

# MICS

**Minimally Invasive  
& Catheter Solutions**

## MICS **Workshop**

**Hands-on Coronary CT  
and CV Prevention:**

*its role as diagnostic tool, decision maker  
and treatment planner*

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**March 7, 2025**

The Nicolaus Hotel

Via Cardinale Agostino Ciasca, 27

**70124 BARI - IT**

## FRIDAY MARCH 7, 2025

- 09.00** Welcome address and Introduction  
**Giuseppe Speziale**
- 09.15** The CT-teamwork experience  
Interview with **G. Pontone** and **D. Trabattoni**  
by **A. Marchese**

## PART I ROLE OF CARDIAC-CT IN THE DIAGNOSIS OF CAD

### SESSION I MASTERS LECTURES

by **D. Trabattoni, G. Pontone and R. Vergallo**

*Moderators: N. Brunetti, P. Caldarola, M. Ciccone*

- 9.30** Sum-up on new ESC Guidelines 2024 on Chronic Coronary Syndrome  
**D. Trabattoni**
- 9.45** The role of CCTA in CAD: the new diagnostic tool for primary prevention of ischemic cardiomyopathy  
**G. Pontone**
- 10.00** Intracoronary imaging and Pharmacological strategies for high-risk coronary plaque  
**R. Vergallo**
- 10.30** Panel discussion  
*Panelists: TBD*

### SESSION II HANDS-ON CLINICAL CASES

- 10.45** Real life post-processing  
**G. Pontone**  
*Face to face with: R. Fella, S. Giannone, A. Tripoli, A. Wolowiec*

### SESSION III WARM-UP CLINICAL CASES

*Moderators: F. Castriota, I. Gardi, A. Marchese*

- 11.30-12.00** Clinical case from S. Maria Hospital, Bari  
**P. Izzo, F. Resta, A. Tripoli**
- 12.00-12.30** Clinical case from Città di Lecce Hospital, Lecce  
**R. Antonazzo, C. Fiore, A. Furgieri**
- 12.30-13.00** Clinical case from Maria Cecilia Hospital, Cotignola  
**F. Castriota, I. Gardi, A. Squeri**
- 13.00** **Light Lunch**

## **PART II**

# **ROLE OF CARDIAC-CT IN THE MANAGEMENT OF CAD**

### **SESSION I**

#### **MASTERS LECTURES**

by **G. Pontone, D. Mushtaq, P. Calabrò**

*Moderators:* **F. Bartolomucci, M. Grimaldi, F. Massari**

**14.00** The role of CCTA in CAD: follow up assessment of stents, CABG and more...  
**S. Mushtaq**

**14.15** The role of CCTA in CAD: from decision making to treatment planning  
**G. Pontone**

**14.30** How to intervene once the plaque has broken: the importance to act early in ACS and CCS  
**P. Calabrò**

**15.00** Panel discussion  
*Panelists:* **TBD**

### **SESSION II**

#### **HANDS-ON CLINICAL CASES**

**15.15** Real life post-processing  
**D. Mushtaq**  
*Face to face with:* **R. Fella, S. Giannone, A. Tripoli, A. Wolowiec**

### **SESSION III**

#### **WARM-UP CLINICAL CASES**

*Moderators:* **L. Baffoni, G. Contegiacomo, A. Squeri**

**16.00** Clinical case from Anthea Hospital, Bari  
**A. Pignatelli, M. Siro Brigiani, A. Tripoli**

**16.30** Clinical case from Città di Lecce Hospital, Lecce  
**R. Antonazzo, C. Fiore, A. Furgieri**

**17.00** Clinical case from Clinica Montevergine, Mercogliano  
**L. Salemmè, G. Spidalieri, T. Tesorio**

### **SESSION III**

#### **MASTERS LECTURE**

by **G. Pontone**

*Moderator:* **A. Marchese, D. Trabattoni**

**17.30** The era of the Virtual Histology: from tissue characterization with CT to modern technology with PCCT and HIP-CT  
**G. Pontone**

**17.45** Plenary interactive discussion

**18.00** Final remarks from Master Experts

# FACULTY

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**MICS Workshop**  
**Hands-on Coronary CT and CV Prevention**  
*is promoted by*



## VENUE

**The Nicolaus Hotel**  
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## REGISTRATION

The registration is free.  
For registration please visit  
<https://mics.mitralacademy.it/it-IT/Corsi>

## CME PROVIDER

**GVM Campus srl (ID 6028)**

## CME ACCREDITATION

The Course has been assigned **n. 8 Italian CME Credits** for Physicians (Cardiology, Cardiac Surgery, Anaesthesia and Resuscitation, Internal Medicine, Vascular Surgery, General Medicine (family doctors), Radiodiagnostics), Nurse, Medical Radiology Technician, Cardiovascular Physiopathology and Cardiovascular Perfusion Technician.  
**Training objective:** Technical-professional contents (knowledge and expertise) specific for each profession, specialisation and ultra-speciality activity.

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