

2nd European Transoesophageal Echocardiography Course on Congenital Heart Disease

London, 19-20 February 2015

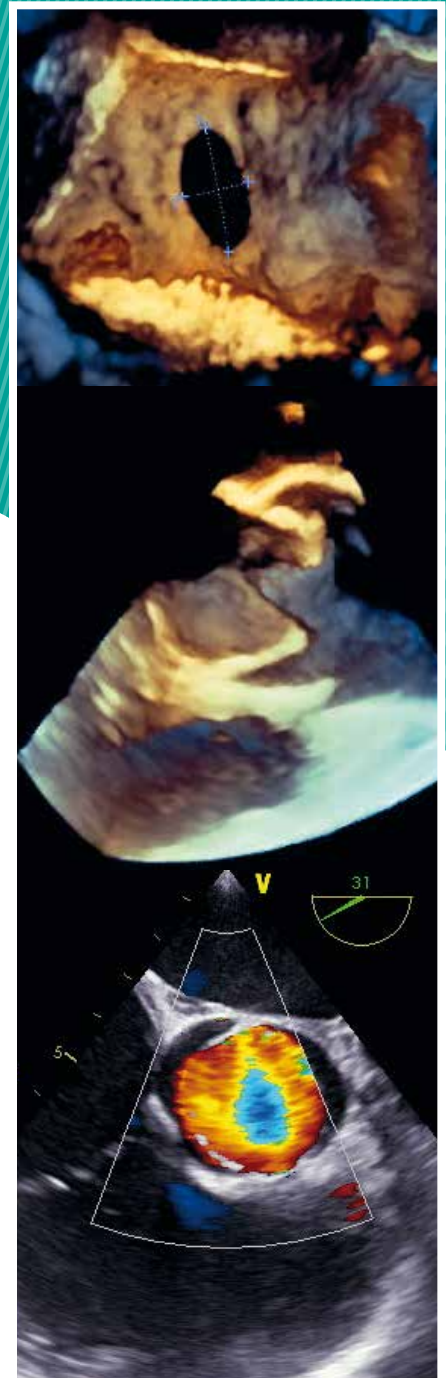
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What is this course about?

This is the world's second dedicated course on transoesophageal echocardiography (TOE) in congenital heart disease providing the participant with the essential theoretical basics, morphological aspects of common lesions in congenital heart disease as well as practical aspects of TOE in children and adults with congenital heart disease. The two-day course will provide hands-on TOE simulator experience with particular focus on congenital lesions frequently encountered in clinical practice. All practical sessions will be directly supervised by experienced TOE operators in this field. This course is an ideal complementation to the popular "European Echocardiography Course on Congenital Heart Disease". For more information and online registration go to www.echocardiography-course.com.



What will you learn?

- By the end of this course participants will have a good understanding of the physics involved in transoesophageal echocardiography (TOE) and understand indications and limitations of TOE in children and adults with congenital heart disease
- Participants will have learnt about the challenges in imaging complex patients through case-based discussions with experts in the field and will have gained further insight into TOE guided device closures of congenital heart disease during live case discussions.
- Delegates will gain confidence in operating TOE probes safely and succinctly under expert supervision using hands-on TOE simulator training sessions, which will prepare them for the clinical use of TOE in children and adults with congenital heart disease.



Fees:

Early Bird:

£480 (expires on 19/12/2014)

Standard:

£550 (after 19/12/2014)

Course organisation:

Dr Henning Clausen (London)

Course directors:

Professor Jan Marek (London),

Dr Folkert Meijboom (Utrecht)

& Professor Luc Mertens (Toronto)

Accreditation from EBAC European Board for Accreditation in Cardiology has been applied for.

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DAY 1: Thursday 19th February 2015

- 08:30 *Registration & coffee*
- 09:00 Welcome and introduction
Henning Clausen, London
- 09:10 Segmental approach to congenitally malformed hearts: inside cardiac structures from outside the body
Andrew Cook, London
- 09:40 Learning TOE on congenital heart disease: structured approach & training with quality improvement in mind.
Henning Clausen, London
- 10:00 Advantages and limitations of TOE in patients with congenital heart disease
Luc Mertens, Toronto
- 10:30 Intraoperative TOE assessment of cardiac function in patients with congenital heart disease
Sue Wright, London
- 11:00 Discussion
- 11:15 *Coffee break*
- 11:45 Demonstration of cardiac morphology: ASD, VSD, and AVSD
Andrew Cook, London
- 12:15 TOE assessment of ASD and suitability for device closure
Jim Newton, Oxford
- 12:45 TOE assessment in VSD & AVSD
Jan Marek, London
- 13:15 TOE evaluation of results in adults with congenital heart disease
Folkert Meijboom, Utrecht
- 13:45 Discussion
- 14:00 *Lunch break*
- 14:45 – 17:45
Workshop
TOE simulator training supervised by faculty Course Directors and GOSH team available for Q&A
- 18:00 – 20:00
Evening reception

DAY 2: Friday 20th February 2015

- 08:00 *Welcome with tea & coffee*
- 08:30 Demonstration of complex cardiac morphology with outflow tract obstruction and functionally univentricular heart
Andrew Cook, London
- 09:15 TOE assessment of left ventricular outflow tract obstruction
Jan Marek, London
- 09:45 TOE assessment of right outflow tract incl. complex congenital heart disease
Luc Mertens, Toronto
- 10:15 TOE assessment of patients following Fontan operation
Folkert Meijboom, Utrecht
- 10:45 Discussion
- 11:00 *Coffee & tea break*
- 11:30 'Expert tips & tricks': Panel of experts discussing challenging congenital heart disease TOE cases with delegates
Jan Marek, Folkert Meijboom and Luc Mertens
- 13:00 *Lunch break*
- 13:45 – 16:45
Workshop
TOE simulator training supervised by faculty Course Directors and GOSH team available for Q&A
- 16:45 – 17:00
Course feedback & outlook for the future
Jan Marek, Folkert Meijboom and Luc Mertens

This course is a new edition to the European Echocardiography Course programme:
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