

**5th International Symposium on State-of-the-Art  
Imaging  
San Domenico Palace Hotel, Taormina, Italy  
July 16-18, 2009**

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## PROGRAM DRAFT

**Wednesday,  
July 15, 2009  
7:30pm**

Welcome Reception for Registrants and Guests

**Thursday,  
July 16, 2009**

**Session 1**

**Moderator:**

**MSK, Abdominal and Pediatric Imaging  
Gary M. Glazer, M.D.**

9-9:05AM Welcome and Course Introduction, Maximillian Reiser, M.D.  
9:05-9:35 Setting the stage for bringing Molecular Medicine to Radiology, Gary M. Glazer, M.D.  
9:35-10:05 Imaging of pancreatic cancer, Juergen Wilmann, M.D.  
10:05-10:35 Imaging the cirrhotic liver, Giuseppe Brancatelli, M.D.  
10:35-10:45 Questions and Answers  
10:45-11:00AM Coffee Break  
11-11:30 Diagnosis of benign and malignant neoplasms of the pancreas, Karin Herrmann, M.D.  
11:30-12 Imaging of cystic pancreatic lesions and neuroendocrine tumors, Juergen Wilmann, M.D.  
12-12:30 Imaging of inflammatory bowel disease in children. How? Annick Devos M.D.  
12:30-1PM Imaging in benign and malignant bone tumors, Maximillian Reiser, M.D.  
1-1:15PM Questions and Answers  
1:15-2:15PM Lunch - included

**Moderator:**

**Maximillian Reiser, M.D.**

2:15-2:45 MDCT and MRI in Crohn's disease : technique and diagnostic findings, Massimo Galia, M.D.  
2:45-3:15 Diseases originating or involving the peritoneum, Karin Herrmann, M.D.  
3:15-3:45 Imaging the child with hematuria, Annick Devos M.D.  
3:45-4:00 Pm Questions and Answers

**Friday,  
July 17, 2009**

**Session 2**

**Moderator:**

**Chest and Cardiovascular Imaging  
Gabriel Krestin, M.D.**

9:00-9:30 What's new in CT coronary angiography? Gabriel P. Krestin, M.D.  
9:30-10:00 Plaque imaging- is it ready for use in radiological practice? Konstantin Nikolaou, M.D.  
10:00-10:30 Impact and outlook of coronary atherosclerotic plaque imaging with multislice CT : A new standard may be on the horizon, Ludovico La Grutta, M.D.  
10:30-10:45 Questions and Answers  
10:45-11:00AM Coffee Break  
11-11:30 NSF (Nephrogenic systemic fibrosis) real or imaginary, Robert J. Herfkens, M.D.  
11:30-12 MR- angiography: state of the art and future directions, Konstantin Nikolaou, M.D.  
12-12:30 Cardiac CT: Non-coronary Applications, Geoffrey D. Rubin, M.D.  
12:30-1PM Role of MRI in ischemic heart disease, Robert J. Herfkens, M.D.  
1-1:15PM Questions and Answers  
1:15-2:15PM Lunch – included

**Friday July  
17<sup>th</sup> Cont.**

- 2:15-2:45 Pulmonary embolism update: Optimization examination technique and interpretation  
Ieneke J.C. Hartmann M.D., Ph.D.
- 2:45-3:15 3-D Analysis: Methods, Tools, and Workflow, Geoffrey D. Rubin, M.D.
- 3:15-3:45 HRCT of diffuse lung diseases: A practical approach, Ieneke J.C. Hartmann M.D., Ph.D.
- 3:45-4:00 PM Questions and Answers

**Saturday,  
July 18, 2009**

**Session 3**

**Moderator:**

**Interventional and Neuro Imaging**

**Massimo Midiri, M.D.**

- 9:00-9:30 Diagnosis and interventional treatment of abdominal and thoracic aortic aneurysms  
Markus Treitl, M.D.
- 9:30-10:00 Endovascular Management of PE, Lawrence "Rusty" Hofmann, M.D.
- 10:00-10:30 Imaging and neurovascular intervention in acute stroke, Marion Smits, M.D.,Ph.D.
- 10:30-10:45 Questions and Answers
- 10:45-11:00AM Coffee Break
- 11-11:30 Advances in the interventional treatment of POAD, Markus Treitl, M.D.
- 11:30-12 Endovascular Venous Reconstruction for Chronic DVT, Lawrence "Rusty" Hofmann, M.D.
- 12-12:30 Evidence-based imaging management of neurotrauma, Marion Smits, M.D.,Ph.D.
- 12:30-12:45PM Questions and Answers