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DAY 6 | MEETING ROOM A

14:00 | 14:30

Welcome address

14:30 | 16:00

Cancer Associated Thrombosis - I

- Cancer-associated thrombosis - epidemiology
Sérgio Barroso
- Cancer-associated thrombosis and thrombocytopenia - Therapeutic challenge | **Gregor Tratar**
- VTE and mortality in hematological malignancies
Ismail Elalamy
- Treatment of CAT: role of Factor XI inhibitors
Filipe Gonçalves

16:00 | 16:30

Coffee break and poster exhibition

16:30 | 18:00

Thrombophilias, genetic disorders

- Update on inherited thrombophilias | **Francisco Araújo**
- Acquired thrombophilias: the other side of the spectrum | **Carlos Vasconcelos**
- Coagulation and fertility: the role of thrombophilia
Filipa Bargado
- Can DOACs play a role in inherited thrombophilia?
Ileana Desormais
- Thrombophilia: from phenotype to genotype
Ismail Elalamy

18:00 | 18:30

Moderated Posters

DAY 6 | MEETING ROOM B

14:30 | 16:00

Mechanisms of thrombosis

- Visceral adiposity and increased thrombotic risk. Is the next therapeutic target? | **Teresa Padró**
- Platelets in thrombosis and inflammation following trauma injuries | **Ana Bronic**
- Clonal hematopoiesis and the risk of thrombosis
Elif G. Umit
- Innate immunity and neutrophil's role in atherothrombosis | **Dimitrios Sagris**

16:00 | 16:30

Coffee break and poster exhibition

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From lytics up to mechanical thrombectomy

- Mechanical thrombectomy vs catheter-directed thrombolysis for venous thromboembolism | **Silvio Leal**
- Modern treatment of pulmonary embolism in high risk patients | **Rita Calé**
- Thrombolysis in acute ischemic stroke. An update
Hrvoje Budincevic
- Mechanical thrombectomy with or without lytics in acute ischemic stroke | **Ângelo Carneiro**
- Composition of stroke thrombi | **Simon de Meyer**

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Moderated Posters

DAY 7 | MEETING ROOM A

09:00 | 10:00

Moderated posters

10:00 | 11:00

Joint Session EMLTD - Portuguese Association of Thrombosis and Haemostasis

Thrombotic diseases in child and young adults

- Pediatric thrombosis: Why, when | **Teresa Seivivas**
- Thrombosis in pediatric ICU patients | **Heleen van Ommen**
- Use of DOACs in pediatric patients | **Lidia Costa**
- Thromboprophylaxis in children with cancer
Nuno Farinha

11:00 | 11:30

Coffee break and poster exhibition

11:30 | 13:00

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Women, hormones and pregnancy

- Thrombosis in pregnancy: mechanisms and underlying risk factors | **Ana Luísa Areia**
- Thrombophilia testing and thromboprophylaxis in the obstetric setting | **Sofia Teixeira**
- Anticoagulation therapy in pregnancy. Managing risks
Diana Cibeles Gonçalves
- Hormone therapy and thrombosis | **Maria João Carvalho**

13:00 | 14:00

Lunch time and sponsored sessions

DAY 7 | MEETING ROOM A

14:00 | 14:30

Keynote lecture: Anticoagulation Stewardship – A Call to Action | Scott Kaatz

14:30 | 16:00

Cancer associated thrombosis - II

- Endothelial dysfunction in cancer | **Inês Guerra de Melo**
- Approach to tumoral thrombosis | **Joana Liz Pimenta**
- Cancer-associated thrombosis and immune checkpoint inhibitors: update | **Miguel Barbosa**
- Genetic markers of Cancer - associated thrombosis
Valéria Tavares
- Thrombotic risk versus haemorrhagic risk - strategies
Andrés Muñoz Martín

16:00 | 16:30

Coffee break and poster exhibition

16:30 | 17:30

Thrombotic risk in platelet disorders

- Immune thrombocytopenic purpura | **Eva Mingot**
- Rapid determination of ADAMTS13 – implication for the prompt diagnosis of TTP | **Désirée Coen Herak**
- Treatment options of immune and congenital TTP
Marijo Vodanović
- Platelet function testing: update and future directions

17:30

EMLDT - General Assembly

DAY 7 | MEETING ROOM B

10:00 | 11:00

Laboratory monitoring of haemostasis

- Inter-laboratory comparability of anti-Xa for measuring blood concentrations of oral anti-Xa inhibitors
Mojca Božič Mijovski
- Global coagulation assays: is there a role in thrombosis risk evaluation | **Klaus Gorlinger**
- Thrombin generation assay: from research to clinical use
Désirée Coen Herak
- Lupus Anticoagulant: a puzzling laboratory test
Vittorio Pengo

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Bleeding and hemorrhagic disorders

- Anemia and bleeding issues in women | **Lidia Costa**
- Novel treatments of bleeding disorders-are we increasing the risk of thrombosis? | **Gilli Kenet**
- Antithrombotic therapy in patients at high bleeding risk
Erik Grove
- High bleeding risk definition | **Moa Simonsson**

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Lunch time and sponsored sessions

DAY 7 | MEETING ROOM B

14:00 | 14:30

Keynote lecture: Cancer-associated thrombosis: pathophysiology complexity | Rui Medeiros

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News on antithrombotic therapy - I

- Factor XI inhibitors – premises, promises and challenges
Juan Tamargo
- Cardiogenic shock, a permanent challenge to antithrombotic therapy | **Jorge Ferreira**
- Perioperative management of anticoagulant and antiplatelet therapy | **Luciana Gonçalves**
- How to handle high bleeding risk patients in the cath lab
Andrea Rubboli

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Atrial fibrillation a good model to test antithrombotic strategies

- How to assess thromboembolic risk beyond classical risk scores? | **Ana Teresa Timóteo**
- Role of DOACs in patients with asymptomatic subclinical AF detected by device | **Daniel Caldeira**
- Antithrombotic treatment in ACS with coexisting atrial fibrillation | **Raffaele De Caterina**
- How to organize an integrative clinical patient care pathway | **José Ramon Juanatey**

DAY 8 | MEETING ROOM A

08:30 | 09:30

Oral Communications

09:30 | 10:00

Keynote lecture: Advances in cerebral venous thrombosis | Diana Aguiar de Sousa

10:00 | 11:00

DVT and pulmonary embolism

- Diagnosis and treatment of splanchnic vein thrombosis
Walter Ageno
- Prolonged treatment after VTE – which drugs to which patients? | **Joana Martins Pimenta**
- ACT for thrombosis of unusual sites - to DO(AC) or not to DO(AC) | **Omri Cohen**
- Thrombosis in multiple myeloma patients (use of PRISM SCORE) | **Anna Falanga**

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Coffee break and poster exhibition

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Joint Session EMLTD - Portuguese Society of Cardiology

Old and new issues in Thrombocardiology

- Which is the optimal duration of dual antiplatelet therapy after ACS | **João Morais**
- Clinical effects of twice - versus once-daily low-dose aspirin | **Bianca Rocca**
- Antithrombotic management after non-coronary interventions | **Eduardo Oliveira**
- Prosthetic heart valves. What changed in terms of thrombotic risk? | **Cristina Gavina**
- Antithrombotic drugs for ACS in women
Cláudia Moreira Jorge

DAY 8 | MEETING ROOM A

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Lunch time and sponsored sessions

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Keynote lecture: Obesity, inflammation and thrombosis | **Lina Badimon**

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News on antithrombotic therapy - II

- Novel antiplatelet and anticoagulant drugs under clinical development | **José Luis Ferreira**
- Is there still room for oral anticoagulants after ESUS in sinus rhythm? | **João Sargento Freitas**
- Aspirin for primary cardiovascular prevention. Is there still a role? | **Nikolaos Kakaletsis**
- Bentracimab significantly restored platelet function in patients taking Ticagrelor
- Antithrombotic strategies for patients with peripheral artery disease

16:00

Closing Session

DAY 8 | MEETING ROOM B

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Oral Communications

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- **Keynote lecture: Thrombosis, translational medicine and biomarkers research** | **Hugo ten Cate**

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Immunothrombosis: molecular aspects and perspectives for therapy

- Complement and coagulation. Strangers or partners in crime? | **Georgia Kaiafa**
- Trauma and sepsis induced coagulopathy | **Ana Bronic**
- How to balance bleeding and thrombosis in patients on LVAD | **Roberto Roncon**
- Anti PF4 antibodies: not only VITT and HIT | **Yves Gruel**

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Topics to think, topics to react

- Antiphospholipid syndrome. A continuous challenges to the clinicians | **Ester Ferreira**
- The role of NETs in atherothrombosis
Alexandros Tselepis
- D-dimer assay: over-testing in VTE?
Christos Savopoulos
- Hemostasis and anticoagulation in progression of kidney disease | **Joaquim Calado**

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DAY 8 | MEETING ROOM B

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Keynote lecture: Virus, vaccines and haemostasis: looking through the evidence | Yves Gruel

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The role of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and machine learning

- The AI co-pilot: a new ally against thrombotic diseases
Daniel Ferreira
- Applications of Artificial Intelligence in the context of Thromboembolism | **Tiago Taveira**
- AI in atrial fibrillation: from early detection to precision therapy | **Francisco Moscoso Costa**
- AI applied to the diagnosis of coronary artery disease
Miguel Nobre Menezes

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