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HIGHLIGHTS OF THE 7TH WORLD SYMPOSIUM ON PULMONARY HYPERTENSION: AN INTERACTIVE BRAINSTORMING FOR NEW HORIZONS AND UNMET NEED

12-14 October 2024

CATANIA

Four Points by Sheraton Catania Hotel



12 OCTOBER 2024, SATURDAY (DAY 1)

09.00-09.15 WELCOME: AIMS AND SCOPE OF MEETING

Dr. Cihangir Kaymaz, Dr. Marc Humbert

09.15-10.15 INTERACTIVE SESSION 1: STATE-OF-THE-ART IN PH

Moderators: Dr. Cihangir Kaymaz, Dr. Joanna Pepke-Zaba

New perspectives for pathobiology of PH

Dr. Özlem Yıldırım Türk

09.30-09.45 Q&A

09.45-10.00 Repairing the right-ventricle – pulmonary arterial coupling:

Raising the bar in the PH treatment

Dr. Emrah Erdoğan, Dr. Marc Humbert

10.00-10.15 Q&A

10.15-10.30 Coffee Break

10.30-11.30 INTERACTIVE SESSION 2: IMAGING MODALITIES IN PH

Moderators: Dr. Ergun Barış Kaya, Dr. Joanna Pepke-Zaba

10.30-10.45 Novel echocardiographic predictors in PH

Dr. Nermin Bayar, Dr. Ümit Yaşar Sinan

10.45-11.00 Q&A

11.00-11.15 Multimodality Imaging in CTEPH

Dr. Hossein Ardeschir Ghofrani, Dr. Koray Hekimoğlu

11.15-11.30 Q&A

11.30-13.30 Lunch

13.30-14.30 INTERACTIVE SESSION 3: CASE PRESENTATIONS

Moderators: Dr. Mustafa Oğuz, Dr. Hossein Ardeschir Ghofrani

13.30-13.45 Case 1 *Dr. Necip Ermiş*

13.45-14.00 Case 2 *Dr. Emrah Erdoğan*

14.00-14.15 Case 3 *Dr. Joanna Pepke-Zaba*

14.15-14.30 Case 4 *Dr. Ümit Yaşar Sinan*

13 OCTOBER 2024, SUNDAY (DAY 2)

09.15-10.15 INTERACTIVE SESSION 4: CURRENT RISK-BASED MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES IN PH

Moderators: Dr. Cihangir Kaymaz, Dr. Marc Humbert

09.15-09.30 Risk assessment algorithms in PH

Dr. Mehmet Kaplan

09.30-09.45 Q&A

09.45-10.00 Evidence-based treatment algorithms in PAH

Dr. Mustafa Oğuz, Dr. Joanna Pepke-Zaba

10.00-10.15 Q&A

10.15-10.30 Coffee Break

10.30-12.00 INTERACTIVE SESSION 5: CURRENT RISK-BASED TREATMENT ALGORITHMS IN OTHER PH GROUPS

Moderators: Dr. Yusuf Karavelioğlu, Dr. Gabor Kovacs

10.30-10.45 Group 2 PH versus PAH with –co-morbidity?

Dr. Özlem Yıldırım Türk

10.45-11.00 Q&A

11.00-11.15 Hopes and unmet needs in Group III PH

Dr. Necip Ermiş

11.15-11.30 Q&A

11.30-11.45 The importance of managing allergic rhinitis and asthma symptoms in PAH patients

Dr. Sevinç Sarınc

11.45-12.00 Q&A

12.00-13.30 Lunch

13.30-14.30 INTERACTIVE SESSION 6: CASE PRESENTATIONS

Moderators: Dr. Özlem Yıldırım Türk, Dr. Joanna Pepke-Zaba

13.30-13.45 Case 1 *Dr. Hossein Ardeschir Ghofrani*

13.45-14.00 Case 2 *Dr. Gabor Kovacs*

14.00-14.15 Case 3 *Dr. Mehmet Kaplan*

14.15-14.30 Case 4 *Dr. Marc Humbert*

14 OCTOBER 2024, MONDAY (DAY 3)

09.00-10.00 **PANEL DISCUSSION**
Emerging strategies and projections for future ultradisciplinary collaborations

Moderators: Dr. Cihangir Kaymaz, Dr. Gabor Kovacs

10.00-10.15 **Coffee Break**

10.15-10.30 **Take-home messages**
Dr. Cihangir Kaymaz, Dr. Marc Humbert

