



*Società Italiana di Chirurgia Cardiaca*

**SICCH-Tutorial**

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**Reoperations in Cardiac Surgery**

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Meeting Program:

**Friday, March 30<sup>th</sup>, 2012**

10.00-10.15 Welcoming and Course Introduction

**Session 1** *Pre-operative patient evaluation in Redo Cardiac Surgery*

**Chairpersons:**

10.15-10.30 Risk stratification for reoperation in cardiac surgery

10.30-10.45 Preoperative evaluation: get ready for the battle

10.45-11.00 Anesthesia for cardiac reoperation

11.00-11.15 *Coffee break*

**Session 2** *The choice of the right strategy*

**Chairpersons:**

11.15-11.30 Re-entry strategies: choice, operative techniques and results

11.30-11.45 Minimally invasive techniques in redo cardiac surgery

- 11.45-12.00 Myocardial protection strategies for reoperations in cardiac surgery
- 12.00-12.15 Reoperation for coronary artery disease
- 12.15-12.30 Reoperation in valvular heart disease
- 12.30-13.00 Panel discussion
- 13.00-14.00 *Lunch*

**Session 3** *Special issues and controversies in Redo Cardiac Surgery*

**Chairpersons:**

- 14.00-14.15 Redo aortic root and ascending aortic surgery
- 14.15-14.30 Risk of late reoperations and special issues in patients with acute type A aortic dissection
- 14.30-14.45 Management of peri-operative complications in redo cardiac surgery
- 14.45-15.15 The use of glues, sealants and haemostats in the reduction of bleeding and related morbidity and mortality in redo cardiac surgery
- 15.15-15.30 TAVI / TEVAR: a new variable in the surgical algorithm
- 15.30-15.45 Post-operative management after cardiac reoperations
- 15.45-16.00 Panel discussion
- 16.00-16.15 Conclusions & Meeting Adjourn

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