

WELCOME



Dear Colleagues and Friends!

After a successful “2nd Heart Team Winter Summit” in March 2019 we want to invite you to our next meeting, the **3rd Heart Team Winter Summit from March 8th – 13th and the 1st Pediatric Winter Summit from March 8th – 10th 2020 in Zürs am Arlberg.**

By addressing cardiac surgeons, and cardiologists the last meeting was very successful and could attract an equal number of participants as in the years before. By personal communication we received many positive reflections already at the meeting as well as thereafter and participants expressed interest for a succeeding “3rd Heart Team and 1st Pediatric Winter Summit 2020”.

Based on our experience in 2019 we are motivated to expand the spectrum of scientific topics also to the field of **pediatric cardiology and pediatric cardiac surgery** in 2020. Topics related to these subspecialties will complement scientific activities and discussions in **adult cardiac surgery and cardiology**.

The meeting will continue with the “spirit” of the former Zürs symposia – to discuss scientific and clinical relevant topics of cardiovascular medicine in a relaxed alpine scenery. This will be an ideal atmosphere for interdisciplinary networking. We encourage you to submit your scientific work as abstracts for oral presentation or video presentation and look forward to seeing you again at the “3rd Heart Team and 1st Pediatric Winter Summit” in Zürs am Arlberg!

Sincerely,

Günther Laufer, Herbert Frank, Daniel Zimpfer, Ina Michel-Behnke

GENERAL INFORMATION



CONGRESS VENUE

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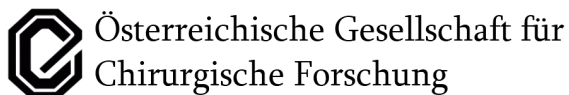
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REGISTRATION FEE - PEDIATRIC PROGRAM

Full day March 8th-11th

EUR 150,- via www.heart-team-winter-summit.at

INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION

The industrial exhibition takes place at Robinson Select Alpenrose Zürs.

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SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

Sunday, March 8

19:00 Evening Get Together

Monday, March 9

Morning Session Pediatrics 1 and 2

09:00 Session Pediatrics 1: Heart Failure

D. Zimpfer / D. Schranz

KEYNOTE LECTURE: Endstage heart failure in children - novel treatment strategies beyond VAD and HTX

D. Schranz (Giessen)

Institutional results of pediatric cardiac transplantation

S. Greil (Vienna)

Ventricular support with the Berlin Heart Excor in pediatric patients

R. Cesnjevar (Erlangen)

10:30 Break

11:00 Session Pediatrics 2: Heart Replacement

I. Michel-Behnke / T. Mroczek

KEYNOTE LECTURE: Mechanical support of failing univentricular palliations: Current state and future perspectives

M. Granegger (Berlin)

Technical aspects and results of heart transplantation in Fontan patients

D. Zimpfer (Vienna)

Current management of HLHS

T. Mroczek (Krakow)

12:30 Lunch break

13:30 Afternoon Workshop 1: Echocardiography for Surgeons

R. Rosenhek / TBD

15:15 Conference Opening

G. Laufer / H. Frank / D. Zimpfer

Aortic Valve Disease

15:30 Session A: When And How To Act

J. Takkenberg / H. Frank

KEYNOTE LECTURE: Asymptomatic aortic stenosis: Ready for intervention / surgery?

R. Rosenhek (Vienna)

TAVI in low risk patients - PRO

A. Bauer (Vienna)

TAVI in low risk patients - CONTRA

G. Laufer (Vienna)

Debate

17:00 Break

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

Monday, March 9

17:30	Session B: TAVI: Alternative Procedures	TBD / G. Laufer
	Update on the OZAKI procedure	M. Krane (Munich)
	Mechanical valves are the preferred prosthesis in AVR below 70 years	G. Reyes Copa (Madrid)
	Biological valves are the preferred prosthesis in AVR below 70 years	J. Takkenberg (Rotterdam)
	Aortic valve reconstruction in 2020	H. Reichenspurner (Hamburg)
19:00	End of session	

Tuesday, March 10

Morning Session Pediatrics 3 and 4

9:00	Session Pediatrics 3: Aortic Valve	M. Kostolny / M. Fritz
	KEYNOTE LECTURE: When and how to intervene a congenital aortic valve stenosis	I. Michel-Behnke (Vienna)
	Aortic valve reconstruction	B. Asfour (Bonn)
	Results of the OZAKI procedure in pediatric patients	M. Kostolny (London)
	Pediatric aortic valve replacement with decellularized aortic homografts	A. Horke (Hannover)
10:30	Break	
11:00	Session Pediatrics 4: Aortic Arch and Valve	A. Rüffer / R. Geiger
	KEYNOTE LECTURE: Aortic arch surgery in pediatric patients	A. Rüffer (Hamburg)
	Pediatric Ross Operation - Single Center 30 years experience	D. Zimpfer (Vienna)
	Transcatheter treatment of congenital aortic arch lesions	P. Ewert (Munich)
12:30	Lunch break	



SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM



Tuesday, March 10

13:30	Afternoon Workshop 2: The OZAKI Procedure	M. Krane (Munich)
15:00	Break	
The Tricuspid Valve And Atrial Pathology		
15:30	Session A: Tricuspid Valve Disease	J. Takkenberg / TBD
	Echocardiographic assessment of the tricuspid valve	R. Rosenhek (Vienna)
	KEYNOTE LECTURE: Tricuspid valve surgery in 2020	G. Dreyfus (Paris)
	Novel approaches to functional tricuspid incompetence	M. Russo (Rome)
17:00	Break	
17:30	Session B: Atrial Problems	G. Dreyfus / TBD
	Catheter Ablation for paroxysmal atrial fibrillation	D. Scheer (Graz)
	Perioperative atrial fibrillation	M. Ehrlich (Vienna)
	KEYNOTE LECTURE: Surgical ablation of atrial fibrillation: state of the art	S. Benussi (Brescia)
	Surgical occlusion of the LAA	T. Fischlein (Nuremberg)
19:00	End of session	