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17 September

13.30 Registration

PROTECTED PCI, IMAGING & COMPLEX CORONARY TECHNIQUE

Live cases and focused lectures

Moderators: **F. Bedogni, D. Benedetto, A. Paggi**

14:00 LIVE CASE 1

Beyond the Angiogram
CathWorks-guided planning for complex coronary interventionI
Operators: **D. Regazzoli - M. Squillace**

14:45 LECTURE 1

Debulking Today
Rotational atherectomy, orbital atherectomy and excimer laser:
When ablative strategies are required,
and how to integrate them into contemporary PCI - **G. Sardella**

15:00 LIVE CASE 2

Redefining the Calcific Lesion
Orbital atherectomy in contemporary complex PCI
Operators: **F. Ugo - G.S. Cannone**

15:45 LECTURE 2

Mechanical Support Beyond the Device
Impella and contemporary MCS in shock and protected PCI:
Patient selection, timing and realistic procedural goals - **G. Masiero**

15:45 - 16:30 Coffee Break

Moderators: **M. Agnifili, F. Bedogni, I. Pescetelli**

16:30 LIVE CASE 3

The Undilatable Lesion
Debulking and advanced calcium management in complex PCI
Operators: **L. Testa, G. Boccuzzi**

17:15 LECTURE 3

Less metal, more strategy
Drug-coated balloons in ACS and high-risk PCI:
Lesion preparation, bailout criteria and metal-minimising approaches,
including RODIN-CUT concepts - **A. Colombo**

17:30 LIVE CASE 4

Stent Failure Without Another Layer
Laser-assisted PCI and drug-coated balloon strategy
Operators: **F. De Marco, R. Gorla**

18:15 LECTURE 4

OPTIMAL Imaging for Left Main PCI
How intravascular imaging guides strategy, sizing and optimization
in contemporary left main PCI - **L. Testa**

18:30 LECTURE 5

The Unfinished Job
Complex PCI is not the end of the story: How PCSK9 inhibitors complete
the treatment of the revascularized patient **- M. Barletta**

18:45 Conclusions of Day 1

18 September

STRUCTURAL-CORONARY DECISIONS, METAL-MINIMISING PCI & SUPPORT

Live cases and focused lectures

Moderators: **G.S. Cannone, M. Casenghi, C. Gandolfo**

08:45 LECTURE 6
P2Y12 Inhibitors in complex PCI - **C. Montalto**

09:00 LIVE CASE 5
Bicuspid valve, diseased coronaries
Coronary strategy and valve planning in a challenging TAVI setting
Operators: **R. Nerla - N. Brambilla**

09:45 LECTURE 7
TAVI and CAD in 2026
Timing of PCI, completeness of revascularisation and future coronary re-access in contemporary structural intervention
A. Buono

10:00 LIVE CASE 6
Crossing the limit
Contemporary CTO PCI in high-complexity anatomy
Operators: **L. Testa - J.A. Oreglia**

10:45 - 11:15 Coffee Break

11:15 LIVE CASE 7
Protecting the unprotected Left Main
Impella-supported PCI for complex unprotected LM disease
Operators: **A. Mangieri - G.S. Cannone**

12:00 LECTURE 8
Imaging That Changes the Case
IVUS/OCT guided execution: how imaging drives planning, strategy and optimisation in complex PCI - **P.A. Canova**

12:15 LECTURE 9
The Pill That Changes the Procedure.
SGLT2 inhibitors in high-risk PCI: New evidence on cardiorenal protection in patients with heart failure and chronic kidney disease - **A. Grelli**

12:30 Closing Remarks

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