**EuReCa-M & EuDial Joint CME course 2024**

**15-16 March 2024, Thessaloniki, Greece**

1\(^{st}\) day, Friday 15th March 2024: Starting in the morning (from 8:00 to 13:00) with a light lunch and re-start in the afternoon (from 14:00 to 17:00)

2\(^{nd}\) day, Saturday 16th March 2024: Starting in the morning (from 8:30 to 13.00)

**PROGRAMME – TIME TABLE**

1\(^{st}\) day, 15th March 2024

8:00-8:15 Participants registration

8:15-8:30 Welcome - Introduction and rationale of the meeting.

Chair of EURECA-m Francesca Mallamaci (Italy)

Chair of EUDIAL Carlo Basile (Italy)

Local organizers Evangelia Ntounousi & Vassilios Liakopoulos (Greece)

1\(^{st}\) Session (8:30-10:00)

TITLE: Multifaceted aspects of CV risk in CKD

Moderators: Aikaterini Papagianni (Greece), Stylianos Panagoutsos (Greece)

8:30-9:00 Residual cardiovascular risk and inflammation in CKD. Charles Ferro (UK)

Discussant (5’) Smaragdi Marinaki (Greece)

9:00-9:30 Cardiovascular consequences of COVID 19 in CKD patients. Lucia Del Vecchio (Italy)

Discussant (5’) Sofia Lionaki (Greece)

9:30-10:00 Hemodialysis-induced cardiac stunning. Casper Franssen (The Netherlands)

Discussant (5’) Stefanos Roumeliotis (Greece)
Lecture

Moderators: Dimitrios Goumenos (Greece), Vassilios Liakopoulos (Greece)
10:00-10:30 Re-engineering the concept of cardio-renal syndrome. Carmine Zoccali (Italy)

10:45-11:00 Coffee break

2nd Session (11:00-13:00)

TITLE: Hypertension and CVD management in CKD and ESKD patients

Moderators: John Boletis (Greece), Dimitrios Petras (Greece)
11:00-11:30 Intradialytic hypertension: pathophysiology, treatment and its association with interdialytic BP load. Pantelis Sarafidis (Greece)

Discussant (5’) Foteini Iatridi (Greece)
11:30-12:00 Targeting nocturnal hypertension in CKD patients. Francesca Mallamaci (Italy)

Discussant (5’) Panagiotis Georgianos (Greece)
12:00-12:30 How to manage patients with heart failure and advanced CKD? From conservative treatment to kidney replacement therapy. Valerie Luyckx (Switzerland)

Discussant (5’) Georgios Spanos (Greece)
12:30-13:00 Major cardiovascular events and subsequent risk of kidney failure with replacement therapy. Patrick Mark (UK)

Discussant (5’) Myrto Giannopoulou (Greece)

13:00-14:00 Light Lunch
3rd Session (14:00-15:30)

TITLE: New and hot topics in Nephro-Cardiology I

Moderators: Francesca Mallamaci (Italy), Theodoros Eleftheriadis (Greece)

14:00-14:30 Is there a link between the immune system and cardiovascular correlates in CKD? Evangelia Ntounousi (Greece)
Discussant (5’) Anila Duni (Greece)

14:30-15:00 Cardiovascular diseases in CKD: exploring the bone – vascular link. Rukshana Shroff (UK)
Discussant (5’) Stefanos Roumeliotis (Greece)

15:00-15:30 Differences in male/female cognitive decline in CKD non Dialysis patients. Olga Balafa (Greece)
Discussant (5’) Chrisostomos Dimitriadis (Greece)

4th Session (15:30-17:00)

TITLE: New and hot topics in Nephro-Cardiology II

Moderators: José Manuel Valdivielso (Spain), Evangelos Papachristou (Greece)

15:30-16:00 Cardiac biomarkers in dialysis. Gaetano Alfano (Italy)
Discussant (5’) Maria Stangou

16:00-16:30 Genetic polymorphisms, CKD and cardiovascular disease. Anastasios Fountoglou (Greece)
Discussant (5’) Vasilios Vaios (Greece)

16:30-17:00 Clinical Trial emulation in CKD and dialysis patients. Vianda Stel (The Netherlands)
Discussant (5’) Evangelia Ntounousi (Greece)
2nd day, 16th March 2024

5th Session (8:30-10:00)

TITLE Open Q about the use of newer and classic pharmaceutical agents in the treatment of CKD and ESKD patients

Moderators: Ioannis Stefanidis (Greece), Carmine Zoccali (Italy)

8:30-9:00 SGLT2 inhibitors for non-diabetic CKD patients: a winning combination beyond glycemic control. B. Fernandez Fernandez (Spain)

Discussant (5’) Konstantina Kantartzi (Greece)

9:00-9:30 Intravenous iron therapy and the CV system: risks and benefits. José Manuel Valdivielso (Spain)

Discussant (5’) Eleni Stamellou (Greece)

9:30-10:00 Anticoagulation: Hemodialysis and heparins: still an unbreakable marriage? Björn Meijers (Belgium)

Discussant (5’) Kostas Leivaditis (Greece)

10:00-10:30 Coffee Break

6th Session (10:30-12:30)

TITLE Cardiovascular risk factors in the spectrum of CKD

Moderators: Carlo Basile (Italy), Vassilios Liakopoulos (Greece)

10:30-11:00 Setting the ideal dry-weight to the dialysis patient and its cardiovascular implications. Panagiotis Georgianos (Greece)

Discussant (5’) Anila Duni (Greece)
Novel echocardiographic parameters for the kidney patient.
Adrian Covic (Romania)
Discussant (5’) Vasilios Vaios (Greece)

Blood purification strategies in dialysis dependent heart failure.
Sandip Mitra (UK)
Discussant (5’) Konstantina Kantartzi (Greece)

Lipoprotein (a) in chronic kidney disease. Haralampos Milionis (Greece)
Discussant (5’) Georgios Spanos (Greece)

12:30-13:00 End of Meeting
F. Mallamaci, C. Basile, V. Liakopoulos, E. Ntounousi

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