



16th International Congress on Advances in Cardiac Ultrasound

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This well known postgraduate course will concentrate on the recent advances in cardiac ultrasound and their relevance for clinical problem solving in every day practice. State-of-the-art lectures will provide cardiologists and those interested in cardiac ultrasound a review of all current uses and new developments and how to implement them in daily practice. Particular emphasis will be on quantitative doppler hemodynamics and some sessions will be entirely devoted to presentations of clinical studies/cases with interactive discussions between participants and faculty.

Course Highlights:

- New methods for assessing cardiac function
- Assessing aortic and mitral valve in the 20th century
- Echocardiography in patients with coronary artery disease
- Echocardiography during interventions
- Therapeutic innovations in structural heart disease
- Assessing the right ventricle and pulmonary hypertension
- Heart failure; role of echo from diagnosis to treatment
- Cardiac resynchronisation therapy; is echocardiography still relevant?
- New advances in contrast echocardiography. Is myocardial perfusion a reality?
- The pivotal role of echocardiography for the assessment of heart muscle disease. Are there any prognostic indicators?
- Plenty of illustrative case presentations and interactive discussions
- Keynote lectures given by faculty

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