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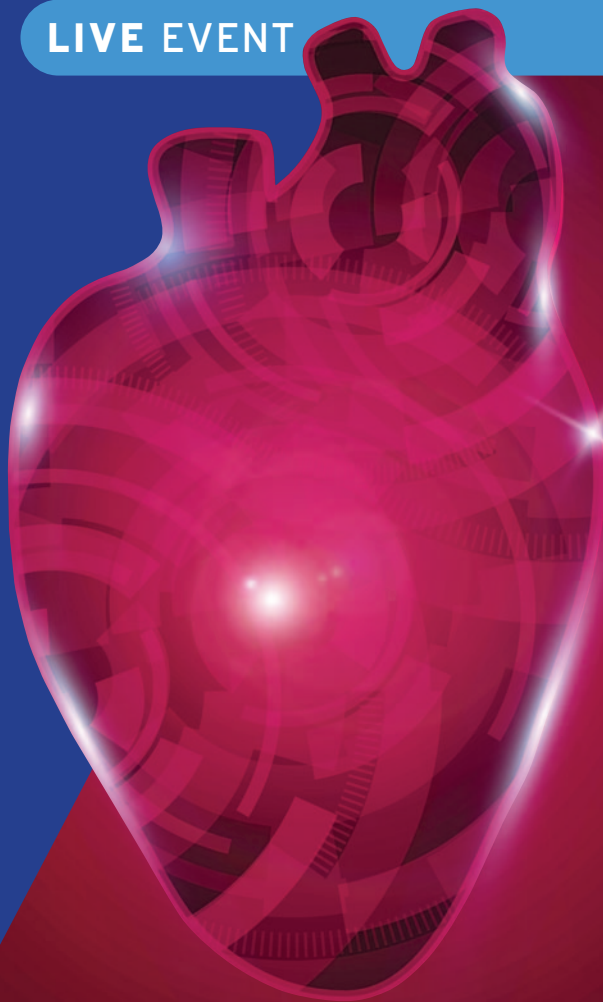
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Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the Organizing and Scientific Committee, it is our great pleasure to invite you to the "7th International Forum in Paediatric & Adult Congenital Cardiology & Cardiac Surgery", which will be held on 10-11 June 2023, in Athens, at the "N. Louros" Hall, at "MITERA" Hospital.

The developments in Cardiology and Cardiac Surgery for Congenital Heart Disease are ongoing and rapidly developing with a plethora of scientific and technical challenges.

To this end, we have created an extensive program with main topics of interest related to Fetal & Neonatal Cardiology, Cardiac Anaesthesia and Intensive Care as well as Congenital Cardiac Surgery and Cardiology Interventions.

New developments in Congenital Heart Disease will be analyzed by a panel of experts from Greece and abroad, who will cover major scientific developments in pediatric and congenital cardiology and cardiac surgery and will ensure the highest level of a scientific event.

This year, our first after the Covid-19 pandemic, the conference will be held exclusively live since we believe that live interaction between the speakers and the audience is a major asset of the educational procedure.

With the certainty that your active participation will be the main guarantee for the success of this year's Forum, we invite you to a very interesting and constructive exchange of innovative medical developments, scientific knowledge and experiences.

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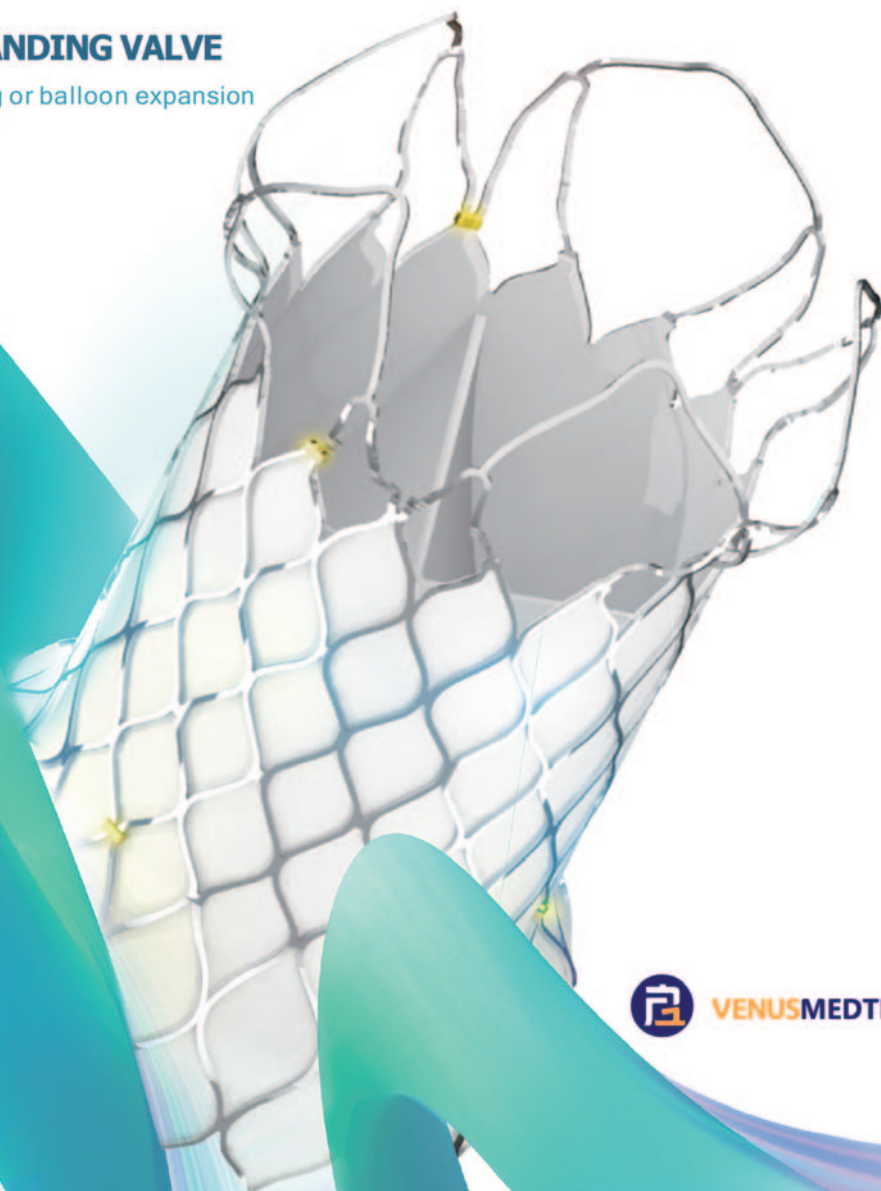
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09:20-10:50 Session A: General Cardiology

Chairs: I. Jovanovic, S. Loukopoulou, J. Janousek

09:20-09:40 Sudden cardiac death in children. Etiology, screening, prevention and genetic counselling. **D. Avramidis**

09:40-10:00 The use of implantable defibrillators in children < 16 yrs of age: not necessary or under-used? **J. Papagiannis**

10:00-10:20 Current therapies for cardiomyopathies in children. **I. M. Behnke**

10:20-10:40 CHD and malignancies. Does an association exist? **E. Kosmidis**

10:40-10:50 Discussion.

Discussants: A. Pavlovic, A. Vlachos, L. Mantziari

10:50-11:10 COFFEE BREAK

11:10-12:40 Session B: Advanced imaging for CHD

Chairs: C. Laskari, A. Tzifa, K. Aggeli

11:10-11:30 Myocardial strain and speckle tracking: Applications in Paediatric echocardiography. **M. Charakida**

11:30-11:50 3D and 4D Echocardiography: Applications in CHD. **K. Papadopoulos**

11:50-12:10 4D MRI: Applications in Paediatric & Adult CHD. **K. Pushparajah**

12:10-12:30 Fetal MRI supplementing fetal ECHO. **R. Razavi**

12:30-12:40 Discussion.

Discussants: P. Danias, D. Loggitsi, G. Athanassopoulos, M. Boutsikou



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Saturday

12:40-14:10 Session C: Neonatal Cardiology and cardiac surgery

Chairs: G. Kalavrouziotis, D. Anderson, E. Tsapaki

12:40-13:00	Intracardiac shunts with associated arch abnormalities: one or 2- stage repair?	C. Austin
13:00-13:20	Management of congenital heart disease in premature infants.	M. Bartsota
13:20-13:40	Cardiac surgery in neonates < 2kg.	M. Kostolny
13:40-14:00	Neurodevelopmental assessment of neonates & infants that underwent surgery for CHD in the first year of life.	I. Kouri
14:00-14:10	Discussion.	
Discussants: A. Tsirellis, D. Bobos, G. Sarris		

14:10-14:30 LIGHT LUNCH

14:30-16:10 Session D: Paediatric Cardiac Surgery

Chairs: A. Frogoudaki, D. Anderson, M. Kostolny

14:30-14:50	Management of Ebstein disease. P. Del Nido	
14:50-15:10	Dilatation of the neoaorta and aortic valve insufficiency after Ross operation. Incidence, prevention, management and outcomes.	I. Tzanavaros
15:10-15:30	Mitral valve insufficiency in DCM. Repair - replacement - transplant listing - VAD.	J. Photiadis
15:30-16:00	Anomalous origin of coronary arteries from the aorta.	M. Padalino
16:00-16:10	Discussion.	
Discussants: M. Kostolny, D. Iliopoulos, A. Kourtesis, D. Bobos		

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Sunday

09:00-10:30 Session E: Congenital Cardiac Interventions

Chairs: A. Tzifa, J. Photiades, J. Janousek

09:00-09:20 Fetal Cardiac Interventions - The Linz Experience. **A. Tulzer**

09:20-09:40 Management of PA / IVS in neonates. **A. Tzifa**

09:40-10:00 Transcatheter closure of sinus venosus defects. **E. Rosenthal**

10:00-10:20 New data on transcatheter implantation
of pulmonary valve. **J. Bentham**

10:20-10:30 Discussion

Discussants: M. Drakopoulou, P. Livanos, A. Rousounides

10:30-10:40 COFFEE BREAK

10:40-11:50 Session F: Cardiac ICU and Anaesthesia

Chairs: A. Giannakopoulou, F. Mitropoulos, A. Eliades

10:40-11:00 CNS monitoring and perioperative encephalography. **C. Apostolidis**

11:00-11:20 Post-operative low cardiac output status
and pharmacological management. **K. Patris**

11:20-11:40 Management of perioperative CHD patients. **F. Tsiligiannis**

11:40-11:50 Discussion

Discussants: A. Dimolitsa, G. Paphitou, J. Photiades, M. Kostolny

11:50-12:30 LIGHT LUNCH



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Sunday

12:30-14:20 Session G: Future directions in Congenital Heart Disease

Chairs: A. Komnou, M. Gatzoulis

12:30-12:50	Totally endoscopic cardiac surgery for congenital heart disease.	F. Mitropoulos
12:50-13:10	Do we need to ligate a PDA in a premature baby ever? Percutaneous approach.	C. Bautista
13:10-13:30	The future of patients born with congenital heart disease.	M. Gatzoulis
13:30-13:50	Quality Assurance in Pediatric and Congenital Cardiac Surgery: New Developments	G. Sarris
13:50-14:10	The role of women in cardiac surgery.	M. Aronis
14:10-14:20	Discussion	
14:20-15:00	Conclusions	
	Discussants: A. Magginas, A. Tzifa, F. Mitropoulos	
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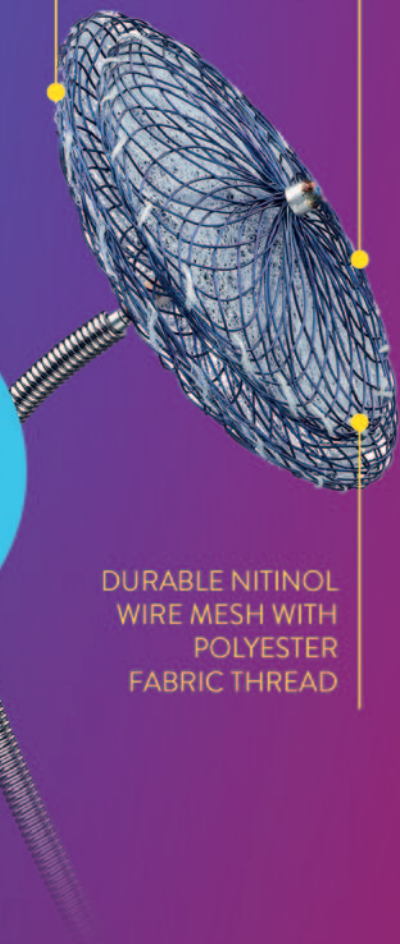
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