

Scientific Program

Day 1 | 16th January, 2020, Thursday

TIME	SESSION	SPEAKER
1400-1700	1. Workshop on Lasers in Haemorrhoids and Proctology	
1400-1500	a) Lasers in Haemorrhoids	
	i. Presentation	Dr Kushal Mittal
	ii. Office Procedures: IRC, Banding, Sclerotherapy	Dr Kushal Mittal
	iii. Laser Haemorrhoidoplasty	Dr Kamal Gupta
1500-1600	b) Symposium on Fistula in Ano	
	i. Managing Fistula under vision – VAAFT (Video Assisted Anal Fistula Treatment with Laser)	Dr Kushal Mittal
	ii. Laser in Fistula	Dr Kamal Gupta
	1. Fistula Laser Closure (FiLaC)	
	2. Distal Laser Proximal Ligation	
	3. Distal Laser Proximal SLOFT	
1600-1700	C) Symposium on Pilonidal Sinus	
	i. Laser Treatment (SiLat)	Dr Kamal Gupta
	ii. Video Assisted Laser Ablation	Dr Kushal Mittal
1400-1700	2. Workshop on Dialysis and Arterial Access	
	Faculty : Dr Tarun Grover, Dr Ravul Jindal, Dr R Sekhar, Dr Paresh Pai, Dr Virender Sheorain, Dr Sumit Kapadia	
	1. Pre emptive AVF	
	2. Venous Duplex Scan	
	3. Normal Anatomy and Physiology	
	4. Vein mapping	
	5. Post AVF/ Planning for Fistuloplasty	
	6. Assessment of CFO, Planning for Recanalisation	
	7. Prograde and Retrograde Permacath: How to do it	
	8. AVF: Step by Step	
	9. Basilic Vein Transposition	
	10. When to opt for AV Graft	
1730-1830	Executive Committee Meeting of Venous Association of India	
1930-2200	Welcome Dinner and Entertainment Program	

Day 2 | 17th January, 2020, Friday

TIME	SESSION	SPEAKER
0900-0910	Introduction and Commencement of Conference	Dr Shoaib F Padaria
0910-1030	Pulmonary Embolism Symposium	
	Chairman :	
0910-0920	Medical Treatment for Pulmonary Embolism: When, Why and for how Long?	Dr H S Bedi
0920-0930	Role of CT and MRI in Pulmonary Embolism	Dr Bhavin Jhankaria
0930-0940	Pharmaco-Mechanical Intervention for PE	Dr Tarun Grover
0940-0950	Role of Vena Cava Filters in PE: Current Indications	Prof M Rajkumar
0950-1000	Missing the VTE in hospitalised patients in Egypt Obvious?	Prof Emad Hussain
1000-1030	Discussions	
	Superficial Venous Disease - Session 1	
1035-1045	Superficial Vein Treatment: What we know and What we need to learn	Dr Nick Morrison
1045-1055	CrioLaser and CrioSclerotherapy (CLACS) with NdYag Microsecond Laser Microsclerotherapy	Dr Dmitry Rozukhowsky
1055-1105	Wavelengths, fibers or way of procedure performance for successful laser ablation? Lessons learnt from 15 years of experience	Dr Uldis Maurins
1105-1115	Superficial Reflux with Obstructed Veins When and when not to treat?	Dr Luc Moraglia
1115-1130	Discussion	
1130-1200	Tea Break and Visit to Exhibition	
1200-1230	VAI Oration	
1200-1205	Introduction of Dr Devendra Dekiwadia	
1205-1225	Oration	
1225-1230	Felicitatation of Dr Dekiwadia	
1230-1330	Sclerotherapy Symposium	
	Chairman :	
1230-1240	Guidelines and Consensus Document	Dr Juan Augustin Prieto
1240-1250	Microbubbles vs Macrobubbles: which one is better in small diameter Varices	Dr Pauline Raymond-Martinbau
1250-1300	Foam Sclerotherapy: Comparison with other methods of treatment	Dr Luc Moraglia
1300-1310	Foam- Production technique and Pitfalls	Dr Nick Morrison
1310-1320	Flouroscopy guided blocking of Saphenous Veins with Sclerotherapy – another point of view	Dr Louay Al Tarazi
1320-1330	Treatment of Hyperpigmentation after sclerotherapy. How to treat. A Dermatologists point of view	
1330-1430	Lunch Break and Visit to Exhibition	
1430-1600	Deep Vein Symposium - Session 1	
1430-1450	Role of Imaging in Iliac Vein Obstruction. Role of Duplex, CTV, Venogram and IVUs	Dr S Raju
1450-1500	Catheter Directed Thrombolysis for Ilio Femoral DVT: Determinants of outcome	Prof Emad Hussain
1500-1510	Venous Stenting in Post Thrombotic Syndrome/Compression Syndrome	Dr Suat Doganci
1510-1520	What do Physicians think of the ATTRACT Trial ?	Dr Alun Davies
1520-1530	Planning Deep Vein Reconstruction. What we should know	Dr Ahmed Gawish
1530-1540	Dedicated Venous Stents. How are they different?	
1540-1550	Iliac Vein Stenting. What is the evidence?	Dr Alun Davies
1550-1600	Discussion	
1600-1630	Tea Break	
1630-1640	Management of Chronic Venous Insufficiency. Much more than treating Varicosities	Dr N Rahul
1640-1650	Results of Retrospective study of neurological damage after Endovenous laser ablation	Dr Denis Borsuk

1650-1700	Score system for recurrence possibility after laser treatment for varicose veins	Dr Imre Bihari
1700-1710	Saphenous sparing innovations: the difference among the technique and the strategy	Dr Sergio Gianeseni
1710-1720	Management of Superficial Vein Thrombosis	Dr Malay Patel
1720-1730	How to print a 3D Model from an Angio CT	Prof J Uhl
1730-1740	Duration of Anti coagulation post DVT	Dr Vasudeva Rao
1740-1750	Thyroid Disease and Chronic Venous Insufficiency	Dr Shoaib Padaria
1750-1800	Endovenous Treatment of patients with Venous Malformation	Dr Manish Rawal
1800-1810	Long term results of preventive and veno preserving operations	Prof. Evgeny Shaydakov
1810-1820	High Intensity Focussed Ultrasound Therapy. New Kid on the Block	Prof Mark Whitely
1820-1830	CLACS How I do it	Dr Ravul Jindal
1830-1840	Discussion	
1830-1930	AGM - Venous Association of India	
2000-2230	Gala Dinner & Bollywood Dinner	

Day 3 | 18th January, 2020, Saturday

TIME	SESSION	SPEAKER
0830-1000	Symposium of Lymphedema	
0830-0900	Keynote Address	
	Chairs : Dr William Repicci, Dr Andrzej Szub, Dr Shashi Gogia	
	Andrzej Szuba as President International Society Lymphology - introduction to ISL as well as the term "Phlebo-Lymphology"	
	William Repecci as chairperson – Introduction to LE & RN and its activities followed by introduction of the keynote speaker "Lymphedema – we are no longer hopeless"	Prof Stanley Rockson
0900-1000	Lymphedema Session	
	Chair : Prof Stanley Rockson	
	Moderator : Dr Shashi Gogia	
	Pathophysiology and treatment approach	Dr Shashi Gogia
	Lymphoscintigraphy in Lymphedema	Dr Vikram Lele
	Pharmaco therapy in Lymphedema	Dr Andrzej Szuba
	Directions of future research	Dr Andrzej Szuba
	CDT	Dr Arun Rekha
	Water Aquatic Compression protocols for phlebo-lymphedema patients	Dr Sergio Gianeseni
	Question & Answer	
1030-1130	Superficial Venous Disease - Session 2	
1000-1010	The important factors to consider when formulating a treatment plan for your Varicose patients	Dr Mark Malouf
1010-1020	European College of Phlebology guidelines for truncal ablation – what is new?	Dr Kursat Bozkurt
1020-1030	Endovenous Laser Ablation with 1940 nm Laser and Radial Fibers – 2 years follow up.	Dr Uldis Maurins
1030-1040	Which veins will I not treat by NT- NT methods ? Limitations of current technology	Dr Nick Morrison
1040-1050	Do you really need to treat EHIT ?What is the evidence.	
1050-1100	Saphenous and non Saphenous ablation with Turkish Glue.	Dr Kursat Bozkurt
1100-1110	VeClose Five Year Follow up Study results	Dr Nick Morrison
1110-1120	MOCA – The Mexican Experience	Prof Javier Alfredo Serralde
1120-1130	Discussion	
1130-1200	Tea Break	

1200-1330	Symposium on Pelvic Congestion Syndrome	
1200-1210	UIP Consensus on Pelvic Congestion Syndrome	Dr Pier Luigi Antigliani
1210-1220	Pelvic vein disorders -when and how to diagnose? How to classify? When is it clinically important?	
1220-1230	Endovascular treatment options in Pelvic Venous Disorders	Dr Suat Doganci
1230-1240	PCS – Unknown aspects	Dr Louay Al Tarazi
1240-1250	Ovarian Vein Embolization. Step by Step	Dr R Sekhar
1250-1310	Long standing myths regarding venous hypertension in reflux and obstruction	Dr S Raju
1310-1330	Discussion	
1330-1430	Lunch Break	
1430-1600	Deep Venous Symposium - Session 2	
1430-1440	Deep Venous Recanalization: Tools and Approaches	Dr Vimal Someshwar
1440-1450	Importance of stent shape and area on clinical outcome after Ilio Femoral Venous Stenting	Dr Sriram Narayan
1450-1500	How to manage a thrombosed IVC filter	Dr Dheepak Selvaraj
1500-1510	Role of newer Thrombectomy devices in Massive DVT	
1510-1520	Predictors of Venous Stent Fractures	Dr Vijay Thakore
1520-1550	DEBATE: Iliac Vein Stenting in the context of Acute Ilio-Femoral DVT	
1530-1540	For the Motion	Dr Rashad Bishara
1540-1550	Against the Motion	Dr Rajeev Parakh
1550-1600	Discussion	
1600-1620	Tea Break	
1620-1800		
1630-1640	Management of Below Knee Venous Thrombosis after Foam Sclerotherapy	Dr Robbie George
1640-1650	Target specific Oral Anti Coagulants	Dr Sandeep Raj Pandey
1650-1700	Unwanted veins of the Forearm and hand – Treatment options	Dr Alexander Flor
1700-1710	Klippel Trenaunay Syndrome: Newer Treatment Options	Dr Nick Morrison
1710-1720	Latest RCT – Looking at adjuvant benefit of Graduated Compression stockings in VTE Prophylaxis	Dr Alun Davies
1720-1730	Comparison of Laser and Glue in Perforator Vein Treatment	Dr Imre Bihari
1730-1740	Venous Leg Ulcer Treatment- does pharmacotherapy matter?	Dr Sejal Shah
1740-1750	Update on Negative Wound pressure Therapy or venous leg ulcer	Dr Shantano Kumar Ghosh
1750-1800	20 years experience of Coumarin Bandage in treatment of Venous Ulcers	Dr Fernando Vega Rasgado
1800-1815	Discussion	
1815-1900	Valedictory Function and Presentation of Mementos to Past Presidents of VAI	
2000	Chairman's Dinner	

Day 4 | 19th January, 2020, Sunday

0800-0930	5 Km Dream Walk at Mumbai Marathon (Nariman Point, South Mumbai)	
1000-1700	Full Day CME Program on Venous Diseases for Family Physicians and Nurses at Hotel Lalit	
0900-1000	Registration & Tea/Snacks	
1000-1015	Introduction: Anatomy of veins of the legs	
1015-1030	Prevalence of Vein Diseases in India	
1030-1045	3D Anatomy of the Superficial and Deep Veins of the Legs	
1045-1100	What are Varicose Veins? How do they occur? How is severity graded?	
1100-1115	Role of Venous Ultrasound. How to perform. How to interpret?	
1115-1130	When in CT and MRI needed?	
1130-1145	Medical therapy for Varicose Veins	
1145-1215	Tea Break and Visit to Exhibition	
1215-1230	Thermal methods of treating Varicose Veins. Laser, Radiofrequency therapy and Steam	
1230-1245	Non Thermal methods of treating Varicose Veins	
1245-1300	Deep Vein Thrombosis. Causes, Clinical Presentation	
1300-1315	Medical Management of Deep Vein Thrombosis	
1315-1330	What is Superficial Venous Thrombosis. How to manage?	
1330-1345	Interventional Treatment of Deep Vein Thrombosis. When and how to perform	
1345-1400	Pulmonary Embolism. All you need to know	
1400-1445	Lunch and Visit to Exhibition	
1445-1500	Role of Compression stockings in venous disease. Which stocking to use and when	
1500-1515	Venous Ulcers. How to differentiate from other ulcers	
1515-1530	Topical treatment (Ointments/Lotions,etc) and dressings for Venous Ulcers	
1530-1545	4 layer Bandaging for venous ulcers. How to do it in your clinic	
1545-1600	Venous Ulcers: Role of Negative Pressure Therapy	
1600-1615	Newer Oral Anticoagulant drugs in DVT. How to use them in your daily practice	
1615-1630	Concluding remarks and Lucky Draw	
1630-1700	Evening Tea and Collection of Delegate Bag and CME Certificates	