FRIDAY, 19 OCTOBER 2018

TIME	TOPICS	SPEAKER
	TRACK 1	
	CARDIOVASCULAR	
08:00 - 10:00	**THEME**	**ACUTE CORONARY SYNDROMES**
	Session Chair:	**Graham Cassel / Adriaan Snyders**
08:00 - 08:20	**Cardiac markers - diagnostic use and pitfalls**	**Valentin Kokorin**
08:20 - 08:40	Current Management of ACS: the updated guidelines	Sally Aman Nasution
08:40 - 09:00	Management in the acute phase of ACS: focus on NSTEMI and unstable angina	Graham Cassel
09:00 - 09:20	The medical management of stable angina pectoris	Clive Rosendorff
09:20 - 09:40	Interventional cardiology update for the general physician	Sajidah Khan
09:40 - 10:00	Vulnerable Patient – Vulnerable Plaque. The role of Cardiac CT	Daniel Friedman
10:00 - 10:30	**TEA BREAK**	
10:30 - 12:30	**THEME**	**THROMBOSIS**
	Session Chair:	**David Adler**
10:30 - 10:50	**Keynote lecture: The landmark trials that changed CVD**	**Salim Yusuf**
10:50 - 11:10	**Keynote lecture: The MARINER trial results**	**Alex Spyropoulos**
11:10 - 12:10	Debate: DOAC'S in special populations	Alex Spyropoulos, Menno Huisman, Piet Wessels (chair)
12:10 - 12:30	**DISCUSSION**	
12:30 - 14:00	**LUNCH**	
	MEET THE EXPERT: Theresa McDonagh: Practical tips and case discussions in the management of patients with heart failure	
14:00 - 15:30	POSTER SESSION & CONCURRENT WINNING ORAL ABSTRACT PRESENTATIONS	
15:30 - 16:00	**TEA BREAK**	
16:00 - 18:00	**THEME**	**CARDIOMYOPATHY**
	Session Chair:	**Mpiko Ntsekhe**
16:00 - 16:25	**Keynote Lecture: Dilated cardiomyopathy and heart failure: Strategies for management in 2018**	**Theresa McDonagh**
16:25 - 16:45	Cardiac imaging: options in 2018	Mpiko Ntsekhe
16:45 - 17:05	Management of arrhythmias in cardiomyopathy	Andrew Thornton
17:05 - 17:25	Cardiac MRI 101	Daniel Friedman
17:25 - 17:45	**Keynote Lecture: Diabetic Cardiomyopathy: New insights into an old disease**	**Robert J Chilton**
17:45 - 18:00	**DISCUSSION**	

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	TRACK 2	
	ENDOCRINOLOGY	
08:00 - 10:00	**THEME**	**EASD SYMPOSIUM**
	Session Chairs:	**Aslam Amod & Adri Kok**
08:00 - 08:30	Management of hyperglycaemia in type 2 diabetes: the 2018 ADA /EASD Consensus Report	Chantal Mathieu
08:30 - 09:00	The mechanisms behind and possibilities for preventing hypoglycaemia	Simon Heller
09:00 - 09:30	Diabetic Neuropathy/Foot 1	Solomon Tesfaye
09:30 - 10:00	How can Personalised diabetes care be achieved?	Martin Haluzik
10:00 - 10:30	**TEA BREAK**	
10:30 - 12:30	**THEME**	**EASD SYMPOSIUM**
	Session Chairs:	**Roger Chen & Chantal Mathieu**
10:15 - 10:45	Introducing and adjusting insulin therapy in type 2 diabetes patients	Thomas Pieber
10:45 - 11:15	Sudden death in young people with Type 1 diabetes	Simon Heller
11:15 - 11:45	Diabetic Neuropathy/Foot 2	Solomon Tesfaye
11:45 - 12:15	Depression and other psychological challenges in the patient with Diabetes	Roger Chen
12:15- 12:30	**DISCUSSION**	
12:30 - 14:00	**LUNCH**	
14:00 - 15:30	POSTER SESSIONS & CONCURRENT WINNING ORAL ABSTRACT PRESENTATIONS	
15:30 - 16:00	**TEA BREAK**	
16:00 - 18:00	**THEME**	**GENERAL ENDOCRINOLOGY**
	Session Chair:	**René Rodríguez-Gutiérrez & Ankia Coetzee**
16:00 - 16:30	Obesity update: when is it hormonal?	Martin Haluzik
16:30 - 17:00	Polycystic ovary syndrome: myths and facts	Aslam Amod
17:00 - 17:30	Diagnosis & Treatment of Hyperprolactinemia	Beverly MK Biller
17:30 - 18:00	An approach to management of thyroid nodules in 2018	Philip Berk
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	TRACK 3	
	NEUROLOGY/ GERIATRICS	
08:00 - 10:00	**THEME**	**INFECTIOUS DISEASE AND THE OLDER PERSON**
	Session Chair:	**Brent Tipping**
08:00 - 08:30	Vaccination schedules for the elderly: 2018 recommendations	Charles Feldman
08:30 - 09:00	Infectious diseases in the older person: C. diff, TB/MAC, shingles and multi-resistant organisms	Evan Shoul
09:00 - 09:30	Polypharmacy: the dangers in the elderly	Brent Tipping
09:30 - 10:00	Urinary tract infections in the elderly	Tony Korman
10:00 - 10:30	**TEA BREAK**	
10:30 - 12:30	**THEME**	**COMBINED SESSION (TRACK 3 & 8): OSTEOPOROSIS**
	Session chair:	**Stan Lipschitz**
10:30 - 10:50	Assessing fracture risk in osteoporosis	Michael Davey
10:50 - 11:10	An approach to osteoporosis management in 2018	David Kendler
11:10 - 11:30	Assessing the young patient with osteoporosis	Stan Lipschitz
11:30 - 11:50	Fracture liaison service	Zane Stevens
11:50 - 12:10	New therapies in the management of osteoporosis	Tobie de Villiers
12:10 - 12:30	**DISCUSSION**	
12:30 - 14:00	**LUNCH**	
14:00 - 15:30	POSTER SESSIONS & CONCURRENT WINNING ORAL ABSTRACT PRESENTATIONS	
15:30 - 16:00	**TEA BREAK**	
16:00 - 17:30	**THEME**	**MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS AND GULLAIN BARRE SYNDROME**
	Session Chair:	**Donovan Schultz**
16:30 - 16:30	The clinical course & new treatment options of MS	Dominic Giampaolo
16:30 - 17:00	update on Guillain Barre	Shaheed Gora
17:00 - 17:30	The role of in Neurology electrophysiology	Donovan Schultz
17:30 - 18:00	Exercise Associated Muscle Cramps	Martin Schwellnuss
	DISCUSSION	

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	TRACK 4	
	CRITICAL CARE / ANTIBIOTICS	
08:00 - 10:00	**THEME**	**SEDATION AND PAIN CONTROL**
	Session Chair:	**Dean Murfin**
08:00 - 08:20	**Keynote Lecture: Monitoring in the Critical Care setting**	**Jean-Louis Vincent**
08:20 - 08:40	An approach to the patient with delirium	Timothy Girard
08:40 - 09:00	Should benzodiazepines be abandoned in the ICU?	Michael Reade
09:00 - 09:20	Non-pharmacological measures	Daniel De Backer
09:20 - 09:40	Promoting sleep in critically ill patients: Can we do better than benzodiazepines?	Michael Reade
09:40 - 10:00	**DISCUSSION**	
10:00 - 10:30	**TEA BREAK**	
10:30 - 12:30	**THEME**	**ORGAN DYSFUNCTION**
	Session Chair:	**Flavia Machado & Mervyn Mer**
10:30 - 11:00	The Kidney: how do we avoid ATN, choice of CRRT	Mervyn Singer
11:00 - 11:30	How to protect the myocardium	Daniel de Backer
11:30 - 12:00	The Muscles and nutritional support	Jean-Louis Vincent
12:00 - 12:30	The Lungs: protective ventilation: how to	Luciano Gattinoni
12:30 - 14:00	**LUNCH**	
14:00 - 15:30	**THEME:**	**CRITICAL CARE TOPICS**
	Session Chair:	**Frederik Bester**
14:00 - 14:20	Ventilation 101	Luciano Gattinoni
14:20 - 14:40	Prevention of line sepsis	Guy Richards
14:40 - 15:00	Pain control in the critical care setting: a fine balance	Timothy Girard
15:00 - 15:20	Why are there no new antibiotics?	David Grolman
15:20 - 15:30	**DISCUSSION**	
15:30 - 16:00	**TEA BREAK**	
16:00 - 18:45	POSTER SESSIONS & CONCURRENT WINNING ORAL ABSTRACT PRESENTATIONS	
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	TRACK 5	
	NEPHROLOGY / HYPERTENSION	
08:00 - 10:00	**THEME**	**CHRONIC KIDNEY DISEASE**
	Session Chair:	**Richard Solomon**
08:00 - 08:30	The management of hypertension in patiens with coronary artery disease	**Clive Rosendorff**
08:30 09:00	TBC	**Macaulay Onuigbo**
09:00 - 09:30	Hypertension in chronic kidney disease	Brian Rayner
09:30 - 10:00	Evaluation of the living kidney donor	Graham Cassel
10:00 - 10:30	**TEA BREAK**	
10:30 - 12:30	**THEME**	**RENAL FAILURE: CLINICAL SETTINGS OF INTEREST**
	Session Chair:	**Macaulay Onuigbo**
10:30 - 11:00	Early detection of renal insufficiency	Virginia Hood
11:00 - 11:30	**Renal failure in patient with cardiac failure (cardio renal syndrome)**	**Clive Rosendorff**
11:30 - 12:00	The kidney in the elderly	Richard Solomon
12:00 - 12:30	Drug elimination and the failing kidney	Brian Rayner
12:30 - 14:00	**LUNCH**	
14:00 - 15:30	POSTER SESSIONS & CONCURRENT WINNING ORAL ABSTRACT PRESENTATIONS	
15:30 - 16:00	**TEA BREAK**	
16:00 - 18:00	**THEME**	**HAEMATOLOGY**
	Session Chair:	**Vernon Louw**
16:00 - 16:30	A practical diagnostic approach to lymphadenopathy	Katherine Antel
16:30 - 17:15	Iron metabolism: our understanding in 2018	Vernon Louw
17:15 - 18:00	Patient Blood Management (PBM)	Axel Hofmann
17:15 - 17:45	Update on HITT	Piet Wessels
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	TRACK 6	
	GASTROENTEROLOGY/ HEPATOLOGY	
08:00 - 10:00	**THEME**	**INFLAMMATORY BOWEL DISEASE**
	Session Chair:	**Klas Sjoberg**
08:00 - 08:20	Inflammatory bowel disease update	Barry Shmeizer
08:20 - 08:40	**Keynote lecture: Clostridium difficile 2018 update**	**Ala Sharara**
08:40 - 09:00	**Keynote lecture: when is it IBS , when is it IBD?**	**Daniel van Langenberg**
09:00 - 09:20		
09:20 - 09:40	**DISCUSSION**	
09:40 - 10:00		
10:00 - 10:30	**TEA BREAK**	
10:30 - 12:30	**THEME**	**THE PANCREAS**
	Session Chair:	**Jose Ramos**
10:30 - 10:50	Acute pancreatitis: Prognostic factors	Pere Gines
10:55 - 11:20	Pancreatic tumours	Jose Ramos
11:20 - 11:45	The gut microbiome and infections	Klas Sjoberg
11:45 - 12:10	**Biosimilar Infliximab use in IBD. The Australian experience**	**Daniel van Langenberg**
12:10 - 12:30	Management of pancreatitis	Mervyn Mer
	Keynote lecture: New approach to bowel preparation for colonoscopy in 2018	**Ala Sharara**
12:30 - 14:00	**LUNCH**	
14:00 - 15:30	POSTER SESSIONS & CONCURRENT WINNING ORAL ABSTRACT PRESENTATIONS	
15:30 - 16:00	**TEA BREAK**	
16:00 - 17:45	**THEME**	**TROPICAL DISEASES**
	Session Chair:	**Churchill Onen**
16:00 - 16:30	Arbovirus infections in Bangladesh and surrounding countries	Quazi Tarikul Islam
16:30 - 16:55	Zika and Chikungunya viral illness in the Caribbean	Claudia Arias
16:55 - 17:15	How do we address new epidemics for eg Plague (Madagascar) or the Haemorrhagic fevers?	Eftyxia Vardas
17:15 - 17:35	Multi-resistant organisms: the 2018 challenge	Adrian Brink
17:35 - 17:45	**END**	

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	TRACK 7	
	PULMONOLOGY/ RESPIRATORY	
08:00 - 10:00	**THEME**	**COPD**
	Session Chair:	**Charles Feldman & Guy Richards**
08:00 - 08:20	Gold guidelines & new management principles	Eric Bateman
08:20 - 08:40	Overlap syndrome	Umesh Lalloo
08:40 - 09:00	New biologics for treating airway disease	Paul O'Byrne
09:00 - 09:20	Hot topics in COPD	Peter Barnes
09:20 - 09:40	Non-tobacco related COPD in low income countries	Richard van Zyl-Smit
09:40 - 10:00	**DISCUSSION**	
10:00 - 10:30	**TEA BREAK**	
10:30 - 12:30	**THEME**	**INTERESTING PULMONARY ISSUES**
	Session Chair:	**Umesh Lalloo**
10:30 - 10:55	**Bronchiectasis and destructive lung conditions**	**John Kolbe**
10:55 - 11:20	Benchtop silicosis: An serious emerging pneumoconiosis	Anthony Frankel
11:20 - 11:45	Empyema and pleural effusions	Charles Feldman
11:45 - 12:10	An approach to Haemoptysis	TBC Keertan Dheda / Umesh Lalloo
12:10 - 12:30	**DISCUSSION**	
12:30 - 14:00	**LUNCH**	
14:00 - 15:30	POSTER SESSION & CONCURRENT WINNING ORAL ABSTRACT PRESENTATIONS	
15:30 - 16:00	**TEA BREAK**	
16:00 - 17:45	**THEME**	**VIROLOGY**
	Session Chair:	**Andrew Ramdass**
16:00 - 16:30	Vaccination to Control Ebola in 2018	Eftyxia Vardas
16:30 - 16:55	**Keynote Lecture: Elite Suppressors**	**Steven Miller**
16:55 - 17:15	Influenza: Antiviral therapy & Vaccination	Tony Korman
17:15 - 17:35	The use of Integrase Inhibitors in first-line regimens: a review	Steven Miller
17:35 - 17:45	**DISCUSSION**	
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	TRACK 8	
	RHEUMATOLOGY/PAIN/ IMMUNOLOGY	
08:00 09:00	**THEME**	**GOUT, RA AND ABSTRACT PRESENTATIONS**
	Session Chair:	**TBC**
08:00 - 08:30	**Keynote Lecture: Gout: the most common inflammatory disease**	**Brian Mandell**
08:30 - 09:00	Managing the patient with advanced rheumatoid arthritis	Eugene Kucharz
09:00 - 10:00	**THEME**	ORAL PRESENTATIONS: WINNING ABSTRACTS
09:00 - 09:20	**Session Chair:**	**TBC**
09:20 - 09:40	Rheumatology/Pain/Immunology research and interesting cases (10 mins per speaker - 8 mins and 2 mins for questions)	
09:40 - 10:00	**Questions and Answers**	
10:00 - 10:30	**TEA BREAK**	
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12:30 - 14:00	**LUNCH**	
14:00 - 15:30	POSTER SESSIONS CONCURRENT WINNING ORAL ABSTRACT PRESENTATIONS	
15:30 - 16:00	**TEA BREAK**	
16:00 - 18:00	**THEME**	**AUTOIMMUNITY AND THE CONNECTIVE TISSUE DISEASES**
	Session Chair:	**Rafique Moosa**
16:00 - 16:30	The connective tissue diseases: the great pretenders	Johann Kritzinger
16:30 - 17:00	An update on IgG 4 disease	Stanley Ress
17:00 - 17:30	SLE in 2018	Allan Tooke
17:30 - 18:00	Biologic therapies: friend or foe?	Helmuth Reuter
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	TRACK 9	
	MEDICAL EDUCATION ISIM/ ACP COMBINED SESSION	
08:00 - 10:00	**THEME**	**PANEL DISCUSSION: EDUCATING A GENERAL PHYSICIAN**
	Session Chair:	**John Kolbe Virgina Hood (ISIM EXCO)**
08:00 - 08:20	**Panel Discussion: Educating a general physician : should this be a sub-specialist qualification, what about a hospitalist?**	Alejandro Cárdenas Cejudo
08:20 - 08:40		Ann Maria Lopez (ACP President)
08:40 - 09:00		Eileen Barrett (SHM)
09:00 - 09:20		Phillip Masters (ACP governor)
09:20 - 09:40		Andy Parrish
09:40 - 10:00	**Questions and Answers**	
10:00 - 10:30	**TEA BREAK**	
10:30 - 12:30	**THEME**	**PREGNANCY**
	Session Chair:	**TBC**
10:30 - 10:50	Early foetal loss ; assessment of causes	Tobie de Villiers
10:50 - 11:10	Cardiac disease in pregnancy	Karen Sliwa
11:10 - 11:30	Connective tissue disease in pregnancy	Elsa van Duuren
11:30 - 11:50	Diabetes in pregnancy and GDM	Risto Kaaja
11:50 - 12:10	Post partum challenges: How imaging helps	Colleen Wilton
12:10 - 12:30	**DISCUSSION**	
12:30 - 14:00	**LUNCH**	
14:00 - 15:30	**THEME**	**PREGNANCY (CONTINUED)**
	Session Chair:	**Tobie de Villiers**
14:00 - 14:25	Pregnancy – a window to women's health	Risto Kaaja
14:25 - 14:50	VTE in pregnancy	Alex Spyropoulos
14:50 - 15:15	Thyroid and Pregnancy	Joel Dave
15:15 - 15:30	Imaging in the management of Incontinence	Colleen Wilton
15:30 - 16:00	**TEA BREAK**	
16:00 - 18:00	**THEME**	**PALLIATIVE CARE AND THE END-OF-LIFE DECISIONS**
	Session Chair:	**Colin Menezes**
16:00 - 16:20	Why you need a Palliative Care service in your hospital	John Turner
16:20- 16:40	Palliative Care in medical conditions	Clint Cupido
16:40 - 17:00	Symptom control in Palliative Care	Renee Krause
17:00 - 17:20	Breaking bad news	Brent Tipping
17:20 - 17:40	Serious illness conversations and advance care planning	Margie Venter
17:40 - 18:00	Palliative Care in emergency settings	Tom Crede
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