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THURSDAY OCTOBER 21, 2004

- 09:00 **VULNERABLE PLAQUE**
Plaques at high risk of myocardial infarction and sudden death
A. Van der Wal, Amsterdam-NL
Triggers and clinical markers of acute coronary syndromes
F. Crea, Roma-I
In vivo detection of vulnerable plaque: invasive imaging
R. De Caterina, Chieti-I
In vivo detection of vulnerable plaque: non invasive imaging
J. Narula, Orange-USA
Interventional treatment of acute coronary syndromes
B. Reimers, Mirano Venezia-I
- 12:15 **Key note lecture** Experimental Atherogenesis
H-A. Lehr, Mainz-D
- 17:00 **OPENING CEREMONY AND MASTER LECTURE**
Aula Magna, Palazzo del Bo'
Therapeutic weapons against atherothrombosis
V. Fuster, New York-USA

FRIDAY OCTOBER 22, 2004

- 09:00 **HEART VALVE DISEASE**
Surgical anatomy of cardiac valves
A. Cook, London-UK
The current pathology spectrum of valve disease
P. Bruneval, Paris-F
Clinical non-invasive assessment of heart valve disease: morphological and functional aspects
R. Scognamiglio, Padua-I
Surgical treatment: valve repair
O. Alfieri, Milan-I
Surgical treatment: valve replacement and outcome
G. Gerosa, Padua-I
- 17:00 **Key note lecture** Advances in cardiovascular imaging
R. Fattori, Bologna-I

SATURDAY OCTOBER 23, 2004

- 09:00 **STEM CELLS** Joint Symposium of the Association for European Cardiovascular Pathology and Society for Cardiovascular Pathology
Development of cardiac muscle cell diversity
A. Moorman, Amsterdam-NL
Human and mouse stem cells in repair of the injured heart: functional aspects
C. Murry, Seattle-USA
Endothelial and smooth muscle progenitor cells and their roles in tissue regeneration
R.N. Mitchell, Boston-USA
Factors affecting functional outcome after autologous skeletal myoblast transplantation
J-T. Vilquin, Paris-F
Infarct remodelling after intramyocardial progenitor cell injection treatment in patients with acute myocardial infarction
C. Stamm, Rostock-D
- 12:30 **Key note lecture** Molecular genetics of sudden death
G.A. Danieli, Padua-I

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