

A light blue silhouette of a human heart, showing the ventricles and major vessels, positioned behind the main title.

# CHIRP

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5<sup>th</sup> edition

COMPLEX AND HIGH-RISK INDICATED PROCEDURES

**SCIENTIFIC  
PROGRAM**



## Scientific Program

**FRIDAY, 15.03.2024**

**08.30-10.50 Session 1 – Left Main Session**

*Left main stenting: is it a different animal?*

**08.30 Welcome message**

**08.40 Absolutely LIVE session – Which left main goes to surgery in 2024?**

*Session Coordinator:* Stanislaw Bartus

*Panel Experts:* Joao Silveira, Mohaned Egred, Marin Postu, Lucian Calmac, Alexandru Achim

*Provoker:* Jurij Avramovic

**Go live:**  **LIVE CASE** from National Taiwan University Hospital, Taipei TW 

Hsien-Li Kao & Ying-Hsien Chen

 **LIVE CASE** from Ares Hospital, Cluj-Napoca, Romania 

Zoltan Ruzsa & Stefan Mot

 **The Battle:** Everyone can do a Left Main vs. Not everyone should do a Left Main

Jurij Avramovic vs. Stanislaw Bartus

### Clinical cases

*Case #1 – Alin Bian: “The provisional ‘philosophy’ in a tricky tandem bifurcation”*

*Case #2 – Aly Tohami: “LM STEMI, enemy at the gates”*

*Discussion*

**10.50-11.10**  **Coffee break**

**11.10-13.30 Session 2 – CHIP Session 1: The bad and the ugly**

*Special guest operator upon the lands of Moldova*  

**11.10 Absolutely LIVE session – CHIP with and without MCS**

*Session Coordinator:* Daniel Weilemann

*Panel Experts:* Gabriele Gasparini, Damiano Regazzoli, Aurel Toma, Dan Deleanu, Mihai Ursu

*Provoker:* Stefan Harb

**Go live:**  **LIVE CASE** from Herzzentrum Lahr, Lahr, Germany 

Kambis Mashayekhi & Myron Zaczekiewicz

 **LIVE CASE** from Novamed Hospital, Chisinau, Moldova 

*Special Guest Operator*, Ion Popovici, Dumitru Tarita

 **The Battle:** CHIP is all about mechanical support vs. MCS is highly debatable in CHIP

Gabriele Gasparini vs. Elliott Smith

### Clinical cases

*Case #1* – Matteo Maurina: “LAD-CTO recanalization, Complex anatomy, Reduced LVEF”

*Case #2* – Dan Prunea: “Complex LM with several challenges”

Discussion

13.30-14.30  Lunch

14.30-16.40 Session 3 – It’s time for CTO

*Symptoms only, or more? How to balance the “complex”: from pills to epicardial PCI*

14.30 **Absolutely LIVE session** – The eyes of the expert

*Session Coordinator:* Mauro Carlino

*Panel Experts:* Imre Ungi, Bernardo Cortese, Michail Koutouzis, Alexandru Achim,  
Lucian Predescu

*Provokers:* Mihajlo Kovacic

**Go live:**  **LIVE CASE** from Timone Hospital, Marseille University, France 

Alexandre Avran & Pierre Deharo

 **LIVE CASE** from CC Iliescu Hospital, Bucharest, Romania 

Mohaned Egred, Andras Katona, Adrian Bucsa

 **Keynote Lecture:** The way to do complex

Emmanouil Brilakis (*online*)

### Clinical cases

*Case #1* – Marc Madalin: “A Headstrong patient”

*Case #2* – Giuseppe Colletti: “Ostial RCA CTO, the importance of co-axiality”

Discussion

16.40-17.00  Coffee break



## 17.00-19.20 Session 4 – CHIP Session 2: The marathon *The Transatlantic Session*

**17.00 Absolutely LIVE session** – Show me your best, show me your worse

*Session Coordinator:* Elliott Smith

*Panel Experts:* Dan Ioanes, Maksymilian Opolski, Peep Laanmeets, Nino Cocco, Iulian Calin

*Provokers:* Claudiu Ungureanu

**Go live:**  **LIVE CASE** from UPMC Heart and Vascular Institute, Pittsburgh, USA 


Catalin Toma & Jeffrey Fowler

 **LIVE CASE** from Sahlgrenska University Hospital, Göteborg, Sweden 

Truls Råmunddal & Oskar Angerås

 **LIVE CASE** from McGill University Health Centre, Montreal, Canada 

Elvin Kedhi, Sonny Dandona, Elie Akl

 **The Battle: Complete revascularization in CHIP vs. Prognostic vessel-only in CHIP**  
Maksymilian Opolski vs. Claudiu Ungureanu

### Clinical cases

*Case #1* – Francesco Maria Cogliani: “Impella protected Rota-PCI”

*Case #2* – Dan Pascut: “Ablating bad decisions”

*Discussion*

19.20-19.30 – Closing day 1

20.00- ∞ – Speakers’ networking

**SATURDAY, 16.03.2024**

**09.00-10.30 Session 5: My CHIP case** 🦋

*Panel:* Imre Ungi, Mauro Carlino, Daniel Weilenmann, Sergey Furkalo, Risto Jussila, Rodica Niculescu, Lucian Zarma, Ayman Elkahlout

Case #1 – Calin Homorodean: “A low “J-CTO Score” LAD occlusion – Harder than expected”

Case #2 – Tudor Cocoi: “CTO, CTO and CTO’s”

Case #3 – Judit Andreka: “Looking is not enough you also need to see”

Case #4 – Razvan Constantin Serban: “An easy LAD CTO...or not”

Case #5 – Kornel Kakonyi: “Complex left main trifurcation PCI in acute coronary syndrome”

Case #6 – Flavius Alexandru Gherasie: “Buddy wire stent anchor technique to the rescue”

Case #7 – Iulian Calin: “No easy decision in CHIP cases”

Case #8 – Andras Mester: “Over the hills and far away...”

**10.30-11.15 Symposium Terumo Interventional Systems**

**Ultimaster Nagomi™: The latest generation of the Ultimaster™ DES family**  
Vjekoslav Radeljić

**First experience with Ultimaster Nagomi Stent**  
Mihai Ursu – Head of Cathlab – Spitalul Sf. Constantin Brasov

**Nagomi stent în Left Main lesion**  
Marin Postu – IUBCV Prof. Dr. C.C. Iliescu Bucharest

**11.15-11.45** ☕ **Coffee break**

**11.45-14.00 – Session 6: DCB State-of-the-art Session**

*A joint session with the DCB Academy*

**11.45 Absolutely LIVE session – DCB: Proof of concept**

*Session Coordinator:* Florim Cuculi

*Panel Experts:* Zoltan Ruzsa, Jozica Sikic, Marin Postu, Stefan Mot, Mihai Cocoi

*Provoker:* Gregor Leibundgut

**Go live:** 📺 **LIVE CASE** from CC Iliescu Hospital, Bucharest, Romania 🇷🇴

Bernardo Cortese & Dan Deleanu

📺 **LIVE CASE** from Oradea County Hospital, Oradea, Romania 🇷🇴

Mihnea Nichita-Brendea, Ferenc Győry, Tibor Szűk



 **LIVE CASE** from North Karelia Central Hospital - Joensuu, Finland 


Tuomas Rissanen & Antti Eranti

 **The Battle: DCBs in de novo lesions: You can do it vs. It's not the time yet**  
Florim Cuculi vs. Gregor Leibundgut

### Case presentation

Case #1 – Matteo Maurina: “Nothing left behind”

Case #2 – Florin Ipate: “Two vessels, two techniques”

14.00-14.40  Lunch

14.40-16.00 **My complication case** 

*Panel:* Stefan Harb, Florim Cuculi, Claudiu Ungureanu, Nicolae Florescu, Dan Olinic, Igor Nedelciuc, Pavel Platon, Elvis Botu

Case #1 – Mihai Ober: “Natural or man-made?”

Case #2 – Silviu Dumitrascu: “A side branch that is hard to kill”

Case #3 – Alexandru Patrascu: “How to surgically defuse a ticking time bomb: a rare STEMI complication”

Case #4 – Sadeek Sidney Kanoun Schnur: “Triptych of interventions: Navigating a trilogy of complexities”

Case #5 – Anand Gnanaraj: “Catheter induced Left main to LAD spiral dissection”

Case #6 – Andrei Rosu: “From usual CTO to a nightmare, iatrogenic dissection of aorta”

16.00-16.15 **Closing ceremony**  
**Best 3 Cases Award**