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GENETICS IN INHERITED CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES AND SUDDEN DEATH PREVENTION
Perspectives for the clinical application of Next Generation Sequencing

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MAIN OBJECTIVES
To share knowledge and experiences about the present situation, impact and application of Next Generation Sequencing (NGS) in inherited cardiovascular diseases.

METHODOLOGY
Each topic is introduced by several brief presentations that should serve as basis for the participation of the audience in the following discussion.

ORGANIZERS
Grupo de Investigación Cardiovascular, Universidad de A Coruña (GRINCAR-UDC) and Instituto de Investigación Biomédica de A Coruña (INIBIC); Cardiology Service, Complexo Hospitalario Universitario de A Coruña (CHUAC); Red de Investigación Cardiovascular (RIC).

PROGRAM

Introduction and welcome
8.20 | 8.30
Ricardo Cao-Abad | Vice-Chancellor of the University of A Coruña
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Prof. Alfonso Castro-Berías | Director of the Heart Unit and Head of the Cardiology Department at Complexo Hospitalario Universitario A Coruña (CHUAC)

Presentation of the meeting
8.30 | 8.40
Lorenzo Monserrat

Introductory lecture
8.40 | 9.00
Genetic studies in cardiovascular diseases.
William J McKenna

Introduction to NGS technology (focused on DNA analysis)

Moderators: Nicola Marziliano, Diego Garcia.
9.00 | 10.00
Principles of NGS: What is it and how does it work? Sample preparation, capture/amplicons and sequencing.
Illumina presentation
10.00 | 10.15
Questions/Discussion (to be continued during the following topics).

Our experiences: research in inherited cardiovascular diseases:

10.15 | 10.25
NGS in Hypertrophic cardiomyopathy.
Luis Lopes

10.25 | 10.35
NGS in Dilated cardiomyopathy.
Pablo García-Pavía

10.35 | 10.45
NGS in Idiopathic Ventricular Fibrillation.
Juan Jiménez-Jáimez

10.45 | 11.15
Discussion: Is this the correct direction? Could it be done in a different way? Other experiences? What’s next?...
11.15 | 11.45
Coffee break.

From research to clinical application

Moderators: Aris Anastasakis, Perry Elliott.
11.45 | 11.55
Presenting the problems-challenges (what technology, what strategy, who decides, the interpretation, etc.).
Martin Ortiz-Genga

11.55 | 12.05
What genetics do we need (and may we afford) in a reference unit: genes-panels-exomes? Clinician’s perspective.
Juan Ramón Gimeno

12.05 | 12.15
Will/should/could the patient decide? What are my patients demanding?.
Michael Arad

12.15 | 12.25
The problem of incidental findings.
Jens Mogensen

12.25 | 13.00
Discussion: Individual genes/focused panels/big panels/exomes/ genomes/all of them? Do we agree with the American Board of Medical Genetics Recommendations for the management of incidental findings?...

Science, politics and economy: knowledge, power and money

Moderators: Tomás Ripoll, Michael Arad
13.00 | 13.10
What would the European WG on Myocardial and Pericardial Diseases recommend about the application of NGS technologies?.
Perry Elliott

13.10 | 13.20
Who controls the indications?, and the delivery of the results? (Cardiologists, genetic counselors and managers).
Niall Mahon

13.20 | 13.30
Reimbursement for genetic studies. What is the situation?.
Jean-Charles Hoda

13.30 | 13.40
NGS in cardiovascular diseases and the pharmaceutical companies.
Ian Paterson

13.40 | 14.05
Discussion.

“Next Generation Sequencing” Perspectives

14.05 | 14.25
Lorenzo Monserrat

CLOSING REMARKS
14.25 | 14.30
William J McKenna, Lorenzo Monserrat

Lunch
14.30 | 15.30