



Preliminary Programme* - CVRC Annual Meeting 2024

24th January 2024

10:00-10:10 Opening / Welcome (online, Zoom)

10:10-10:50 **Session 1: New Aspects in Cardiovascular Imaging (and Technologies)**

Chairs: Nicolas Brugger, Kady Fischer

Invited Speaker: Jessica Bastiaansen

10:50-11:00 Break

11:00-11:40 **Session 2: Acquired Cardiovascular Diseases, Metabolism and Prevention**

Chairs: Lukas Hunziker, Sarah Longnus

Invited speaker: Emrush Rexhaj

11:40-11:50 Break

11:50-12:30 **Session 3: Roundtable “Artificial Vessels and Cardiac Organoids - Will we still need animal experimentation in the future?”**

Chairs: Yvonne Döring, Dominik Obrist

Panelists: Olivier Guenat, Drosos Kotelis, Nadia Mercader, Marco Osterwalder, Robert Rieben

12:30-13:00 Lunch Break

13:00-13:40 **Session 4: Sex Differences, Development (Aging) and Genetic Bases of Cardiovascular Diseases**
Chairs: Jean-Sébastien Rougier, Hildegard Tanner
Invited Speaker: Christian Zuppinger

13:40-13:50 Break

13:50-14:30 **Session 5: Valvular and Structural Heart Diseases**
Chairs: Fabien Praz, David Reineke
Invited Speaker: Silje Ekroll Jahren

14:30-14:40 Break

14:40-15:20 **Session 6: Vascular Disorders**
Chairs: Britta Engelhardt, Stefan Freigang
Invited Speaker: Sarah Bernhard

15:20-15:30 Break

15:30-16:10 **Session 7: Arrhythmias**
Chairs: Katja Odening, Laurent Roten
Invited Speaker: Ange Maguy

16:10-16:45 Break + Poster hanging

16:45-18:45 Poster presentations (Sitem Atrium A ground floor, Freiburgstrasse 3, Bern) and get-together Apéro

- 16:45-17:30: Poster Session 1
- 17:30-18:15: Poster Session 2

18:45-19:00 Prize announcements and Closing

* Please note: Small adjustments may be implemented in the final programme.