

Valvular Heart Disease Forum – 3rd edition

What is new in the 2025 ESC/EACTS Guidelines on Valvular Heart Disease?

Bucharest, 10-11 October 2025

Crowne Plaza Hotel

Symposium with hands-on workshops and clinical cases

Organized by the Romanian Society of Cardiology

Programme Directors: Bogdan A. Popescu, Alec Vahanian (France)

Friday, October 10, 2025

10:30 Opening

10:45-11:45 Asymptomatic aortic stenosis: when should we intervene?

Chairpersons: Bernard Iung, Fabien Praz, Bogdan A. Popescu

Clinical case. Andreea Calin

What do the 2025 Guidelines say? Bernard Iung (France)

Gaps & challenges in guidelines implementation. Bogdan A. Popescu

Discussion

12:00-13:00 Best clinical case award

Chairpersons: Alec Vahanian, Bogdan A. Popescu, Ruxandra Jurcut

(the best graded clinical cases submitted will be presented orally)

13:00-14:00 Lunch

14:00-15:00 Aortic stenosis: TAVI or SAVR?

Chairpersons: Alec Vahanian, Helene Eltchaninoff, Dan Deleanu

Clinical case. Catalina Parasca

What do the 2025 Guidelines say? Helene Eltchaninoff (France)

Gaps & challenges in guidelines implementation. Vlad Iliescu

Discussion

15:15-16:15 Mitral regurgitation - what's the best treatment?

Chairpersons: Fabien Praz, Nina Ajmone Marsan, Dragos Vinereanu

Clinical case. Monica Rosca

What do the 2025 Guidelines say? Victoria Delgado (Spain)

Gaps & challenges in guidelines implementation. Dragos Vinereanu

Discussion

16:30-18:00 Hands-on echocardiography workshop on valvular heart disease

Panel: Victoria Delgado, Bernard Cosyns, Magdalena Gurzun, Bogdan A. Popescu

Saturday, October 11, 2025

8:30-10:00 Hands-on echocardiography workshop on valvular heart disease

Panel: Nina Ajmone-Marsan, Magdalena Gurzun, Roxana Enache

10:30-11:30 Tricuspid regurgitation

Chairpersons: Marianna Adamo, Fabien Praz, Ovidiu Chioncel

Clinical case. Sorina Mihaila

What do the 2025 Guidelines say? Marianna Adamo (Italy)

Gaps & challenges in guidelines implementation. Ovidiu Chioncel

Discussion

12:00-13:00 Challenging scenarios in VHD – case-based presentations

Chairpersons: Victoria Delgado, Bernard Cosyns, Adriana Iliesiu

Multiple valve disease.

Clinical case. Radu Sascau

What's new? Bernard Cosyns (Belgium)

Discussion

Moderate aortic stenosis.

Clinical case. Adina Ionac

What's new? Nina Ajmone-Marsan (Netherlands)

Discussion

13:15-14:00 The questions you want to ask to the VHD Guidelines Task Force

Chairperson: Fabien Praz (Switzerland)

Panel discussion with the VHD 2025 Task Force members

14:00 Closure