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Bridging Innovation and Clinical
Practice Across Borders*

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July 3 – July 5, 2026
Lisbon, Portugal



Scientific Program Schedule

Main CME Program

Day 2 – Sunday, July 5, 2026

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8:00 – 8:25 AM	AI Role in Improving Outcomes in Complex Endovascular Aneurysm Repair Mahmoud Malas, MD Vascular Surgery	0.5 CME
8:25 – 8:50 AM	Robotics and AI in Surgery and Medicine Raed Alnajjar, MD Cardiothoracic Surgery	0.5 CME
8:50 – 9:15 AM	The Modern Doctor and Algorithmic Conscience: Islamic Ethics in the Age of AI Medicine Hassan Bencheqroun, MD, MBA Pulmonology	0.5 CME
9:15 – 9:40 AM	New Frontiers in Airway Disease: Asthma, COPD, and Emerging Therapies Nicola Hanania, MD, MS Pulmonology	0.5 CME
9:40 – 10:05 AM	Plenary Speaker: Improving Access to Care With an Intelligent Control Plane Taha Kass-Hout, MD, MS Cardiology, Chief Science and Technology Browser	0.5 CME

10:05 – 10:25 AM Coffee Break

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10:25 – 10:50 AM	Exertional Dyspnea: VCD vs Asthma Bassel Salman, MD Pediatric Pulmonology	0.5 CME
10:50 – 11:15 AM	Understanding Menopause and Metabolic Health in Arab American Women Anna Cabeça, DO Obstetrics and Gynecology	0.5 CME
11:15 – 11:40 AM	Renal Cell Carcinoma: State of Research and Future Directions Nizar Tannir, MD, FACP Oncology	0.5 CME
11:40 – 12:05 PM	Minimally Invasive, Non-Surgical Management of Thyroid Tumors Sina Jasim, MD, MPH Endocrinology	0.5 CME
12:05 – 12:30 PM	Bad Liver, Good Liver Rui Tato Marinho, MD, PhD Gastroenterology	0.5 CME
12:30 – 12:55 PM	Metabolic Syndrome: Evolution, Impact, Prognosis, and New Management Tarek Hassanein, MD Gastroenterology	0.5 CME

Closing Remarks



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