Monday, 29 May
08:00 - 08:15
Welcome and Introductions

Friday, 29 May
08:15 - 08:50
Keynote Lecture
The global burden of perioperative patient harm - Current priorities for action

Chair:
Johannes Wacker (Zürich, Switzerland)

Keynote Speaker
08:15 - 08:50
Jannicke Mellin-Olsen (Haslum, Norway)

Friday, 29 May
09:00 - 10:00
Symposium
Patient blood management as a patient safety strategy

Chair:
Daniela Filipescu (Bucharest, Romania)

Adequate preoperative anaemia management - How to make it happen
09:00 - 09:15
Patrick Meybohm* (Würzburg, Germany)

Reducing preventable harm during massive transfusions
09:15 - 09:30
Keith Ruskin (Chicago, United States)

Implementing a safe point of care program for perioperative coagulation management
09:30 - 09:45
Linda Shore-Lesserson (New York, United States)

Moderated discussion
09:45 - 10:00

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10:00 - 10:30
Coffee Break

Friday, 29 May
10:30 - 12:00
Parallel Breakout Session I
Safety challenges related to perioperative equipment and monitoring
**Chair:**
Richard Urman* (Boston, United States)

**Patient safety during general anaesthesia - Do we need to reconsider monitoring standards?**  
Jan Hendrickx* (Aalst, Belgium)  
10:30 - 11:15

**Understanding device ergonomics for patient safety**  
Keith Ruskin (Chicago, United States)  
11:15 - 12:00

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**Parallel Breakout Session II**
Advancing perioperative medication safety

**Chair:**
David Whitaker (Manchester, United Kingdom)

**Perioperative medication-related patient harm - Evidence from incident reporting**  
Daniel Arnal (Alcorcon, Spain)  
10:30 - 11:15

**Safe perioperative medication administration - Practical update from the APSF**  
Elizabeh Rebello (Houston, United States)  
11:15 - 12:00

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**Lunch break**

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**Panel**
Combating preventable perioperative patient harm

**Chair:**
Benedikt Preckel (Amsterdam, Netherlands)

**Safety strategies to prevent failure to rescue following perioperative stroke**  
Adrian Gelb* (San Francisco, United States)  
13:00 - 13:15

**Preventing avoidable airway and pulmonary complications**  
Timothy M. Cook* (Bath, United Kingdom)  
13:15 - 13:30

**Improving ward monitoring to prevent perioperative complications**  
Sharon Einav (Jerusalem, Israel)  
13:30 - 13:45

**Moderated discussion**  
13:45 - 14:00
Ten years Helsinki Declaration on patient safety in anaesthesiology (HD) - Celebrations and challenges

Chair:
Johannes Wacker (Zürich, Switzerland)
Daniel Arnal (Alcorcon, Spain)

- The declaration’s past and future contributions to reducing preventable patient harm...
  14:00 - 14:00
  Jannicke Mellin-Olsen (Haslum, Norway)

- ... by strengthening global standing and workforce of anaesthesiology
  14:00 - 14:12
  David Whitaker (Manchester, United Kingdom)

- ... by developing European patient safety standards
  14:12 - 14:24
  Sven E. A. Staender (Maennedorf, Switzerland)

- ... by creating joint momentum through collaboration between organisations
  14:24 - 14:36
  Andrew Fairley Smith* (Lancaster, United Kingdom)

- ... by identifying needs and promoting solutions at the clinical frontline
  14:36 - 14:48

Moderated discussion
14:48 - 15:00

Coffee Break
15:00 - 15:30

Practices that will improve the safety of your patients

Chair:
Keith Ruskin (Chicago, United States)

- Avoiding postoperative respiratory depression
  15:30 - 15:45
  Richard Urman* (Boston, United States)

- Practical advice on fatigue self-management
  15:45 - 16:00
  Céline Mühlethaler (Zurich, Switzerland)

- Immediate steps for taking care of second victims
  16:00 - 16:15
  Sven E. A. Staender (Maennedorf, Switzerland)

- What nurse anaesthetists can contribute to patient safety
  16:15 - 16:30
  Arvid Steinar Haugen* (Bergen, Norway)

- Overcoming hurdles to critical incident reporting
  16:30 - 16:45
  Vojislava Neskoivc (Belgrade, Serbia)
Moderated discussion

16:45 - 17:00

Friday, 29 May
17:00 - 18:00

Reception