15th World Congress on Ultrasound in Obstetrics and Gynecology
25-29 September 2005
Westin Bayshore Resort and Marina
Vancouver, Canada

Final Program

21 CME credits available from the EACCME
and 24 credits from the ACCME (US)
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Critical dates and times

Registration opening hours
The registration area will be located in the main foyer of the Conference Centre (level one). The opening times are:
- Sunday 25 September 2005 07:30–19:00
- Monday 26 September 2005 07:30–17:30
- Tuesday 27 September 2005 07:30–17:30
- Wednesday 28 September 2005 07:30–17:30
- Thursday 29 September 2005 07:30–12:45

Exhibition opening hours
The exhibition will be located in Salons A, B and C of the Bayshore Grand Ballroom (level one). The opening times are:
- Sunday 25 September 2005 18:30–21:30 (Welcome reception)
- Monday 26 September 2005 09:30–17:30
- Tuesday 27 September 2005 09:30–17:30
- Wednesday 28 September 2005 09:30–17:30
- Thursday 29 September 2005 09:30–11:30

Speakers' preparation room opening hours
Speakers MUST check in their presentation at the speakers' preparation room at least 4 hours prior to the commencement of the session in which they are due to present. Speakers presenting in the morning should check in the day before.

- Sunday 25 September 2005 08:00–16:00
- Monday 26 September 2005 08:00–17:30
- Tuesday 27 September 2005 08:00–17:30
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- Thursday 29 September 2005 07:30–13:30

Scientific program hours
The scientific program sessions will take place in the session halls, which are located in salons D, E and F off the exhibition hall/main lobby (level one) and in Salons 1 and 2 (level two). Please refer to the program for the exact location and timings of each session.

- Monday 26 September 2005 08:30–17:30
- Tuesday 27 September 2005 08:30–17:30
- Wednesday 28 September 2005 08:30–17:40
- Thursday 29 September 2005 08:00–12:45

ISUOG meetings
**ISUOG Annual General Meeting (AGM)**
All fully paid delegates are automatically enrolled as ISUOG members and invited to attend the AGM.
- Monday 26 September 2005 11:30  Room: Salons D–F
For details of scheduled ISUOG Committee meetings please refer to page 60 of this brochure.

Welcome message
I look forward to officially welcoming you to the 15th World Congress of ISUOG at our special opening ceremony on Sunday 25 September where we will start our meeting with a special tribute to Stuart Campbell, to whose brilliance we can attribute the success of our organisation to date. We are also deeply honoured this year to be joined by the Nobel Laureate, Dr Leland Hartwell, and our distinguished Gold Medal award winners who have contributed significantly to the further advancement of our profession. You can hear our distinguished guests present during our opening plenary sessions.

I would like to thank Knox Ritchie and Alain Gagnon for their hard work and dedication in chairing the Local Organising Committee and in welcoming us to their beautiful country. I also thank Karel Marsál particularly for his ongoing contributions to ISUOG during his immediate past Presidency and, in particular, through his work as Chair of the Scientific Committee in putting this meeting together. Your Board has been active this year in developing the future direction of ISUOG and if you have any suggestions as to how you would like to see ISUOG and this meeting move forward, please bring them to us here in Vancouver, or to our London Secretariat, where we are very fortunate to have a committed team of staff ready to answer your needs.

We hope you will all continue to participate in ISUOG’s ongoing educational activities through our World Congresses, our International Scientific Meetings and through our outstanding monthly Journal under the leadership of our new Editor-in-Chief, Yves Ville. We hope that those of you who are presenting abstracts at the meeting will consider submitting your completed work to our Journal for publication and to contribute to the excellent scientific content that makes Ultrasound in Obstetrics & Gynecology stand out from the rest.

I am honoured to continue to serve as your President in the coming year. Please feel free to contact me personally if you feel that I can make your participation at this meeting in Vancouver more enjoyable – please enjoy your time in this wonderful city.

Lawrence D Platt, ISUOG President
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CHAIRPERSON, SPEAKER AND POSTER PRESENTER AUDIO-VISUAL GUIDELINES

If you are chairing a session, speaking, or presenting a poster during the Congress, it is essential that you refer to the guidelines below. Please note that there may be several sections which are relevant to your activities. If, after reading the guidelines, you have any questions, please address them to the uniformed Congress staff in the speaker preparation room. The opening times are:

- Sunday 25 September 2005 08:00–16:00
- Monday 26 September 2005 08:00–17:30
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The speaker preparation room is located in the Prospect Room on the mezzanine area of level two. Please use the escalators located in the Conference Centre to access this room.

Speakers and poster presenters

- Please check your presentation card (found in your registration pack) to confirm the date, time and location of your session. If you have any questions with regards to your presentation time, please contact the Congress uniformed staff in the speaker preparation room.

Chairpersons and speakers

- Please ensure that you meet at the front of the session hall 10–15 minutes before the start of the session, or in the case of live scan sessions 30 minutes prior, to introduce yourselves, and in order that the chairperson can confirm the format for the session.
- All presentations must be in English as there are no facilities for simultaneous translation. Please ensure that you speak slowly and clearly throughout. This will assist audience members who do not have English as their first language.
- Unless specifically stated there is no additional time allocated in sessions for discussion. Within the time that you have been allocated, you MUST allow a minimum of 25% of the total presentation time for questions, as dictated by the University of British Columbia CME authorities. For an 8-minute traditional oral presentation you should therefore plan NO MORE THAN 6 MINUTES for your talk, plus 2 minutes for questions. If you are presenting in the new ‘just images’ category, the allocated time is shorter (i.e. 2 minutes for presentation of your images plus 3 minutes for discussion).
- The program schedule is extremely tight so all speakers must adhere to the time allocated to them. The chairperson will have a reminder light to assist them in keeping time. Should a speaker overrun they will be interrupted by the chairman who will request that the speaker stop. Please be considerate of other scheduled speakers if you are asked to conclude your talk and please do so promptly.

Applicable to chairpersons only

- There will be a host or hostess assigned to the session hall who will assist with any requirements you may have for the running of the session. A technician from the audio-visual team will also be available.
- There will be a roving microphone within each hall for discussion, which will be managed by the room host/hostess. Please direct the audience at the start of the sessions as to how questions will be managed to ensure the best use of the time available.

Applicable to speakers only

- All must report to the speaker preparation room the day before their presentation. You will be able to check your presentation with the audio-visual staff whose responsibility it is to ensure the presentation is sent to the lecture hall prior to the session.
- Presentation direct from a laptop is only permissible if pre-arranged. If you are presenting from your laptop you still need to report to the speaker preparation room the day before your presentation.
- If you are presenting a free communication abstract (i.e. with an 8 minute time slot) please note that you should NOT be presenting the background to your particular study or data set. This can be repetitive if several related studies are to be presented, and will be covered separately within the session if considered necessary. Time is short, so please keep your talk concise and focus only on your NEW data.

Poster presenters

- Obstetrics posters will be changed daily and gynecology posters will change once, on Wednesday 28 September. Obstetrics posters will be located in Cypress 1, Cypress 2 and gynecology only in the rear of Salon F. Posters will be on display from Monday 26 – Thursday 29 September 2005. You will have been previously informed of the day of your poster presentation. Please refer to the schedule below for the display, availability, installation and removal times.
- Presenters should in any case be available to answer questions at all break times indicated on the day of presentation. For those sessions where a chaired poster discussion session is scheduled (please refer to the enclosed program if you are unsure), PowerPoint presenters should arrive at the relevant poster area at least 10 minutes prior to the listed start time for the discussion group.

Special notes:

1. Please note there is no discussion session for the following poster sessions:
   a. Fetal heart – Tuesday 27 September
   b. Urogynecology – Wednesday 28 September

Applicable to traditional (hard copy) poster presenters only

- Posters must be removed according to the times above on the day that your poster is being presented. In the event that your poster has not been removed by the time stipulated, the poster...
Chairperson, speaker and poster presenter audio-visual guidelines

A display board giving a display area of approximately 1000mm (width) x 1000mm (length) will be provided for your poster.

A header panel with your poster number will be provided. This will not include the title of your poster.

The poster display boards are Velcro compatible. Velcro will be provided to all poster presenters at the Congress. Should you require additional Velcro, this can be obtained from the speakers' preparation room or the registration desk.

If you wish to keep your poster tube/container, please take these to the speakers' preparation room for storage. Please note that these are left at your own risk.

Applicable to PowerPoint poster presenters only

- PowerPoint posters should have been emailed in advance of the Congress to Professor Alain Gagnon.
- Presenters that have not emailed their PowerPoint posters in advance may check-in their posters at the speaker preparation room on the day PRIOR to the day or presentation. If you do not adhere to this, the organisers cannot guarantee that your poster will be included.
- On the day of presentation, PPT posters will be presented on a continuous rolling loop within the relevant themed poster session area and alongside the hard copy posters.

### Poster display times

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Invited speaker and abstract presenter declarations

Invited speakers

J.S. Abramowicz, USA
Consultant for Philips Medical Systems. No financial relations.

J.S. Carvalho, UK
Following my acceptance to do a live scan demonstration with any high resolution equipment, ALOKA representatives in the UK informed me that ALOKA will sponsor my airline ticket and hotel accommodation at the Congress. I do not serve on any of ALOKA’s committees. I am committed to presenting the live scan demonstration regardless of whether or not the equipment to be used is an ALOKA ultrasound system.

J.A. Copel, USA
Consultant for GE and Philips.

S.R. Goldstein, USA
Consultant for Cook Ob/Gyn and Akrad Labs.

L. Hartwell, USA
Serves on the scientific advisory board of Kereos.

D. Jurkovic, Japan
ALOKA Co. Japan has donated an ultrasound machine to my department for the purpose of training.

W. Lee, USA
Serves on the speakers’ bureau and advisory board for GE Healthcare with limited 3D ultrasound research from the company.

The following invited speakers have not submitted a declaration of interests form:

B. Benoît, France
B. Cacciatore, Italy
Y. Ville, USA

Abstract presenters

V. Catananzaro, President of MMSI and PRCO.

M. Crade, Canada
Medical Director for Ultrasonix.

J. Deng, USA
4D data used in this study was acquired using a live 3D ultrasound system on free loan from Philips Ultrasound UK.

V. Fernando, USA
Consultant for GE Medical Systems.

L.F. Gonçalves, Portugal
Loaned IE-33 equipment was used to conduct the study for the following abstract: “Flip the coin: 360 degree visualisation of fetal midline corpus callosum and secondary palate.”

J. Jirous, Kuwait
ATC Company, Kuwait, will cover my Congress expenses associated with payment of ticket and accommodation. I am not using ALOKA ultrasound system.

A. Kratochwil, Germany
Consultant for GE-Kretztechnik.

J. Kingdom, Canada

The following abstract presenters have not submitted a declaration of interests form:

T. Kanasugi, USA
M. Khoshidest, USA
L. Nardozza, Canada
B. Sonwane, USA

List of invited faculty

J.S. Abramowitz, USA
A.Z. Abuhamad, USA
J.L. Altazar, Spain
R.O. Bahado-Singh, USA
R.H. Ball, USA
A. Barbera, USA
A.A. Baschauf, Canada
B. Benoît, France
C.B. Benson, USA
H.G.K. Blaas, Norway
A. Blasier, Canada
T. Bourne, UK
C. Brezinka, Netherlands
M. Bronstein, Israel
B. Cacciatore, Finland
S. Campbell, UK
J.S. Carvalho, UK
R. Chaoui, Germany
G. Condous, UK
P. Cooperberg, Canada
J.A. Copel, USA
B.F. Cuneo, USA
J. Depreux, Belgium
G.R. DeVeore, USA
H.P. Dietz, Australia
P.M. Doubilet, USA
S.H. Eik-Nes, Norway
D. Farquharson, Canada
E. Ferrazzi, Italy
K. Fong, Canada
A.L. Gagnon, Canada
P. Gianc, Canada
B. Goldberg, USA
S.R. Goldstein, USA
R.B. Gordon, Canada
L. Hartwell, USA
K. Hecher, Germany
J.C. Hobbs, USA
J. Hyett, UK
S. Jamieson, Canada
P. Jeanty, USA
J.A. Johnson, Canada
D. Jurkovic, UK
M.D. Kibby, UK
J. Kingdom, Canada
T. Kiserud, Norway
D. Krakow, USA
D. Paladini, Italy
A.N. Papageorgiou, Canada
A.K. Parsons, USA
A.S. Pierson, Canada
G. Pilu, Italy
D.L. Platt, USA
D.H. Pretorius, USA
D. Pugash, Canada
R.A. Quintero, USA
N.J. Raine-Fenning, UK
J.W.K. Ritchie, Canada
G. Ryan, Canada
W. Sepulveda, Chile
A.A. Stewart, USA
A. Tabor, Denmark
S.L. Tan, Canada
A.C. Tesla, Italy
B. Thilagathan, UK
D. Timmerman, Belgium
I.E. Timor-Tritsch, USA
A. Toci, Canada
L.I.E. Valentin, Sweden
M.C. Van der Hof, Canada
C. Verchere, Canada
Y. Ville, France
J. Wladimiroff, Netherlands
S.Y. Yagel, Israel
I. Zakud, USA
Program orientation

- **The program at a glance** gives you an outline to each day’s events including session titles and times, and all refreshment breaks.
- **The program pages** give you the detailed chronological listing of events – please note that most sessions run in parallel so you will need to read through all sessions of similar time to decide which best suits your needs.
- Rooms as well as days are colour coded to assist you in ‘navigating’ the program.
- In all poster and oral presentation listings the presenting authors names are underlined.
- All lectures which are supported by free communication abstracts have an ‘OC’ number listed next to them, you can use this to refer to the abstract book in your Congress bag and the detailed abstract.
- Some of the sessions included are ‘live scan’ or ‘demonstration’ time: these are live or video updates on the latest techniques and technologies in the field which support the scientific data in the same subject area.
- Related posters are also listed under each oral session. The poster titles are listed in the pages immediately following the day of oral sessions. Posters are referenced to “P” numbers – you can use these both to locate the original abstracts in the abstract book, and to find the relevant posters in the dedicated poster areas.

CME objectives

At the end of this program the attendee will understand the:

- role of ultrasound in screening, treating and managing low risk and high risk pregnancies
- role of ultrasound in detecting ovarian cancer
- role of ultrasound in diagnosing congenital heart disease
- role of ultrasound in assessing uterine pathologies
- role of ultrasound in assessing the fetal brain and nervous system
- role of ultrasound in improving assisted reproductive technologies
- use of ultrasound to complement first- and second-trimester risk assessment
- new approaches with therapeutic ultrasound in gynecology
- potential bio-effects of ultrasound on the developing fetus

Accreditation

The University of British Columbia (UBC), Faculty of Medicine, Division of Continuing Medical Education, is fully accredited by the Committee on Accreditation of Canadian Medical Schools (CACMS) and by reciprocity through the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCMC) of the United States to sponsor continuing medical education for physicians. The UBC Division of Continuing Medical Education designates this educational program as meeting the accreditation criteria for a maximum of 24.0 Category 1 credits toward the American Medical Association Physician’s Recognition Award. There will be up to 9.0 additional hours of study credits available for those who attend the pre- and post-Congress courses. This program is an Accredited Group Learning Activity (Section 1) as defined by the Maintenance of Certification program of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada. This program has been reviewed and approved by UBC Division of Continuing Medical Education. Each physician should claim only those credits he/she actually spent in the activity.

**EACCME**

The International Society of Ultrasound in Obstetrics and Gynecology is accredited by the European Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (EACCME) to provide the following CME activity for medical specialists. The EACCME is an institution of the European Union of Medical Specialists (UEMS), www.uems.be.

The 15th World Congress on Ultrasound in Obstetrics and Gynecology is designated for a maximum of 21 hours of European external CME credits. Each medical specialist should claim only those hours of credit that he/she actually spent in the educational activity.

EACCME credits are recognised as Physician’s Recognition Award by the American Medical Association.
**Program at a glance**

**Venue floor plan**

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**Course 1A  3D ultrasound: basic course**  
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**Course 1B  3D ultrasound: expert course**  
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<td>3D ultrasound off-line scanning: getting the best you can</td>
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Computer tricks
Where am I in the volume? Multiplanar vs. rendered W. Lee (USA)
How do I get the right view? G.R. DeVore (USA)

14:30–14:50 Coffee
Delegates from Course 1A will then join the rest of this program

Real-world challenges
14:50 Obstetrics B. Benoit (France)
15:05 Obstetrics K. Baba (Japan)
15:20 Gynecology A. Kratochwil (Austria)
15:35 Gynecology D. Jurkovic (UK)
15:50 Obstetrics I.E. Timor-Tritsch (USA)
16:05 Obstetrics R. Chaoui (Germany)
16:20 Gynecology A. Lev-Toaff (USA)
16:35 Gynecology B. Benacerraf (USA)

Future enhancements
16:50 Clinical: additional clinical applications A.Z. Abuhamad (USA)
17:05 Equipment improvements L.D. Platt (USA)

How to make 3D ultrasound useful
17:20 Panellist: L.D. Platt (USA)
17:35 Panellist: A.K. Parsons (USA)
17:50–18:05 Panellist: T.R. Nelson (USA)

Course 2 11–14 week scan
Room: Seymour
Course Directors: J. Hyett (UK); J.A. Johnson (Canada); K. Nicolaides (UK)

Course aim: To provide an up-to-date actualisation of fetal neurosonography from the use of multiplanar views in the normal fetus to the diagnosis of specific pathologies during different stages of pregnancy.

10:30 Introduction J.A. Johnson (Canada)
10:45 Measuring the effectiveness of screening J. Hyett (UK)
11:15 Increased nuchal translucency (NT) and chromosomal abnormalities J.A. Johnson (Canada)
11:45 Adding biochemical risk assessment J. Hyett (UK)
12:00 Other first trimester ultrasound markers J. Sonek (USA)
12:30 Setting up an NT-based screening service J.A. Johnson (Canada)
12:45 Moving to CVS (video presentation) K. Nicolaides (UK)

13:15–14:15 Lunch
14:15 Increased NT in chromosomally normal fetuses J. Sonek (USA)
14:45 Moving towards a 12-week echo F. McAuliffe (Republic of Ireland)
15:05 Standardised measurement and quality assurance of NT N. Greene (USA)

15:25–15:55 Coffee
15:55 Live demonstration N. Greene (USA); J. Lai (Canada)
16:25 The first trimester anomaly scan N. Greene (USA)
16:45 Screening multiples J.A. Johnson (Canada)
17:05 Incorporating other means of risk assessment J. Hyett (UK)
17:25–17:55 Round up and multiple-choice questions (MCQ) J. Hyett (UK); J.A. Johnson (Canada)
(Test your knowledge with an MCQ-examination relating relating to the day’s teaching activities. Those who pass the theoretical examination are eligible to apply for the practical component of the Fetal Medicine Foundation’s certificate of competence in the 11–14 week scan.)

Course 3 Central nervous system
Room: Salon 3
Course Directors: G. Pili (Italy); G. Malinger (Israel); I.E. Timor-Tritsch (USA)

Course aim: To provide an up-to-date actualisation of fetal neurosonography from the use of multiplanar views in the normal fetus to the diagnosis of specific pathologies during different stages of pregnancy.

10:00 The normal fetal brain. Multiplanar and 3D approach I.E. Timor-Tritsch (USA)
11:00 Ventriculomegaly and hydrocephaly G. Pili (Italy)
12:00 Dorsal and ventral induction disorders. Agenesis of the corpus callosum G. Pili (Italy)

13:00–14:00 Lunch
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14:00 Malformations of cortical development  G. Malinger (Israel)
15:00 Cerebellar malformations  G. Malinger (Israel)

15:45–16:15 Coffee

16:15 Prenatal insults, infective fetopathy  I.E. Timor-Tritsch (USA)
17:00–18:00 Diagnosis please – a quick test of your skills!

Course 4 Fetal echocardiography  Room: Salon 2

Course Director: R. Chaoui (Germany)

10:00 Introduction  R. Chaoui (Germany)
10:05 ISUOG basic cardiac screening guidelines  W. Lee (USA)
10:30 The planes in fetal echocardiography and their accuracy  S.Y. Yagel (Israel)
11:05 How to adjust the real-time image and the colour Doppler presetting for a proper cardiac scan  R. Chaoui (Germany)
11:35 Malformations detected in the 4CV  D. Paladini (Italy)
12:20 Malformations detected in the great vessel planes  R. Chaoui (Germany)

13:05–14:05 Lunch

14:05 Cardiac and extracardiac malformations  D. Paladini (Italy)
14:35 Fetal arrhythmias  J.A. Copel (USA)
15:05 Cardiac evaluation in the genetic scan  G.R. DeVore (USA)
15:35 Fetal outcome after prenatal diagnosis  J.A. Copel (USA)

16:05–16:35 Coffee

16:35 Use of multiplanar mode and 3D in diagnosis and teaching  G.R. DeVore (USA)
17:05 New technologies: tissue Doppler, 3D/4D  R. Chaoui (Germany)
17:35 Final discussion

Course 5 Office gynecology  Room: Mackenzie

Course Directors: T. Bourne (UK); S.R. Goldstein (USA)

Course aim: To demonstrate the role of ultrasound role in the management of common gynecological conditions seen in practice. Emphasis will be on short presentations of relevant data but speakers will aim to discuss clinical management, focusing on cases and video. The facilitator will encourage debate between the speakers and stimulate audience participation.

10:30 Welcome and introduction  T. Bourne (UK)
10:45 Emergency gynecology and assessing pelvic pain and infection in the office
Facilitator: S.R. Goldstein (USA)
Speakers: A.K. Parsons (USA); L.I.E. Valentin (Sweden)
11:30 How do we manage miscarriage? What happens if no pregnancy can be seen at the time of the initial scan?
Facilitator: T. Bourne (UK)
Speakers: G. Condou (UK); E. Kirk (UK)
12:15 The management of ectopic pregnancy: no treatment, medical treatment or surgery? (just images and case studies)
Facilitator: T. Bourne (UK)
Speakers: E. Kirk (UK); B. Cacciatore (Finland)

13:00–14:00 Lunch

14:00 A one-stop approach to assessing the fertility patient and assessing the ovary for potential fertility
Facilitator: S.L. Tan (Canada)
Speakers: R.A. Pierson (Canada); N.J. Raine-Fenning (UK)
14:45 Investigating and treating women with problem periods. Should they all have sonohysterography?
Facilitator: A.K. Parsons (USA)
Speakers: F.P.G. Leone (Italy); S.R. Goldstein (USA)

15:30–16:00 Coffee

16:00 The endometrium after the menopause: can we use ultrasound to select women that need intervention?
Facilitator: S.R. Goldstein (USA)
Speakers: E. Ferrazzi (Italy); L.I.E. Valentin (Sweden)
16:45 The management of ovarian pathology: using ultrasound to select women for surgery or conservative management (just images and case studies)
Facilitator: T. Bourne (UK)
Speakers: D. Timmerman (Belgium); A.C. Testa (Italy)

17:30–18:00 Discussion and concluding remarks  T. Bourne (UK); S.R. Goldstein (USA)
## Opening plenaries: Recent advances

**Room: Salons D–F**

**08:30** Introduction and welcome
- **L.D. Platt** (USA)

**08:40** Developments in three-dimensional ultrasound in obstetrics
- **B. Benoit** (France)

**09:00** The expanding role of magnetic resonance imaging in obstetrics and gynecology
- **D. Levine** (USA)

**09:20** High-intensity focused ultrasound: the treatment of uterine fibroids and other potential applications
- **A.T. Stewart, M.J. Sc, F.M. Fennessy, N.J. McDannold, K. Hynynen, C.M.C. Temppany** (USA)

**09:40–10:10** Coffee and poster viewing

**10:10–11:30** Distinguished presentations

**Room: Salons D–F**

**Chairs: L.D. Platt (USA); A.L. Gagnon (Canada)**

**Ian Donald Gold Medal lecture:** Likelihood, privileges and obligations
- **J.C. Fouron** (Canada)

**Ian Donald Technical Development lecture:** Perspectives on ultrasound technology development
- **S. Maslak** (USA)

**Keynote lecture:** Editor’s highlights: *Ultrasound in Obstetrics & Gynecology* over 15 years
- **S. Campbell** (UK)

**Keynote lecture:** The role of proteomics in obstetrics and gynecology
- **L. Hartwell** (USA)

**11:30–12:00** ISUOG Annual General Meeting

**Room: Salons D–F**

**12:00–14:00** Lunch

**12:00–12:45** Poster discussion sessions

**Poster session I:**
- **A. Hyett** (UK); **G. Pilu** (Italy)

**P01: Screening for chromosomal abnormalities** P01.01–P01.24

**Poster session II:**
- **B. Thilaganathan** (UK); **D. Pugash** (Canada)

**P03: Fetal anatomy and fetal anomalies I** P03.01–P03.38

**Poster viewing:** (Poster session V)
- **J. Slevin; S. Blaser; D. Chitayat; H. Berger; W. Halliday; S. Keating; G. Ryan; A. Toi; S. Pantazi; C. Raybaud** (Canada)

**14:00–15:30** Parallel: Central nervous system (CNS) I

**Room: Salons 1–2**

**14:00** Live scan demonstration
- **G. Pilu** (Italy)

**14:35** Examination of the fetal brain by three-dimensional ultrasound: potential for routine neurosonographic studies
- **F.F. Correa; C. Lara; J. Bellver; J. Remohi; A. Pellicer; V. Serra** (Spain)

**14:43** Sonographic characterization of the fetal cortex: a longitudinal study
- **B. Cohen-Sacher; T. Sagie-Lerman; D. Lev; G. Malinger** (Israel)

**14:51** Objective evaluation of Sylvian fissure development by multiplanar three-dimensional ultrasound

**14:59** Just images: Three-dimensional ultrasound and MRI in the assessment of fetal hydrocephalus
- **D. Jackson** (USA)

**15:04** 3D ultrasound evaluation of the fetal optic chiasm: a potential parameter for the differential diagnosis of developmental midline brain anomalies

**15:12** “Intraventricular fused fornices”: a marker for complex midline anomalies
- **J. Stevin; S. Blaser; D. Chitayat; H. Berger; W. Hallday; S. Keating; G. Ryan; A. Toi; S. Pantazi; C. Raybaud** (Canada)
Long-term follow-up of prenatally diagnosed central nervous system anomalies
J.H. Stupin; W. Henrich; M. Korell; K. von Weizsäcker; I. Grimmer; T. Michael; B. Stöver; J.W. Dudenhausen (Germany)

14:00–15:30 Parallel: Clinical dilemmas in obstetric ultrasound
Room: Salons D–E
Chairs: Y. Ville (France); G. Ryan (Canada)

14:00 Overview: Can we justify the non-medical use of ultrasound?
Y. Ville (France)

14:10 Ultrasound in the daily practice: is it safe?
J.S. Abramowicz; E. Sheiner (USA)

14:20 Informed consent and diagnostic accuracy
J.A. Copel (USA)

14:30 Discussion
J.S. Abramowicz; J.A. Copel; P.M. Doubilet; G. Ryan

14:45 Dilemmas in fetal reduction
L. De Catte; E. Sleers; W. Foulon (Belgium)

15:00 Short-term outcome of trichorionic triplet pregnancies at 10–14 weeks: embryo reduction compared to expectant management
A.T. Papageorghiou; V. Bakoulas; K. Avgidou; N. Sebire; K.H. Nicolaides (UK)

15:08 Prenatal diagnosis and outcome of congenital CMV infection in twin pregnancies
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15:16 A comparison between prenatal diagnosis of severe fetal cytomegalovirus infection and postmortem examinations
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14:00–15:30 Parallel: New techniques and technologies in gynecology
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B. Goldberg (USA)

14:15 Ultrasound-guided interventional procedures in the breast
P.B. Gordon (Canada)

14:30 A critical appraisal of VOCAL imaging in gynecology
N.J. Raine-Fenning (UK)

14:45 3D is an essential tool in gynecological imaging
B. Benacerraf; T. Shipp; B. Bromley (USA)

15:00 Just images: The shadows of the IUD
S.Y. Yagel; S.M. Cohen; D. Hochner-Celnikier; A. Lev-Sagie; D.V. Valsky (Israel)

15:05 What is the clinical relevance of major defects of the levator ani muscle?
A. Steinnsma; H.P. Dietz

15:13 Computer assisted three-dimensional analysis of endometrial ultrasound images across the menstrual cycle
R.A. Pierson; M.L. Kados; A.R. Baerwald (Canada)

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J. Kwong; M.J. Kim; H.Y. Ahn; G.S. Lee; J.C. Shin (Republic of Korea)

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16:00–17:30 Parallel: Fetal heart I
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16:00 Live scan demonstration: First trimester
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S.Y. Yagel (Israel)

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M. Bellotti; C. De Gasperi; I. Zucca; V. Bee; G. Rognoni; V. Fesslsová (Italy)

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J. Simpcek; C. Berg; A. Geipel; U. Germer; U. Gembruch (Germany)

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16:00–17:30 Parallel: CNS II: controversies in managing abnormal findings  
Room: Salons D–E

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16:00 Overview: Should all brain anomalies be referred for magnetic resonance imaging (MRI)?
G. Pilu (Italy)

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Is MRI essential, preferential or unnecessary: a) in diagnosing and b) in managing absent corpus callosum?
G. Malinger (Israel)

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S. Blaser1; D. Levine2; I.E. Timor-Tritsch2
1(Canada); 2(USA)

16:13 Is MRI essential, preferential or unnecessary: a) in diagnosing and b) in managing borderline ventriculomegaly?
S. Blaser (Canada)

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D. Levine1; G. Malinger1; I.E. Timor-Tritsch1
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D. Levine (USA)

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L. Masini; S. Ciotti; M. De Santis; G. Noia; M. Caldarelli; G. Tamburrini; R. Luciano; A. Caruso (Italy)

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N. Anderson1; I. Laurent1; N. Cook1; T.E. Inder2
1(New Zealand); 1(France); 2(Australia)

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S.R. Goldstein (USA)

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D. Jurkovic (UK)

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E. Ferrazzi; F.G. Leone; C. Lanzani (Italy)

16:40 Symptomatic postmenopausal women with endometrial polyps removed by hysteroscopy: prevalence of atypical hyperplasia and cancer in a multicentre Italian study
E. Zupi; G. Exacoustos; F.G. Leone; M. Barbieri; A. Bulloni; M.E. Coccia; E. Ferrazzi; P. Litta; U. Nicolini; L. Savelli; A.C. Testa; M. Vignali (Italy)

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A. Lev-Toaff; D. Bergin; S. Chopra; F. Ors; D.G. Mitchell (USA)

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P. Dar; S.J. Gross; I. Karmin; M.H. Einstein (USA)

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Z. Novacovic; U. Kirste; E. Dorenberg; H. Husby; G. Haugen (Norway)

17:20 Saline infusion for endometrial abnormalities: technique and findings in a small town
R. Sanders; C. Carlos; P. Combs (USA)

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A. Kossakiewicz (Germany)

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R. Hackmon (USA)

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#### 07:15–08:15 ‘Meet the Professor’ breakfast sessions (registration required)  
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  - **S. Campbell** (UK)
- New concepts in prenatal diagnosis  
  - **J. Hobbs** (USA)
- 3D ultrasound of the fetus  
  - **W. Lee** (USA)
- Why I’m addicted to 3D gynecological scanning  
  - **A.K. Parsons** (USA)
- 3D assessment of fetal cranio-facial development  
  - **J. Wladimirof** (Netherlands)

#### 08:30–10:00 Parallel: Fetal face and neck  
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  (Republic of Korea); (Canada) |
| 09:18  | Sonographic evaluation of the fetal hard palate and maxillary tooth buds | **L.P. Mok; S.L. Lee; S. Fook-Chong; D. Kanagalingam; H.K. Tan** (Singapore) |
| 09:26  | Orbital measurements at 11–14 weeks of gestation                     | **N. Greene¹; J. Hyett¹; L.D. Platt¹**                               
  (UK); (USA); (UK) |
| 09:34  | Prenatal diagnosis of an isolated cleft palate with 2D ultrasound: a case report | **C. McKenna** (UK)                                                   |
| 09:42  | The association between the biparietal diameter and nasal bone ratio (BPD/NB) and fetal aneuploidy in pregnancies between 15–22 weeks gestation | **A. Odibo; L. Sprout; H.M. Sehdev; L. Dunn; G.A. Macones** (USA) |
| 09:50  | Harlequin ichthyosis: sonographic findings at 25 weeks in an unsuspected pregnancy (case report) | **A. Kucinska-Chahwan; T. Roszkowski** (Poland) |

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  (Belgium); (Spain) |
| 08:38  | Chair to comment on ethics                                           | **J.W.K. Ritchie** (Canada)                                           |
| 08:40  | Randomized clinical trial of expectant management versus laser therapy for monochorionic-diamniotic twin gestations affected by selective intrauterine growth restriction and absent end-diastolic velocity of the umbilical artery | **R.A. Quintero** (USA)                                                |
| 08:48  | Chair to comment on ethics                                           | **J.W.K. Ritchie** (Canada)                                           |
| 08:50  | Debate: Should we be performing selective fetocide in severe twin–twin transfusion syndrome (TTTS)? | **First speaker: U. Nicolini** (Italy)  
  **Second speaker: Y. Ville** (France) |
| 08:56  | Comments/reply                                                       | **U. Nicolini** (Italy)                                                |
| 09:06  | Comments/reply                                                       | **Y. Ville** (France)                                                  |
| 09:10  | Discussion                                                           | **J. Deprest¹; U. Nicolini²; R.A. Quintero²; Y. Ville³  
  (Belgium); (Italy); (USA); (France) |
| 09:25  | Long-term follow up of survivors of severe TTTS treated with laser   | **K. Hecher; C. Graef; U. Herberg; M. Beck; A. Huber; P. Bartmann** (Germany) |
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09:35  Correlation of hemodynamic disturbances with the recipient death in TTTS  
M. Ropacka; B. Kubiaczyk; W. Markwitz; M. Dubiel; G.H. Breborowicz (Poland)  
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09:43  Intertwin anastomoses in monochorionic placenta after fetoscopic laser coagulation for twin–twin  
transfusion syndrome: is there more than meets the eye?  
L. Lewi\textsuperscript{1}; J. Jani\textsuperscript{1}; M. Cannie\textsuperscript{1}; R. Robyr\textsuperscript{1}; Y. Ville\textsuperscript{1}; K. Hecher\textsuperscript{1}; E. Gratacos\textsuperscript{1}; H. Vandecruys\textsuperscript{1}; V. Vandecaveye\textsuperscript{1}; S. Dymarkowski\textsuperscript{1}; J. Deprest\textsuperscript{1}  
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09:51  Reduction of the monochorionic pair in multifetal pregnancies improves outcome  
V. Myers; D. Cramer; K. Rychlek; T. Finney; S. Weiner (USA)  
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08:30–10:00  Parallel: Unsuspected findings in asymptomatic women  
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08:30  Overview  
L.I.E. Valentin (Sweden)

08:40  The endometrial echo revisited: have we created a monster?  
S.R. Goldstein (USA)  
OC10.01

08:55  Asymptomatic endometrial polyps in postmenopausal women: sonoanographic surveillance or surgery?  
F.P.G. Leone; C. Lanzani; C. Bignardi; C. Marcante; E. Ferrazzi (Italy)  
OC10.02

09:07  Recognising adhesions and para ovarian cysts  
B. Cacciatore (Finland)  
OC10.03

09:19  Predicting outcomes for fibroid therapies: Clinical research and genetics  
E.A. Stewart; P. Somasundaram; K.L. Gross; E. Jones; C.C. Morton (USA)  
OC10.04

09:31  Endometrial thickness in post menopausal women: comparative study between patients with and without  
ullerine bleeding  
S. Valadares; M.J. Bernardo; S. Coutinho; L. Dias; N. Assunç\~ao (Portugal)  
OC10.05

09:39  Ultrasonographic findings in benign intrauterine lesions using power Doppler  
E. Dreisler; S. Stampe Sorensen (Denmark)  
OC10.06

09:47  Asymptomatic endometrial polyps can be detected by power Doppler ultrasound  
A. Jakab; L. Ovari; B. Juhasz; L. Birinyi; G. Bacsko; Z. Toth (Hungary)  
OC10.07

10:00–10:30  Coffee and poster viewing  
Exhibition area

10:30–12:00  Parallel: Fetal heart II  
Room: Salons 1–2

10:30  Live scan demonstration  
R. Chaoui (Germany)

10:50  Video demonstration: Case illustrations of key abnormalities in the second trimester  
G.R. DeVore (USA)  
OC11.01

11:00  Update on diagnosis and treatment of fetal arrhythmias (including video demonstration)  
B. Cuneo; J. Strasburger; H. Zhao; R. Wakai (USA)  
OC11.02

11:15  Rendering in fetal echocardiography with STIC technology: evaluation of the “surgical plane”  
S. Yagel; A. Benachi; D. Bonnet; Y. Dumez; D. Hochner-Celniker; D. Valsky; L. Ferman\textsuperscript{1}  
\textsuperscript{1}(Israel); \textsuperscript{1}(France)  
OC11.03

11:23  A new echographic marker for second–third trimester prenatal diagnosis of trisomy 21: the linear insertion of the  
atrioventricular valves without defect about 40,740 pregnancies  
C. Fredaule; J.E. Develay-Morice; M. Gonzales; CPEF French College of Ultrasonography; M. Duyme (France)  
OC11.04

11:31  Fetal atrioventricular valves assessment using 4D volume rendering  
F. Vinals; V. Pacheco; A. Giuliano (Chile)  
OC11.05

11:39  The “sad aorta” sign: prenatal diagnosis of anterior malposed aorta made easy  
S. Abdullah; K. Lim; G.S. Sandor; R. Liston; D. Farquharson; J.C. Fouron (Canada)  
OC11.06

11:47  Off-line free angular M-mode: a useful diagnostic tool in fetal arrhythmias  
K.E.C. De Groote; A. Iasci; J.S. Carvalho (UK)  
OC11.07

Related posters  
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10:30–12:00 Parallel: Controversies in the management of labour  Room: Salons D–E

Chairs: B. Thilaganathan (UK); M.C. Van den Hof (Canada)

10:30 Overview  B. Thilaganathan (UK)

10:40 Routine ultrasound on admission to the labour ward  A. Barbera (USA)

10:50 Should ultrasound be performed before all operative deliveries?  J.A. Copel (USA)

11:00 Pelvic floor trauma in childbirth  H.P. Dietz (Australia)

11:10 Engagement of the fetal head evaluated by perineal ultrasound in pregnancies with prelabor rupture of membranes  T.M. Eggebo; L.K. Gjessing; I. Økland; P. Rommunstad; K.Å. Salvesen (Norway)

11:18 How to identify twins at low risk of spontaneous preterm delivery  I. Sperling; C. Joergensen; K. Skajaa; T. Tabor (Denmark)

11:26 Reference data representative of normal findings at 3D power Doppler ultrasound examination of the cervix from 17 to 41 gestational weeks  H. Rovas; P. Sladkevicius; E. Strobel; L. Valentin (Lithuania); (Sweden)

11:34 In utero transfer in threatened preterm labour: can we avoid it by using transvaginal ultrasound scan assessment of the cervix?  A. Kulig (UK)

11:42 Clinical significance of antenatal sonographic diagnosis of a nuchal cord at term: double-blind prospective study  R. Levy; B. Furman; S. Oron; R. Arad; Z. Appelman; J.H. Hagay (Israel)

11:50 Just images: Three-dimensional assessment of the internal cervical os in pregnancies with and without premature labor or cervical incompetence  D. Jackson (USA)

10:30–12:00 Parallel: Demonstrations and debates in gynecology I  Room: Salon F

Chairs: A.K. Parsons (USA); R.A. Pierson (Canada)

10:30 Overview: Improving research studies  A.K. Parsons (USA)

10:40 Case reports and video demonstration: Ultrasound and reproductive medicine  S.L. Tan (Canada)

10:55 Case reports and video demonstration: Ultrasound and reproductive medicine  R.A. Pierson (Canada)

11:10 3D power Doppler in the evaluation of painful leiomyomas and focal uterine thickening in pregnancy  S. Degani; A. Tamir; Z. Leibovitz; I. Shapiro; R. Gonen; G. Ohel (Israel)

11:18 Localisation and removal of nonpalpable implanon devices with ultrasound: the first 3 years – a series of 200 patients  M. Gun (Australia)

11:26 The clinical significance of sonographically detected fluid collection following hysterectomy  J. Har-Toy; S. Maslovitz; G. Fait; I. Wolman; I. Gull; R. Amster; A. Jaffa (Israel)

11:34 Discussion forum: Statement on evidence-based management of asymptomatic endometrial pathology  E. Ferrazzi (Italy)

11:44 Discussion  A.K. Parsons; A.C. Testa; S.L. Tan (USA); (Italy); (Canada)

12:00–14:00 Lunch  Exhibition area

12:00–12:45 Poster discussion sessions

12:00–12:45 Poster session III:  Chairs: A.Z. Abuhamad (USA); A. Toi (Canada)  Room: Cypress 1

12:00–12:45 Poster session IV:  Chairs: Y. Ville (France); L. Morin (Canada)  Room: Cypress 2

12:00–12:45 Poster session V:  Chairs: L.I.E. Valentin (Sweden); D. Jurkovic (UK)  Room: Salon F

12:00–12:20 Poster session VI:  Chairs: P.7. Abnormal bleeding  Room: P07.01–P07.14

12:25–12:45 Poster session VII:  Chairs: P.6. Ovarian masses and gynecological malignancies  Room: P08.01–P08.13
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14:00–15:30 Parallel: Thorax and abdomen  Room: Salons 1–2

14:00 Overview: Antenatal prediction of lung hypoplasia remains problematic
J. Wladimiroff (Netherlands); A. Toi (Canada)

14:10 Live scan demonstration: Three-dimensional ultrasonography of the fetal thorax and abdomen – tips and tricks
W. Lee (USA)

14:30 Video demonstration: Case illustrations of abnormalities of the thorax and abdomen
H.G.K. Blaas (Norway)

14:40 Lung-to-head ratio and liver position to predict outcome in early diagnosed isolated left-sided diaphragmatic hernia fetuses: a multicenter study
J. Jari; A. Benachi; R. Keller; R. Favre; O. Moreno; H. Vandecruys; M. Harrison; J. Matis; E. Gratacos; K.H. Nicolaides; J. Deprest
(‘Belgium’); (‘France’); (‘USA’); (‘Spain’); (‘UK’)

14:48 Prenatal evaluation of pulmonary volume and vascularity in congenital diaphragmatic hernia using three-dimensional ultrasonography
R. Ruano; M.C. Aubry; B. Barthe; V. Bunduki; M. Zugaib; Y. Dumez; M. Dommergues
(Brazil); (‘France’)

14:56 Outcomes after the functional evaluation of fetal pulmonary vascular reactivity by the maternal hyperoxygenation test in diaphragmatic hernia
D. Wood; E. Done; S. Desai; A. Ness; J. Airoltti; R.E. Broth; V. Berghella; R.J. Librizzi; S. Weiner

15:04 Feasibility of fetal gender assignment by ultrasound evaluation of the pelvic organs in second and third trimester
J.S. Carvalho (UK)

15:12 Fetal oesophagus scan screening: a new direct sign of normal, atresia, atresia with fistula and tubular duplication
J.E. Develay-Morice; G. Rathat; C. Fredouille; N. Frandji-Barbier; P. Marès (France)

15:20 The impact of prenatal diagnosis of esophageal atresia
A. Brantberg; H.G.K. Blaas; S.H. Eik-Nes (Norway)

Related posters
P04.22–P04.54

14:00–15:30 Parallel: Fetal heart III: antenatal diagnosis of fetal cardiac defects and arrhythmias – does it make a difference?  Room: Salons D–E

14:00 Overview: How good a specialist cardiac scan is at detecting cardiac defects accurately
J.C. Fouron (Canada)

14:08 How good is the routine obstetric cardiac scan?
S.H. Eik-Nes; E. Tegnander (Norway)

14:16 What can we diagnose in the first trimester?
J.S. Carvalho (UK)

14:24 The risk by nuchal translucency
J. Hyett (UK)

14:32 Outcome of cardiac arrhythmias treated in utero
B.F. Cuneo; J. Leshko; M. Ovadia; J.C. Huhta (USA)

14:40 Discussion
J.S. Carvalho; B.F. Cuneo; S.H. Eik-Nes; J.C. Fouron; J. Hyett
(‘UK’); (‘USA’); (‘Norway’); (‘Canada’)

15:00 Impact of training in the prenatal recognition of major cardiac anomalies
G. Michailidis; D. Wellesley; D.T. Howe (UK)

15:08 Fetal PR interval: a comparison of electrical and mechanical methods
L. Passoni; A. Seale; C. Belmar; S. Oseku-Afful; M. Thomas; H.M. Gardiner

15:16 Isolated ventricular septal defects detected by colour Doppler flow: evolution during fetal and first year of life
A. Schwarze; U. Gembruch; M. Krapp; U. Germer; J. Smrcek; R. Axt-Fiedler (Germany)

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14:00–15:30 Parallel: Management of ovarian masses: achieving a consensus  Room: Salon F

14:00 Overview
T. Bourne (UK)

14:10 The pros and cons of using mathematical models to predict malignancy in ovarian masses
D. Timmerman; A.C. Testa; T. Bourne; E. Ferrazzi; C. Van Holsbeke; L. Valentini
(Belgium); (‘Italy’); (‘UK’); (‘Sweden’)
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14:25 Differential diagnosis of ovarian masses
J.L. Alcázar (Spain)

14:40 Difficulties in characterising ovarian masses
J. Zalud (USA)

14:55 Three-dimensional power Doppler ultrasound for discrimination between benign and malignant ovarian tumors
L. Jokubkiene; P. Sladkevicius; L. Valentin (Sweden)

15:03 Sonoangiography with pulsed and color Doppler blood flow measurements and microvessel density assessment in malignant ovarian tumors
S. Czekierdowska; A. Czekierdowski; N. Stachowicz; J. Kotarski (Poland)

15:11 The value of preoperative ultrasound in the selection of women with adnexal masses for laparoscopic surgery
J. Vazeki; J. Ben Nagi; E. Sawyer; S. Helmy; W.Y. Fok; D. Jurkovic (UK)

15:19 Assessment of the vascular tree in ovarian tumors using 3D power Doppler ultrasound

Related posters P08.01–P08.13

15:30–16:00 Coffee and poster viewing

16:00–17:30 Parallel: Fetal skeleton Room: Salons 1–2

Chairs: P. Jeanty (USA); D. Krakow (USA)

16:00 Live scan demonstration
I. Meizner (Israel)

16:20 Overview and video demonstration: Skeleton dysplasia
D. Krakow (USA)

16:40 ‘The Shetland and the Clydesdale revisited’: paternal height influences fetal humerus and femur length in the mid trimester
A. Wilde; M.J. Permezel; E.A. McCarthy; A. Ugoni; S.P. Walker (Australia)

16:48 Relationship of three-dimensional volume decrease to two-dimensional linear shortening in pathologic fetal femur length
D. Jackson; N. Laymon (USA)

17:01 Just images: Four consecutive pregnancies affected by chondrodysplasia punctata in a woman with mixed connective tissue disease
K. Lim; D. Pugash; J. Ensworth; L. Dahlgren; N. Kent (Canada)

17:06 Arts and skeletal dysplasia
P. Jeanty (USA)

Related posters P04.07–P04.14

16:00–17:15 Parallel: Management of abnormal findings in obstetric ultrasound Room: Salons D–E

Chairs: W. Sepulveda (Chile); R.A. Quintero (USA)

16:00 Placenta accreta
B. Thilaganathan (UK)

16:15 Case demonstrations and data on umbilical cord complications
W. Sepulveda (Chile)

16:30 Just images: Isolated multiple large umbilical cord cysts and thick prominent Wharton’s jelly
S. Abdullah; S.L. Yong; E. Lopez; S. Lahij; D. Pugash (Canada)

16:35 Just images: Case report of a twin-pregnancy complicated by choioamnionitis and placenta accreta: correlation between ultrasound, CT and MRI
F. Chantagne; P. Emonts; A. Thille; J.P. Schaaps; B.A. Tutschek; J.M. Foidart
(1Belgium); (2Germany)

16:40 Just images: Placental rim sign: a unique three-dimensional representation of circumvallate placentation
D. Jackson (USA)

16:45 Ultrasonographic, pathologic and clinical prognostic factors in survival of fetuses with antenatally detected sacrococcygeal teratoma
D.H. Suh; S.M. Lee; S.E. Lee; S.S. Shim; J.S. Park; J.K. Jun; B.H. Yoon; H.C. Syn (Republic of Korea)

16:53 Fetal echo and cardiovascular profile score (CVS) as a prognostic risk factor in fetal sacrococcygeal teratoma (SCT)
M. Respondex-Libenska; K. Janciak; S. Forys (Poland)

17:01 Intertwin venous flow imbalance in twin-twin transfusion syndrome (TTTS)
M. Yamamoto; J.P. Bernard; Y. Takahashi; F. Huard; Y. Ville
(1Chile); (2France)
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16:00–17:15  Parallel: Managing disorders of ovarian function and subfertility  Room: Salon F

Chairs: S. Campbell (UK); S.L. Tan (Canada)

16:00  Overview
S. Campbell (UK)

16:10  What can we learn about potential fertility from imaging the ovary?
R.A. Pierson (Canada)

16:25  Colour Doppler and three-dimensional ultrasound and implantation of the human embryo
S.L. Tan (Canada)

16:40  Three-dimensional vascular endometrial blood flow and “vascular cytokines”: a new approach of the uterine receptivity
N. Lédée; R. Lombroso; S. Dubanchet; Y. Hillion; C. Meynant; G. Chaouat; Y. Ville (France)

16:48  Sonographic evaluation of posterior deep pelvic endometriosis: endovaginal-, transrectal- and vaginosonography to assess the extension of the disease
C. Exacoustos; A. Amadio; M.E. Romanini; C. Amoroso; B. Szabolcs; E. Zupi; D. Arduini (Italy)

16:56  The use of a logistic regression model to predict early pregnancy viability in women undergoing IVF
J. Elson; C. Elson; T. Peachey; C. Fitzgerald; B. Lieberman (UK)

17:04  Three-dimensional power Doppler imaging in polycystic ovary syndrome
Y.M. Mala; S.B. Ghosh; R. Tripathi (India)
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Fetal anatomy and fetal anomalies II

Prenatal ultrasound diagnosis of fetal epidermolysis bullosa: case report
S. Alawami (Canada)

Prenatal 2D and 3D ultrasound of Stüve-Wiedemann syndrome
M.V. Senat (France)

Pfeiffer’s syndrome type 2: case report
A. Melo (Portugal)

Unilateral facial cleft associated with increased nuchal translucency
D. Eroglu (Turkey)

Case presentation: monochorionic triplets each affected with cleft lip with or without cleft palate diagnosed by 3D ultrasound
S. Winsor (Canada)

A rare case of malignant cervical teratoma in twin pregnancy
G. Centini (Italy)

Prenatal diagnosis of diastematomyelia: review of eight cases
R. Has (Turkey)

Short femurs detected at 25 and 31 weeks of gestation diagnosed as Leroy I-cell disease in the postnatal period: a report of two cases
A. Yuksel (Turkey)

The prenatal ultrasound diagnostics of the absence of vertebral bodies in 20 weeks fetus with complex tumor in the spinal cord: a case report
L. Teregulova (Russia)

Fetal thanatophoric dysplasia-second trimester ultrasound examination
D.F. Albu (Romania)

Prenatal sonographic diagnosis of scoliosis and hemivertebra
Z. Toth (Hungary)

X-linked dominant chondrodysplasia punctata: presentation feature – premature punctate epiphyseal stippling
S. Umranikar (Canada)

Prenatal detection of single umbilical artery: accuracy of ultrasound and prediction of outcome
S. Gabrielli (Italy)

The giant umbilical cord
E. Antonelli (Switzerland)

Prenatal diagnosis of persisting right umbilical vein (PRUV): 3-dimensional sonography with power Doppler
P.Y. Yang (Taiwan)

Pitfalls in the sonographic diagnosis of vasa previa: confounding conditions and their implications
V. Catanzarite (USA)

Vena previa: prenatal sonographic diagnosis of a variant of vasa previa
D. Pugash (Canada)
## Tuesday poster sessions

Pre & postnatal imaging findings of fetal neoplasms  
**J.Y Cho** (Republic of Korea)  
**Abstract no.** P04.20

Broad spectrum of ultrasound (US) findings of hydatidiform mole and molar mimicker  
**S.I. Jung** (Republic of Korea)  
**Abstract no.** P04.21

### Thorax and abdomen

**Gender-specific fetal lung volume measured with 3-dimensional ultrasonography**  
**P.A. Gerards** (Netherlands)  
**Abstract no.** P04.22 PPT

**3-Dimensional fetal lung volume measurements to predict pulmonary hypoplasia in pregnancies complicated by PROM**  
**P.A. Gerards** (Netherlands)  
**Abstract no.** P04.23 PPT

**Lung volume assessment at midgestation with 3D ultrasound to predict pulmonary hypoplasia in fetuses with isolated congenital diaphragmatic hernia**  
**J. Jans** (Belgium)  
**Abstract no.** P04.24 PPT

**Congenital diaphragmatic hernia: an evaluation of the prognostic value of the lung-to-head ratio and other ultrasound parameters**  
**J. Pieles** (Poland)  
**Abstract no.** P04.25 PPT

**Evolution of antenatal detection and outcome in congenital diaphragmatic hernia (CDH): an 18 year French registry-based evaluation**  
**J. Deprest** (Belgium)  
**Abstract no.** P04.26 PPT

**Outcome of fetal diaphragmatic hernia in a tertiary referral centre: 1997-2005**  
**J. Brewster** (UK)  
**Abstract no.** P04.27 PPT

**Population based cohort survey: prenatal diagnosis and outcome of congenital diaphragmatic hernia in UK**  
**M.M. Khare** (UK)  
**Abstract no.** P04.28 PPT

**Is the finding of a central gall bladder an anatomic variant?**  
**C. Lara** (Spain)  
**Abstract no.** P04.30

**Spontaneous resolution of fetal cholelithiasis**  
**J.Y Cho** (Republic of Korea)  
**Abstract no.** P04.31 PPT

**Early sonographic diagnosis of fetal abdominal wall anomalies**  
**L. Hernádi** (Hungary)  
**Abstract no.** P04.32 PPT

**Sonographic assessment of weight in fetuses with gastrochisis**  
**L. Pereira** (USA)  
**Abstract no.** P04.33 PPT

**Prenatally diagnosed gastrochisis: the effect of changing mode of delivery**  
**A.S. Letting** (Norway)  
**Abstract no.** P04.34 PPT

**Systematic review of morbidity of children diagnosed with gastrochisis**  
**V. Mulik** (UK)  
**Abstract no.** P04.35 PPT

**Analysis of the hemodynamics of the renal artery and descending aorta in fetuses with renal disease using color Doppler ultrasound: longitudinal comparison to normal fetuses**  
**I. Toshihiko** (Japan)  
**Abstract no.** P04.36 PPT

**Three-dimensional ultrasound estimation of fetal renal volumes in the second and third trimesters**  
**D. Fauchon** (Australia)  
**Abstract no.** P04.37 PPT

**Fetal renal dilatation: a poor predictor for high grade vesicoureteric reflux**  
**R. McEwing** (New Zealand)  
**Abstract no.** P04.38 PPT

**The value of the fetal renal pelvic anteroposterior diameter as a predictor of postnatal outcome**  
**S.E. Lee** (Republic of Korea)  
**Abstract no.** P04.39 PPT

**Conservative treatment of pelvi-ureteric junction obstruction in children with antenatal diagnosis of hydronephrosis: lessons learned after 16 years of follow up**  
**R. Rabinowitz** (Israel)  
**Abstract no.** P04.40 PPT

**Prenatal sonographic diagnosis of testicular torsion: a clinical dilemma**  
**G. Fait** (Israel)  
**Abstract no.** P04.41 PPT

**A case of fetal hydrops in maternal Sjögren’s syndrome with distal renal tubular acidosis**  
**J.C. Shin** (South Korea)  
**Abstract no.** P04.42

**Esophageal atresia and abnormal first trimester Doppler ultrasound of the ductus venosus: report of two cases**  
**G.L. Fernandes** (Brazil)  
**Abstract no.** P04.43

**Pentalogy of Cantrell: a case report**  
**A.V. Carmo** (Brazil)  
**Abstract no.** P04.44

**Cystic adenomatoid malformation type III: ultrasonographic findings**  
**A.V. Carmo** (Brazil)  
**Abstract no.** P04.45

**Increased nuchal translucency and Jeune’s syndrome (Asphyxiating thoracic dystrophy)**  
**L. Estamian** (Iran)  
**Abstract no.** P04.46

**Prenatal diagnosis of diffuse intrahepatic calcification**  
**J. Brewster** (UK)  
**Abstract no.** P04.47

**Prenatal imaging of fetal hepatoblastoma**  
**R. Aviram** (Israel)  
**Abstract no.** P04.48
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Case series: Ductus venosus size in four fetuses with intra-abdominal masses
R.L. Arvon (USA) P04.49

Maternal smoking as a prognostic factor in prenatally diagnosed gastroschisis
A.S. Lettering (Norway) P04.50

Unusual sonographic appearance of autosomal recessive polycystic kidney resembling medullary nephrocalcinosis
M. Okumura (Brazil) P04.51

Prenatal diagnosis of fetal urinoma
R. Aviram (Israel) P04.52

Prenatal diagnosis of meconium periorchitis
R. Aviram (Israel) P04.54

Fetal heart

Is the nuchal index increased in fetuses with congenital structural heart defects? A prospective study
L. Dahlgren (Canada) P05.01

National database for fetal cardiac anomalies in 2004
M. Respondek-Liberska (Poland) P05.02

The routine anomaly scan and detection of congenital heart disease
S. Kavani (UK) P05.03

Screening of congenital heart disease in a third world country: referral center
H. Munoz (Chile) P05.04

Antenatal diagnosis of cardiac anomalies in a Brazilian fetal medicine unit
G.L. Fernandes (Brazil) P05.05

Prenatal ultrasound diagnosis of complex congenital heart defects helps to choose rational tactics for delivery
I.G. Fedorova (Russia) P05.06

Sequential segmental analysis in the fetus with cardiac abnormalities
J.S. Carvalho (UK) P05.07 PPT

Technique of visualisation of a new cardiac marker for trisomy 21: the linear insertion of the atrioventrioventricular valves (LIAVV) without defect
J.E. Develay-Morice (France) P05.08 PPT

Technique of fetal axial cardiac screening index (CSI) for generalists with or without three-dimensional equipment
D. Jackson (USA) P05.09 PPT

Prenatal diagnosis of congenital heart diseases using STIC Telemedicine (TELE-STIC) via internet link: preliminary results of 7 centers
F. Vinals (Chile) P05.10 PPT

Rendering with STIC technology in fetal echocardiography improves interatrial and interventricular septum evaluation
S.Y. Vaggel (Israel) P05.12 PPT

Virtual casting of the fetal heart using live 3D ultrasound data processed by semi-automated internal surface detection
J. Deng (UK) P05.13 PPT

Prenatal diagnosis of two cases of right aortic arch
J.A. Duyos (Spain) P05.15

Prenatal diagnosis of right-sided aortic arch
M. Juan (Spain) P05.16

Fetal pulmonary artery diameters and ratios standardized for fetal biometric parameters
K. Ling (Canada) P05.17 PPT

Left ventricular aneurysm in a fetus complicated by arrhythmias
D. Wood (USA) P05.18 PPT

Constriction and complete occlusion of the ductus arteriosus associated with maternal use of acetaminophen
D. Wood (USA) P05.19

Prenatal diagnosis of ductus venosus agenesis: a report of two cases
G.L. Fernandes (Brazil) P05.20

Absent ductus venosus in a fetus resulting in a giant hepatic venous malformation and the Kasabach-Merrit syndrome
D. Wood (USA) P05.21

Ductus venosus dimensions during gestation
D. Wood (USA) P05.22

Congenital cytomegalovirus infection as a probable cause of premature closure of the foramen ovale
E. Carreras (Spain) P05.23

Fetal cardiac calcifications: report of four prenatally diagnosed cases
M.J. Simchev (Israel) P05.24

Cardiac rhabdomyomas
M.H. Billieux (Switzerland) P05.25

Cardiac rhabdomyoma in the left ventricular outflow tract of a fetus
K. Ling (Canada) P05.26
Tuesday poster sessions

Fetal heart rate at 6,0 to 11,6 weeks of gestation
K. Wielg (Poland)

Evaluation of the fetal heart anatomy at 12,0 to 16,6 weeks of gestation
K. Wielg (Poland)

Evaluation of PR interval in fetuses of anti Ro positive pregnancies
L. Pasquini (UK)

Multiple pregnancy

Determination of chorionicity in twins gestation by 3D multiplanar ultrasound: measuring the thickness of the intraamniotic membrane
M.V. Senet (France)

Number of yolk sacs does not predict amnionicity in early first trimester monochorionic multiple gestations
O. Shen (Israel)

Discordant fetal infection for parvovirus in a dichorionic twin pregnancy
J.E. Dickinson (Australia)

Antenatal detection of arterio-venous (A–V) anastomoses in monochorionic twins: can we incorporate it in routine twin surveillance?
A. Sau (UK)

Natural history of amniotic fluid volume discordance in monochorionic-diamniotic twins
M. Swiatkowska-Freund (Poland)

Instability of Doppler cerebral blood flow in monochorionic twins
S. Degani (Israel)

TTTS before the limits of fetoscopic surgery
L. Lewi (Belgium)

Fetal echocardiography in twin–twin transfusion syndrome (TTTS) can identify risk factors for neonatal systemic hypertension (NSH)
J.E. Tokota (USA)

The role of ultrasound assessment in predicting intrauterine fetal demise after fetoscopic laser photoablation for twin–twin transfusion syndrome
K. Ishii (Japan)

Changes in urine production using three-dimensional ultrasonic in twin–twin transfusion syndrome treated by laser
M. Yamamoto (Chile)

Conservative management of acardiac twins: report of two cases
G.L. Fernandes (Brazil)

Four cases of a complete hydatidiform mole co-existing with a live fetus
M.Y. Kim (Republic of Korea)

Diprosopus tetraophthalmos: a case report
A.V. Carmo (Brazil)

Cojoined twins: thoracoaomphalopagus
M. Ropacka (Poland)

3D: a case of double twin
G. Centini (Italy)

Monochorionic, diamniotic triplet pregnancy with cord entanglement
C.F. Portmann (Australia)

Is twin pregnancy more vulnerable to cervical incompetence?
S.J. Choi (Republic of Korea)

Normograms of the cervical length and cervical length changes in twin pregnancies: a prospective observational study
K.H. Park (Republic of Korea)

Can we predict fetal growth from maternal weight changes in twin pregnancies?
K.J. Lee (South Korea)

Abnormal bleeding

Giant endometrial cyst of the uterine wall: a case report
M. Wielgos (Poland)

Recurrent uterine arteriovenous malformation after selective embolization and uneventful delivery
P. Dar (USA)

Deep lower abdominal pain caused by a hysterotomy defect in two post-caesarean non-pregnant women
L. Skibsted (Denmark)

Uterine vascular abnormality in a post-abortion case: a transitional sonographic finding in a tissue repair process
H.S. Wong (New Zealand)

Uterine fibroid embolization – inpatient vs outpatient therapy: a comparison of cost, safety and patient satisfaction
M. Baerlocher (Canada)

“Lollo-cath”: a new intraterine biopsy catheter for sonohysterography with endometrial sampling
F.P.G. Leone (Italy)
**Tuesday poster sessions**

**Sonohysterographic findings of endometrial abnormalities in women with polycystic ovary disease**
E.J. Lee (South Korea)  
Abstract no. P07.07  
Type: PPT

**Asymptomatic postmenopausal women with endometrial polyps removed by hysteroscopy: prevalence of atypical hyperplasia and cancer in a multicentre Italian study**
F.P. Leone (Italy)  
Abstract no. P07.10  
Type: PPT

**Ultrasound guided IUD implantation**
R.M. Sá (Brazil)  
Abstract no. P07.11  
Type: PPT

**Early endometrial changes following successful implantation post embryo transfer: a three-dimensional ultrasound study**
E. Zohav (Israel)  
Abstract no. P07.12  
Type: PPT

**Assessment of physiological changes during the menstrual cycle by 3D/4D ultrasonography**
A. Kratochwil (Austria)  
Abstract no. P07.13  
Type: PPT

**Dynamic assays of inhibin B, anti-Mullerian hormone and estradiol following FSH stimulation and ovarian ultrasonography as predictors of IVF outcome**
R. Rabinowitz (Israel)  
Abstract no. P07.14  
Type: PPT

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**Ovarian masses and gynecological malignancies**

**Clear cell adenofibroma/fibrocacinoma of the ovary: ultrasound, macroscopic and histopathologic findings – a case report**
P. Calda (Czech Republic)  
Abstract no. P08.01  
Type: PPT

**Tissue block ultrasound and ovarian cancer diagnosis**
M. Crade (USA)  
Abstract no. P08.02  
Type: PPT

**Maternal adnexal masses: a diagnostic and management challenge**
P. Glanc (Canada)  
Abstract no. P08.03  
Type: PPT

**Bilateral asynchronous adnexal torsion: conservative sonographic-based management with laparoscopic detorsion and sparing of twisted ischemic adnexa**
F.P. Leone (Italy)  
Abstract no. P08.04  
Type: PPT

**Sigmoid endometriosis: sonographic-based conservative management by LNG-IUS**
F.P. Leone (Italy)  
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Type: PPT

**Pre-operative staging of endometrial cancer: transvaginal sonography is the key**
A.C. Testa (Italy)  
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Type: PPT

**The role of RI and PI index in the diagnostic of ovarian malignancy in clinic practice**
M.A. Pascual (Spain)  
Abstract no. P08.07  
Type: PPT

**Fine needle aspiration (FNA) of adnexal cysts: 2 years’ experience by a single operator**
E. Almadani (Canada)  
Abstract no. P08.08  
Type: PPT

**Pelvic masses score (PMS): a new scoring system to evaluate pelvic masses**
A. Rossi (Italy)  
Abstract no. P08.09  
Type: PPT

**Combined use of ultrasound and CA 125 level for predicting pelvic node metastasis in endometrial cancer**
S.J. Kim (Republic of Korea)  
Abstract no. P08.10  
Type: PPT

**The great imitator: gastrointestinal stromal tumor mimicking malignant ovarian tumor**
L. Hereter (Spain)  
Abstract no. P08.11  
Type: PPT

**Value of ultrasonography in diagnosis of pathological changes in ovaries**
T. Urbaniak (Poland)  
Abstract no. P08.12  
Type: PPT

**Multiple regression analysis of ultrasonography parameters for differentiation diagnosis of malignant from benign ovarian lesions with abundant blood vessels**
J. Zhang (People’s Republic of China)  
Abstract no. P08.13  
Type: PPT
### Wednesday 28 September 2005

#### 07:00–08:30 Preparing scientific presentations (registration required)  
*Room: Oak 1*  
P. Jeanty (USA)

#### 07:15–08:15 ‘Meet the Professor’ breakfast sessions (registration required)  
*Room: Marine*  
Obstetrical sonography: tricks of the trade  
A.Z. Abuhamad (USA)  
B. Benoit (France)  
T. Bourne (UK)  
Sonographic signs of microdeletion 22q11  
P. Chaoui (Germany)  
3D/4D echocardiography: the latest and the greatest  
G.R. DeVore (USA)  
Practical aspects of 3D ultrasound  
D.H. Pretorius (USA)

#### 08:30–10:00 Parallel: Fetal growth and well-being  
*Room: Salons 1–2*  
**Chairs:** D. Maulik (USA); G. Ryan (Canada)  
08:30 Overview: New approaches to old problems  
D. Maulik (USA)  
08:40 Predicting remaining time of pregnancy: a new approach to the prediction of day of delivery  
S.H. Eik-Nes; H.G.K. Blaas; P. Grettum; H. Gjessing (Norway)  
08:55 Live scan demonstration: Doppler and biophysical profile  
A.A. Baschat (USA)  
09:15 Volume flow estimation  
E. Ferrazzi; S. Rigano; A. Padoan; R. Rollo (Italy)  
09:25 Middle cerebral artery peak systolic velocity: a new Doppler parameter in the evaluation of SGA fetuses with an abnormal umbilical artery  
G. Mari; M. Balasubramaniam; J. Nien; J. Kusanovic; J. Espinoza; L. Goncalves; E. Soto; J. Santolaya; M. Treadwell (USA)  
09:35 Effects of maternal hyperoxia with and without normocapnia in utero placental and fetal Doppler studies  
M.J. Simchen; J. Tesler; T. Azarni; D. Preiss; L. Fedorko; E. Goldszmidt; J. Fisher; J. Kingdom; C.R. Slorach; L.K. Homburger (Isreal); (Canada); (USA)  
09:43 Epidemiologic and statistical pitfalls in prediction models for fetal weight estimation  
W. Lee; M. Balasubramaniam; I. Chutkay; R.L. Deter; L.F. Goncalves; J. Espinoza; R. Romero (USA)  
Related posters  
P10.01–P10.43

#### 08:30–10:00 Parallel: Stump the Professor  
*Room: Salons D–E*  
**Chairs:** A.L. Gagnon (Canada); P. Glanc (Canada)  
Panel: B. Benacerraf (USA); K. Hecher (Germany); P. Jeanty (USA); L.D. Platt (USA); I.E. Timor-Tritsch (USA)  
08:30 Just images: What’s that cyst in your cervix?  
J.P. Schmidt; R.J. Gratton; B. Richardson; W. Dawson (Canada)  
08:45 Just images: A fluttering of the fetal chest  
C.E. Potmman; S. Sinnott; R. Justo; P. Borzi (Australia)  
09:00 Just images: So what’s the chorionicity here?  
T.L. Pressey (Canada)  
09:15 Just images: What’s this colour below the fetal head?  
R.L. Arvon; M. O’Neill; G. Bega; S. Weiner (USA)  
09:30 Just images: Is there any calcium in that skull?  
L.F. Goncalves; E. Soto; K. Richani; P. Devers; J. Espinoza; W. Lee; M.C. Treadwell; R. Romero (USA)  
09:45 Just images: A fetus feeling bloated  
A. Ness; G. Bega; D.C. Wood; S. Weiner; V. Berghella (USA)
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08:30–10:00 Parallel: Magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) in obstetrics I  Room: Salon F

08:30 Overview  
D.A. Nyberg (USA)  

08:40 Applicability of diffusion-weighted images in fetal MRI  
S. Dymarkowski; M. Cannie; V. Vandecaveye; R. Devlieger; P. Demaerel; J. Deprest (Belgium)

08:48 An evaluation of real-time MR single shot fast spin echo imaging in visualization of fetal midline corpus callosum and secondary palate  
D. Levine; C. Cavazos; J. Kazan; R.F. Busse; V. Dialani; C. McKenzie; R. Robertson; C. Robson; T.Y. Poussaint; N. Rofsky (USA)

08:56 Fetal growth and development of the posterior fossa and vermis and MRI  
D.M. Twickler (USA)

09:04 Fetal neurosonography and MRI in the diagnosis of malformations of cortical development  
G. Meinking; T. Lerman-Sagie; C. Hoffmann; D. Kidron; D. Lev; L. Ben-Sira (Israel)

09:12 Fetal CNS assessment by transvaginal 3D sonography and MRI  
R.K. Pooh; K.H. Pooh (Japan)

09:20 Multi-slice technique for 3D sonography  
A. Kraiothwi (Austria)

09:28 MRI of fetal cerebral lesions in severe twin-twin transfusion syndrome: confrontation with ultrasound  
M. Motha; E. Quarello; Y. Ville (France)

09:36 Feasibility of MRI as preoperative guidance tool for laser coagulation in twin-twin transfusion syndrome  
L. Lowe; M. Cannie; V. Vandecaveye; J. Jani; F. De Keyzer; S. Dymarkowski; J. Deprest (Belgium)

09:44 Panel discussion: The future of MRI in obstetrics  
All speakers

10:00–10:30 Coffee and poster viewing  Exhibition area

10:30–12:00 Parallel: Clinical benefits of 3D ultrasound  Room: Salons 1–2

10:30 Overview: Progress in the management of IUGR  
J. Kingdom (Canada)

10:40 Video demonstration: Left portal vein – watershed in fetal venous circulation  
T. Kiserud (Norway)

11:05 3D to assist in clinical diagnosis: video demonstration of fetal anomalies  
E. Merz (Germany)

11:15 3D to assist in clinical diagnosis: video demonstration of fetal anomalies  
D.H. Pretorius (USA)

11:25 Reference data representative of normal findings at 2D and 3D gray scale ultrasound examination of the cervix from 17 to 41 gestational weeks  
L. Rovas\(^1\); P. Sladkevicius\(^2\); E. Strobel\(^2\); L. Valentin\(^2\)  
\(^1\)(Lithuania); \(^2\)(Sweden)

11:33 Assessment of cardiac function impairment by four-dimensional echocardiography with inversion mode rendering in fetal congenital heart disease  
D. Paladini; P. Volpe; M. Vassallo; G. Sglavo; P. Martinelli (Italy)

11:41 Sonographic tomography: a fundamental use of 3D ultrasound in fetal imaging  
B. Benacerraf; T. Shipp; B. Bromley (USA)

11:49 Questions to the speakers  
L.D. Platt (USA)

10:30–12:00 Parallel: Intrauterine growth restriction (IUGR) I  Room: Salons D–E

10:30 Overview: Progress in the management of IUGR  
J. Kingdom (Canada)

10:40 Video demonstration: Left portal vein – watershed in fetal venous circulation  
T. Kiserud (Norway)

10:50 Doppler, cardiotocography and biophysical profile  
A.A. Baschat (USA)

11:10 Long-term follow-up of IUGR  
K. Maršálek; D. Lecy; J. Brezdziak; E. Tideman; A. Hellstrom (Sweden)

11:20 Changes in Doppler waveform of ductus venosus: a comparison between IUGR and congenital heart diseases  
M. Bellotti; C. De Gasperi; I. Zucca; V. Bee; G. Rognoni (Italy)
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#### 11:28
- **11:28** Relationship between prenatal Doppler findings and neurodevelopmental outcome at 2 years of age in intrauterine growth restriction
  - A.A. Baschat; N. Hashmi; M.L. Kush; R. Viscardi; C.R. Harman (USA)

#### 11:36
- **11:36** The proportion of umbilical blood shunting through the ductus venosus in nonhuman primate fetuses
  - M. Tchirkov; H.J. Schröder; N. Schlaitbrot-Loussevitch; N. Beindorf; P.W. Nathanielsz; K. Hecher
    - (Germany); (USA)

#### 11:44
- **11:44** Short-term effect of betamethasone administration on MCA blood flow velocimetry on preterm intrauterine growth restricted fetuses
  - A. Smolin; M. Mazor; E. Maymon; A. Bashiri; D. Dukler; A. Bolotin; A. Golan; R. Hershkovitz (Israel)

#### 11:52
- **11:52** Usefulness of measurement of the fetal thymus in the diagnosis of IUGR: a preliminary result
  - J.Y. Cho; S.I. Jung; M.H. Moon; J.Y. Min; M.J. Song; J.A. Kim; M.Y. Kim (Republic of Korea)

#### 10:30–12:00 Parallel: Demonstrations and debates in gynecology II

**Room:** Salon F

**Chairs:** T. Bourne (UK); P. Glanc (Canada)

- **10:30** Case demonstration: Ovarian masses
  - D. Timmerman (Belgium)

- **10:45** Case demonstration: Recognising non-gynecological malignancy
  - J.P. Lerner (USA)

- **11:00** Intra- and interobserver agreement for morphologic assessment of adnexal masses using three-dimensional ultrasound
  - J.L. Alcázar; M. García-Manero; C. Laparte; J.A. Minguez; M. Jurado; G. Lopez-Garcia (Spain)

- **11:06** The role of sonographic examination in the follow up of gynecological neoplasms
  - A.C. Testa; E. Fruscella; M. Ludovisi; R. De Vincenzo; M. Malagges; D. Basso; G. Scambia; G. Ferrandina (Italy)

- **11:16** A prospective evaluation of the ovarian crescent sign and the risk of malignancy index for the diagnosis of ovarian malignancy
  - J. Yazbek; K. Hillaby; J. Ben Nagi; E. Sawyer; S. Helmy; D. Jurkovic (UK)

- **11:27** Malignant and benign adnexal tumors vascularity assessment with three-dimensional power Doppler sonography, soluble vascular adhesion molecule-1 (VCAM-1) and soluble endoglin (CD-105) measurements
  - A. Czekierdowski; S. Czekierdowska; A. Smolen; W. Bednarek; J. Kotarski (Poland)

### 12:00–12:45 Poster discussion sessions

**Room:** Cypress 1

- **12:00–12:20** P09: Invasive procedures and fetal therapy
  - P09.01–P09.33
  - Chairs: K. Hecher (Germany); J.A. Copel (USA)

- **12:25–12:45** P11: Labour
  - P11.01–P11.18
  - Chairs: T. Bourne (UK); A.K. Parsons (USA)

### 14:00–15:30 Parallel: 11–14 week scan

**Room:** Salons 1–2

- **14:00** Overview
  - A. Tabor (Denmark)

- **14:10** Live scan demonstration
  - A. Nyberg (USA)

- **14:30** Video demonstration: Case illustrations of abnormalities detected at 11–14 weeks
  - M. Bronshtein (Israel)

- **14:42** First trimester screening for trisomy 21: a statewide evaluation
  - J.E. Dickinson; P. O’Leary; N. Breheny; C. Bower; J. Goldblatt; N. Hadlow; B.G. Hewitt; A. Murch; R. Stock; S. Wilson (Australia)

- **14:50** Umbilical cord diameter at 11–14 weeks of gestation: relationship to nuchal translucency, ductus venous blood flow and chromosomal defects
  - A. Schwarze; P. Kreiselmaier; M. Krapp; J. Smrcek; R. Art-Filedner (Germany)
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### 14:00–15:30 Parallel: IUGR II  
**Room: Salons D–E**

**Chairs:** K. Maršál (Sweden); J. Kingdom (Canada)

**14:00 Case reports: Optimal management / timing of delivery**  
(Panel to give opinions on how to manage each case)  
K. Maršál (Sweden)

**Panellists:** C. Brezinka (Netherlands); K. Hecher (Germany); J. Kingdom (Canada); A.N. Papageorghiou (Canada)

**14:35 Management and prognosis of IUGR infants**  
A.N. Papageorghiou (Canada)

**14:50 An economic analysis of the role of Doppler velocimetry and fetal biophysical profile in the timing of delivery of the preterm growth-restricted fetus**  
A.O. Odibo (USA)

**14:58 Qualitative venous Doppler flow waveform analysis in preterm IUGR-fetuses with ARED flow: correlation to short-term outcome**  
A. Schwarze; U. Gembuch; M. Krapp; U. Germer; J. Smroch; R. Axt-Fliedner (Germany)

**15:06 Intervention thresholds for severe early onset growth restriction**  
A.A. Baschat; C. Bilardo; U. Germer; J. Hartung; S. Rigano; C. Berg; M.L. Kush; A. Bhide; H.L. Galan; B. Thilaganthan; E. Ferrazzi; K. Hecher; U. Gembuch; C.P. Weiner; C.R. Harman  
(USA); (Netherlands); (Germany); (Italy); (UK)

**15:14 Human uterine artery blood volume flow at mid-gestation: relationship to uterine artery Doppler velocimetry and placental site**  
S. Rigano; S. Bolto; G. Pennati; F. Gervaso; A. Padoan; L. Socci; P. Ficarazzi; G. Pardi; F.C. Battaglia; E. Ferrazzi  
(Italy); (USA)

**15:22 Second trimester diagnosis of severe placental insufficiency in women with elevations of either alpha-fetoprotein or human chorionic gonadotropin**  
J. Kingdom; M. Toal; D. Chitayat; A. Toi; R. Windrim; V. Chaddtha (Canada)

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### 14:00–15:30 Parallel: New technologies and gynecological malignancies  
**Room: Salon F**

**Chairs:** D. Timmerman (Belgium); P. Cooperberg (Canada)

**14:00 Overview**  
D. Timmerman (Belgium)

**14:10 The role of contrast media in the diagnosis and management of ovarian masses**  
A.C. Testa; G. Ferrandina; E. Fruscella; C. Van Holsbeke; E. Ferrazzi; F.P.G. Leone; D. Arduini; C. Exacoustos; D. Bokor; G. Scambia; D. Timmerman  
(Italy); (Belgium)

**14:25 The non-gestational uterus: how can magnetic resonance imaging help us better understand ultrasound?**  
P. Cooperberg (Canada)

**14:40 Trials on animals and clinical patients of interventional alcoholic therapy in ovarian endometrial cysts**  
L.X. Wang; Y.L. Li; L.L. Zong; J.Y. Wang (People’s Republic of China)

**14:48 Colour Doppler assessment of blood flow in cases of lymphatic metastases in endometrial cancer**  
W. Sawicki; B. Ciepiewankievicz; J. Stelmachow; K. Cendrowski (Poland)

**14:56 Transvaginal ultrasound in comparison to MRI for the evaluation of early stages of cervical cancer**  
M. Hryhorczuk; L. Rob; T. Bellsan; M.J. Halaska; A. Stiegrova; R. Vlk (Czech Republic)

**15:04 A new method of transvaginal ultrasound-guided polypectomy: a feasibility study**  
J. Ben Nagi; C. Lee; J. Yazbek; D. Oflili-Yebov; A. Davies; D. Jurkovic (UK)

**15:12 Real-time 3D ultrasound imaging of the clitoris**  
J. Deng; N.S. Crouch; S.M. Creighton; A.D. Linney; A. Todd-Pokropek; C.H. Rodeck (UK)

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15:20 3D transvaginal gynecological ultrasound using Accuvix XQ Prestige: an operator-independent examination
E. Fritz; J. Marin; M. Roman (Chile)  OC28.07

15:28 SAFE-T-CHOICE: A new transvaginal ultrasound guided device to improve imaging in surgical abortions
R. Aviram; Z. Klein; Y. Beyth; M. Zeituni; A. Fishman (Israel)  OC28.08

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15:30–16:00 Coffee and poster viewing  Exhibition area

16:00–17:30 Parallel: 18–23 week scan  Room: Salons 1–2

Chairs: J.C. Hobbins (USA); J.A. Johnson (Canada)

16:00 Live scan demonstration: Screening markers
J.C. Hobbins (USA)

16:20 Video demonstration: Case illustrations of unusual anomalies
P. Jeanty (USA)

16:38 Iliac crest angle: a novel approach for detection of fetuses with Down syndrome
W. Lee; M. Balasubramaniam; M.D. Powell; L.F. Gonçalves; J. Espinoza; R. Romero (USA)  OC29.01

16:46 Prevalence of an aberrant right subclavian artery (ARSA) in normal fetuses: a new soft marker for trisomy 21 risk assessment
R. Chaoui; G. Thiel; K.S. Heling (Germany)  OC29.02

16:54 Fetal ovarian cysts: prenatal diagnosis and management
E. Antolín; R. Pérez; M.C. Vifhuwel; I. Ilíc; O. Martinez; L. Ortiz  (Spain);  (Serbia)  OC29.03

17:02 Just images: The flying fetus
C.E. Portmann; S. Sinnott (Australia)  OC29.04

17:07 Just images: Ambiguous genitalia prenatal diagnosis: congenital adrenal hyperplasia
M.A. Rodríguez; C. Millán; P. Prats; M. Ruiz; M. Torrents; B. Serrà (Spain)  OC29.05

17:12 Just images: Ultrasound diagnosis of ectopia cordis and anencephaly associated with amniotic bands
I.D. Burd; J.K. Baxter; G. Bega; D.C. Wood; M. Hamel; V. Berghella; S. Weiner (USA)  OC29.06

17:17 Just images: The tale of the caudal appendage
C.E. Portmann; B. Sutton; S. Sinnott (Australia)  OC29.07

17:22 Prenatal diagnosis of an isolated fetal malformation: the accuracy of ultrasound in excluding additional anomalies
M. Segato; M. Piva; A. Banti; S. Grotti; A. Perolo; D. Prandstraffer; N. Rizzo; G. Piliu (Italy)  OC29.08

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16:00–17:40 Parallel: Fetal surgery  Room: Salons D–E

Chairs: J. Deprest (Belgium); R.A. Quintero (USA)

16:00 Developments in the management of fetal lung abnormalities
G. Ryan (Canada)  OC30.02

16:10 Developments in the dilatation of cardiac valves
C.B. Benson (USA)  OC30.03

16:20 Developments in fetal intervention for congenital diaphragmatic hernia
J. Deprest; J. Janni; E. Gratacos; A. Greenough; K. Allegaert; V. Martinez-Ibáñez  (Belgium);  (Spain);  (UK)  OC30.04

16:30 Developments in amnioplasty
R.A. Quintero; E.V. Kontopoulos; R.H. Chmait; P.W. Bomick; M.H. Allen (USA)  OC30.04a

16:40 Obstructive uropathy: the time to re-think fetal therapy?
M.D. Kilby (UK)  OC30.05

16:50 Developments in the treatment of twin–twin transfusion syndrome
R.H. Ball (USA)  OC30.06

17:08 Selection of cases for fetal pulmonary valvuloplasty
H.M. Gardiner; L. Pasquini; A. Barlow; C. Belmar; R. Franklin; P.D. Daubney; M.L. Rigby; S. Kumar (UK)  OC30.07

17:16 Stage-related outcome in severe mid-trimester twin–twin transfusion syndrome treated by fetoscopic laser coagulation
A. Huber; W. Diehl; T. Bregenzer; B.J. Hackelöer; K. Hecher (Germany)  OC30.08
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17:24  Weight discordance decreases after laser therapy for twin–twin transfusion syndrome  
R. Chmait1; Y.L. Chang2; P.W. Bornick1; R.A. Quintero1  
1(USA); 2(Taiwan)  
OC30.09

17:32  Learning curve for fetoscopic laser surgery for severe twin–twin transfusion syndrome can be shortened  
F.Y. Chan1; R. Cincotta1; B. Soong1; P. Bornick2; M. Allen2; R.A. Quintero1  
1(Australia); 2(USA)  
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16:00–17:30  Parallel: Acute gynecology and ectopic pregnancy  
Room: Salon F

Chairs: T. Bourne (UK); A. Ngu (Australia)

16:00  Overview  
T. Bourne (UK)  
OC31.01

16:10  Diagnosing ectopic pregnancy  
G. Condous (UK)  
OC31.02

16:25  Evidence-based management of tubal ectopic pregnancy  
B. Cacciatore (Finland)  
OC31.03

16:40  The role of ultrasound in acute gynaecology and its impact on management  
Z. Haider; G. Condous; E. Kirk; A. Khalid; A. Syed; T. Bourne (UK)  
OC31.04

16:48  Can the ultrasonographic appearance of an ectopic pregnancy determine the likelihood of success for the conservative management?  
E. Kirk1; G. Condous1; Z. Haider1; T. Chang1; B. Van Calster1; T. Bourne1  
1(UK); 1(Belgium)  
OC31.05

16:56  Prevalence of pathology in women presenting with pelvic pain and/or bleeding to an inner London acute gynaecology unit  
Z. Haider; G. Condous; A. Khalid; E. Kirk; A. Syed; T. Bourne (UK)  
OC31.06

17:04  Sonographic appearance of the uterine cavity following treatment with mifepristone and misoprostol for termination of pregnancy  
R. Aviram; Z. Klein; A. Fishman; R. Tepper; O. Markovitch (Israel)  
OC31.07

17:12  Can the hCG ratio be used to predict likelihood of success of conservative management of ectopic pregnancies?  
E. Kirk; O. Gevaert; Z. Haider; G. Condous; T. Bourne  
1(UK); 1(Belgium)  
OC31.08

17:20  What is the optimal approach to accurately classifying failing pregnancies of unknown location (PULs)?  
G. Condous1; E. Kirk1; Z. Haider1; B. Van Calster1; S. Van Huffel1; D. Timmerman1; T. Bourne1  
1(UK); 1(Belgium)  
OC31.09

17:28  Just images: Conservative ultrasound-based management of cervical heterotopic pregnancy  
F.P.G. Leone; T. Bignardi; A. Pigni; M.L. Muggiasca; E. Ferrazzi (Italy)  
OC31.10

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- How is this fetus doing? Disease-specific antenatal testing  
  A.A. Baschat (USA)
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  S.H. Eik-Nes (Norway)
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### 08:00–09:30  Parallel: Maternal complications

**Room: Salons 1–2**

**Chairs:** S.H. Eik-Nes (Norway); G. Mari (USA)

- **08:00** Live scan demonstration: Abdominal organs  
  P. Glanc (Canada)
- **08:20** Video demonstration: Illustrations of the use of ultrasound in managing non-obstetric complications of pregnancy  
  P. Glanc (Canada)
- **08:30** What do we do with ovarian cysts diagnosed in pregnancy?  
  D. Jurkovic (UK)
- **08:40** First-trimester uterine artery Doppler and ischaemia modified albumin in women who subsequently develop severe pre-eclampsia  
  F. Prefumo; A.T. Papageorghiou; D. Gaze; P. Collinson; B. Thilaganathan (UK)
- **08:48** Diastolic flow index of the uterine artery Doppler waveform: a novel marker for downstream placental resistance  
  D. Khaw; C. Turan (UK)
- **08:56** Compliance index (CI) of the uterine artery as a predictor of hypertensive disorders and growth restriction in low risk pregnancies  
  H. Kleig1; A. Kurjak2  
  1(Austria); 2(Croatia)
- **09:04** Modification of maternal and fetal circulation under moderate plasmatic volume expansion for pre-eclampsia  
  J. Nizard; B. Arabin (Netherlands)
- **09:12** Maternal hemodynamic changes after laser therapy followed by amnioreduction for mid-trimester twin-twin transfusion syndrome  
  J. Nizard; I. Guski; Y. Ville (France)
- **09:20** Pregnancy in women with hypertropic or dilated cardiomyopathy: the role of ultrasound examination for planning rational strategies  
  I.G. Fedorova; O.A. Pitrinëva; E.D. Bespalova (Russia)

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### 08:00–09:30  Parallel: New technologies in obstetrics

**Room: Salons D–E**

**Chairs:** D. Maulik (USA); D. Pugash (Canada)

- **08:00** Overview  
  D. Maulik (USA)
- **08:10** Multi-slice imaging of the normal fetal heart: a new promising tool?  
  E. Steurs; L. De Catte (Belgium)
- **08:18** Fetal cardiac ejection fraction assessed from 4D ultrasound: spatiotemporal image correlation and volume calculation  
  L.U. Larsen; N. Uldbjerg; E. Sloth; K. Sorensen; O.B. Petersen (Denmark)
- **08:26** Early visualization of the fetal coronary arteries by four-dimensional ultrasonography with B-flow imaging and spatiotemporal image correlation (STIC)  
  L.P. Gonçalves; J. Espinoza; J.P. Kusanovic; G. Mari; W. Lee; E. Soto; J. Santolaya-Forgas; M.C. Treadwell; R. Romero (USA)
- **08:34** Clinical application and usefulness of three-dimensional extended image (3D XI) in obstetrics  
  H.S. Won; H.J. Cho; S.K. Kim; J.Y. Shim; P.R. Lee; A. Kim (South Korea)
- **08:42** Just images: Dynamic magnetic resonance imaging (DMR) as a new technology: clinical feasibility in obstetrics  
  H.J. Cho; H.S. Won; S.K. Kim; J.Y. Shim; P.R. Lee; A. Kim (South Korea)
- **08:47** A longitudinal kinematical study of fetal hand movements through 4D ultrasound  
  G. D’Ottavio; S. Zoia; L. Blason; A. Scabar; M. Bulgheroni; U. Castiello (Italy)
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**08:55** Expression of VEGF-C in human placenta during early pregnancy and quantitative placental pulsatile blood flow by ultrasonography  
*R.O. Rie* (Japan)  
(OCC3.07)

**09:03** What is the best video compression algorithm for digital fetal ultrasound video clips?  
*D. Watson; I. Kromin; F.Y.C. Chan; L. Kastanis; A. Lee-Tannock; G. Duncombe; G. Gardener; A. Chang* (Australia)  
(OCC3.08)

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*M. Molho; J. Roume; Y. Ville* (France)  
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*M. Tchirkov; W. Brenner; M. Strohner; R. Buchert; H.J. Schröder; N. Beindorff; K. Hecher* (Germany)  
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**08:00** Overview  
*I.E. Timor-Tritsch* (USA)

**08:10** Video demonstration: Three-dimensional ultrasound of the pelvic floor  
*H.P. Dietz* (Australia)

**08:25** Transperineal three-dimensional ultrasound to assess the anal sphincter  
*S.Y. Yagel; R. Patkova; D.V. Valsky* (Israel)  
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**08:40** Vesical endometriosis: sonographic diagnosis and follow up after surgery  
*C. Exacoustos; M.E. Romanini; A. Amadio; C. Amoroso; B. Szabolcs; E. Zupi; D. Arduini* (Italy)  
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*F. Guerra; R. Avendaño; C. Mayorga; C. Nannig; P. Matamala; R. Gutierrez; G.A. Campos* (Chile)  
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**08:56** Postpartum evaluation of the anal sphincter by transperineal 3D ultrasound in primiparous women after normal vaginal delivery and after surgical repair of 3rd-degree tears  
*D.V. Valsky; R. Patkova; D. Rozenak; S.Y. Yagel* (Israel)  
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*H.P. Dietz; V. Lanzarone* (Australia)  
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**09:12** Dimensions of the levator hiatus in symptomatic women  
*H.P. Dietz; A.B. Steensma* (Australia)  
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**09:20** Measurement of muscles of anal canal using 3D ultrasound  
*D.H. Pretorius; N.M. Guaderrama; J. Liu; C.W. Nager; G. Sheean; R.K. Mittal* (USA)  
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*G.R. DeVore* (USA)

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*L. Sperling; I.Q. Qvist; C.J. Jørgensen; K.S. Skajaa; A.T. Tabor* (Denmark)  
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**10:13** Individual and group learning curves for ultrasound fetal biometry measurements: cumulative sum analysis  
*S. Weerasinghe; A. Revel; H. Mirghani; F. Abu-Zidan* (UAE)  
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*N. Lorzadeh; S. Najafi; M. Parsa; C. Kasemirad* (Iran)  
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*M. Tchirkov; H.J. Schröder; U. Wedegärtnert; K. Hecher* (Germany)  
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Oak 1 and 2 are located on level two. Seymour and Mackenzie are located on level one.

Formal live scan demonstrations take place during advertised break times on each day. It is at the discretion of the sponsor whether invitations are required to attend.

Lunchtime satellite symposia (12:45–13:45)

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Cost per person:
- Fully registered delegates and registered accompanied persons provided pre-booked: Complimentary
- Day delegates and additional tickets: USD $25.00

18:30–20:00 Opening ceremony
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Drinks and canapés

Congress party
Tuesday 27 September 2005
19:00–24:00
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- Sunday 25 September 2005: 09:00–21:30
- Monday 26 September 2005: 07:30–18:00
- Tuesday 27 September 2005: 08:00–18:00
- Wednesday 28 September 2005: 08:00–17:30
- Thursday 29 September 2005: 07:00–14:30

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