



proCardio APAC 2019

THE PREMIER CARDIAC BIOMARKER FORUM

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Dear Dr./Prof.

It is our great pleasure to invite you to attend the 1st APAC proCardio masterclass on September 28, 2019 at Bangkok, Thailand.

proCardio originated from the global cardiac biomarker forum organized by Roche Diagnostics over a decade ago. From the past 11 global events, proCardio has been well received as a highly engaging scientific event featuring the world-class international cardiac leaders to share the latest science and clinical practice on cardiac markers. This year we have the opportunity to extend the global proCardio to the Asia Pacific region.

The APAC proCardio masterclass is comprised of two sessions for cardiac marker NT-proBNP and troponin T. It is a scientific and educational platform that provides a unique opportunity for participants to deep dive the biomarkers, evidences, guidelines and clinical applications. The program aims to transfer the knowledge from global experts to regional and local clinicians to cultivate the new generation of masters of biomarkers in the region.

Enclosed please find the agenda of the APAC proCardio masterclass. We cordially invite you to join the masterclass and look forward to welcoming you at the event soon!

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
09:00 – 09:10	Welcome and introduction	Dr James L. Januzzi, USA
09:10 – 12:00	NT-proBNP masterclass	Dr James L. Januzzi, USA
09:10 – 10:00	Introduction to Cardiac Natriuretic Peptide Biology	
10:00 – 10:30	NT-proBNP in Diagnosis of Acute Heart Failure	
10:30 – 10:50	BREAK	
10:50 – 11:20	NT-proBNP in Prognosis in Acute and Chronic HF	
11:20 – 11:50	NT-proBNP in Therapy Monitoring	
11:50 – 12:00	Summary & Closing	
12:00 – 13:00	LUNCH	
13:00 – 17:00	Troponin T masterclass	Dr Evangelos Giannitsis, Germany
13:00 – 13:30	Troponin the basics	
13:30 – 14:10	cTnT-hs accelerated algorithm: from evidence to practice	
14:10 – 15:10	The use of troponin in special population - Non-cardiac surgery - Skeletal muscle disease - Renal disease	
15:10 – 15:30	BREAK	
15:30 – 16:00	Case Study	
16:00 – 16:50	FAQ: Gender specific cutoff? POC vs serum test? Health screening?	
16:50 – 17:00	Summary and Closing	