

First Announcement



5th Belgian Heart Rhythm Meeting

Arrhythmias for every Cardiologist

**Thursday/Friday
6th and 7th October 2011**

Sheraton Brussels Airport Hotel and Congress Centre



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Belgian Heart Rhythm Association



Dear Colleagues,

Following the highly successful Belgian Heart Rhythm Meetings, which welcomed yearly over 300 cardiologists since 2007, the Belgian Heart Rhythm Association (BeHRA) is pleased to announce the :

5th Belgian Heart Rhythm Meeting - Arrhythmias for every Cardiologist
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Scientific sessions on topics listed hereafter will be delivered throughout Thursday and Friday. In addition, a selection of the best abstracts will be included in the programme. Posters will be displayed in the exhibition hall.

The meeting will take place at the Sheraton Airport Hotel and Congress Centre, with easy access by train or by car, and with onsite parking facilities.

Our aim is to share expertise on the various diagnostic tools and therapeutic possibilities available to practitioners when deciding upon which approach best serves your arrhythmia patient.

Amidst the scientific activity, registrants will also enjoy the opportunity to come together at the gala dinner on Thursday evening.

A detailed programme will be available in April. In the meantime, please **mark the dates in your diary!**

We look forward to welcoming you to the 5th BHRM on 6th and 7th October 2011 in Brussels.

Yours sincerely,

Ivan BLANKOFF

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Outline Preliminary Programme

- Antiarrhythmic drugs
- Anticoagulation: old story – new drugs
- Atrial Fibrillation
- ECG interpretation
- Guideline implementation in Belgium
- Genetics and arrhythmias
- Health economics
- Hotline session
- How to manage ventricular arrhythmias?
- How to optimize CRT therapy?
- How to optimize ICD therapy?
- How to organize telesurveillance of implanted devices?
- How to program a pacemaker?
- How to reduce radiation?
- Ion channels and arrhythmias
- Patient education
- Sport and arrhythmias
- Syncope
- The surgical approach of arrhythmias
- Best abstract presentations

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