



## Scientific Programme

### Conference Venue

Elite Hotel Marina Tower  
Saltsjöqvarn Kaj 25  
131 71 Nacka, Sweden

### Sunday November 11th

Time	Programme
13:00-18:00	Registration open
15:00-17:00	Update committee's meeting
19:00-19:30	Reception and welcome drink
19:30-22:00	Chairpersons' and speakers' dinner

### Monday November 12th

Time	Programme
<b>08:20-08:30</b>	<b>Welcome address and introduction</b> <i>Niaz Ahmed (SE) and Thorsten Steiner (DE)</i>
<b>08:30-09:30</b>	<b>Session 1: Pre-hospital management, Patient selection</b> Chair: Heinrich Audebert (DE) and Guillaume Turc (FR) Secretary: Magnus Thoren (SE)
08:30-08:45	<b>What is proven (stroke mobile, nitroglycerin, oxygen, pre-conditioning)</b> <i>Speaker: Heinrich Audebert (DE)</i>
08:45-09:00	<b>Prehospital identification of candidates for endovascular treatment</b> <i>Speaker: Urs Fischer (CH)</i>



09:00-09:15	<b>Drip and ship vs mother ship for thrombectomy: What referral system works best for endovascular treatment?</b> <i>Speaker: Guillaume Turc (FR)</i>
09:15-09:30	<b>Presentation of Draft Consensus Statement &amp; Discussion</b> Speaker: Secretary and Chair
<b>09:30-10:30</b>	<b>Session 2: Acute management of SAH/ ICH</b> Chair: Charlotte Cordonnier (FR) and Bart Van Der Worp (NL) Secretary: Erik Lundström (SE)
09:30-09:45	<b>SAH - Which diagnostic test, and when?</b> <i>Speaker: Gabriel Rinkel (NL)</i>
09:45-10:00	<b>ICH - Which diagnostic test, and when?</b> <i>Speaker: Charlotte Cordonnier (FR)</i>
10:00-10:15	<b>TICH-2 - what lessons have we learned?</b> <i>Speaker: Nikola Sprigg (UK)</i>
10:15-10:30	<b>Presentation of Draft Consensus Statement &amp; Discussion</b> Speaker: Secretary and Chair
<b>10:30-11:00</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>11:00-12:00</b>	<b>Session 3: Blood pressure and glucose control after stroke</b> Chair: Simona Sacco (IT) and Else Sandset (NO) Secretary: Marius Matusevicius (SE)
11:00-11:15	<b>Glucose - does it matter?</b> <i>Speaker: Georgios Tsivgoulis (GR)</i>
11:15-11:30	<b>Blood pressure management during the chain of treatment in patients with acute ischaemic stroke</b> <i>Speaker: Else Sandset (NO)</i>
11:30-11:45	<b>Blood pressure management during the chain of treatment in patients with ICH</b> <i>Speaker: Thorsten Steiner (DE)</i>



11:45-12:00	<b>Presentation of Draft Consensus Statement &amp; Discussion</b> Speaker: Secretary and Chair
12:00-13:00	<b>Lunch and Poster Exhibition</b>
12:00–13:00	<b>Industry Symposium Amgen</b>
13:00-13:30	<b>Special Lecture: Neuroimaging in acute ischaemic stroke: history, current and future</b> Speaker: Joanna Wardlaw (UK)
13:30-14:45	<b>Session 4: Update on Work-up and secondary prevention issues 1</b> Chair: Andreas Charidimou (US) and George Ntaios (GR) Secretary: Tiago Moreira (SE)
13:30-13:45	<b>What is good clinical practice in work up for suspected cardio-embolic cases? Echo and monitoring in all patients?</b> <i>Speaker: Marta Rubiera (ES)</i>
13:45-14:00	<b>How to choose secondary prevention in Embolic Stroke of Undetermined Source (ESUS)</b> <i>Speaker: Robert Hart (CA)</i>
14:00-14:15	<b>What secondary prevention in multiple stroke etiologies?</b> <i>Speaker: George Ntaios (GR)</i>
14:15-14:30	<b>Lipids and stroke: Statins, PCSK9 inhibitors, and LDL-levels; and whom not to treat?</b> <i>Speaker: Haralampos Milionis (GR)</i>
14:30-14:45	<b>Presentation of Draft Consensus Statement &amp; Discussion</b> <i>Speaker: TBD</i>
14:45-15:45	<b>Coffee Break and Poster Exhibition</b>
14:45-15:45	<b>Workshop GE Healthcare</b>
15:45-17:00	<b>Session 5: Update on secondary prevention issues 2</b> Chair: Danilo Toni (IT) and Christian Pristipino (IT) Secretary: Maria Lantz (SE)
15:45-16:00	<b>PFO- Occlusion is the choice</b>



	<i>Speaker: Christina Sjöstrand (SE)</i>
16:00-16:15	<b>PFO- Occlusion is only for selected patients</b> <i>Speakers: Christian Pristipino (IT)</i>
16:15-16:30	<b>LAA occlusion- Whom, when and how?</b> <i>Speaker: Grethe Andersen (DK)</i>
16:30-16:45	<b>LAA occlusion- Don't do it!</b> <i>Speaker: Peter Schellinger (DE)</i>
16:45-17:00	<b>Presentation of Draft Consensus Statement &amp; Discussion</b> Speaker: Secretary and Chair
<b>17:00-18:00</b>	<b>SITS International Open Session</b> Chair: Nils Wahlgren (SE)
17:00-17:15	<b>Welcome address and SITS activities</b> <i>Speaker: Nils Wahlgren (SE)</i>
	<b>Current Recruitment status of the SITS Registry</b> <i>Speaker: Michael Mazya (SE)</i>
17:15-17:30	<b>SITS ICH Registry and proposed removal of variables from the SITS Registry, SITS ICH Registry</b> <i>Speaker: Niaz Ahmed (SE)</i>
	<b>Proposed removal of variables from the SITS data entry protocols</b> <i>Speaker: Tiago Moreira (SE)</i>
17:30-17:35	<b>SITS Award 2018</b> <i>Speaker: Charlotte Alme (SE)</i>
17:35-17:50	<b>Practical experience of using the SITS Registry from the SITS award winner this year</b> IVT data entry protocol TBY data entry protocol APP data entry protocol
17:50-18:00	<b>Open Questions and Answers</b>
<b>19:00</b>	<b>Welcome Cocktail</b>



<b>19:30</b>	<b>Karolinska Stroke Award Presentation</b> Vice Chancellor/President Karolinska Institutet TBD
<b>19:30</b>	<b>Official Conference Dinner</b>

## Tuesday November 13th

<b>08:30-09:30</b>	<b>Session 6: Clinical stroke trials</b> Chair: Bo Norrving (SE) Secretary: Konstantinos Kostulas (SE)
08:30-08:45	<b>How do we increase the generalisability of future stroke trials especially as to women and the old?</b> <i>Speaker: Hanne Christensen (DK)</i>
08:45-09:00	<b>Clinical end-point trials for prolonged cardiac monitoring in stroke: needed</b> <i>Speaker: Martin Köhrmann (DE)</i>
09:00-09:15	<b>Clinical end-point trials for prolonged cardiac monitoring in stroke: needless</b> <i>Speaker: Georgios Tsivgoulis (GR)</i>
09:15-09:30	<b>Presentation of Draft Consensus Statement &amp; Discussion</b> Speaker: Secretary and Chair
<b>09:30-09:50</b>	<b>Short Session 7: Post-stroke dysphagia</b> <i>Chair: Niaz Ahmed (SE)</i>
09:30-09:45	<b>Swallowing test and beyond</b> <i>Speaker: Emilia Michou (UK)</i>
09:45-09:50	<b>Discussion</b>
<b>09:55-10:25</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>10:25-10:45</b>	<b>Short Session 8: Post-stroke early mobilization</b> <i>Chair: Niaz Ahmed (SE)</i>
10:25-10:40	<b>Should we avoid early mobilisation after AVERT?</b>



	<i>Speaker: Katharina Sunnerhagen (SE)</i>
10:40-10:45	<b>Discussion</b>
<b>10:45-12:00</b>	<b>Session 9: Oral anticoagulation and reversal agents after stroke</b> Chair: Joji Kuramatsu (DE) and Thorsten Steiner (DE) Secretary: Boris Keselman (SE)
10:45-11:00	<b>Use of reversal agents for anticoagulation in the setting of acute stroke (ischemic stroke eligible to revascularization or intracerebral hemorrhage)</b> <i>Speaker: Jan Purrucker (DE)</i>
11:00-11:15	<b>Reinitiation of antithrombotics after ICH</b> <i>Speaker: Eleni Korompoki (UK)</i>
11:15-11:30	<b>Antithrombotic management in patients with atrial fibrillation and microbleeds</b> <i>Speaker: Andreas Charidimou (UK/USA)</i>
11:45-12:00	<b>Presentation of Draft Consensus Statement &amp; Discussion</b> Speaker: Secretary and Chair
<b>12:00-13:00</b>	<b>Lunch and Poster Exhibition</b>
<b>12:00-13:00</b>	<b>Industry Symposium Boehringer Ingelheim</b>
<b>13:00-14:30</b>	<b>Session 10: IVT in acute ischaemic stroke</b> Chair: Götz Thomalla (DE) and Robert Mikulik (CZ) Secretary: Michael Mazya (SE)
13:00-13:15	<b>Thrombolysis in minor stroke- No need for IVT in minor stroke</b> <i>Speaker: Pooja Khatri (USA)</i>
13:15-13:30	<b>Thrombolysis in minor stroke: There is still good evidence to continue treating minor stroke with IVT</b> <i>Speaker: William Whiteley (UK)</i>
13:30-13:45	<b>Criteria for identification of possible candidates for late IVT (Wake up or unknown time of onset)</b> <i>Speaker: Götz Thomalla (DE)</i>



13:45-14:00	<b>Should tenecteplase replace alteplase in routine care?</b> <i>Speaker: Eivind Berge (NO)</i>
14:00-14:15	<b>Presentation of Draft Consensus Statement &amp; Discussion</b> Speaker: Secretary and Chair
14:15-14:30	<b>Discussion</b>
<b>14:30-15:00</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>15:00-16:30</b>	<b>Session 11: Mechanical thrombectomy</b> Chair: Gary A. Ford (UK) and Joan Marti-Fabregas (ES) Secretary: Åsa Kuntze Söderqvist (SE)
15:00-15:15	<b>Intravenous thrombolysis before endovascular treatment: beneficial or just dangerous?</b> <i>Speaker: Diederik W. J. Dippel (NL)</i>
15:15-15:30	<b>Thrombectomy beyond the conventional therapeutic window and in unwitnessed stroke</b> <i>Speaker: Satu Mustanoja (FI)</i>
15:30-15:45	<b>Conscious sedation or general anaesthesia in patients undergoing endovascular procedures</b> <i>Speaker: Mads Rasmussen (DK)</i>
15:45-16:00	<b>Critical review of the ESO-ESMINT guideline</b> <i>Speaker: Gary A. Ford (UK)</i>
16:00-16:15	<b>Presentation of Draft Consensus Statement</b> Speaker: Secretary and Chair
16:15-16:30	<b>Discussion</b>
<b>16:30-16:45</b>	<b>Summary and Closing of the Meeting</b>