

Surgery/podiatry	
Vascular surgery	
Prevention	
Infection	
Psychology	
Basic science	

TUESDAY MAY 21

19.00 - 21.00	Reception
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WEDNESDAY MAY 22

08.30 - 10.00	PLENARY SESSION 1 - Opening Lecture
08.30 - 09.00	How Do I Cope With a Recurrent Foot Ulcer? A Patient's Story <i>Introduction by Chair Prof. Nicolaas Schaper, Maastricht University Medical Center, Maastricht, The Netherlands</i>
09.00 - 09.30	New Trends in Diabetic Foot Ulcer Research: From Biology to Psychology <i>Prof. Andrew Boulton, University of Manchester, Manchester Royal Infirmary, Manchester, United Kingdom</i> <i>Dr. Loretta Vileikyte, University of Manchester, Manchester, United Kingdom</i>
09.30 - 10.00	Prevention of Diabetic Foot Ulcers: Guidance and Beyond <i>Dr. Jaap van Netten, Amsterdam UMC, location AMC, Amsterdam, The Netherlands</i>
10.00 - 10.30	Coffee Break
10.30 - 12.00	Oral Sessions
12.00 - 14.00	Lunch & Poster Discussions
14.00 - 15.15	Workshops
15.15 - 15.45	Coffee Break
15.45 - 17.45	MINISYMPOSIUM 1 - 4
	MINISYMPOSIUM 1
	Preventive and Curative Surgery <i>Minisymposium In Collaboration With the Association of Diabetic Foot Surgeons</i>
	Indications for Preventive Surgery <i>Prof. Lawrence Lavery, The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, United States</i>
	The Surgical Ladder for Prevention <i>Prof. Venu Kavarthapu, King's College Hospital, London, United Kingdom</i>
	Surgery of Osteomyelitis <i>Prof. Luca Dalla Paola, Maria Cecilia Hospital, GVM Care & Research, Cotignola, Italy</i>
	Surgical Offloading <i>Dr. Thomas Zgonis, University of Texas, San Antonio, United States</i>
	Minimally Invasive Surgery <i>Dr. Armin Koller, Mathias-Spital and Jakobi Hospital, Hamburg, Germany</i>
	Surgical therapy in Low Income Countries <i>Dr. Arun Bal, Association of Diabetic Foot Surgeons, Mumbai, India</i>
	Podoplastic Surgery <i>Prof. Christopher Attinger, Medstar Georgetown University Hospital, Washington DC, United States</i>
	Panel Discussion <i>All speakers</i>

MINI SYMPOSIUM 2

Basic Science

Neuro-immune interactions: interplay between the autonomic nervous system and immunity
Dr. Matthijs Kox, Radboud University Medical Centre, Nijmegen, The Netherlands

Off-loading: From Art to Science in Practice
Prof. Chris Nester, University of Salford, Salford, United Kingdom

Diabetes and Non-Infectious Bone Disease
Prof. Peter Vestergaard, Aalborg Universitetshospital, Aalborg, Denmark

Panel Discussion

Consequences and Diagnosis of Small Fibre Neuropathy
Prof. Rayaz Malik, Weill Cornell Medicine, Doha, Qatar

Bone Marrow as a Target and Accomplice of Vascular Complications in Diabetes
Prof. Paolo Madeddu, University of Bristol, Bristol, United Kingdom

Panel Discussion

MINISYMPOSIUM 3

Infection

Diagnosis of Osteomyelitis
Prof. Eric Senneville, Gustave Dron Hospital, Tourcoing, France

How to Evaluate Response to Therapy?
Dr. Edgar Peters, Amsterdam UMC, Location VUmc, Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Peculiarities of Diabetic Foot Infection in the Low-Income or Medically Underserved Communities
Dr. Zulfiqarali Abbas, Muhas/AMX, Dar es Salam, Tanzania

Panel Discussion

Everything You Need to Know About Biofilms (But Were Afraid to Ask)
Prof. Trine Rolighed Thomsen, Technological Institute and Aalborg University, Aalborg, Denmark

How to Prevent and Manage Multidrug Resistance Complicating Diabetic Foot Infections?
Dr. Carlo Tascini, Azienda Ospedaliera Dei Colli, Ospedale Cotugno, Naples, Italy

Self-Administered Outpatient Parenteral Antibiotic Therapy (OPAT) for Diabetic Foot Infections
Prof. Kavita Bhavan, UT Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, United States

Panel Discussion

MINISYMPOSIUM 4

Wound Healing

Wound Healing in Diabetes: Basic Principles
Prof. Frances Game, University Hospitals of Derby and Burton NHS Foundation Trust, Derby, United Kingdom

Wound Healing: an Update on the Latest Trials
Dr. Robert Frykberg, The University of Arizona, Phoenix, United States

Advanced Surgical Techniques to Heal a Wound
Prof. John Steinberg, Georgetown University School of Medicine, Washington, United States

Stem Cells to Improve Wound Healing
Prof. Franco Bassetto, University of Padova, Padova, Italy

Optimising Peri-Operative Glycaemic Management for the Diabetic Foot
Dr. Ketan Dhatariya, Norfolk and Norwich University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust, Norwich, United Kingdom

Which Treatments in Everyday Clinical Practice are Useless?
Prof. Jan Apelqvist, Skåne University Hospital, Malmö, Sweden



THURSDAY MAY 23

08.30 - 10.00	PLENARY SESSION 2
08.30 - 09.00	Microangiopathy: Is It Relevant For Wound Healing? <i>Prof. Gerry Rayman, The East Suffolk and North East Essex University Foundation Trust, Ipswich, United Kingdom</i>
09.00 - 09.30	Cardiovascular Risk Management in a Patient With Diabetic Foot Complications <i>Prof. Naveed Sattar, Institute of Cardiovascular and Medical Sciences, University of Glasgow, Glasgow, United Kingdom</i>
09.30 - 10.00	Which Diagnostic Tests in Everyday Clinical Practice Are (Not) Useful? <i>Prof. William Jeffcoate, Nottingham University Hospitals Trust, Nottingham, United Kingdom</i>
10.00 - 10.30	Coffee Break
10.30 - 12.00	Oral Sessions
12.00 - 14.00	Lunch & Poster Discussions
14.00 - 15.15	Workshops
15.15 - 15.45	Coffee Break
15.45 - 17.15	MINISYMPOSIUM 5 - 7
	MINISYMPOSIUM 5
	Amputation <i>Minisymposium in Collaboration With the Association of Diabetic Foot Surgeons</i>
	The Diabetic Foot Attack <i>Prof. Alberto Piaggese, University of Pisa, Pisa, Italy</i>
	Internal Pedal Amputations and Two-Stage Procedures for the Infected Diabetic Foot <i>Dr. Armin Koller, Mathias-Spital and Jakobi Hospital, Hamburg, Germany</i>
	Level of Amputation <i>Dr. Robert Frykberg, The University of Arizona, Phoenix, AZ, United States</i>
	Debridement, Drainage and Biofilm Management <i>Dr. Klaus Kirketerp-Møller, Bispebjerg University Hospital, Copenhagen, Denmark</i>
	The Burden of Lower Extremity Amputation <i>Prof. Dane Wukich, UT Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, United States</i>
	Panel Discussion <i>All speakers</i>
	MINISYMPOSIUM 6
	Lessons From Abroad and Organisation of Care in Collaboration With D-Foot International
	D-Foot International: Our Global Mission and Clinical Implementation <i>Dr. Kristien van Acker, D-Foot International, Edegem, Belgium</i>
	Diabetic Footwear for Low Resource Countries; the “FLIRT-bird” project <i>Prof. Gulapar Srisawasdi, Faculty of Medicine Siriraj Hospital, Mahidol University, Bangkok, Thailand</i>
	Global Alignment With Podiatry for All: The POINT Project <i>Dr. Neil Baker, Muzaini Vascular and Diabetic Foot Clinic, Jabriya, Kuwait</i>
	Train the Foot Trainer Courses in Europe, Latin America and Western Pacific <i>Prof. Nalini Campillo, Plaza de la Salud General Hospital, Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic</i>
	Panel Discussion and Debate

MINISYMPOSIUM 7	
Peripheral Artery Disease: Interventions	
Prioritization in PAD Treatment in Low- and Middle Income Countries <i>Prof. Gerry Fowkes, University of Edinburgh, Edinburgh, United Kingdom</i>	
Advanced Endovascular Options <i>Prof. Roberto Gandini, University of Rome, Rome, Italy</i>	
Advanced Open Surgical Techniques <i>Prof. Maarit Venermo, Helsinki University Central Hospital, Helsinki, Finland</i>	
When to Apply Stem Cells in Peripheral Artery Disease <i>Prof. Sigrid Niko, Angiology, Asklepios Klinik St. Georg, Hamburg, Germany</i>	
Patient Selection Based on Micro-Circulation Functionality <i>Prof. Jim Reekers, Academic Medical Center, University of Amsterdam, Amsterdam, The Netherlands</i>	
17:45 - 20:15	Excursions



FRIDAY MAY 24

08.30 - 10.00	PLENARY SESSION 3
08.30 - 09.00	When to Call For a Vascular Consultation <i>Prof. Ed Boyko, University of Washington, Seattle, United States</i>
09.00 - 09.30	Foot Infections in Diabetes: Tribulations, Trials and Triumphs <i>Prof. Benjamin Lipsky, University of Washington, Seattle, United States</i>
09.30 - 10.00	'Big data' and artificial intelligence <i>Dr. Tingting Zhu, University of Oxford, Oxford, United Kingdom</i>
10.00 - 10.15	Karel Bakker Foot Award <i>Dr. Karel Bakker</i> <i>Prof. Nicolaas Schaper, Maastricht University Medical Center, Maastricht, The Netherlands</i>
10.15 - 10.45	Coffee Break
10.45 - 12.15	Oral Sessions
12.15 - 14.15	Lunch & Poster Discussions
14.15 - 15.30	Workshops
15.30 - 16.00	Coffee Break
16.00 - 18.00	MINISYMPOSIUM 8 - 11
	MINISYMPOSIUM 8
	Bringing the Patients' and Health Care Providers Perspectives Together
	Supporting Adherence and Relieving the Burden: What Can a Psychologist Offer <i>Prof. Jeffrey Gonzalez, Yeshiva University and Albert Einstein College of Medicine, New York, United States</i>
	What Can Make Me Happy in My Work: a Philosophical Approach <i>Speaker TBD</i>
	The Impact of What I Do on the Quality of Life of My Patients <i>Prof. Dane Wukich, UT Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, United States</i>
	The Rhetorics of Communicating With My (Non-Adherent) Patients <i>Dr. Kristien van Acker, D-Foot International, Edegem, Belgium</i>
	Depression and Diabetes: an Unhappy Marriage <i>Prof. Frans Pouwer, University of Southern Denmark, Odense, Denmark</i>
	Panel Discussion
	MINISYMPOSIUM 9
	Pressure, Mobility and Off-Loading
	Everything a Clinician Needs to Know About Functional Anatomy of the Foot <i>Dr. Robert Frykberg, The University of Arizona, Phoenix, United States</i>
	Foot Pressure: Measure for Measure <i>Dr. Sicco Bus, Amsterdam UMC, location AMC, Amsterdam, The Netherlands</i>
	Shoes and Offloading in Low-Income Countries <i>Prof. Vijay Viswanathan, M.V. Hospital for Diabetes, Royapuram, India</i>
	Mobility Advice to Help Prevent Re-Ulceration <i>Prof. Michael Mueller, Washington University School of Medicine in St Louis, St Louis, United States</i>
	Strategies to Improve the Consequences of Diabetic Neuropathy for the Lower Limb <i>Prof. Neil Reeves, Manchester Metropolitan University, Manchester, United Kingdom</i>
	Panel Discussion

MINISYMPOSIUM 10	
Future Perspectives	
The National Diabetes Foot Care Audit of England and Wales <i>Prof. William Jeffcoate, Nottingham University Hospitals Trust, Nottingham, United Kingdom</i>	
The Role of MicroRNAs in Diabetic Wound Healing and Microvascular Disease <i>Dr. Mark Feinberg, Brigham and Women's Hospital/Harvard Medical School, Boston, United States</i>	
Venous Arterialisation <i>Dr. Michael Lichtenberg, Klinikum Hochsauerland, Amsberg, Germany</i>	
Bacteriophages and Other Non-Antibiotic Modalities to Treat Infection <i>Prof. Marc Bonten, University Medical Center Utrecht, Utrecht, The Netherlands</i>	
Innovations in Footwear Technology <i>Dr. Sicco Bus, Amsterdam UMC, location AMC, Amsterdam, The Netherlands</i>	
Will Smart Technologies Make Our Treatment Smarter? <i>Prof. Bijan Najafi, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, United States</i>	
Gazing at the Foot Through a Futuroscope <i>Prof. David Armstrong, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, United States</i>	
MINISYMPOSIUM 11	
Peripheral Artery Disease In a Wider Perspective	
Differences in Outcome Between Diabetes and Non-Diabetes <i>Prof. Robert Fitzridge, The University of Adelaide, Adelaide, Australia</i>	
Treatment of Limb Ischemia in Diabetes <i>Dr. Edward Choke, Singapore General Hospital, Singapore, Singapore</i>	
How to Predict Outcome in an Ischemic Diabetic Foot Ulcer <i>Prof. Robert Hinchliffe, University of Bristol, Bristol, United Kingdom</i>	
The WIFI Classification as a Tool for Predicting Benefit and Outcomes of Revascularization <i>Prof. Joseph Mills, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, United States</i>	
Hyperbaric Oxygen: Useless or Useful? A Battle <i>Pro: Prof. Magnus Löndahl, Skane University Hospital /Lund University, Lund, Sweden</i> <i>Con: Prof. Andrew Boulton, University of Manchester, Manchester Royal Infirmary, Manchester, United Kingdom</i>	
19.30	Symposium Dinner



SATURDAY MAY 25

08.30 - 10.30	PLENARY SESSION 4
08.30 - 09.00	Presidential Address <i>Prof. Nicolaas Schaper, Maastricht University Medical Center, Maastricht, The Netherlands</i>
09.00 - 09.30	What Are the Most Cost-Effective Treatments in Different Countries? <i>Prof. Jan Apelqvist, Skåne University Hospital, Malmö, Sweden</i>
09.30 - 10.00	What Does a Clinician Need to Know About the Microbiome? <i>Dr. Bonnie Hurwitz, University of Arizona, Tucson, United States</i>
10.00 - 10.30	What Has Surgery Brought to Diabetic Foot Disease? A Historical Perspective <i>Dr. Javier Aragón-Sánchez, La Paloma Hospital, Las Palmas, Spain</i>
10.30 - 11.00	Coffee Break
11.00 - 12.30	IWGDF Consensus Projects and Launch of New Guidance Documents <i>Chairs of Working Groups</i>
12.30 - 12.45	Poster and Oral Presentation Awards <i>Dr. Edgar Peters, Amsterdam UMC, Location VUmc, Amsterdam, The Netherlands (posters)</i> <i>Prof. Andrew Boulton, University of Manchester, Manchester Royal Infirmary, Manchester, United Kingdom (orals)</i>
12.45 - 13.00	Summing up, closing and farewell <i>Prof. Nicolaas Schaper, Maastricht University Medical Center, Maastricht, The Netherlands</i>



WORKSHOPS

WORKSHOP 1	WORKSHOP 2	WORKSHOP 3	WORKSHOP 4
Difficult Diabetic Foot Infection Cases	Prevention and Education	Casting Techniques	Diabetic Foot Emergencies
<i>Prof. Benjamin Lipsky, University of Washington, Seattle, United States</i> <i>Prof. Eric Senneville, Gustave Dron Hospital, Tourcoing, France</i>	<i>Prof. Jeffrey Gonzalez, Yeshiva University and Albert Einstein College of Medicine, New York, United States</i> <i>Ms. Anne Rasmussen, Steno Diabetes Center Copenhagen, Copenhagen, Denmark</i>	<i>Prof. David Armstrong, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, United States</i> <i>Dr. Ron Slegers, Maastricht University Medical Center, Maastricht, The Netherlands</i>	<i>Dr. Sjef van Baal, Ziekenhuisgroep Twente, Almelo, The Netherlands,</i> <i>Prof. Eric Senneville, Gustave Dron Hospital, Tourcoing, France</i> <i>Prof. Lawrence Lavery, The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, United States</i>
WORKSHOP 5	WORKSHOP 6	WORKSHOP 7	WORKSHOP 8
When to Stop Treatment	Charcot: Diagnosis and Medical Treatment	Radiology in the Diabetic Foot: Pearls and Pitfalls	What Did I Learn From My Failures
<i>Prof. William Jeffcoate, Nottingham University Hospitals Trust, Nottingham, United Kingdom</i> <i>Dr. Zulfiqarali Abbas, Muhas /AMX, Dar es Salam, Tanzania, Prof. Alberto Piaggese, University of Pisa, Pisa, Italy</i>	<i>Prof. Michael Edmonds, King's College Hospital, London, United Kingdom</i> <i>Prof. Edward Jude, Tameside Hospital NHS Foundation Trust, Manchester, United Kingdom</i>	<i>Dr. Richard Whitehouse, Manchester Royal Infirmary, Manchester, United Kingdom</i> <i>Prof. Mario Maas, Amsterdam Medical Centre /University of Amsterdam, Amsterdam, The Netherlands</i>	<i>Dr. Shigeo Kono, WHO-collaborating Centre For Diabetes, Kyoto Medical Center, Kyoto, Japan</i> <i>Dr. Javier Aragón-Sánchez, La Paloma Hospital, Las Palmas, Spain</i>
WORKSHOP 9	WORKSHOP 10	WORKSHOP 11	WORKSHOP 12
Podiatry: a Live Diabetic Foot Clinic	Diagnosis and Treatment of the Oedematous Diabetic Leg	Pitfalls in Peripheral Arterial Disease	Shoes: From Art to Science
<i>Ms. Ingrid Ruys, Maxima Medisch Centrum, Veldhoven, The Netherlands</i> <i>Ms. Lian Stoeldraaijers, Diabetes Podiatrists, Valkenswaard, The Netherlands</i>	<i>Dr. Miriam Loots, Franciscus Gasthuis & Vlietland, Rotterdam, The Netherlands</i> <i>Ms. Birgitte Visch, Rijnstate Hospital, Arnhem, The Netherlands</i>	<i>Prof. Joseph Mills, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, United States</i> <i>Prof. Maarit Venermo, Helsinki University Central Hospital, Helsinki, Finland</i>	<i>Prof. Klaas Postema, University Medical Center Groningen, Groningen, The Netherlands</i> <i>Mr. Rob Verwaard, Wittepoel, Rotterdam, The Netherlands</i>
WORKSHOP 13	WORKSHOP 14	WORKSHOP 15	WORKSHOP 16
Diagnosing and Treating (Painful) Neuropathy	Treatment of Diabetic Foot Infections in the Era of Multi Drug Resistant Organisms	Association of Diabetic Foot Surgeons Workshop: Surgical Management of the Charcot Foot	From Scientific Evidence to Daily Practice
<i>Prof. Andrew Boulton, University of Manchester, Manchester Royal Infirmary, Manchester, United Kingdom</i> <i>Prof. Rayaz Malik, Weill Cornell Medicine, Doha, Qatar</i>	<i>Dr. Edgar Peters, Amsterdam UMC, Location VUmc, Amsterdam, The Netherlands</i> <i>Prof. Kavita Bhavan, UT Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, United States</i>	<i>Prof. Venu Kavarthapu, King's College Hospital, London, United Kingdom</i> <i>Dr. Armin Koller, Mathias-Spital and Jakobi Hospital, Hamburg, Germany</i> <i>Prof. Dane Wukich, UT Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, United States</i> <i>Dr. Thomas Zgonis, University of Texas, San Antonio, United States</i>	<i>Prof. Frances Game, University Hospitals of Derby and Burton NHS Foundation Trust, Derby, United Kingdom</i> <i>Prof. Ed Boyko, University of Washington, Seattle, United States</i>
WORKSHOP 17	WORKSHOP 18	WORKSHOP 19	WORKSHOP 20
Debridement and Choice of Dressing	Endovascular Treatment	How to Deal with Diabetic Foot Disease in Tropical, Warm and Humid Areas	MRI and Nuclear Medicine in Diagnosis and Follow-up
<i>Prof. John Steinberg, Georgetown University School of Medicine, Washington, United States</i> <i>Prof. Jan Apelqvist, Skåne University Hospital, Malmö, Sweden</i>	<i>Prof. Jim Reekers, Amsterdam UMC, location AMC, Amsterdam, The Netherlands</i> <i>Dr. Edward Choke, Singapore General Hospital, Singapore, Singapore</i>	<i>Dr. Neil Baker, Muzaini Vascular and Diabetic Foot Clinic, Jabriya, Kuwait</i> <i>Dr. Zulfiqarali Abbas, Muhas /AMX, Dar es Salam, Tanzania</i>	<i>Dr. Jan Dening, Hospital Alkmaar, Alkmaar, The Netherlands</i> <i>Dr. Andor Claudemans, University Medical Center Groningen, The Netherlands</i>
WORKSHOP 21	WORKSHOP 22		
Screening the diabetic foot for risk factors and simple treatments	Association of Diabetic Foot Surgeons workshop: Treatment of infection and osteomyelitis		
<i>Dr. Margreet van Putten, Fontys University, School for Podiatry, Eindhoven, The Netherlands</i> <i>Ms. Miranda van Mol, Fontys University of Applied Sciences, Eindhoven, The Netherlands</i>	<i>Dr. Klaus Kirketerp-Møller, Bispebjerg University Hospital, Copenhagen, Denmark</i> <i>Prof. Alberto Piaggese, University of Pisa, Pisa, Italy</i> <i>Prof. Luca Dalla Paola, Maria Cecilia Hospital, GVM Care & Research, Cotignola, Italy</i> <i>Dr. Katherine Raspovic, University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, United States</i> <i>Dr. Chiara Goretti, Pisa University Hospital, Pisa, Italy</i>		

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