



25th Annual Meeting of EACTA

9th-11th June 2010

EICC, Edinburgh, Scotland, UK

The large scientific programme at EACTA contains 79 poster and 89 oral presentations and the highest ranked abstracts will be presented in a best oral and a best poster session. There is also an interactive, hands-on Thoracic Anaesthesia Workshop teaching lung isolation techniques. In addition and as listed below, eminent speakers from around the world will share their expertise on a wide range of topics relevant to cardiothoracic and vascular anaesthesia, critical care and cardiopulmonary. The meeting will attract all professionals and trainees working in these area including anaesthesiologists, surgeons, nurses and perfusionsists.

PANELS

CARDIAC ANAESTHESIA PANEL

Diederik Van Dijk, The Netherlands
Cognitive outcome and CABG surgery: a case of the Emperor's new clothes?

David Reich, USA
Can Computerized perioperative data be used to improve outcome from cardiac surgery?

Richard Marks, UK
Immediate recovery from cardiac anaesthesia: the way forward or just increased risk?

CONGENITAL PANEL

Mirela Bojan, France
Renal failure after neonatal heart surgery; prevention and management

Layeth Al Tmimi, Belgium
Grown-ups with Congenital Heart Disease

CARDIOPULMONARY BYPASS PANEL

Matthias Heringlake, Germany
Improving outcome from Cardiopulmonary Bypass

Luc Puis, Belgium
Guidelines and Cardiopulmonary Bypass

David Smith, UK
Anesthesia and Cardiopulmonary Bypass

ECHO PANEL

Dominique Bettex, Switzerland
TOE imaging of the right heart with congenital heart disease

Karen McCarthy, UK
Anatomy of the right heart

Patrick Wouters, Belgium
Echocardiographic imaging of right heart function

HOW TO GET PUBLISHED

Manfred Seeberger, Switzerland
How to write a paper

Michael Hiesmayr, Austria
How to undertake a systematic review & meta-analysis.

ICU PANEL

David Royston, UK
Future pro- and anti-coagulants

Ravi Gill, UK
Blood transfusion and heart surgery

Pascal Colson, France
Vasopressin in the ICU; friend or foe

THORACIC PANEL

Fang Gao Smith, UK
The UK pneumonectomy outcome study

Erino Rendina, Italy
How to avoid pneumonectomy: role of bronchial and vascular sleeve resection

Paul Myles, Australia
Anaesthesia for resection of anterior mediastinal masses

TRANSPLANT PANEL

Nandor Marczin, UK
What's new in heart & lung transplantation

Emanuele Catena, Italy
Mechanical cardiac assistance

VASCULAR PANEL

Andy Bodeham, UK
The safety of general versus regional anaesthesia for carotid endarterectomy

Miodrag Filipovic, Switzerland
Pre-operative risk assessment: biomarkers versus exercise testing

PLENARY SESSIONS

Steven Konstadt, USA
TOE: past, present and future

David Newby, UK
Coronary stent thrombosis in the peri-operative period: prevention and treatment

Jack Shanewise, USA
TOE for All

Paul Myles, Australia
The operation was a success but the patient died; what is a meaningful outcome for patients undergoing heart surgery?

THORACIC WORKSHOP

Giorgio Della Rocca, Italy
Double lumen endobronchial tubes

Mert Senturk, Turkey
Univent and Bronchial Blockers

Geoff Bowler,
Matthew Molyneux,
Ellis Simon,
Neil Rasburn, UK
Hands on workshop

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