M. May, H. Keller, M. Diefenbach, C. Reyher, A. Moritz Johann Wolfgang Goethe University Hospital, Main, Germany

17:00-17:30 Chairperson: M. Kurusz

Lecture: Adverse events in MECC (Erich Gygax)

17:30-18:00 Break

18:00-19:00 Session with oral presentations (4 abstracts included) Chairpersons: B. Eberle, C. Serrick

1. EFFECTS OF CELL SALVAGED AND DIRECTLY RETRANSFUSED MEDIASTINAL SHED BLOOD ON THE POSTOPERATIVE COMPETENCY OF THE COAGULATION SYSTEM AFTER CABG SURGERY

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2. THE RELATIVE INFLUENCE OF MINIATURISED CARDIOPULMONARY BYPASS AND OTHER PERIOPERATIVE FACTORS ON BLOOD TRANSFUSION REQUIREMENT AFTER HEART SURGERY

M. Bennett, M. Larsen, S. Asopa, G. Webb, A. Wright, C. Lloyd "South West" Cardiothoracic Centre and Centre for Health and Environmental Statistics, Plymouth, UK

3. LOWER PLATELET AGGREGATION MIGHT REDUCE PERIOPERATIVE BLEEDING IN MINI-CIRCUIT CARDIOPULMONARY BYPASS COMPARED TO CONVENTIONAL CARDIOPULMONARY BYPASS

H. Kehara, T. Takano, T. Fujii, T. Gomibuchi, K. Nakahara, N. Ohhashi, K. Komatsu, Y. Ohtsu, T. Terasaki, Y. Wada, T. Seto, D. Fukui, J. Amano Department of Cardiovascular Surgery, Shinshu University School of Medicine

4. 5-YEAR EXPERIENCE OF BLOOD TRANSFUSION IN CORONARY ARTERY BYPASS GRAFT SURGERY' PATIENTS USING MINIATURISED EXTRACORPOREAL CIRCULATION

S. Asopa, M. Bennett, G. Webb, C. Lloyd Derriford Hospital, Plymouth, UK

19:00-19:30 Chairperson: Y. Durandy

Lecture: Venous De-Airing - a "must have"? (Uwe Schönrock)

Hall D

Wet Lab Training Simulation on Minimal Cardiopulmonary Bypass

Involves hands-on training using a computerized perfusion model on various clinical scenarios, supervised by specialists on MECC technology

Free on-site registration for the event will be mandatory

Limited number of participants

Saturday 14th June 2014

Main Auditorium

8:00-08:30 Chairperson: Y. Fromes

Lecture: Heparin-coated circuits (Christophoros Foroulis)

08:30-09:00 Chairperson: J. Ferguson

Lecture: Air elimination strategies in different MECC procedures (Erich Gygax)

09:00-09:30 Chairperson: F. Waanders

Lecture: Mini-Circuits and Air Concerns- A straightforward path towards reduced air

embolism and blood conservation (James Ferguson)

09:30-10:00 Chairperson: Ch. Papakonstantinou

Lecture: Origin of extracorporeal circulation (Marko Turina)

10:00-10:30 Chairperson: M. Turina

Lecture: Towards ... "specialized" scientific societies (S. Prapas)

10:30-10:45 Break

10:45-11:45 Round Table: MECC: The anaesthesologist's perspective

Chairpersons: D. Vasilakos, J. Murkin

Speakers: Balthasar Eberle: MECC Anesthetic Management

Marco Ranucci: Heparin management in MECC

Matthias Heringlake: NIRS and organ protective perfusion: the

Anesthetist's point of view

11:45-12:15 Chairperson: M. Ranucci

Lecture: Impact of blood-conservation strategies in cardiac surgery (Helena

Argiriadou)

12:15-13:15 Round Table: MECC: The Perfusionist's Perspective

Chairpersons: F. Merkle, M. Kurusz

Speakers: Yves Durandy: Is there an optimal pump?

Patrick Weerwind: Can minimized circuits be safer? Filip de Somer: Which is the optimal flow and pressure?

13:15-13:45 Chairperson: A. Bauer

Keynote Lecture: Implementation of MECC: from "experimental" setting to routine strategy (Thierry Carrel)

13:45-15:00 Lunch Break-Exhibition- Satellite Symposium

15:00-16:15 Ask The Expert Session: Contributors (Kyriakos Anastasiadis, Adrian Bauer, Erich Gygax, Andreas Liebold, Marco Ranucci, Helena Argiriadou, Marc Kurusz, Filip De Somer, Alois Philipp, Hans Jenni, Yves Fromes, Uwe Schönrock)

16:15-17:15 Round Table: Safety, Simulation & Education in Extracorporeal Technology

Chairpersons: S. Ohri, J. Schaarschmidt

Speakers: Mark Kurusz: A Life in Perfusion, How to avoid incidences in Perfusion

Hans Nygaard: The role of science in preventing perfusion incidences and

aberrations

Frank Merkle: Simulation - train the pilot

17:15-17:30 Break

17:30-18:30 MiECTiS Constitution and General Assembly of the Founding Members

18:30-19:00 Chairperson: K. Anastasiadis

Keynote Lecture: 10 open questions about "MECC" - What we need to answer. (Adrian Bauer)

19:00-20:00 Round Table: Indications for MECC Chairpersons: K. Anastasiadis, A. Bauer, T. Carrel

Speakers: Jan Gummert: OPCAB - the philosopher's stone?

Andreas Liebold: Let's try something else- MECC as a standard for

 $coronary\ surgery?$

Harald Hausmann: Decision making: CECC, MECC or OPCAB?

21:00 Gala Dinner

Hall B

08:00-08:30 Chairperson: B. Winkler

Lecture: Reduced LV function and MECC - just equivalent to CECC? (Thomas

Pühler)

08:30-09:00 Chairperson: A. Philipp

Lecture: MECC in the cath-lab (Stavros Hadjimiltiades)

09:00-09:30 Chairperson: B. Eberle

Lecture: Impact of cell-saving strategies in cardiac procedures (Paschalis Tossios)

09:30-10:30 Round Table: MECC in Aortic Valve Surgery

Chairpersons: A. Yilmaz, E. Gygax

Speakers: Ioannis Dimarakis: The Evolution of MECC in Aortic Surgery

Hansjörg Jenni: MECC Perfusion in Aortic Surgery

Aschraf El-Essawi: MiECC (RoCsafe) for all procedures with heart lung

machine?

10:30-11:00 Break

11:00-11:30 Chairperson: S. Prapas

Lecture: More Minimal than Minimal; quo vadis Heart Surgeon? (Theodoros

Kofidis)

11:30-12:30 Round Table: MECC in operations other than coronary and valves Chairpersons: B. Winkler, E. Gygax

Speakers: S. Westaby: LVAD implantation under minimal-CPB

T. Carrel: Non coronary surgery performed with MECC support

A. Yilmaz: Mitral valve surgery with MECC

C. Serrick: Use of MECC in lung transplantation procedures

12:30-13:00 Chairperson: T. Pühler

Lecture: Building a training program in surgery with MECC (Sunil Ohri)

13:00-13:30 Chairperson: C. Schmid

Lecture: Multicenter trials with minimized bypass: Results of the RocSafe Trial (A.

El-Essawi)

14:00-15:00 Satellite Symposium (sponsored by Sorin)

16:00-17:00 Round Table: MECC in pediatric cardiac surgery

Chairperson: G. Sarris

Speakers: Thierry Carrel: Pediatric MECC- Just a dream? Hansjörg Jenni: Pediatric MECC-Quo vadis

S. Gunaydin: Safe Minimization of CPB by Optimizing Circuit Design for

Pediatric Patients

17:00-17:30 Break

Hall C

08:00-09:00 Session with oral presentations (4 abstracts included) Chairpersons: Y. Abu-Omar, I. Keremidis

1. EXTRACORPOREAL MEMBRANE OXYGENATION BY MEANS OF SUITABLE SUPPORT AFTER EMERGENCY SURGERIES FOR PULMONARY EMBOLISM

F. Sobirov, A. Mansurov, A. Haydarov, Sh. Islambekova Scientific Center of Surgery, Uzbekistan

2. PEDIATRIC "CARDIAC" ECMO SUPPORT: IMPROVED OUTCOME WITH EVOLVING TECHNOLOGY AND PRACTICE REFINEMENTS OVER 16 YEARS

<u>Ch. Alexopoulos</u>, N. Hakim, P. Zografos, E. Protopapas, P. Zavaropoulos, G. Kirvassilis, G.E. Sarris

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3. THE USE OF ARTERIOVENOUS PCO2 DIFFERENCE (Delta PCO2) AS AN INDEX OF THE DENSITY OF CAPILLARY PERFUSION DURING PEDIATRIC CARDIOPULMONARY BYPASS AND ECMO

P. Zavaropoulos, Ch. Alexopoulos, N. Hakim, P. Zografos, E. Protopapas, G. Kirvassilis, G.E. Sarris

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4. "ETERNAL ECMO": THE CHALLENGE OF PROLONGED POST-CARDIOTOMY EXTRACORPOREAL MEMBRANE OXYGENATION

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09:00-10:00 Round Table: Pathophysiological changes during surgery with MECC Chairpersons: W. van Boven, U. Zenklusen

Speakers: Marco Ranucci: The impact of reduced hemodilution on outcome

Yves Fromes: Optimization of extracorporeal perfusion: contribution of the

minimal ECC systems

Christa Boer: Insights in the pathophysiology of microcirculation

10:00-10:30 Chairperson: D. Dougenis

Lecture: Fault management in the hospital vs. aviation: the pilot's point of view. (Andreas Gebhardt)

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-If you agree – I will ask him to come

10:30-11:00 Break

11:00-12:15 Session with oral presentations (5 abstracts included) Chairpersons: U. Schönrock, F. Prüller

1. A VERSATILE MINIMIZED SYSTEM: THE STEP TOWARDS SAFE **PERFUSION**

Y.M. Ganushchak, E.P.J. Körver, Y. Yamamoto, P.W. Weerwind Maastricht University Medical Center

2. HOW WE DEVELOPED A SAFER MINI BYPASS SYSTEM WITH THE USE OF A STOCKERT HEART LUNG BYPASS MACHINE AND MEDTRONIC FUSION OXYGENATOR

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3. MINIMALISING THE CARDIOPULMONARY BYPASS CIRCUIT AND THE CONSOLE

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4. IS THREE-STAGE VENOUS CANNULA SUPERIOR TO DUAL-STAGE DURING WITH MINIMAL EXTRACORPOREAL SURGERY CIRCULATION?

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5. MICROPLEGIA DURING CORONARY ARTERY BYPASS GRAFTING WAS ASSOCIATED WITH LESS LOW CARDIAC OUTPUT SUNDROME: A PROPENSITY-MATCHED COMPARISON

K. Algarni, R. Weisel, C. Caldarone, M. Manjula, T. Yau University of Toronto

12:15-13:45 Session with oral presentations (6 abstracts included) Chairpersons: P. Punjabi, Ch. Bezevegi

1. BENEFITS OF CLOSED MINIATURIZED CARDIOPULMONARY RYPASS

D. Gifford, S. Colah, S. Farid, J. Irons, M. Gilhouly, N. Moorjani Papworth Hospital NHS Trust, Cambridge UK

2. COGNITIVE BRAIN FUNCTION AFTER CORONARY BYPASS GRAFTING WITH MINIMIZED EXTRACORPOREAL CIRCULATION (MECC)

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