British Cardiovascular Society

Annual Conference & Exhibition 2010

Heart failure-related sessions

Manchester Central, Manchester
7–9 June 2010
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Monday 7 June

10.45–12.15, Marquee Room
Dilemmas in the management of patients with heart failure and atrial fibrillation
(Joint session BSH/HRUK)

13.30–15.00, Exchange Hall
“From the cell to the bedside”
A symposium in the memory of Philip Poole-Wilson
(BCS session)

13.30–15.00, Central 4
Cardiovascular guidelines: what's new, how should we implement?
(PCCS session)

Tuesday 8 June

08.30–10.00, Charter 3
Cancer and the heart
(Joint session BSH/BNCS)

13.30–15.00, Charter 3
The failing right heart
(Joint session BSE/BSH)

Wednesday 9 June

09.00–10.30, Exchange Hall
Recent advances in imaging for prognosis in heart failure
(BCS Imaging Council session)

Other sessions and poster presentations with a focus on heart failure taking place at this conference may also be of interest to you. Details can be found in the main BCS ACE programme.
Dilemmas in the management of patients with heart failure and atrial fibrillation

10.45–12.15, Marquee Room

Chairs: Paul Kalra (Portsmouth) / Edward Rowland (London)

Is diagnosis of the electrophysiological substrate important for optimal treatment of atrial fibrillation?
Maurits Allessie (Maastricht, Netherlands)

Medical management – what are the options?
Suzanna Hardman (London)

What to do when medicines fail: the role of devices and ablation
Gerhard Hindricks (Leipzig, Germany)

Special considerations in patients with congenital heart disease
Lorna Swan (London)
Monday 7 June

“From the cell to the bedside”
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Chairs: Keith Fox (Edinburgh) / Kim Fox (London)

Introduction
Kim Fox (London)

Cardiac myocytes and their role in heart failure
Sian Harding (London)

Cellular cardiac electrophysiology
Stuart Cobbe (Glasgow)

Neuro-endocrine system and the management of heart failure
Roberto Ferrari (Sydney, Australia)

Epidemiology of heart failure
Martin Cowie (London)
Cardiovascular guidelines: what's new, how should we implement?

13.30–15.00, Central 4

Chairs: James McLenachan (Leeds) / Jan Procter-King (Bradford)

Chest pain guidelines – what’s new?
Adam Timmis (London)

Chest pain guidelines – should we change current practice?
Kathryn Griffith (York)

Heart failure audit – what's new?
Theresa McDonagh (London)

Heart failure audit – how should we implement?
Ahmet Fuat (Darlington)
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Cancer and the heart

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Chairs: Catherine Dickinson (Leeds) / Theresa McDonagh (London)

Cardiac pathology and cancer
Mary Sheppard (London)

Chemotherapy and cardiac dysfunction and long term cardiac prognosis
Perry Elliott (London)

Monitoring patients during and subsequent to cancer chemotherapy
Mark Harbinson (Belfast)

Radiation and the heart
Martin Denvir (Edinburgh)
**The failing right heart**

**13.30–15.00, Charter 3**

Chairs: Suzanna Hardman (London) / Simon Ray (Manchester)

- **Anatomy of the RV**  
  Yen Ho (London)

- **Diastolic ventricular interaction**  
  Lynne Williams (Birmingham)

- **Competing modalities for assessment**  
  Richard Steeds (Birmingham)

- **Treating the failing RV**  
  Theresa McDonagh (London)

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**Recent advances in imaging for prognosis in heart failure**

**09.00–10.30, Exchange Hall**

Chairs: Rachael James (Brighton) / Navroz Masani (Cardiff)

- **The scale of the clinical problem**  
  Suzanna Hardman (London)

- **Recent advances in nuclear cardiology**  
  Simon Woldman (London)

- **What CMR has to offer**  
  Sanjay Prasad (London)

- **Role of 3-D echocardiography**  
  Mark Monaghan (London)
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