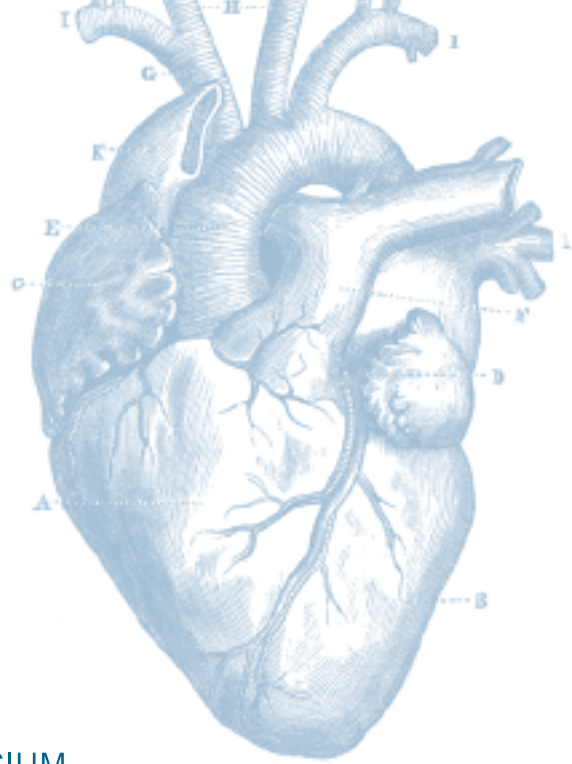


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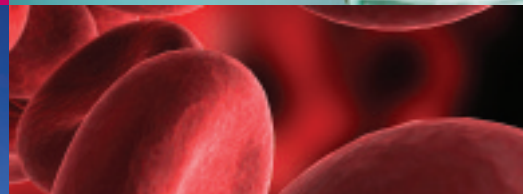
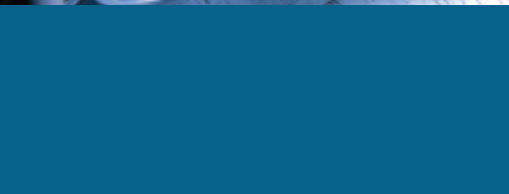
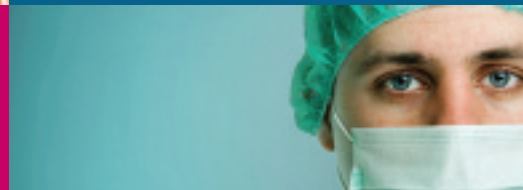
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PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

FRIDAY 23 APRIL 2010

- 2:00pm - 3:00pm Registration and refreshments
- 3:00pm - 3:30pm Welcome - Dr Vincent Maher, Executive Chairman of MAJORS
- 3:30pm - 4:15pm **MAJORS 1: CARDIOLOGY**
UPDATE ON HEART DISEASE REVERSAL THROUGH HDL MANIPULATION
Presented by Prof B Greg Brown, Seattle, USA
- 4:15pm - 4:45pm Coffee break
- 4:45pm - 5:30pm **MAJORS 2: ENDOCRINOLOGY**
ENDOTHELIAL DYSFUNCTION AND PROGENITOR CELL IN DIABETES:
ROLE IN THE ATHEROTHROMBOTIC PROCESS
Presented by Prof Gian Paolo Fadini, Padua, Italy
- 5:30pm - 6:00pm DEBATE IN ENDOCRINOLOGY
Chaired by Prof Donal O'Shea and Prof Alberto Zambon
- 6:00pm End of sessions

SATURDAY 24 APRIL 2010

- 9:30am - 10:15am **MAJORS 3: CARDIOLOGY**
CORONARY ATHEROSCLEROSIS: CURRENT IMAGING MODALITY
Presented by Prof Pim de Feyter, Rotterdam, Netherlands
- 10:15am - 10:45am Coffee break
- 10:45am - 11:30am **MAJORS 4: ENDOCRINOLOGY**
EMERGING CONCEPTS ON CARDIOVASCULAR RISK IN TYPE 2 DIABETES
Presented by Prof Alan Chait, Seattle, USA
- 11:30am - 12:15pm DEBATE IN CARDIOLOGY
Chaired by Dr Vincent Maher and Prof Claudio Borghi
- 12:30pm - 2:00pm Lunch break
- 2:00pm - 3:30pm YOUNG INVESTIGATOR AWARD
Presentation of awards in each specialty for each country
- 3:30pm Close of symposium

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