

RETAC 2016

Our secret of longevity... Friendship...

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Thursday 24

8:45am - Noon. **“Atrial Fibrillation ablation: Enhancing pulmonary vein isolation”**

Chairs: Dr. Fermin Garcia – Chan-il Park

- 8:45am. Live case presentation (presented by Sant Pau’s EP fellows).
- 9:00am - 12:00pm. Live case: Catheter ablation using RHYTHMIA
- (Performed by Sant Pau’s staff: Dra Alonso-Dr Rodriguez - Dr Guerra).

During ongoing AFib ablation the following lectures will be held:

- 09:30am – 10:00am. Understanding the pulmonar vein anatomy to understand why we fail (Dr. Concepcion Alonso)
- 10:00am – 10:30am. How should we adapt cryo-ablation balloons to the pulmonary vein anatomy? (Dr. Serge Boveda).
- 10:30am – 11:00am. Opened Discussion (introduced by Dr Fermin Garcia)

11 – 11:30pm. Coffee break

11:30pm-13pm. **“Back to the RETAC roots”: Difficult cases and activity during our last year.**

Chairs: Dr Juli Martí-Almor, Dr. Enrique Rodriguez

Each RETAC center will have a 10-min presentation to disclose some difficult cases they confronted during the past year.

13:00- Lunch

2pm-2:30pm. Special session: **“Leadless pacing: where are we?”** (Dr Pascal Defaye). Moderated by Dr. Marc Zimmermann and Xavier Viñolas.

Each RETAC group will send 1-slide presentation on their experience in leadless pacing to be presented as introduction before Dr Defaye 20-min lecture on this topic.

Live Case. Leadless Implantation.

2:30pm-3pm: **Presentation of RETAC study’s preliminary results**

Drs Amir Jadidi and Victor Bazan

15:00pm – 17:00pm. **Administrative RETAC session** (chairs: Drs. Boveda and Viñolas)

Friday 25

8:45am - Noon. **“Catheter ablation of complex substrates”**

Chairs: Dr. Amir Jadidi

- 8:45am. Live case presentation (presented by Sant Pau’s fellows)
- 9:00am – Noon. Complex ablation using CARTO

(Performed by Dr E Rodriguez - Dra Alonso – Dr Guerra).

Noon - 1:30pm. **“Infrequent Ablations”**

Chair: Dr. Jose Guerra, Dr Thomas Arentz

- “Complex ablation in the setting of Congenital Heart Disease”. Dr. Combes, Toulouse.
- “Rationalizing Left Atrial Flutter ablation”. Dr. Fermin Garcia, Philadelphia.

1:30pm-2:00pm. **Conclusion remarks:** Dr. Serge Boveda and Dr. Xavier Viñolas