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ASIAN STROKE SUMMER SCHOOL 2024

11 - 14 JULY 2024

THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, INDIA

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WELCOME MESSAGE

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Welcomes You!!!

The Asian Stroke Summer School is a prestigious educational summit for stroke trainees throughout Asia organized by a team of expert stroke physicians and Interventionalists.

For the past 10 years, the European Stroke Winter School, endorsed by the ESO, ESNR and ESMINT has been held in Bern, Switzerland. Its approach is unique: Interventionalists and Neurologists from an existing or potential stroke treatment site apply together to attend the course and are trained together to go home and start or improve on their service. The course format has turned out to be a successful way to spark interest in providing comprehensive and Endovascular Stroke treatment services throughout Europe.

Due to limited capacity, we have had to reject half the applicants each year; A large number of whom are from Asia.. In close co-operation with Inselspital Bern, Switzerland an additional course dedicated especially for participants in Asia was started - The Asian Stroke Summer School 2022 in Thiruvananthapuram was very successful. In view of this and due to popular demand, the next edition will be held from 11-14 July 2024 at Thiruvananthapuram. This course is organized by University of Bern, Switzerland and the Comprehensive Stroke Care Program and Department of Imaging Sciences and Interventional Radiology, Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology, Thiruvananthapuram.

The program includes lectures given by an Asian and international faculty on stroke treatment as well as technical and clinical tutorials. A special focus will be put on communicating the technical skills of thrombectomy with hands-on sessions using silicon models and simulators. In addition, the course will pay particular attention to addressing the local challenges. These include building up large-scale regional and national stroke treatment networks and establishing a dedicated education program for complex clinical and interventional stroke treatment in Asia.

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4th ASIAN STROKE SUMMER SCHOOL, 2024

COURSE PROGRAM - 11th July 2024, Thursday

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TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
02:00 pm	Welcome of the Indian Stroke Association, WSO, WFITN, ESO,SVIN Overview and Keynote lectures	
02:30 pm	Global burden of stroke	Dr. Jeyaraj Pandian
02:55 pm	Evidence of stroke treatment 2024- EVT and IVT	Dr. Pooja Khatri
03:20 pm	Unanswered questions in acute stroke treatment 2024	Dr. Urs Fischer
03:45 pm	Q&A	
04:00 pm	Tea Break	•
	Stroke Management and Stroke Imaging	
05:00 pm	Organisation of a Stroke Center and stroke workflow	Dr. Thomas Meinel
05:25 pm	Acute Stroke imaging: what do we need for treatment decisions? (CT/MR)	Dr. Andrew Demchuck
05:50 pm	Perfusion imaging in patient selection for acute ischemic stroke	Dr. Bijoy K Menon
06:15 pm	Cone-beam Flat Panel imaging: New imaging capabilities in the angio suite	Dr. Eike Piechowiak
06:40 pm	Q&A	
COURSE PROGRAM - 12 th July 2024, Friday		
00:00 am	State of the Art: Thrombolysis	Du Dadrea Crivestava

08:00 am 08:25 am 08:50 am 09:15 am	State of the Art: Thrombolysis IVT:Indications and how to manage complications IVT in patients with preceding anticoagulation IVT prior, during or after EVT? Q&A	Dr. Padma Srivastava Dr. Thomas Meinel Dr. Jan Gralla
09:30 am	Tea Break	
10:00 am 10:25 am 10:50 am 11:15 am	State of the Art: Thrombectomy EVT: Techniques EVT: when to refuse a patient for EVT in LVO Hot topic: medium and distal vessel occlusion: how to treat? Q&A	Dr. Blaise Baxter Dr. Bijoy Menon Dr. Wim Van Zwam
11:30 am	Roads less travelled Cerebral venous thrombosis: Acute medical management, IVT & thrombectomy	Dr. Diana Aguiar de Sous

Dr. Craig Anderson

Dr. Girish Menon

Dr. Vinit Suri

Intracerebral hemorrhage: medical management

Ocular and spinal ischemia

Intracerebral hemorrhage: neurosurgical indications

11:55 am

12:20 pm

12:45 pm

01:10 pm

Q&A

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TIME	ТОРІС	SPEAKER
01:25 pm	Lunch Break	
02:30 pm - 04:00 pm	Afternoon: separate program for Neuro interventionists and neurologists Neuro interventionists and Neurologists Tutorials and Skills training - see specific topics on rota	Neuro interventionists and Neurologists Faculty
04:00 pm	Tea Break	
04:30 pm - 06:00 pm	Neuro interventionists and Neurologists Tutorials and Skills training - see specific topics on rota	Neuro interventionists and Neurologists Faculty
06:00 pm 07:00 pm	Inauguration	
	COURSE PROGRAM - 13th July 2024	1, Saturday
08:00 am 08:20 am 08:40 am 09:00 am 09:20 am 09:40 am	Difficult clinical settings I Treatment beyond guidelines: low NIHSS -IVT and EVT Late window patient selection - IVT Late window patient selection - EVT EVT in posterior circulation stroke EVT in venous pathologies Q&A	Dr. Pooja Khatri Dr. Diana Aguiar de Sous Dr. Jayadevan E R Dr. Aravind H R Dr. Eike Piechowiak
09:50 am	Tea Break	
10:20 am 10:40 am 11:00 am 11:20 am	Difficult clinical settings II How to avoid and treat complications during EVT and later Medical management for ICAD EVT in ICAD - Current strategies Q&A	Dr. Jan Gralla Dr. Aravind Sharma Dr. Anand Alurkar
11:30 am 11:50 am 12:10 pm 12:30 pm 12:50 pm 01:00 pm	Hot topics,case-based discussion Acute ischemic stroke with tandem occlusion Wake-up stroke Frail patients with multiple co morbidities and EVT Collaterals in the thrombectomy decision making Q&A TNK vs Alteplase in acute ischemic stroke	Dr. Gaurav Goel Dr. Sylaja P N Dr. Subhash Kaul Dr. Andrew Demchuk Dr. Bijoy K Menon
01:30 pm	Lunch Break	
02:30 pm - 04:00 pm	Afternoon: separate program for Neuro interventionists and neurologists Neuro interventionists and Neurologists	Neuro interventionists and Neurologists Faculty

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4th ASIAN STROKE SUMMER SCHOOL, 2024

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
04:00 pm	Tea Break	
04:30 pm - 06:00 pm	Neuro interventionists and Neurologists Tutorials and Skills training - see specific topics on rota	Neuro interventionists and Neurologists Faculty
COURSE PROGRAM - 14 th July 2024, Sunday		

	COURSE PROGRAM - 14 July 202	4, Junuay
TIME	ТОРІС	
	Challenges in acute stroke treatment (20 minute) 15 mts each session	
08:00 am	IVT in pediatric stroke	Dr. Vinayan K P
08:15 am	EVT in pediatric stroke	Dr. Vivek Nambia
08:30 am	CEA and CAS: when to use what for symptomatic carotid stenosis	Dr. Shivanesan
08:45 am	Asymptomatic carotid stenosis - When to intervene	Dr. Diana Aguiar de Sous
09:00 am	Q and A	
09:10 am	Moya Moya disease – Patient selection and revascularization strategies	Dr. Jayanand Sudhir
09:30 am	Periprocedural stroke management (anesthesia, blood pressure, etc.)	Dr. Manikandan S
09:50 am	Decompressive craniectomy - Indications - Practical aspects	Dr. Rohit Bhatia
10:10 am	Q&A	
10:20 am	Tea Break	
	Secondary prevention of stroke	
10:40 am	ESUS - Diagnosis and management	Dr. Andrew Demchuk
11:00 am	Antithrombotic treatment in management of ischemic stroke	Dr. Dheeraj Khurana
11:20 am	NOAC in cardioembolic stroke - Guidelines	Dr. Urs Fischer
11:40 am	Stuttering lacunar strokes and management	Dr. Sajith Sukumaran
12:00 pm	Recent advances in stroke rehabilitation	Dr. Nirmal Surya
12:20 pm	Small vessel disease - Treatment aspects	Dr. Sunil Narayan
12:40 pm	Q and A	
12:20 pm	Valedictory function	

REGISTRATION DETAILS

CATEGORY	EARLY BIRD (UPTO 31 01 2024)	REGULAR (UPTO 15/05/2024)
INDIAN DELEGATES	INR 9,440	INR 12,980
INTERNATIONAL DELEGATES	USD 300	USD 400

The registration amount includes entry to the scientific program & exhibition hall, meals during the conference, a complimentary kit bag and 18% GST

Note: No Late & Spot Registration



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