



# CME Meeting of EURECA-m and CKD-MBD Working Groups

Makedonia Palace Hotel - Thessaloniki, Greece  
September 13-15, 2018



**FINAL PROGRAMME**



EDUCATION

# FACULTY

## Speakers

**Mario Cozzolino**, *Milan - Italy*  
**Etienne Cavalier**, *Liege - Belgium*  
**Charles Ferro**, *Birmingham - United Kingdom*  
**Danilo Fliser**, *Homburg - Germany*  
**Joao Frazão**, *Porto - Portugal*  
**Michael Doumas**, *Thessaloniki - Greece*  
**Robert Ekart**, *Maribor - Slovenia*  
**Mehmet Kanbay**, *Istanbul - Turkey*  
**Gerard London**, *Paris - France*  
**Francesca Mallamaci**, *Reggio Calabria - Italy*  
**Jolanta Malyszko**, *Bialystok - Poland*  
**Ziad A. Massy**, *Paris - France*  
**Patrick Mark**, *Glasgow - United Kingdom*  
**Sandro Mazzaferro**, *Rome - Italy*  
**Alberto Ortiz Arduan**, *Madrid - Spain*  
**Aikaterini Papagianni**, *Thessaloniki - Greece*  
**Mariano Rodriguez**, *Cordoba - Spain*  
**Pantelis Sarafidis**, *Thessaloniki - Greece*  
**Apostolos Tsapas**, *Thessaloniki - Greece*  
**Costas Tsioufis**, *Athens - Greece*  
**Pablo Ureña-Torres**, *Paris - France*  
**Jose Valdivielso**, *Lleida, Spain*  
**Raymond Vanholder**, *Ghent - Belgium*  
**Marianne Verhaar**, *Utrecht - The Netherlands*  
**Marc Vervloet**, *Amsterdam - The Netherlands*  
**Andrzej Więcek**, *Katowice - Poland*  
**Carmine Zoccali**, *Reggio Calabria - Italy*

## Chairmen

**Theofanis Apostolou**, *Athens - Greece*  
**Elias Balaskas**, *Thessaloniki - Greece*  
**Ioannis Boletis**, *Athens - Greece*  
**Stella Douma**, *Thessaloniki - Greece*  
**Georgios Efstratiadis**, *Thessaloniki - Greece*  
**Dimitrios Goumenos**, *Patras - Greece*  
**Asterios Karagiannis**, *Thessaloniki - Greece*  
**Anastasios Lasaridis**, *Thessaloniki - Greece*  
**Vassilios Liakopoulos**, *Thessaloniki - Greece*  
**Stylianos Panagoutsos**, *Alexandroupolis - Greece*  
**Ploumis Passadakis**, *Alexandroupolis - Greece*  
**Ioannis Stefanidis**, *Larissa - Greece*  
**Elias Thodis**, *Alexandroupolis - Greece*  
**Dimitrios Vlachakos**, *Athens - Greece*  
**Pantelis Zebekakis**, *Thessaloniki - Greece*

## BOARD MEMBERS EURECA-m

**Chair:** Francesca Mallamaci  
**Vice-Chair:** Charles J. Ferro

Robert Ekart  
Jolanta Malyszko  
Pantelis Sarafidis  
José Manuel Valdivielso  
Alberto Ortiz Arduan

## BOARD MEMBERS CKD– MBD

**Chair:** Mario Cozzolino  
**Vice-Chair:** Marc Vervloet

Etienne Cavalier  
João M Frazão  
Mariano Rodriguez Portillo  
Sandro Mazzaferro  
Peter Stenvinkel  
Pablo Ureña-Torres

## LOCAL COORDINATOR

**Pantelis Sarafidis**

*Assistant Professor in Nephrology, School of Medicine, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki,  
Department of Nephrology, Hippokration Hospital, Thessaloniki, Greece*

## Thursday, September 13<sup>th</sup>, 2018

16:30 Registrations

17:00-17:20 Welcome and Introduction  
**Pantelis Sarafidis, Aikaterini Papagianni**

17:20-18:00 Welcome Lecture

Chair: **Georgios Efstratiadis**

A portrait of Byzantine Thessaloniki

**Alkmini Stavridou-Zafraka**

*Professor Emeritus of Byzantine History, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki*

### 18:00-20:00 Session 1

Chairs: **Ioannis N. Boletis, Stylianos Panagoutsos**  
Metabolomics approach to cardiovascular risk in CKD  
**Raymond Vanholder**

Atrial fibrillation in CKD: an unduring, scarcely focused problem

**Jolanta Malyszko**

An update on the role of FGF-23 and Klotho axis in cardiovascular disease

**Aikaterini Papagianni**

Regenerative nephrology: a 2018 update

**Marianne Verhaar**

## Friday, September 14<sup>th</sup> 2018

### 09:00-11:00 Session 2

Chairs: **Ioannis Stefanidis, Vassilios Liakopoulos**

Vitamin D rehabilitated for vascular health

**Mario Cozzolino**

Biomarkers from bone.....and beyond!

**Etienne Cavalier**

Inflammation at the crossroad of MBD and cardiovascular disease

**Sandro Mazzaferro**

Middle-molecule uremic toxins and outcomes in CKD

**Ziad A. Massy**

11:00-11:30 **Coffee-Break**

### 11:30-13:30 Session 3

Chairs: **Ploumis Passadakis, Asterios Karagiannis**

Neuro-immune links and cardiovascular and renal outcomes in CKD

**Carmine Zoccali**

Renal denervation – a chance to slow the CKD progression?

**Andrzej Więcek**

Cardiovascular and renal effects of SGLT-2 inhibitors and GLP-1 agonists: an update based on upcoming ADA/EASD guidelines

**Apostolos Tsapas**

Ambulatory BP, pulse wave analysis and BP variability: potential value in dialysis

**Pantelis Sarafidis**

13:30-14:30 **Lunch Break**

### 14:30-16:30 Session 4

Chairs: **Anastasios Lasaridis, Dimitrios Vlachakos**

Sleeping disordered breathing in renal diseases

**Francesca Mallamaci**

Myocardial fibrosis in CKD - from clinic to laboratory and back to the clinic

**Charles Ferro**

Stroke and vascular cognitive decline in CKD- what are the targets for intervention?

**Patrick Mark**

An update about uric acid in CKD: what should we know and do?

**Mehmet Kanbay**

16:30-16:45 **Coffee-Break**

### 16:45-18:30 Session 5

Chairs: **Pantelis Zebekakis, Elias Balaskas**

Atherosclerosis in CKD: is it really different from the general population?

**Jose Valdivielso**

Obesity in patients with CKD: an unappreciated epidemic?

**Robert Ekart**

Sexual dysfunction in CKD: a circulatory defect or more?

**Michael Dumas**

## Saturday, September 15<sup>th</sup> 2018

### 09:00-11:00 Session 6

Chairs: **Dimitrios Goumenos, Theofanis Apostolou**

The Bone-Vessel axis

**Joao Frazão**

Vascular phosphate toxicity revisited

**Marc Vervloet**

The role of dietary fat in vascular calcification

**Mariano Rodriguez**

Parathyroid Hormone as a cardiovascular risk factor in CKD: a reassessment in 2018

**Gerard London**

11:00-11:30 **Coffee-Break**

### 11:30-13:30 Session 7

Chairs: **Elias Thodis, Stella Douma**

Update on pharmaceutical and interventional treatment of resistant hypertension

**Costas Tsioufis**

Effects of antihypertensive treatment on the skeleton

**Pablo Ureña-Torres**

Sex differences in CKD incidence and outcomes: beyond sex hormones?

**Alberto Ortiz**

RAAS blockade and hyperkalemia - a cause of concern or not?

**Danilo Fliser**

13:30-13:45 Conclusions and Farewell

**Pantelis Sarafidis, Dimitrios Goumenos**

# GENERAL INFORMATION

## Venue

Alexandros II room, Makedonia Palace Hotel, Thessaloniki  
2 Megalou Alexandrou, Thessaloniki, Greece

## Registration

There is no registration fee

## UEMS CME Credits

The CME Meeting of EURECA-m and CKD-MBD Working Groups, Thessaloniki, Greece, 13/09/2018 has been accredited by the European Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (EACCME®) with 13 European CME credits (ECMEC®s. Each medical specialist should claim only those hours of credit that he/she actually spent in the educational activity. Through an agreement between the Union Européenne des Médecins Spécialistes and the American Medical Association, physicians may convert EACCME® credits to an equivalent number of AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Information on the process to convert EACCME® credit to AMA credit can be found at [www.ama-assn.org/education/earn-credit-participation-international-activities](http://www.ama-assn.org/education/earn-credit-participation-international-activities)

## For Greek participants

The course has been accredited by the Hellenic Medical Association with 15 European CME credits.

## ORGANIZING SECRETARIAT



### C.T.M. International S.A.

131 Vas. Sofias, 115 21 Athens, Greece  
tel +30 210 3244932, Fax +30 210 3250660  
[www.ctmi.gr](http://www.ctmi.gr)



For information:  
[www.ctmi.gr/cmecourse](http://www.ctmi.gr/cmecourse) and [cmecourse@ctmi.gr](mailto:cmecourse@ctmi.gr) (CTM International SA);  
[workinggroups@era-edta.org](mailto:workinggroups@era-edta.org) (ERA-EDTA)

A joint initiative of the ERA-EDTA Official Working Groups  
EURECA-m and CKB-MBD in collaboration with the Hellenic Society of Nephrology

