

Sept 1, 2026	Technical University Munich, TUM School of Medicine and Health, TUM Campus Olympic Park, Munich, Germany Venue: Am Olympiacampus 11, D-80809 Munich, Germany				
	Presentations	Presenter/Chair	Instructions	Comments	
7.30-8.00	Registration / Welcome coffee and tea				
8.00-8.05	Welcome	M. Halle S. Castelletti		confirmed	
8.05-8.15	Sports Cardiology in Munich	M. Halle			
Topic 8.15-9.30	Elevated troponin levels in athletes – normal or abnormal?				
Chairs		A. La Gerche J. Scherr		confirmed confirmed	
8.15-8.30	Elevated Troponin levels after marathon – clinical significance from Munich Marathon studies	J. Schoenfeld	15' talk	confirmed	
8.30-8.45	Case: Elevated troponin levels in an asymptomatic athlete – diagnostic algorithm	S. Wernhart/S. Zenk	15' talk	confirmed	
8.45-9.15	Debate: Elevated Cardiac Troponin Levels in Athletes are pathological – Pro/Con	S. Sharma T. Eijsvogels	Pros 15' Cons 15'	confirmed confirmed	
9.15-9.30	Panel discussion	A. La Gerche J. Scherr	15' discussion	confirmed confirmed	
Topic 9.30-10.25	Valvular Heart Disease in Sports Cardiology				
Chairs		F. D'Ascenzi I. Fegers-Wustrow		confirmed confirmed	
9.30-9.50	Case and overview: Mitral valve prolapse and mitral regurgitation – considerations for sports eligibility	S. Gati	20' talk	confirmed	
9.50-10.10	Case and overview: Bicuspid valve, aortic regurgitation and enlarged ventricle in an elite athlete – considerations for sports eligibility	A. Baggish	20' talk	confirmed	
10.10-10.25	Panel discussion	F. D'Ascenzi I. Fegers-Wustrow	15' discussion	confirmed confirmed	
10.25-11.00	Coffee break – Guided tour through campus				
Topic 11.00-12.00	Coronary Disease in Sports Cardiology				
Chairs		M. Borjesson V. Maestrini		confirmed confirmed	
11.00-11.15	Case and overview of coronary plaques:	H. Jorstad	15' talk	confirmed	

	Master athlete with a coronary plaque – Treatment of risk factors and sports recommendations				
11.15-11.30	Case and overview of coronary ischaemia: AAOCA/Muscle bridge – Diagnostic algorithm and exercise intensity recommendations	F. D’Ascenzi	15’talk	confirmed	
11.30-11.45	Case and overview of MINOCA in a young athlete: Treatment strategies and recommendation for Return to play	Ch. Schmid	15’talk	confirmed	
11.45-12.00	Panel discussion	M. Borjesson V. Maestrini	15’discussion	confirmed confirmed	
Topic 12.00-12.30	Myocarditis and Sports Recommendations				
Chairs		S. Sharma M. Papadakis		confirmed confirmed	
12.00-12.30	Myocarditis and Return to play – From pathophysiology to clinical recommendations	M. Sanz-de la Garza	20’talk 10’discussion	confirmed	
12.30-13.30	Lunch – Guided tour through outpatient clinic				
Topic 13.30-14.50	Cardiomyopathy in Sports Cardiology				
Chairs		A. Baggish S. Gati		confirmed confirmed	
13.30-14.00	Debate: Exercise recommendations in HCM – There are (almost) no limits!	M. Papadakis A. La Gerche	Pros 15’ Cons 15’	confirmed confirmed	
14.00-14.10	Panel discussion	A. Baggish S. Gati	10’	confirmed confirmed	
14.10-14.30	Talk: Arrhythmogenic Cardiomyopathy: Update on Exercise Recommendations and Findings from Invasive Exercise Hemodynamics and Electrophysiology	S. Wernhart	15’ talk 5’discussion	confirmed	
14.30-14.50	Cases: Phenotype-Negative Carriers of Cardiac Disease Variants - Sports Eligibility and Surveillance	G. Finocchiaro	15’talk 5’discussion	confirmed	

Topic 14.50-16.10	Sports Rhythmology and ECG Quiz					
Chairs		A. Zorzi A. Pelliccia		confirmed confirmed		
14.50-15.05	Case: Channelopathy and Sports Eligibility	S. Castelletti	10'talk 5'discussion	confirmed		
15.05-15.20	VES diagnostics and clinical significance in athletes	A. Zorzi	10'talk 5'discussion	confirmed		
Chairs	ECG Quiz	M. Abela H. Rasmusen		confirmed		
15.20-16.10	Presentation of 10-12 ECGs and voting	I. Fegers-Wustrow F. Stegmüller M. Eckmann	10x5' ECG presentation	confirmed		
Topic 16.10-16.40	Winter Sports Cardiology					
Chairs		J. Niebauer H. Rasmusen		confirmed confirmed		
16.10-16.25	The heart of the winter athlete	D. Niederseer	10'talk 5'discussion	confirmed		
16.25-16.40	Sports Cardiology at moderate and high altitude	C. Lang	10'talk 5'discussion	confirmed		
Topic 16.40-16.55	Aorta in Sports Cardiology					
Chairs		S. Wernhart M. Abela				
16.40-16.55	Aorta and Exercise	M. Haykowsky	10'talk 5'discussion	confirmed		
Topic 16.55-17.20	Shared Decision Making in Sports Cardiology					
Chairs		A. Baggish T. Bauer		confirmed confirmed		
Key note 16.55-17.20	Guidelines evolution from ESC 2020 to ACC 2025 and the role of shared decision making	A. Pelliccia	20'talk 5'discussion	confirmed		
17:20-17:30	Closing	M. Halle				
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