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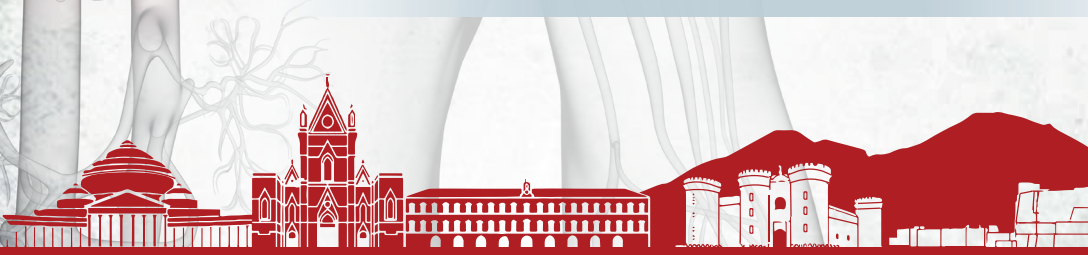
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INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM:

# FROM ARTERIAL HYPERTENSION TO HEART DISEASE

PROGRAM

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Hypertension Research Center, Federico II University, Naples

*As the ESC is going to work on the new Guidelines for arterial hypertension, this upgrade will be useful to focus on the major problems that need to be faced, concerning the impact on manifestations of cardiovascular disease and neglected problems, such as sex-difference. The Symposium is open to every physician, but is specifically oriented to increase the awareness of arterial hypertension in the cardiology community, according to the mission of the Council on Hypertension of the ESC.*

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## Thursday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017 - Afternoon

### Opening Ceremony

05:00 p.m.	Welcome, Opening Ceremony and introduction of the key-note lecture <b>Major of the City</b> <b>The Rector</b> <b>The President of the School of Medicine</b> <b>G. de Simone</b>
05:30 p.m.	Opening Lecture: <b>Bryan Williams, UK</b> World impact of arterial hypertension

## Friday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017 - Morning

### Session I - Natural history of arterial hypertension

Chairpersons: **G. Parati, B. Trimarco**

09:30 a.m.	<b>Thomas Kahan, SW</b> Pathophysiology of hemodynamic burden of arterial hypertension
09:50 a.m.	<b>Richard B. Devereux, USA</b> Early preclinical manifestations of cardiovascular impact
10:10 a.m.	<b>Jana Brguljan, SL</b> Atherosclerosis and progression of hypertension
10:30 a.m.	<b>Antonio Coca, E</b> Cerebrovascular impairment and cognitive dysfunction
10:50 a.m.	<b>DISCUSSION</b>
11:10 a.m.	<b>Coffee break</b>

### Session II - Hypertension-related origin of coronary heart disease

Chairpersons: **S. Taddei, E. Barbato**

11:30 a.m.	<b>Konstantinos Tsioufis, GR</b> Angina pectoris and other CHD manifestations in the hypertensive patient
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11:50 a.m.	<b>Philip Wenzel, D</b> Endothelial dysfunction
00:10 p.m.	<b>Thomas Lüscher, D</b> Dyslipidemia and arteriosclerosis
00:30 p.m.	<b>Franco Cappuccio, UK</b> The salt affair
00:50 p.m.	<b>DISCUSSION</b>
01:10 p.m.	<b>Lunch</b>

### Session III - Sex specificity and cardiovascular disease

Chairpersons: **N. De Luca, G. Schillaci**

02:30 p.m.	<b>Renata Cifkova, CR</b> Sex differences in arterial hypertension
02:50 p.m.	<b>Vera Regitz-Zatrosek, D</b> Sex differences in incidence and outcome of coronary heart disease
03:10 p.m.	<b>Eva Gerdts, NO</b> Obesity and metabolic syndrome
03:30 p.m.	<b>Saverio Stranges, CA</b> Is sex-difference real or due to co-factors?
03:50 p.m.	<b>DISCUSSION</b>
04:10 p.m.	<b>Coffee break</b>

### Session IV - Link among arterial hypertension, coronary heart disease and heart failure

Chairpersons: **G. Esposito, P. Verdecchia**

04:30 p.m.	<b>Kristian Wachtell, DK</b> Arterial Hypertension and atrial fibrillation
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04:50 p.m.	<b>Thierry Gillebert BE</b> The importance of preclinical left ventricular dysfunction
05:10 p.m.	<b>Ernesto Schiffrin, CA</b> Inflammation and immune system in the hypertensive injury
05:30 p.m.	<b>Otto Smiseth, NO</b> Mechanisms for HFpEF in arterial hypertension
05:50 p.m.	<b>DISCUSSION</b>

**Saturday, May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2016 - Morning**

**Session V - Therapy and prevention**

Chairpersons: **C. Borghi, M. Galderisi**

09:30 a.m.	<b>Daniel Levy, USA</b> Is the SPRINT trial dictating new rules?
09:50 a.m.	<b>Anthony Haegerty, UK</b> Should we treat earlier and lower?
10:10 a.m.	<b>Micheal Olsen DK</b> Biomarkers and risk stratification in cardiovascular prevention
10:30 a.m.	<b>Erwan Donal, FR</b> Can new imaging technology improve primary prevention and address therapy?
10:50 a.m.	<b>DISCUSSION</b>

**Closing Lecture**

11:10 a.m.	Introduction: <b>Pasquale Strazzullo</b>
11:15 a.m.	<b>Josè L. Zamorano, E</b> What Are the Crucial Differences in Hypertension Across the Atlantic?
11:45 a.m.	<b>General discussion</b>
00:15 p.m.	<b>Concluding remarks</b>
00:30 p.m.	<b>Lunch</b>



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