

**Complex procedures (open and hybrid) on thoracic, abdominal
and thoraco-abdominal aorta**

21st – 22nd May 2026

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Day 1

Hours	Date	Speaker
12:00-12:15	Registration	
12:15-14:00	Introductions	
	Complex aortic pathology – definition, challenges, options CT interpretation of aortic pathology (aneurysm, PAU, early and long term complications after aortic procedures) Planning procedures based on CT Rotation between workstations in small groups	Igor Koncar Germano Melissano
14:00-15:00	Lunch	
15:00 – 17:00	Open , pararenal, juxtarenal and thoraco-abdominal repair – hands on models	All speaker
17:00 – 18:30	Ishemia and revascularisation of the brain, kidney, visceral organs, spinal cord, extremities, Perfusion techniques, Prevention of ischemic complications (brain, spinal cord, kidneys) Work on the machine for extracorporeal circulation – hands on	Nikola Ilic Marko Dragas
18:30-19:00	Site visit – high volume aortic centre	
20.00	Network dinner	

Day 2

Hours	Date	
08:00 – 10:00	Case based discussion and technical details explanations (recorded cases – open repair, debranching procedures, hybrid options, different strategies) - Surgical techniques: (Type II, III, IV, V; chronic dissection; after TEVAR) - Anesthetic management, Hemostasis, thrombosis and bleeding	Marko Dragas, Ivan Tomic, Germano Melissano
10:00 – 10:30	Coffee in between	
10:30 – 13:00	Practical hands-on modules. Open thoraco-abdominal repair – hands on models Debranching procedures Visceral debranching	All speakers
13:00-14:00	Lunch	
14:00-14:30	Feedback and Wrap up	All speakers