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The leitmotiv of the course is to stimulate the collaboration between intensive care cardiologists and interventional cardiologists using Impella assist devices. During the course the participants will get practical insight in the positioning and removal of the devices, but more importantly, will learn the continuous management of patients assisted by Impella. The initial settings, the monitoring of a correct device function in the ICU, weaning of the devices, and eventual step-up strategies will be explained. Frontal lectures and clinical cases prepared by different centers will allow the participants to increase their theoretical and practical knowledge of ventricular assistance. Furthermore, the ongoing Protect 4 and STEMI DTU (Door To Unloading) will be presented and discussed.

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ASSIST & PROTECT PROGRAM

13.30 - 14.00 Welcome lunch

14.00 - 14.15 Opening and rationale
G.L. Gasparini, J.A. Oreglia,
D. Regazzoli, B. Reimers

PROTECTED PCI

14.15 - 14.30 **Lecture:** Impella for protected PCI:
literature and positioning procedure
Giuseppe Ferrante

14.30 - 14.45 **Clinical Case 1:** Positioning and PCI
Damiano Regazzoli

14.45 - 15.00 **Lecture:** Impella removal protocol
and procedure in Cathlab
Francesco Soriano

15.00 - 15.15 **Clinical Case 2:** Impella removal
in Cathlab
Stefano Nava

15.15 - 15.30 Discussion

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CARDIOGENIC SHOCK

IMPELLA MONITORING AND MANAGEMENT IN ICU

15.30 - 15.45 **Lecture:** Daily monitoring in ICU
Letizia Bertoldi

15.45 - 16.00 **Clinical case 3:** Daily monitoring in ICU
Martina Briani

16.00 - 16:15 **Lecture:** Management of device-related
complications: vascular complications,
haemolysis and bleeding
Luisa Cacciavillani

16.15 - 16.30 **Clinical case 4:** Device-related
complications management
TBD

16.30 - 16.45 Coffee break

16.45 - 17.10 **Round table:** Anticoagulation
strategies in different centres: Alessandria,
Humanitas, Niguarda, Padova, San Raffaele
Moderator: Elena Corrada

WEANING FROM IMPELLA

17.10 - 17.25 **Lecture:** Weaning phase: cardioactive
therapy management ad Impella removal
Alice Sacco

17.25 - 17.40 **Clinical Case 5:** Weaning and Impella
removal in ICU
Luca Villanova

17.40 - 17.50 Discussion

ESCALATION AND DE-ESCALATION STRATEGIES

17.50 - 18.05 **Lecture:** Escalation, de-escalation
and long-term strategies
Federico Pappalardo

18.05 - 18.20 **Clinical Case 6:** Escalation/de-escalation
Federico Pappalardo

18.20 - 18.30 Discussion

18.30 - 18.45 **Lecture:** Future perspectives and ongoing
RCTs (Protect IV & DTU-STEMI trials)
Alaide Chieffo

18.45 - 19.00 Closure - All

19.30 Aperitif

20.00 Dinner

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