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An update on cutting-edge Cardiovascular and Renal Medicine themes.

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Day 1

8.20, Welcome, Introduction  Gerard London and Carmine Zoccali

8.30-11.10
Arterial aging and arterial disease: interplay between central hemodynamics, cardiac work and organ flow. Implications for CKD and cardiovascular disease. Gerard London (Paris)

Arterial remodeling and CKD  Pierre Boutourye (Paris)

11.10-11.30  Coffee Break

11.30-13.10

13.10-14.00 Lunch

14.00-15.40
Diagnostic and Prognostic Research. The Biomarkers Science: methodology. Carmine Zoccali (Reggio Cal)

Cardiovascular Biomarkers in CKD and in ESRD Alberto Ortiz (Madrid)

Day 2

8.30-10.30
The science of Oxidative stress: what it is, how to measure. Ziad Massy

Oxidative stress in CKD and in ESRD: is there any evidence that countering this pathway may translate into better clinical outcomes?. The clinician perspective. Alberto Martinez Castelao (Barcelona)

Revisiting the bone-vascular connection in the clinical arena: light and shades of a still undeciphered functional link. Jorge Cannata

10.30-10.50  Coffee Break

10.50-13.10
A consensus of nutritional status evaluation in CKD and in ESRD Denis Fouque
Fluid management in PD patients: the european view **Wim Van Biesen**

The lipid story in CKD and in ESRD. A long story with a happy end? **Andrzjei Wiececk**

13.10-14.00 **Lunch**

14.00-15.00
The grey line of dialysis initiation: when dialysis should be started? which treatment? **Bengt Lindholm (Stockholm)**

**Day 3**

8.30-10.30.
An update on the obesity epidemics in CKD and in ESRD. Does it really matter? **Francesca Mallamaci (Reggio Cal)**

Cardiovascular calcification: By now a risk stratification criterion rather than a treatment target **David Goldsmith**

10.30-11.00 **Coffee Break**

11.00-13.00
A fresh look at anemia in 2011: altitude, Hb targets and beyond. **Danilo Fliser (Homburg/Saar)**

Uremic Toxicity in 2011: What really matters in the universe of solutes accumulation in CKD and ESRD?. **Raymond Vanholder (Ghent)**

13.00 **Summing Up. Farewell**