

REGISTRATION

	Early registration till 30.09.2018	Normal and on-site registration after 30.09.2018
Registration fee	EUR 100 /person	EUR 135 /person
Registration of Residents, PhD-students and medical students	FREE	FREE
Lunch on Friday*	EUR 20 /person	EUR 20 /person

* Optional service

Registration fees include: name badge, access to all scientific programs of Congress, programbook, coffee and soft drink and VAT (27%).

ACCOMMODATION

Novotel Budapest Centrum (venue of the event) Rákóczi út 43-45, H-1088 Budapest, Hungary; www.novotel.hu	
Single room with breakfast	EUR 115 /room /night
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CENTRAL-EASTERN EUROPEAN MARFAN SYMPOSIUM

OCTOBER 26, 2018

NOVOTEL CENTRUM, BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

DEAR COLLEAGUES!

The Central-Eastern European Marfan Symposium organized by the Hungarian Marfan Foundation and the Heart and Vascular Center of Semmelweis University is going to be held on **26th October 2018**.

The aim of our event is to present the wide range of clinical aspects of Marfan syndrome and to demonstrate the most recent research findings of the field. Applying an interdisciplinary approach could enable us to provide the highest quality of care for our patients with diverse and complex clinical manifestations. In addition, the continuous improvement of our research activity could help us to boost their life quality. Reaching these goals requires various medical specialties to come together, to cooperate and to share their experiences with each other. This symposium is intended to provide a platform for this.

As suggested above, our target audience is diverse: cardiac surgeons, cardiologists, general practitioners, geneticists, pulmonologists, obstetricians, ophthalmologists and vascular surgeons. We also welcome everyone who is interested in any of the above mentioned specialties.

The official language of the symposium is English. Our presenters are from several European countries, and they are internationally recognized experts of their field. The duration of the presentations is 10-15-20 minutes followed by a 5 minute long discussion. The participants will learn about how the European Reference Network on Rare Multisystemic Vascular Diseases (VASCERN) and the Hungarian Marfan Foundation work. Lectures on the genetic background of Marfan syndrome and related disorders will be also held by leaders in the field.

Cardiac and vascular surgical aspects of aortic dissection, which is the most dangerous, life-threatening manifestation of the syndrome will also be discussed.

Further lectures will cover the most important prospects of the main clinical manifestations: cardiological follow-up, Marfan cardiomyopathy and arrhythmias, pulmonary deviations, pregnancy in Marfan syndrome, thoracic and paediatric surgical aspects, orthopedic and ophthalmological treatment options.

The lectures will be followed by a poster session.

The symposium is closed by a final test exam. A certificate is given to participants who pass the exam.

We hope that this symposium will reach its main goal, so that Marfan syndrome patients will be able to benefit as much as possible in the future from the thought-provoking lectures and open discussions.

Prof. Zoltán Szabolcs MD

PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

07:30 – 08:30	Registration
08:30 – 08:40	Opening of the symposium <i>Prof. Zoltán Szabolcs</i> , MD; Heart and Vascular Center, Semmelweis University, Budapest
08:40 – 09:00	(1) European Reference Network for Vascular Diseases (VASCERN) <i>Prof. Guillaume Jondeau</i> , MD; Director, Heart Failure Unit, Cardiology Department, Claude Bichat-Claude Bernard Hospital, Paris Director, Centre de référence sur le syndrome de Marfan et apparentés
09:00 – 09:25	(2) Basic characteristics of Marfan syndrome and introduction of the Hungarian Marfan Foundation <i>Kálmán Benke</i> , MD, PhD; Heart and Vascular Center, Semmelweis University, Budapest <i>Bence Ágg</i> , MD; Heart and Vascular Center, Semmelweis University, Budapest
09:25 – 09:55	(3) The genetics of Marfan syndrome and related disorders <i>Prof. Mária Judit Molnár</i> , MD; Institute of Genomic Medicine and Rare Disorders, Semmelweis University, Budapest
09:55 – 10:25	(4) Differential diagnostics of Marfan syndrome and other aortopathies with genetic background PD. <i>Mátyás Gábor</i> , MD; Center for Cardiovascular Genetics and Gene Diagnostics, Foundation for People with Rare Diseases, Zurich
10:25 – 10:55	Coffee break
10:55 – 11:15	(5) Cardiac and vascular surgical aspects of Marfan syndrome and related disorders <i>Prof. Zoltán Szabolcs</i> , MD; Heart and Vascular Center, Semmelweis University, Budapest
11:15 – 11:35	(6) A novel method for prophylactic aortic root surgery at Marfan patients: The Exovasc® Personalised external root support. Early experiences <i>Radka Kockova</i> MD, PhD; Institute for Clinical and Experimental Medicine, Cardiac Centre, Prague
11:35 – 12:00	(7) Cardiological observation and follow up of patients with Marfan syndrome <i>Elektra Bartha</i> , MD; Heart and Vascular Center, Semmelweis University, Budapest
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch
13:00 – 13:30	(8) Marfan cardiomyopathy <i>Prof. Julie De Backer</i> , MD; Centrum Medische Genetica, Gent
13:30 – 13:50	(9) Arrhythmias in Marfan syndrome <i>István Osztheimer</i> , MD, PhD; Heart and Vascular Center, Semmelweis University, Budapest
13:50 – 14:15	Short break

14:15 – 14:40	(10) Pulmonary manifestations in Marfan syndrome <i>Prof. Veronika Müller</i> , MD; Department of Pulmonology, Semmelweis University
14:40 – 15:10	(11) Pregnancy in Marfan syndrome <i>Prof. Jolien Roos-Hesselink</i> , MD; Erasmus MC, Rotterdam
15:10 – 15:50	Coffee break
15:50 – 16:15	(12) Thoracic and paediatric surgical aspects of Marfan syndrome <i>Attila Kálmán</i> , MD, PhD; I. Clinic of Paediatrics, Semmelweis University
16:15 – 16:45	(13) Orthopedic treatment of the spine manifestations of Marfan syndrome <i>Dezso Jeszenszky</i> MD, PhD; Schulthess Klinik, Spine Center, Zuerich, Switzerland
16:45 – 17:15	(14) Treatment of the ophthalmological manifestations of Marfan syndrome <i>Prof. Zoltán Zsolt Nagy</i> , MD; Department of Ophthalmology, Semmelweis University
17:20 - 18:20	Poster section
18:25 - 18:35	Closing Remarks

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