WELCOME

Dear Colleagues:

We are delighted to announce our second Sudden Cardiac Death Symposium to be held at Inselspital, University Hospital of Bern on October 20th 2016.

Our program offers this year state of the art presentations, including clinical cases and novel advances in sudden cardiac death prevention, early detection of population at risk and progress in management strategies.

Sudden cardiac death is a major public health problem worldwide and the medical profession requires regular update on this topic in order to treat opportunely and reduce the incidence of this unfortunate outcome. We have invited worldwide and national leaders and during one day this meeting will offer a very interesting and attractive update on this important topic.

This symposium is directed to the medical community working in the following areas: Family Medicine, Forensic Medicine, Internal Medicine, Pediatrics, Genetics, Sport Medicine, Cardiology and Anesthesia.

We are looking forward to your participation in this exciting meeting.

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PROGRAM THURSDAY OCTOBER 20 2016

08:00 – 08:50 Registration

08:50 – 09:00 Welcome address
Stephan Windecker – Bern (CH)

09:00 – 10:50 Challenges in Sudden Cardiac Death
Chair: Jürg Fuhrer – Bern (CH)
Chair: Andrea Menafoglio – Regional Hospital Bellinzona (CH)

09:00 – 09:20 Sudden Cardiac Death During Sports: Data from Swissregard
Matthias Wilhelm – Bern (CH)

09:20 – 09:40 ECG screening in athletes: Proven fact or wishful thinking
Sami Viskin – Tel Aviv (ISR)

09:40 – 10:00 Electrical Storm in Inherited Cardiac Arrhythmia Syndromes: What to do?
Haran Burri – Geneva (CH)

10:00 – 10:20 Brugada Syndrome Risk Stratification
Josep Brugada – Barcelona (ES)

10:20 – 10:50 Debate: Role of Programmed Ventricular Stimulation in Brugada Syndrome
Pro: Josep Brugada – Barcelona (ES)
Contra: Sami Viskin – Tel Aviv (ISR)

10:50 – 11:15 Coffee Break

11:15 – 12:00 My Difficult Case: Session I
Chair: Josep Brugada – Barcelona (ES)
Chair: Corinna Brunckhorst – Zurich (CH)

11:15 – 11:30 Case 1 Christian Sticherling – Basel (CH)
11:30 – 11:45 Case 2 Etienne Pruvot – Lausanne (CH)
11:45 – 12:00 Case 3 Fabian Noti – Bern (CH)

12:00 – 13:00 Lunch

13:00 – 13:40 SCD Prevention: A critical point of view of Guidelines and Scientific Statements
Chair: Christian Sticherling – Basel (CH)
Chair: Laurent Roten – Bern (CH)

13:00 – 13:20 SCD Prevention: Current guidelines in inherited arrhythmia syndromes and HCM
Helge Servatius – Bern (CH)

13:20 – 13:40 SCD Prevention: Current guidelines in ARVC and DCM
Ardan Saguner – Zurich (CH)

13:40 – 15:25 Novel Approaches in Cardiac Channelopathies Management
Chair: Hildegard Tanner – Bern (CH)
Chair: Mario Delmar – New York (USA)

13:40 – 13:55 Immune Therapy for Inherited Cardiac Arrhythmias: Reality or fiction?
Jin Li – Bern (CH)

13:55 – 14:10 Long QT Syndrome treatment: What is new
Argelia Medeiros-Domingo – Bern (CH)

14:10 – 14:35 Catheter Ablation of Brugada Syndrome
Josep Brugada – Barcelona (ES)

14:35 – 15:00 Use of Quinidine in Brugada Syndrome
Sami Viskin – Tel Aviv (ISR)

15:00 – 15:25 Novel potential molecules for CPVT treatment
Hector Valdivia – Michigan (USA)

15:25 – 15:50 Coffee Break
15:50 – 17:10  Molecular Basis of Cardiac Arrhythmias  
Chair: Stephan Alexander Pless – Copenhagen (DK)  
Chair: Jan Kucera – Bern (CH)

15:50 – 16:10  TRPM4 Phenotypes  
Hugues Abriel – Bern (CH)

16:10 – 16:30  The Ryanodine Receptor Phenotypes  
Hector Valdivia – Michigan (USA)

16:30 – 16:50  Molecular links between ARVC and Brugada Syndrome  
Mario Delmar – New York (USA)

16:50 – 17:10  Electrical Remodeling in the Failing Heart  
Jeanne Nerbonne – Missouri (USA)

17:10 – 17:25  My Difficult Case: Session II  
Case 4 Richard Kobza – Luzern (CH)

17:25 – 17:40  Case 5 Haran Burri – Geneva (CH)

17:40 – 17:55  Case 6 Andreas Müller – Zurich (CH)

17:55 – 18:05  Closure  
Jürg Fuhrer – Bern (CH)  
Argelia Medeiros-Domingo – Bern (CH)

### FACULTY

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Bus line 11, direction «Holligen», Stop «Inselplatz»
SUBSCRIPTION

Registration fee:
No registration fee is required. To attend the meeting and request accreditation, registration must be performed by email or by regular mail before October 1st 2016 (therese.sifeddine@insel.ch). Admission will be available only for the first 100 registered participants.

Accreditation or endorsed has been obtained from:
• Swiss Society of Cardiology
• Swiss Society of Internal Medicine

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