II BALTIC HEART FAILURE MEETING / CONGRESS OF LATVIAN SOCIETY OF CARDIOLOGY

OCTOBER 1, 2010

8:00 – 11:00  Registration

9.00 – 9.10  Opening of II Baltic Heart Failure Meeting and Congress of Latvian Society of Cardiology

9.15 – 10.50  I Session  Heart failure: new challenges and pitfalls
9.30 – 9.50  Heart failure clinics: a strategy for success (T. Uuetoa, EE)
10.10 – 10.30  From bench side to heart failure registry (G. Kamzola, LV)
10.30 – 10.50  Coffee break

10.50 – 12.40  II Session  The advanced therapeutical approach to heart failure
10.50 – 11.10  Adapting pharmacotherapy of heart failure in comorbidities (P. Pöder, EE)
11.10 – 11.30  Heart failure treatment from perspective of interventional cardiologist (L. Narbute, LV)
11.30 – 11.50  Management of high risk patients with severe aortic stenosis and low ejection fraction (A. Rudzitis, LV)
11.50 – 12.10  Surgical options in the treatment of heart failure (prof. R. Benetis, LT)
12.10 – 12.30  The management of perioperative period for patients with severe heart failure (L. Jankauskiene, LT)
12.30 – 13.30  Lunch

13.30 – 15.10  III Session  Arrhythmias and devices for heart failure
13.50 – 14.10  Atrial fibrillation and device therapy for heart failure (P. Shipachovs, LV)
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14.10 – 14.30 Ventricular arrhythmias and heart failure with low ejection fraction (Prof. A. Aidietis, LT)

14.30 – 14.50 The optimal CRT: from patient selection to follow up (H. Uuetoa, EE)

14.50 – 15.10 Assessment of patients with ventricular assist devices (Prof. K. Ručinskas, LT)

15.10 – 15.30 Coffee break

15.30 – 17.30 IV Session of Latvian Society of Cardiology