



ECHDO
European Congenital
Heart Disease Organisation

PROGRAM – 11TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

27th to 28th of March, Milan, Italy

IRCCS Policlinico San Donato

Piazza Edmondo Malan, 2, 20097 San Donato Milanese MI, Milano

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Friday 27th of March

- 16.30 - Welcome coffee
17.00 Welcome – opening the meeting
17.15 Presentation round and update
18.00 – 19.00 Lectures start; topics – connecting Europe to the world
- Future challenges in patient advocacy;
Marco Greco, president of the European patient forum
- 20.00 Dinner (offered by ECHDO)

Saturday 28th of March

- 9.00 – 11.00 AGM
11. – 11:30 Coffee break
11:30 – 13 Lectures; association corporate governance and psycho-social welfare
- Association corporate governance; the collaboration between White and Case and ECHDO
Eline Souffriau, Belgium
 - Coping with the grief and loss in the various phases of CHD;
Dr Adrienne Kovacs, USA
- 13 – 14 Lunch (at the hospital, offered by ECHDO)
14 – 15 Lectures; topics – patient empowerment and networking
- Past, present and future of Pediatric Cardiac Surgery; *Dr. Alessandro Frigiola, co-head of cardiac surgery*
- 15 – 17 Topics - learning from each other
- Project sharing and European partnership;
Presentations from the member organizations and round table discussion
- 17 – 17.30 Summary and closing of the meeting with coffee
20.00 Dinner (offered by ECHDO)

- small changes to program possible -