

VIII Baltic Heart Failure & XV Arrhythmias meeting

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November 7

12.00 **OPENING**

SESSION I

Heart failure Care Across the Europe

Chairs: Prof. Andrejs Erglis (LV), Prof. Petar Seferovic (SR), Prof. Antoni Bayes-Genis (ES)

12.20 Heart failure: one syndrome, many faces. *Andrejs Erglis (LV)*

12.45 Quality of Care Centres (QCC) programme across the Europe. *Petar Seferovic (RS)*

13.10 HFA initiative "Peptide for life". *Antoni Bayes-Genis (ES)*

On-line lecture

13.35 Management of heart failure with preserved ejection fraction: recent advances and future perspectives. *Scott Solomon (USA)*

14.00-14.30 **COFFEE BREAK**

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SESSION II

Multidisciplinary approach in HFpEF diagnostic

Chairs: Prof. Tomas Lapinskas (LT), Assoc. prof. Iveta Mintale (LV), Assoc. prof. Giedre Baksyte (LT)

14.30 Hedonic lifestyle and cardiovascular consequences. *Kristine Ducena (LV)*

14.50 CMR value in HFpEF diferential diagnosis. *Tomas Lapinskas (LT)*

15.10 Cardiac CT and HFpEF: how it could help for better management? *Indre Ceponiene (LT)*

15.50 Cardiac amyloidosis: beyond the heart failure. *Valdis Gibietis (LV)*

16.10 **COFFEE BREAK**

16.40 **Boeringher Ingelheim Satellite symposium**

November 8

PARALEL SESSIONS

Session III	Session IV
<p>Cardiomyopathies as common cause of heart failure Chairs: Prof. Petar Seferovic (SR), Prof. Egle Eremiene (LT), Pentti Poder (EE)</p>	<p>Arrhythmology in light of heart failure Chairs: Prof. J. Kautzner (CH), Prof. O. Kalejs (LV), Prof. Germanas Marinskis (LT)</p>
<p>9.00 Emerging treatments for hipertrophic obstructive cardiomyopathy. <i>Ainars Rudzitis (LV)</i></p> <p>9.20 Tansthyretin cardiac amyloidosis: a comprehensive review with focus on heart failure. <i>Egle Eremiene (LT)</i></p> <p>9.40 TBA</p> <p>10.00 Ethiological approach in heart failure management. <i>Gintare Sakalyte (LT)</i></p>	<p>9.00 Tachyarrhythmia induced cardiomyopathy: mechanisms and management. <i>Oskars Kalejs (LV)</i></p> <p>9.20 Atrial fibrillation catheter ablation in heart failure. <i>Josef Kautzner (CH)</i></p> <p>9.40 Ventricular tachycardia ablation in heart failure. <i>Germanas Marinskis (LT)</i></p> <p>10.00 Left bundle branch area pacing: indications and practical issues. <i>Priit Kampus (EE)</i></p>
10.20-11.00 COFFEE BREAK	POSTER SESSION

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<p>Session V</p> <p>Transcatheter interventions in heart failure Chairs: Prof. Andrejs Erglis (LV), Ramunas Unikas (LT), Assist. prof. Ainars Rudzitis (LV)</p>	<p>Session VI</p> <p>Focus on arrhythmias Chairs: Prof. Aras Puodziukynas (LT), assist. prof. K. Jubele (LV), Prof. Priit Kampus (EE)</p>
<p>11.00 Percutaneous transcatheter interventions in secondary mitral and tricuspidal regurgitations. <i>Inga Narbutė (LV)</i></p> <p>11.20 Transcatheter aortic valve replacement in heart failure. <i>Ramunas Unikas (LT)</i></p> <p>11.40 Interatrial shunts in congenital heart disease. <i>Valts Ozolins (LV)</i></p>	<p>11.00 Management of patients with ventricular arrhythmias and electrical storm. <i>Josef Kautzner (CH)</i></p> <p>11.20 Atrial fibrillation: What do we know so far? <i>Kristine Jubele (LV)</i></p> <p>11.40 Subclinical atrial fibrillation detected by implantable devices: does the strategy of anticoagulation is clear already? <i>Aras Puodziukynas (LT)</i></p>
<p>Session VII</p> <p>Research from HFA Young (Best Abstracts session) Chairs: Prof. Diana Zaliaduonyte (LT), Tiina Uettoa (EE), Prof. Indre Ceponiene (LT)</p> <p>12.00 3 best Abstract presentations</p> <p>12.45 Awarding</p>	
<p>13.00-14.00 LUNCH</p>	
<p>Session VIII</p> <p>Current affairs from Baltic countries Chairs: Prof. Jelena Celutkiene (LT), Ginta Kamzola (LV), Pentti Poder (EE)</p>	<p>Session IX</p> <p>Headline: TBD Chairs: TBD</p>
<p>14.00 Heart failure profile in Lithuania. <i>Diana Zaliaduonyte (LT)</i></p>	<p>14.00 Diagnosis to the ablation time and recurrence of atrial fibrillation following catheter ablation. <i>Kaspars Kupics (LV)</i></p>

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<p>14.20 Genetic aspects of dilated cardiomyopathy in Latvian population. <i>Irina Grike (LV)</i></p> <p>14.40 SGLT2 inhibitors after acute myocardial infarction: data from North Estonia Medical Centre. <i>Pentti Poder (EE)</i></p> <p>15.00 Implementation of guidelines in clinical practice. <i>Jelena Celutkiene (LT)</i></p>	<p>14.20 Zero X ray ablation of arrhythmias. <i>Erik Salum (EE)</i></p> <p>14.40 Children's ablation procedures data of decade. <i>Rein Kolk (EE)</i></p> <p>15.00 POTS and IST. Should we be aware? <i>Janis Pudulis (LV)</i></p>
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15.20 **CLOSING**