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# ISVD 2013

## International Venous Course

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### **PROGRAM**

# Friday September 20<sup>TH</sup>, 2013

## 9:00-9:05 Welcome

**Session 1** Moderators: *Franco Grego (Padova), Adriana Visonà (Castelfranco Veneto)*

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**9:05-9:15** Venous anatomy as applied in the clinical practice  
*Alberto Caggiati (Roma)*

**9:15-9:25** Explanation of the signs and symptoms in venous disease  
*Nicos Labropoulos (USA)*

**9:25-9:35** Use of IVUS and venography  
*Antonios Gasparis (USA)*

**9:35-9:45** Role of CTV and MRV imaging  
*Stefano Turchetta (MediClinic, Pozzonovo)*

**9:45-10:20** Discussion, clinical case presentation and live imaging  
*Alberto Caggiati (Roma), Nicos Labropoulos (USA)*

## 10:20-10:40 Coffee break

**Session 2** Moderators: *Leonardo Aluigi (Bologna), Fabio Verlato (Padova)*

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**10:40-10:50** New insights in vein thrombosis as related to treatment  
*Adriana Visonà (Castelfranco Veneto)*

**10:50-11:00** Best strategies for prevention of venous thrombosis  
*John Blebea (USA)*

**11:00-11:10** Management of superficial vein thrombosis  
*Gualtiero Palareti (Bologna)*

**11:10-11:20** What are the remaining controversies in the treatment of DVT?  
*Davide Imberti (Piacenza)*

**11:20-12:00** Discussion, clinical case presentation and live imaging  
*Leonardo Aluigi (Bologna), Nicos Labropoulos (USA), Fabio Verlato (Padova)*

**12:00-13:45 Live surgery (thermal, chemical, chemical-mechanical ablation)**

Moderators: *Franco Grego (Padova), Nicos Labropoulos (USA)*

Live surgery

*Steve Elias (USA), Antonios Gasparis (USA), Dimitrios Kontothanassis (MediClinic Pozzonovo)*

**13:45-15:00 Lunch**

**Session 3** Moderators: *Pier Luigi Antignani (Roma), Giuseppe Camporese (Padova)*

**15:00-15:10** Patterns of superficial vein reflux  
*Steve Elias (USA)*

**15:10-15:20** Recurrent vein reflux  
*Dimitrios Kontothanassis (MediClinic Pozzonovo)*

**15:20-15:30** Imaging of pelvic vein reflux  
*Antonios Gasparis (USA)*

**15:30-16:00** Discussion, clinical case presentation and live imaging  
*Steve Elias (USA), Nicos Labropoulos (USA)*

**16:00-16:20 Coffee break**

**16:20-17:00** Discussion, clinical case presentation and live imaging  
*Steve Elias (USA)*

**Workshops** Moderators: *John Blebea (USA), Steve Elias (USA), Antonios Gasparis (USA), Dimitrios Kontothanassis (MediClinic Pozzonovo), Nicos Labropoulos (USA)*

**17:00-18:30 Workshop 1:** US imaging and phantom US guided access

**17:00-18:30 Workshop 2:** thermal and non thermal ablation techniques

**17:00-18:30 Workshop 3:** wound care

**17:00-18:30 Workshop 4:** cosmetic treatment of the small veins

# Saturday September 21<sup>ST</sup>, 2013

## **Session 4** Moderators: *John Blebea (USA), Nicos Labropoulos (USA)*

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- 9:00-9:10** Inflammation in venous disease  
*Nicos Labropoulos (USA)*
- 9:10-9:20** Role of venotonic drugs in venous disease  
*Giuseppe Camporese (Padova)*
- 9:20-9:30** Use of compression in chronic venous disease  
*Dimitrios Kontothanassis (MediClinic Pozzonovo)*
- 9:30-9:40** Differential diagnosis of the swollen lower extremity  
*John Blebea (USA)*
- 9:40-9:50** Treatment of lymphedema  
*Pier Luigi Antignani (Roma)*
- 9:50-10:00** Impact of local ulcer care  
*John Blebea (USA)*
- 10:00-11:00** Discussion, clinical case presentation and live imaging  
*John Blebea (USA), Nicos Labropoulos (USA)*
- 11:00-11:20** **Coffee break**

## **Session 5** Moderators: *Pier Luigi Antignani (Roma), Giuseppe Camporese (Padova)*

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- 11:20-11:30** How thrombophilia testing should be used?  
*Paolo Simioni (Padova)*
- 11:30-11:40** Role of compression on the management of venous thrombosis  
*Nicos Labropoulos (USA)*
- 11:40-11:50** Management of venous thrombosis in pregnancy  
*John Blebea (USA)*
- 11:50-12:00** Optimal duration of anticoagulation when treating venous thrombosis?  
*Paolo Simioni (Padova)*
- 12:00-12:10** Use of new oral anticoagulants for treating deep vein thrombosis  
*Giuseppe Camporese (Padova)*

**12:10-12:20** Pharmacomechanical thrombolysis  
*Antonios Gasparis (USA)*

**12:20-13:00** Discussion, clinical case presentation and live imaging  
*Giuseppe Camporese (Padova), Nicos Labropoulos (USA)*

**13:00-14:00** **Lunch**

**Session 6** Moderators: *Leonardo Aluigi (Bologna), Antonios Gasparis (USA)*

**14:00-14:10** How to treat reticular and spider veins  
*Steve Elias (USA)*

**14:10-14:20** Management of combined superficial and deep vein disease  
*Antonios Gasparis (USA)*

**14:20-14:30** Non-thermal saphenous vein ablation  
*Steve Elias (USA)*

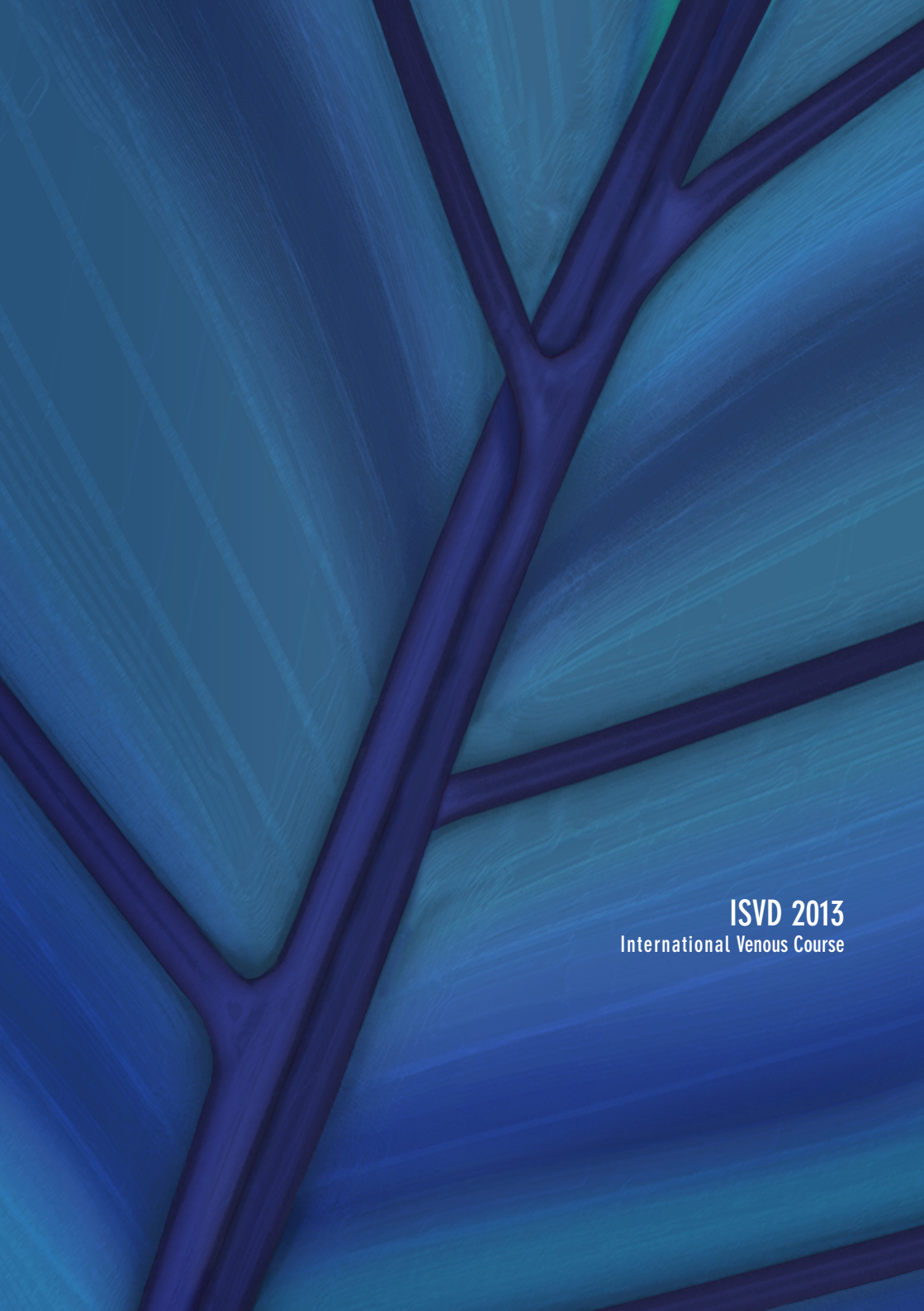
**14:30-14:40** Treatment of venous malformations  
*Stefano Turchetta (MediClinic Pozzonovo)*

**14:40-15:20** Discussion, clinical case presentation and live imaging  
*Antonios Gasparis (USA), Nicos Labropoulos (USA)*

**Workshops for nurses** Moderators: *Claudia Rebagliati (Padova), Ornella Scarpazza (Padova), Chiara Tonello (Padova)*

**15.30-17:00** **Workshop 1:** wound care and compression

**15:30-17:00** **Workshop 2:** Lymphedema (presso therapy, vodder, kneipp, vascular exercise)



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