

2020 Aortic Highlights of Cardiac Surgery



Virtual Symposium

December 10, 2020 – Start at 18.00 CET

Chairmen: *Marco Di Eusanio and Michael Borger*

18:00-18:03 Welcome by the chairmen



Session 1 Improving patients' outcomes in aortic valve disease

18:03-18:05 Introduction by the chairmen

18:05-18:15 Should we replace or repair the aortic root in severe destructive aortic valve endocarditis with paravalvular abscesses: Long term results *Can Gollmann-Tepeköylü, Austria*

18:15-18:25 Q&A and discussion *All*



Session 2 A deep-dive into Aortic Regurgitation and its treatment

18:25-18:30 Introduction by the chairmen

18:30-18:40 Should we operate asymptomatic aortic regurgitation patient earlier? *Jean-Louis Vanoverschelde, Belgium*

18:40-18:50 How to repair a regurgitant bicuspid aortic valve and when to replace the aortic root? *Michael Borger, Germany*

18:50-19:05 Q&A and discussion *All*



Session 3 Evidence decision-making for Patients

19:05-19:10 Introduction by the chairmen

19:10-19:20 The role of new bioprostheses in the young patient population *Bart Meuris, Belgium*

19:20-19:30 Propensity matched long-term analysis of mechanical versus stentless Aortic Valve Replacement ≤ 60 years *Torsten Christ, Germany*

19:30-19:40 Sutureless versus rapid deployment aortic valve replacement: results from the Sutureless and Rapid Deployment International Registry *Paolo Berretta, Italy*

19:40-20:00 Q&A and discussion *All*

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