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We are very pleased to present you the preliminary program of i-MEET 2016, which will take place at the Radisson Blu hotel in Nice on June 2 & 3.

To achieve our ambitious educational goals this year we are focusing on interactivity more than ever, with clinical cases, videos and audience discussion and many great surprises await you.

Over the 2 day meeting, our wide-ranging, interactive program will include the whole range of endovascular techniques and procedures with particular focus on femoropopliteal and BTK disease, the management of thoracic aortic dissection, EVAR challenges and carotid stenosis. Two sessions will be dedicated to venous diseases and thrombectomy.

All associate faculty members, including trainees, will present interesting work-in-progress and case reports. Don’t miss out! Submit your abstract to our website now.

On Friday, an intensive, full-day, special program is being organized for nurses and technicians in a parallel room.

Don’t wait to register to the congress and sign up for the unmissable dinner on the beach on Thursday night, do so now as places are limited.

Grab the opportunity to extend your stay and spend the week end on the French Riviera and to enjoy an ideal climate, the sun, the sea, the blue sky and the amazing scents of the leading tourist destination in France after Paris.

Join us in the capital city of the French Riviera to build endovascular synergies with our outstanding international faculty.

The MEET Directors
08.00  **Practical approach to BTK-disease, based on state of the art data**
Moderators: TBD

08.00  Lecture. Inflation with or without drugs BTK? R. Ferraresi
08.05  Case 1, A. Schmidt
Case 2, I. Petrov
Case 3, M. Manzi
Covering materials (wires, catheters, balloons…) & techniques (antegrade, retrograde with/without punctures, bidirectional, long occlusion recanalizations…)

08.25  Lecture. Scaffolding with or without drugs BTK? R. Langhoff
Case 4, L. Maene
Case 5, M. Werner
Case 6, E. Ducasse

08.50  Lecture. Final judgement about angiosome theory: myth or fact? V. Alexandrescu
Case 7, P. Goverde
Case 10, P. Schneider

09.05  Lecture. Distal bypass surgery, dead in the water? P. Schneider
Case 9, N. Mosquera
Case 10, P. Schneider

09.20  Lecture. « Pour finir en beauté » : woundcare and offloading principles, K. Deloose
Interactive wound case discussion. Discussants: V. Alexandrescu, E. Ducasse, R. Ferraresi, Y. Gouëffic, P. Goverde, L. Maene, P. Schneider
Discussion

10.15  Coffee break

10.45  **Industry symposium**

11.15  **TAA**
Moderators: N. Mangialardi, T. Mastracci, L. Canaud

Debate
- There is no U-turn for the endovascular treatments, TBD
- There are dedicated indications for the surgical options! G. Melissano

Hot Topic
- My experience in arch fenestrated graft, TBD
- Scallop-graft for the arch repair, my experience, J-M. Alsac
- Chimps and regular D re still a valuable option for arch repair, S. Ronchey
- Endoleak management after type 1 endoleak for arch chimney, R. Kolvenbach

Tips and Tricks
- fEVAR and branch graft for aortic dissection repair, S. Haulon
- Aortic dissection: where is the important focus during first days/weeks? C. Nienaber
- Endovascular management (petticoat technique) for the type B dissection, L. Canaud
- False lumen occlusion, technical aspects, T. Kölbel
- Hybrid repair for aortic dissection, indication and state of the art, M. Lachat
- News from imaging and 3D-printing for aortic dissection comprehension, L. Maene
Discussion

Real world AAA Case Extravaganza
How would you treat it? Challenging scenarios that stump the experts, V. Riambau, T. Mastracci, P. Kasprzak

13.00  Lunch break

14.30  **AAA**
Moderators: T. Mastracci, B. Mees, M. Lachat, E. Jean-Baptiste

14.30  Debate
Are we pushing too far the frontiers of EVAR? E. Steinmetz
There are no limits using EVAR for AAA! N. Mosquera

14.50  Hot Topic
Best practice in fEVAR in 2016, B. Mees
EVAS and chEVAR will replace EVAR and chEVAR, F. Torella
Chimps and regular devices are still a valuable option, M. Lachat

15.20  **Tips and Tricks**
Management of the hypogastric artery during EVAR, R. Fisher
Management of challenging iliac accesses and leg thrombosis prevention, A. Mansilha
Perfect proximal anchorage does it solve all the problems? J-P. de Vries
Physician-made versus regular fenestration, is there a difference? E. Ducasse

15.55  **Real World AAA Case Extravaganza**
How would you treat it? Challenging scenarios that stump the experts, T. Larzon, A. Kaladji, T. Mastracci

16.15  **Points of Interest**
How to deal with type 1 endoleaks? TBD
Diagnosis and management of type 3b endoleak, R. McWilliams
Late and real results of secondary interventions for endoleaks, F. Verzini
Sorry to curb the enthusiasm but how to treat the infected endografts? X. Berard

16.50  Coffee break

17.20  **Venous & thrombectomy**
Moderators: S. Chastanet, P. Pittaluga

17.20  Debate
What might bring a new wave length for endovenous laser? L. Kabnick
Should we really treat varicose tributaries? A. Davies
Hemodynamics of development of the varicose disease: do we have really a new knowledge? N. Labropoulos
Endovenous treatment of the short saphenous vein: as good as for the great saphenous vein? P. Nicolini
Endovenous treatment of extended iliac vein occlusion: what are the limits? O. Hartung
What will be the treatment of varicose veins in the future? R. Milleret
Management strategies for patients with varicose veins (C2-C6): results of a worldwide survey, TBD
Discussion

19.00  End of the sessions
20.00  Official dinner
08.00 **Venous & thrombectomy**  
**Moderators: P. Nicolini, R. Milleret**

08.00 The glue for the treatment of varicose veins? **L. Kabnick**  
Post-operative compression after varicose vein treatments: yes or no? **A. Davies**  
Indications for the treatment of pelvic varices, **E. Shaydakov**  
Treatment of acute venous femoro-iliac thrombosis: changing the paradigm? **O. Hartung**  
Endovenous thermal ablations: consensus and polemics, **N. Labropoulos**  
Foam sclerotherapy: the best cost-effectiveness treatment for varicose veins? **M. Demaessene**

09.00 **Discussion**

09.15 **Carotids**  
**Moderators: Max Amor, Isabelle Van Herzeele, Peter Schneider**

09.15 Key articles from the past year that will influence carotid artery disease treatment going forward, **I. Van Herzeele**

09.23 **Debate**  
Urgent repair of carotid disease causing stroke means it should be done within 48 hours, **GJ. De Borst**  
Urgent repair after stroke has a higher perioperative risk and I never do it in the first two weeks, **N. Hopkins**  
Vote and **Discussion**

09.50 **Hot Topic**  
If you want to prove that your outcomes are excellent, then perform DW-MRI in all CEA and CAS patients. What is known about DW-MRI hits after carotid repair and should we be worried? **C. Rabbia**

10.00 **Coffee break**

10.30 **Tips and tricks: how I do it**  
Troubleshooting during carotid endarterectomy, **C. Setacci**  
Ideal toolkit for carotid stenting. How to customize your approach for different types of cases, **TBD**  
Discussion

10.50 **Real-world Carotid Case Extravaganza**  
How would you treat it? Challenging scenarios that stump the experts, **J. Van Den Berg, F. Verzini, N. Hopkins, P. Montorsi**  
Future of carotid revascularization (include Mesh covered stents, prox protection, new designs, transcervical), **P. Schneider**  
Standard operating protocol in stroke management at my hospital – a multidisciplinary approach is mandatory, **TBD**  
Take home message  
Discussion

11.45 **Industry symposium**

12.15 Lunch break

13.15 **Femoropopliteal disease & Ambulatory**  
**Endovascular repair for long femoropopliteal lesions**  
**Animator: K. Deloose**  
**Moderators: J. Lemoine, J-P. Simon, Y. Gouëffic**

13.15 **State of art, N. Diehm**  
Missing data (critical review of the literature; What do we need – data, studies…– to establish ER as the gold standard for long FP lesions), **G. Torsello**  
Discussion  
Real world.  
Long FP lesions with supera, **L. Maene**  
Long FP lesions with laser, **E. Ducasse**  
Long FP lesions with reentry/pedal access, **M. Di Primio**  
Long FP lesions with DES, **G. Goyault**  
Take home message (abstract of the previous presentation: should be prepared by the moderators during the session)

14.45 **Ambulatory management for PAD endovascular treatment**  
**Animator: E. Steinmetz**  
**Moderators: G. Torsello, L. Maene, J. Van Den Berg**

14.45 **State of art, P. Schneider**  
Missing data, **F. Saucy**  
Discussion  
Real life (movie), **Y. Gouëffic**  
Debates and vote  
Debate  
For 4F devices with 0.018, **J. Van Den Berg**  
For 5F devices with 0.035, **F. Airoldi**  
Discussion  
Debate  
Outpatients management is not profitable, **A. Rastan**  
Outpatients management is profitable, **N. Diehm**  
Discussion  
Take home message

16.15 **Associate Faculty Program (oral & videos presentations)**

17.30 **Awards ceremony & Adjournment**
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- **Abstract, video or poster presenter**

- **Physician & other (first participation)**
- **Industrialist**
- **Resident, Fellow, Nurse, Technician, Presenters**
- **Industrialist non sponsor**
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