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Dear Colleague,

it is a great pleasure to invite you to the second edition of the International Congress **Aortic Surgery "How to do it"**, to be held on December 15th-16th, 2006 at the San Raffaele University Hospital and Research Institute in Milano.

We shall be examining several areas of aortic surgery including the ascending aorta, the aortic arch, the descending aorta, the thoraco-abdominal and abdominal aorta. We shall be looking at the problems stemming from both elective and emergency procedures.

In recent times the advent of endovascular methods has radically modified the approach to numerous aortic pathologies concerning both the abdomen and the thorax. The Congress **Aortic Surgery "How to do it"** will bring together experts from all areas of aortic surgery.

The formula selected for the Congress is that of filmed contributions, allowing the speakers to point out the technical peculiarities of those procedures where they have had the most experience. We take this opportunity to thank each of them for sharing their experiences with us. We hope once again to be able to provide you with a valid opportunity to improve your knowledge.

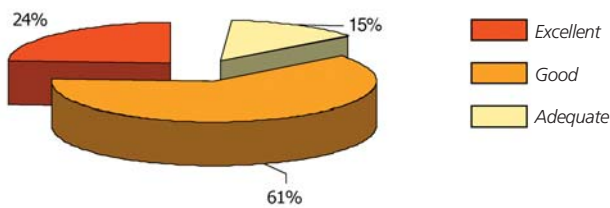
Roberto Chiesa
Ottavio Alfieri

The first edition

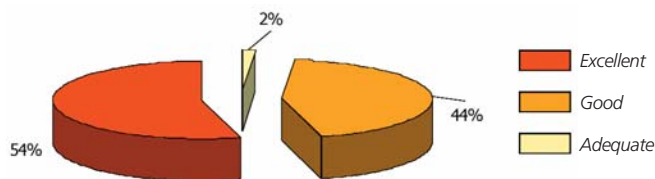
The first edition of the Congress Aortic Surgery "How to do it" was held in Milano, on December 17th-18th, 2004.

Thanks to the high scientific level of the lectures and to a stimulating exchange of ideas, the over 1.000 participants who attended the congress, coming from both Europe and overseas, positively evaluated the meeting.

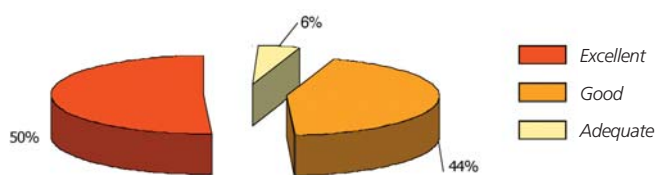
Relevance of the topics discussed



Educational quality of the congress



Efficacy of the congress for the continuous medical education



Participants' countries of origin (%)

Italy	88,90
Belgium	2,95
France	2,75
The Netherlands	1,20
Brasil	1,00
Poland	1,00
Germany	0,60
Spain	0,60
USA	0,40
Norway	0,20
Greece	0,20
Portugal	0,20





Faculty

Giorgio Agrifoglio, MILANO - ITALY	Timothy A.M. Chuter, SAN FRANCISCO - CA - USA	Luigi Inglese, S. DONATO MILANESE (MI) - ITALY	Giuseppe Raimondo Pistolese, ROMA - ITALY
Ottavio Alfieri, MILANO - ITALY	Joseph S. Coselli, HOUSTON - TX - USA	Edouard Kieffer, PARIS - FRANCE	Carlo Pratesi, FIRENZE - ITALY
Carlo Antona, MILANO - ITALY	Maurizio Cotrufo, NAPOLI - ITALY	Fabien Koskas, PARIS - FRANCE	Maurizio Puttini, MILANO - ITALY
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Patrice Bergeron, MARSEILLE - FRANCE	Vincent Dor, MONTECARLO - MONACO	Francesco Maisano, MILANO - ITALY	Ugo Ruberti, MILANO - ITALY
Giuseppe Bianchi, ROMA - ITALY	John A. Elefteriades, NEW HAVEN - CT - USA	Martin Malina, MALMO - SWEDEN	Hans Joachim Schäfers, HOMBURG - GERMANY
Giorgio Biasi, MONZA (MI) - ITALY	Rossella Fattori, BOLOGNA - ITALY	Richard McWilliams, LIVERPOOL - UK	Carlo Setacci, SIENA - ITALY
Paolo Biglioli, MILANO - ITALY	Livio Gabrielli, MILANO - ITALY	Germano Melissano, MILANO - ITALY	Marco Setti, BERGAMO - ITALY
Stefano Bonardelli, BRESCIA - ITALY	Tiziano Gherli, PARMA - ITALY	Francesco Musumeci, ROMA - ITALY	Carlo Spartera, L'AQUILA - ITALY
Giancarlo Bracale, NAPOLI - ITALY	Pierluigi Giorgetti, ROZZANO (MI) - ITALY	Christoph Nienaber, ROSTOCK - GERMANY	Francesco Speziale, ROMA - ITALY
Alain Branchereau, MARSEILLE - FRANCE	Bruno Gossetti, ROMA - ITALY	Claudio Novali, CUNEO - ITALY	Francesco Spinelli, MESSINA - ITALY
Piergiorgio Cao, PERUGIA - ITALY	Adalberto Grossi, MILANO - ITALY	Attilio Odero, PAVIA - ITALY	Andrea Stella, BOLOGNA - ITALY
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Scientific program

Friday, December 15th

h 8.30 - 9.00

Opening Ceremony

Welcome addresses

Roberto Chiesa

Ottavio Alfieri

Opening remarks

John A. Elefteriades

The aneurysmatic patient

h 9.30 - 11.00

SESSION I **Aortic valve, Ascending** **Thoracic Aorta**

President: Maurizio Cotrufo
Chairman: Luigi Chiariello
Chairman: Vincent Dor

Discussant: Carlo Antona
Discussant: Ruggero De Paulis
Discussant: Tiziano Gherli

Francesco Maisano
 Alternative methods for aortic valve replacement.

Hans Joachim Schäfers
 Aortic valve preservation for aneurysmatic and non-aneurysmatic pathology.

Ottavio Alfieri
 Aneurysms of the ascending aorta: surgical techniques.

Francesco Musumeci
 Redo surgery of the ascending aorta.

Axel Haverich
 Aortic surgery in Marfan patients.

Maurizio Cotrufo
 Type A aortic dissections.

h 11.30 - 13.00

SESSION II **Thoracic aorta:** **dissection and trauma**

President: Fabrizio Benedetti Valentini
Chairman: Edouard Kieffer
Chairman: Domenico Tealdi

Discussant: Armando Lobato
Discussant: Claudio Novali
Discussant: Marco Setti

Martin Malina
 Endografts for complicated acute type B aortic dissection.

Rossella Fattori
 Endografts for chronic type B aortic dissection.

Axel Haverich
 Open surgery for acute type B aortic dissection.

Attilio Odero
 Open surgery for chronic type B aortic dissection.

Christoph Nienaber
 Acute aortic syndrome.

h 14.30 - 17.00

SESSION III **Aortic arch**

President: G. Raimondo Pistolese
Chairman: Paolo Biglioli
Chairman: Joseph S. Coselli

Discussant: Luigi de Luca
Discussant: Tuppiti Schinosa
Discussant: Maurizio Puttini
Discussant: Vincenzo Rampoldi

Lucia Torracca
 Cerebral protection during aortic arch surgery.

Roberto Di Bartolomeo
 Open surgery of the aortic arch.

Patrice Bergeron
 Hybrid procedures for aortic arch aneurysms: Marseille experience.

Roberto Chiesa
 Hybrid procedures for aortic arch aneurysms: San Raffaele experience.

Timothy A.M. Chuter
 Endovascular procedures for aortic arch aneurysms: San Francisco experience.

h 17.30 - 19.00

SESSION IV **The Thoraco-abdominal** **Aorta**

President: Giovanni Deriu
Chairman: Alain Branchereau
Chairman: Jon Largiadèr

Discussant: Xavier Barral
Discussant: Giuseppe Bianchi
Discussant: Guido Regina

Edouard Kieffer
 Open surgery for descending thoracic aneurysms.

Luigi Inglese
 Endovascular treatment for descending thoracic aneurysms.

Joseph S. Coselli
 Open surgery for type I and II TAAA with the branched "Coselli" graft.

Germano Melissano
 Hybrid open and endovascular treatment for TAAA.

Timothy A.M. Chuter
 Endovascular treatment for TAAA with branched endografts.



Saturday, December 16th

h 9.00 - 11.00

SESSION V AAA Open Surgery

President: Carlo Spartera
Chairman: Livio Gabrielli
Chairman: Jean-Georges Kretz

Discussant: Angelo Argentero
Discussant: Stefano Bonardelli
Discussant: Pierluigi Giorgetti
Discussant: Bruno Gossetti

Carlo Setacci
Open surgical treatment of AAA.

Joseph S. Coselli
Open surgical treatment of type IV TAAA.

Andrea Stella
Open surgical treatment for inflammatory AAA.

Giancarlo Bracale
Open surgical treatment of aorto-enteric fistulas.

Fabien Koskas
Open surgical treatment for pararenal AAA.

Carlo Pratesi
Open surgical treatment for iliac and hypogastric aneurysms.

h 11.30 - 13.30

SESSION VI AAA Endovascular Surgery

President: Domenico Palombo
Chairman: Giorgio Biasi
Chairman: Martin Malina

Discussant: Giovanni Lorenzi
Discussant: Adamastor H. Pereira
Discussant: Francesco Speziale
Discussant: Francesco Spinelli

Vicente Riambau
EVAR with aorto-mono-iliac grafts.

Jean-Pierre Becquemini
EVAR for ruptured AAA.

Richard McWilliams
Fenestrated endovascular grafts for pararenal and suprarenal aneurysms.

Stéphan Haulon
Endovascular treatment of aorto-iliac aneurysms.

Piergiorgio Cao
Late endovascular reoperations after EVAR failure.

Dieter Raithe
Late open conversions after EVAR failure.

Closing remarks



General information

Congress Venue	Aula Caravella S. Maria San Raffaele Congress Centre Via Olgettina 58 - 20132 Milano
Chairmen	Prof. Roberto Chiesa, Prof. Ottavio Alfieri
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Web-site	http://congress.spr.it/aorticsurgery



Official language

The congress official languages will be Italian and English. Simultaneous translation Italian/English/Italian will be provided.

Hotel accommodation

No allotment of rooms has been reserved for this congress. If you need information about hotel accommodation in Milano, please contact the Organising Secretariat.

C.M.E. – Continuous Medical Education

The Italian Ministry of Health has been requested to evaluate the congress for the C.M.E. of:

- Italian Medical Doctors specialised in Vascular, Cardiac and General Surgery
- Italian Perfusionists

How to register

Please note that you can choose one of the following registration options:

1. Online secure registration

The Organising Secretariat encourages delegates to use its own secure online registration form. This method is only available for payment by credit card (Carta Si, VISA, Eurocard, Mastercard and American Express). Electronic cards are not accepted.

2. Registration by fax or e-mail

Please fill in the enclosed registration form and return it to the Organising Secretariat. This method is available for payment by bank transfer (copy to be sent with the registration form) or by credit card (Carta Si, VISA, Eurocard and Mastercard). American Express and electronic cards are not accepted.

Participation is limited to 100 perfusionists. Registration forms will be accepted on a "first come, first served" basis.

Fellows in training in Cardiac and Vascular Surgery may attend free of charge. Certification will be requested from each Institute.

Registration fees

Medical Doctors	Prior to September 4 th , 2006	€ 300,00 (VAT included)
	After September 4 th , 2006	€ 450,00 (VAT included)
Perfusionists	Prior to September 4 th , 2006	€ 102,00 (VAT included)
	After September 4 th , 2006	€ 210,00 (VAT included)

Registration deadline: November 13th, 2006

Registration fee covers admission to the scientific sessions, certificate of attendance, lunch and coffee-breaks during the Congress.

Cancellation policy

Notification of cancellation must be made in writing to the Organising Secretariat. All refunds will be issued only after the end of the Congress, by bank transfer, as follows:

- Prior to October 16th, 2006 - full refund (less € 20,00 for Secretariat expenses)
- Between October 16th and November 13th, 2006 - 50% of fees paid
- After November 13th, 2006 - No refund



How to reach the Congress Venue

Airports

Milano Malpensa (MXP)

Milano Malpensa is located 48 km (30 miles) northwest of Milano and is the main hub for Northern Italy, handling transcontinental and international flights. In general, most of European and all transcontinental flights arrive at Terminal One, while charters use Terminal Two.

From Milano Malpensa to San Raffaele Congress Centre:

- By public transportation: a shuttle bus service links Malpensa Airport to Cascina Gobba Subway Station. The trip takes about 1 hour, depending on the traffic.

For more information, please visit the following web site:
<http://www.malpensashuttle.it/e-default.htm>.

At Cascina Gobba you will find the bus nr. 925 or the people mover shuttle getting directly to San Raffaele Congress Centre.

Milano Linate (LIN)

Milano Linate is located 7 km (4 miles) east of the Centre and it is easily connected with the city.

From Milano Linate to San Raffaele Congress Centre:

- By public transportation: a shuttle bus service links Linate Airport to Cascina Gobba Subway Station. The trip takes about 10 minutes, depending on the traffic.

For more information, please visit the following web site:
<http://www.malpensashuttle.it/e-default.htm>.

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Bergamo Orio al Serio (BGY)

Orio al Serio is located 45 km (28 miles) northeast of Milano and handles domestic and international flights, most of them operated by low-cost carriers.

From Orio al Serio to San Raffaele Congress Centre:

- By public transportation: a shuttle bus service links Orio al Serio Airport to Cascina Gobba Subway Station. The trip takes about 1 hour, depending on the traffic.

For more information, please visit the following web site:
<http://www.autostradale.it/interna.aspx?gr=2&sez=60&sot=2&ae=2>

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Railways

The main station is Stazione Centrale (Central Station) which has high-speed links to other major cities in Italy. Other important Railway Stations are: Cadorna, Lambrate, Porta Garibaldi.

From Railway Stations to San Raffaele Congress Centre:





- By public transportation: the green line subway links all the above mentioned Railway Stations to Cascina Gobba Subway Station. At Cascina Gobba you will find the bus nr. 925 or the people mover shuttle getting directly to San Raffaele Congress Centre.

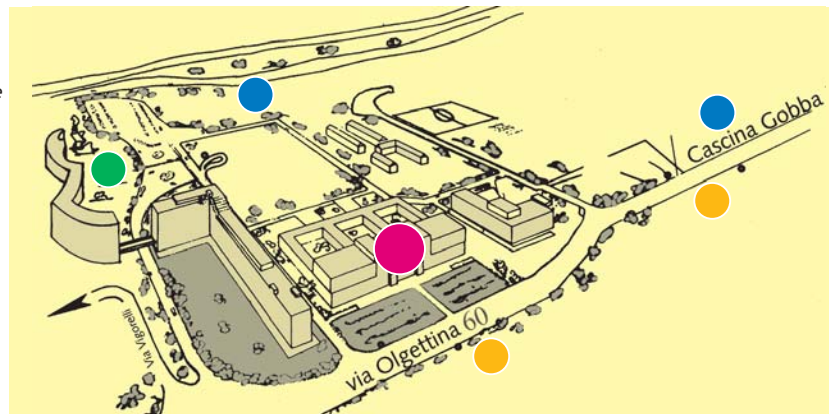
Motorways

Milano is linked to the rest of Europe by toll motorways. San Raffaele Congress Centre can be reached by all motorways, following the direction "Tangenziale Est" till "Cascina Gobba" exit.

Public Transportation

The nearest Subway Station is Cascina Gobba – Green line – where you will find the bus nr. 925 or the people mover shuttle getting directly to San Raffaele Congress Centre.

-  San Raffaele Congress Centre
-  Parking
-  People mover shuttle
-  Bus stop





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