

# The 1<sup>st</sup> INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES IN WOMEN

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**DAY 1**

9:00 - 9:30

**Plenary Opening Session**

**Keynote Lecture:** Prof. Sir Magdi Yacoub: One World, Many Voices

**Expert Panel Discussion:** Setting the Stage: What are the Challenges Worldwide in Addressing Women's Cardiovascular Health and Disease?

9:30 - 10:30

**Session 1**

**The Life Stages of Women: Childhood and Adolescence**

10:30 - 11:30

**Session 2**

**Rheumatic Heart Disease: The Global Pandemic**

11:30 - 12:30

**Session 3**

**Prevention, Screening and Risk Assessment**

12:30 - 13:00

**Symposium**

13:00 - 14:00

**Prayer & Coffee Break**

14:00 - 15:00

**Session 4**

**The Life Stages of Women: How Hormones Affect Cardiovascular Health and Disease**

15:00 - 16:00

**Session 5**

**Coronary Artery Disease**

16:00 - 17:00

**Session 6**

**Challenges in Diagnosis and Treatment**

17:00 - 17:30

**Plenary Session**

**Keynote Lecture:** The Worldwide Cardiovascular Health Gap

**Expert Panel Discussion:** Why and How to Close the Health Gap?

**Evening Walking Dinner in the GEM (Sponsored)**



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**DAY 2**

9:00 - 9:30

**Plenary Opening Session**

**Keynote Lecture:** To be Determined

**Expert Panel Discussion:** Menopause and Cardiovascular Health

9:30 - 10:30

**Session 7**

The Life Stages of Women: Pregnancy and Heart Disease

10:30 - 11:30

**Session 8**

Valvular Heart Disease & Arrhythmias

11:30 - 12:30

**Session 9**

Multidisciplinary Approaches: Cardio-Oncology-Gynaecology

13:00 - 13:15

**Symposium**

13:00 - 13:15

**Prayer & Coffee Break**

13:15 - 14:15

**Session 10**

The Life Stages of Women: Menopause and Cardiovascular Health

14:15 - 15:15

**Session 11**

Cardiomyopathies/ Special Diseases in Women

15:15 - 16:15

**Session 12**

Inequities Worldwide: Policy and Politics

16:15 - 16:45

**Plenary Session**

Keynote Lecture

Expert Panel Discussion

**Evening Poster Reception**

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**DAY 3**

9:00 - 9:30

**Plenary Opening Session**  
**Keynote Lecture**  
**Expert Panel Discussion**

9:30 - 10:30

**Session 13**

The Life Stages of Women: Cardiovascular Diseases in Elderly Women

10:30 - 11:30

**Session 14**

Aneurysmal and Peripheral Vascular Disease: Connecting The Dots

11:30 - 12:30

**Session 15**

Innovations In Women's Cardiovascular Health and Disease

12:30 - 13:00

**Town Hall & Adjourn**

Interactive Summary and Discussion of Meeting Sessions  
Wrap Up