

# AGENDA

## NAVIGATING THE MAZE

TECHNIQUES AND OUTCOMES OF ATRIAL FIBRILLATION  
SURGERY XV EDITION

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### THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 12

Time	Agenda Item	Location
1600-1900	Name badges available	Olivia Balmes Hotel Reception
1830-1930	Welcome Refreshment	Olivia Balmes Hotel Rooftop Terrace
1900-1915	Transfer to Faculty Dinner <i>(AtriCure faculty only)</i>	Olivia Balmes Hotel Reception
1915-2230	Faculty Dinner	
2230-2245	Transfer to hotel	

### FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 13

Time	Agenda Item	Speaker	Location
0800-0815	Register/sign in		Hospital Clinic
0815-0830	Introduction to NtM2019	M. Stiges M. Castella	Clinic Auditorium
<b>0830-1030</b>	<b>Session 1: Electrophysiological mechanisms in AF</b> <b>Moderators – L.Boersma, M. Castella</b>		<b>Clinic Auditorium</b>
0830-0900	Atrial anatomy	A. Cook	
0900-0920	Atrial function and dysfunction	M. Castella	
0920-0940	Pathophysiology of Atrial Fibrillation	S. Ahsan	
0940-1000	MRI for atrial fibrillation decision-making	L. Mont	
1000-1030	Updated outcomes in catheter ablation	L. Boersma	
1030-1100	<i>Networking Coffee Break</i>		Clinic Foyer

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### Session 2: Ablation in non-concomitant AF Clinic Auditorium

#### 1100-1300 Moderators – L. Mont, B. van Putte

1100-1130	Updated outcomes in thoracoscopic ablation	S. Benussi
1130-1200	Updated outcomes hybrid ablation based centers	B. Maesen
1200-1230	Multidisciplinary AF Heart Team implementation	L. Boersma
1230-1315	Symptomatic stand-alone AF: State of the art	J. Cox
1315-1400	<i>Networking Lunch</i>	Clinic Foyer

### Session 3: Videos in stand-alone AF Ablation Clinic Auditorium

#### 1400-1600 Moderators – S. Benussi, J. Cox

1400-1425	Thoracoscopic bipolar RF ablation	B. van Putte
1425-1450	Hybrid thoracoscopic/ catheter ablation with versapolar Fusion RF	M. Dalrymple-Hay
1450-1510	Hybrid bipolar RF ablation	M. La Meir
1510-1535	Hybrid monopolar RF ablation N-Contact	S. Ahsan
1535-1600	How to manage complications in thoracoscopic surgery	M. La Meir

### Session 4: Left Atrial appendage management Clinic Auditorium

#### 1600-1700 Moderators – M. Castella, M. Dalrymple-Hay

1600-1630	Evidence of LAA occlusion in the NOAC era	D. Kotecha
1630-1700	Surgical closure of LAA. Technique and results	T. Hanke
1700-1745	The fun to fly and operate safely: Air Safety regulations in the OR	Iberia Captain P. Iglesias
1745-1900	<i>Free Time</i>	
1915-1930	Transfer to group dinner	Hotel Receptions

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1930-2230	Dinner	Can Travi Nou Restaurant Carrer de Jorge Manrique, BCN
2230-2245	Transfer to hotel	

## SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 14

Time	Agenda Item	Speaker	Location
<b>Session 5: Concomitant AF Surgery</b>			<b>Clinic Auditorium</b>
<b>0830-1030 Moderators – J. Cox, M. Castella</b>			
0830-0900	Latest results in concomitant AF Surgery	T. Weimar	
0900-0930	AF ablation in special cases	E. Quintana	
0930-1000	How to avoid complications in AF ablation	M. Castella	
1000-1030	Postoperative management- Postop AF	T. Hanke	
1030-1130	<i>Networking Brunch</i>		Clinic Foyer
<b>Session 6: Videos Concomitant AF Surgery</b>			<b>Clinic Auditorium</b>
<b>1130-1230 Moderators – E. Quintana, T. Hanke</b>			
1130-1200	Maze procedure through sternotomy	M. Castella	
1200-1230	Maze procedure through port-access	D. Pereda	
1230-1315	<b>James Cox's Lecture:</b> Why AF Intervention is so confusing	J. Cox	
1315-1330	<b>Main Conclusions of this year's edition</b>	M. Castella	
1330	Adjourn		