

Master's Degree in Transcatheter Therapies



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Modality: **Mixed**

Duration: **9 months**

Own Title: **San Pablo Andalucía CEU Foundation**

Credits: **60 ECTS equivalents credits**(European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System)

Teaching hours: **1.500h**

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01 Presentation

Dear friends,

The Master in Transcatheter Therapies, a title from the San Pablo Andalucía CEU Foundation and the Spanish Society of Cardiovascular and Endovascular Surgery, reaches its 3rd edition after a completely successful first with participation and training.

In the satisfaction survey carried out at the end of the Master's degree, 72% of the students consider that the Master's degree has met their expectations; 78% affirm that its duration has been very appropriate to the content, 89% are very satisfied with the teachers chosen to teach each of the subjects; and 83% recognize that the master's degree has been very useful for their training.

But one of the most positive evaluations of this first edition have been the in-person sessions held, due to the huge number of simulators gathered for practices, due to the possibility of seeing live cases or dozens of canned cases. At the end of this edition, a club has been established where cases continue to be shared or students who have been part of this edition are invited so that they can attend any endovascular intervention, participating as another surgeon.

The disciplines that have the cardiovascular anatomical area as their common focus encompass different specialties that share areas of competence. Specifically, cardiovascular surgery, angiology and vascular surgery, as surgical specialties, as well as cardiology and radiology as clinical specialties. Standardized training in this new field, which emerged along the lines of different specialties, requires precise training standards and common areas of competence.

The continuous advancement in cardiovascular therapies forces heart and vascular professionals to stay up to date on these catheter-guided endovascular procedures.

This Master's Degree, which remains the only one that exists in Europe and Latin America, is the result of the work of more than fifty professors from different countries.

The Master's program is taught semi-face-to-face and is structured into 8 theoretical modules lasting nine months (students must take 60 ECTS credits where the TFM is mandatory), divided into two areas: valvular plus structural, cardiac and vascular. Although if the student deems it appropriate, they can focus on one of them, with which upon completion they would obtain the title of Transcatheter Valve Specialist (29 ECTS credits). To these 8 modules we must add two face-to-face sessions lasting two days each, eminently practical, with workshops, simulators, recorded clinical cases and live cases.



We understand that the only way to learn in the field of cardiovascular interventionism is to use practice as a solution to the learning problem. It is not just about knowing the new techniques, but about learning them by using them.

The Master in Transcatheter Therapies begins on October 21, 2024 and ends on June 27, 2025.

And at the end of the study program, our students will have acquired skills that will allow them to have extensive and advanced knowledge of transcatheter techniques. In addition to being able to transfer their knowledge to any cardiovascular surgery, cardiology, radiology or vascular surgery unit..

Official training offers students the qualification of a specialist in Cardiovascular Surgery, Cardiology, Vascular Surgery or Radiology, but it does not always qualify them to perform transcatheter techniques. However, the market demands these trained professionals. In this case, we have the support of an institution like CEU, the endorsement of the Spanish Society of Cardiovascular and Endovascular Surgery and the participation of nationally and internationally renowned professionals from all the specialties involved in transcatheter procedures in the cardiovascular area.

To expand the information on this Master, you can do so at: www.mastertranscater.com

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This master allows you to run in simulated environments that provides learning immersive programmed to train before real situations.

Provides clinical cases to bring closer maximum program development to the reality of medical care.

It includes in its teaching staff professionals belonging to the field of cardiovascular surgery, angiology, cardiology, interventional radiology, anesthesiology and virtual reality, who pour their work experience into this training, in addition to recognized specialists belonging to companies scientific references.



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02 General Objectives

At the end of this Master, each participant must be able to:

- Know the most advanced techniques in the percutaneous treatment of valvular heart disease. Theoretical knowledge and practical examples.
- Identify candidates for transcatheter interventional techniques on heart valves..
- Know and develop cardiac imaging techniques in structural interventionism.
- Plan transcatheter valve procedures in detail.
- Anticipate, prevent and know how to resolve complications related to transcatheter valve procedures.
- Know the evolution and follow-up of patients undergoing these procedures.
- Know the most advanced techniques in the endovascular treatment of arterial and venous pathology. Knowledge theoretical and practical.
- Identify and choose the most appropriate technique, prosthesis and catheters for each procedure.
- Select the appropriate patient. Vascular transcatheter intervention versus open surgical procedure.
- Plan in detail endovascular procedures aimed at the treatment of vascular, arterial and venous disease.
- Know the complications related to transcatheter vascular procedures. Early diagnosis and appropriate management.

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Specific Objectives

Get to do:

VALVE AREA.

- Learn in detail about the most current implant devices and transcatheter prostheses in valvular pathology.
- Prepare, plan and perform transcatheter aortic valve implantation (TAVI) procedures.
- Prepare, plan and perform percutaneous treatment procedures for mitral insufficiency.
- Prepare, plan and perform transcatheter mitral valve implantation procedures.
- Prepare, plan and perform percutaneous procedures on the tricuspid valve.
- Prepare, plan and perform percutaneous procedures on the pulmonary valve.
- Prepare, plan and perform valve-in-valve procedures.

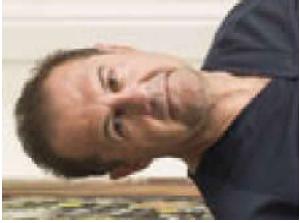
VASCULAR AREA

- Achieve standardization of the procedure and advanced knowledge of endovascular treatment of the thoracic aorta.
- Address Acute Aortic Syndrome endovascularly: Aortic Dissection, Intramural Hematoma and Penetrating Ulcer.
- Achieve standardization of the procedure and advanced knowledge of the treatment of aneurysmal and occlusive disease and the endovascular approach to the abdominal aorta.

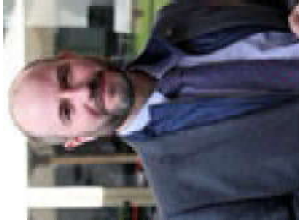


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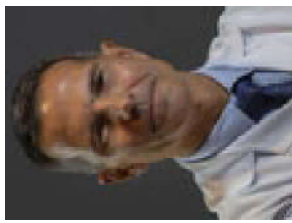
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Programme

MODULE 1.

BASES OF TRANSCATHETER THERAPIES.

Coordinator: **Dr. Tomás Daroca Martínez.**
21/10/2024 to 25/11/2024.

Topic 1. Basic materials: guides, catheters, introducers and balloons. Description and appropriate selection for each procedure.. (online. 29/10/24)
Dr. Tomás Daroca Martínez

Topic 2. Percutaneous access techniques: ultrasound-guided, radio-guided, open puncture. Advantages, disadvantages, strategies. Percutaneous closure systems.
Dra. Rosario Conejero Gómez

Topic 3. Transseptal access technique. (online. 12/11/24)
Dr. Juan Manuel Fernández Gómez

Topic 4. Brain protection systems in transcatheter procedures.
Dr. Ángel Sánchez-Recalde

- Anatomy and physiology TSAo.
- Causes of stroke in transcatheter procedures.
- When, how and why to use brain protection devices.
- Current devices: advantages and disadvantages.

Topic 5. Imaging techniques: radioscope and CT angiography. MRI: image fusion. Technical characteristics, handling and usefulness..
Dr. Jordi Broncano Cabrero

- Radioscopes: mobile, fixed: technical characteristics and handling.
- AngioTAC image acquisition: needs and characteristics.
- Acquisition of NMR images: needs and characteristics..

Topic 6. ETE: Utility in transcatheter procedures: characteristics and projections used. Motorize transcatheter procedures..
Dr. Alberto Bouzas Mosquera

- Bases of transesophageal echocardiography.

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MODULE 2.

PLANNING OF TRANSCATHETER THERAPIES.

Coordinator: Dr. Miguel Ángel Gómez Vidal
26/11/2024 to 07/01/2025.

Topic 7. Technical requirements for transcatheter procedures. (online. 03/12/24)

Dr. José Manuel Garrido Jiménez

- Cardioteam: necessary, mandatory.
- Setting of hybrid rooms or operating rooms.
- Organization of equipment and staff.

Topic 8. Intra- and perioperative care in transcatheter procedures.

Dr. Antonio Ramón Fernández López

- Anesthetic options: minimalism.
- Safety or effectiveness procedure
- Post-procedure care and surveillance.

Topic 9. Importance of CT angiography in transcatheter planning of the aortic valve.. (online. 17/12/24)

Dr. Omar Arají Tiliani

- Aortic valve: anatomy-physiology of the aortic valve, ultrasound analysis, CT angiography analysis.
- Management of TAC software for valves:
 - a) How to measure necessary measurements: ring, distances to ostium, accesses.
 - b) CT-anatomy correlations.

Topic 10. Transcatheter planning of aortic pathology..

Dr. Mariano de Blas Bravo

- Aorta and peripheral vascular: anatomo-physiology of the aorta and FP of the main pathologies (aneurysmal and dissection).
- Usefulness of different imaging tests in case planning and measurements.
- Use of aortic CT software.

Topic 11. Usefulness of virtual reality and artificial intelligence..

D. Víctor Herrera Terrada

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MODULE 3.

TRANSCATHETER THERAPY ACCESS ROUTES.

Coordinator: **Dr. Tomás Heredia Cambra**
08/01/2025 to 02/02/2025.

Topic 12. Transapical access.

Dr. José Ramón González Rodríguez

- Transapical access for TAVI.
- Transapical access for antegrade release of aortic endoprostheses.
- Transapical access: alternative to through-and-through.
- Future perspectives: closure systems and novel approaches.
 - a) Release of aortic endoprostheses via antegrade route: alternatives and techniques.
 - b) Anterograde release of peripheral devices.

Topic 13. Retrograde arterial access I.. (online. 14/01/25)

Dr. Tomás Heredia Cambra

- Axillary-subclavian access.
- Access to other supraortic trunks: cervicotomy and supraclavicular access.
- Direct aortic access: ministernotomy and right anterior minithoracotomy.
- Iliac access and transcaval access.

Topic 14. Retrograde arterial access II.

Dr. Jorge Sanz Sánchez

- Routine femoral access: modus operandi.
- Techniques for optimization and expansion of use of femoral access.
- Pre-implantation peripheral arterial intervention.
- Calcium fragmentation techniques.

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MODULE 4.

TRANSCATHETER AORTIC VALVE THERAPY.

Coordinator: **Dr. Xavier Ruyra-Baliarda**
03/02/2025 to 02/03/2025.

Topic 15. Anatomical-physiology of the aortic valve complex. Surgical options for the treatment of aortic valve disease. TAVI phenomenon: past, present and future..
Dr. Xavier Ruyra-Baliarda

Topic 16. Clinical guidelines and most recent literature review..
Dr. Eduard Permanyer Boada

- Trials Analysis I – High and prohibitive surgical risk patients.
- Trials Analysis II – Intermediate and low surgical risk patients
- Critical Trial Analysis: Valve interventions
- VARC-2/VARC-3/VIVID Group Analysis: Degenerative valve diseases.

Topic 17. Patient selection.
Dr. Eduard Permanyer Boada

- Indications for AVR and TAVI
- Risk stratification
- Assessment of fragility
- Patient decision.

Topic 18. Prosthesis selection: Self-expandable vs. balloon-expandable.
Dr. Ignasi Julià Amill

Topic 19. Description of current prostheses and delivery systems.
Dr. José F. Díaz – Dra. Rosa M. Cardenal

Topic 20. TAVI procedure: step by step. Tips and tricks. (online. 11/02/25)
Dr. Miguel Ángel Gómez Vidal

Topic 21. TAVI I complications: Prevention and treatment of AV block, neurological, annulus rupture, need for CPB or emergent surgery.. online. 25/02/25)
Dr. Xavier Ruyra-Baliarda

Topic 22. TAVI II complications: vascular complications, peri leaks, embolization..
Dr. Corrado Tamburino

Topic 23. Complex situations in TAVI implants, low coronary ostia, recumbent aortas, VinV, Tavi in ??Tavi.
Dr. José Manuel Garrido Jiménez

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MODULE 5.

TRANSCATHETER THERAPIES OF THE MITRAL VALVE.

Coordinator: Dr. Javier Cobiella Carnicer.
03/03/2025 to 31/03/2025.

Topic 24. Anatomy-physiology of the mitral valve complex. Indications and current status of transcatheter procedures.
Dr. Alberto Weber

Topic 25. TMVR: type and description of current prostheses, procedure planning, indications and implant techniques.
Dr. Maurizio Taramasso

Topic 26. TMVR with aortic prostheses: Valve in Valve, Valve in ring.. online. 11/03/25)
Dr. Christian Muñoz

Topic 27. Edge to edge mitral repair: device types, indications and implantation techniques.. (online. 25/03/25)
Dr. Manuel Villa Gil-Ortega

Topic 28. Mitral repair with neochoords: type of devices, indications and implantation techniques.
Dr. Javier Cobiella Carnicer

Topic 29. Transcatheter mitral annuloplasty: type of devices, indications and implantation techniques..
Dr. Maurizio Taramasso

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MODULE 6.

TRANSCATHETER TRICUSPID AND PULMONARY VALVE THERAPIES.

Coordinator: Dr. José Manuel Garrido Jiménez.
01/04/2025 to 28/04/2025.

Topic 30. Current status of transcatheter tricuspid valve surgery: indications and procedure planning. (online. 01/04/25)
Dr. José Manuel Garrido Jiménez

Topic 31. Transcatheter devices for tricuspid valve: types and description.
Dr. Francesco Maissano

Topic 32. Tricuspid repair: CLIP and TRICUSPID RING: types and description of the technique..
Dr. Francesco Maissano

Topic 33. Current status of transcatheter pulmonary surgery..
Dr. José Luis Zunzunegui Martínez

Topic 34. Transcatheter therapy in chronic heart failure: Parachute, Revivent. Arterial shunt devices.
Dr. Tomás Daroca Martínez

Topic 35. Transcatheter innovations in cardiac electrostimulation: Micron and left bundle branch stimulation. (online. 22/04/25)
Dr. Juan Manuel Fernández Gómez

Topic 36. Indication and therapeutic action in the event of infection of intracardiac devices. DACI electrode extraction, extraction systems.
Dra. Encarnación Gutiérrez Carretero

Topic 37. Transcatheter planning of non-valvular structural defects..

- Lug closure

Dr. José Díaz Fernández - Dr. José Eduardo López Haldón

a) Closure of OI, when and why.

b) Anatomy-physiology of the OI

c) Procedure, device selection and step-by-step planning.

- Closure of FOP and CIA.

Dr. Pastor Luis Pérez Santigosa and Dr. Manuel González Correa

a) Closure of FOP and CIA, when and why.

b) Anatomical-physiology of FOP and CIA.

c) Procedure, device selection and step-by-step planning.

- Closure of periprosthetic leaks

Dr. Fernando Sarnago Cebada and Dr. José Antonio García Robles

a) Closure of leaks, when and why.

b) Procedure, device selection and step-by-step planning..

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MODULE 7.

TRANSCATHETER THERAPIES THORACIC AORTA.

Coordinator: Dr. Víctor X. Mosquera Rodríguez
06/04/2025 to 25/05/2025.

Topic 38. Treatment strategy and indications in acute and chronic pathology of the descending thoracic aorta.. (online. 08/04/25)
Dr. Arturo Evangelista Masip

Topic 39. Total endovascular treatment of ascending aorta pathology.
Dr. Ali Khoynezhad

Topic 40. Total endovascular treatment of aortic arch pathology.
Dr. Nilo Mosquera Arochena

Topic 41. Endovascular approach to chronic pathology of the descending thoracic aorta.
Dr. Carlos Velázquez Velázquez

Topic 42. Endovascular approach to complicated acute aortic syndromes.
Dr. Pedro Aranda Granados

Topic 43. Hybrid treatment of aortic arch pathology.. (online. 20/05/25)
Dr. Víctor X. Mosquera Rodríguez

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MODULE 8.

TRANSCATHETER THERAPIES ABDOMINAL AND PERIPHERAL AORTA.

Coordinator: **Dra. Rosario Conejero Gómez**
26/05/2025 to 22/06/2025

Topic 44. Endovascular treatment of the complex thoraco-abdominal aorta FEVAR, BEVAR and CHEVAR.
Dr. Jorge Fernández Noya

Topic 45. Fenestrations "in situ" home made. Tricks and techniques.
Dr. Francisco Álvarez Marcos

Topic 46. Prevention and treatment of complications in the endovascular treatment of the thoracic and thoraco-abdominal aorta.
Dr. Víctor X. Mosquera Rodríguez

Topic 47. Indications for treatment of pathology in the abdominal aorta: hybrid and endovascular approach. (online. 03/06/25)
Dra. Rosario Conejero Gómez

Topic 48. Endovascular approach and treatment in peripheral arteriopathy in the aortoiliac sector.
Dra. Antonella Craven-Bartle

Topic 49. Endovascular approach and treatment in TSA: brain protection systems and techniques in TSA.
Dr. Francisco Javier Martínez Gámez

Topic 50. Resource techniques in complications of endovascular procedures.. (online. 17/06/25)
Dr. Jose Joaquín Muñoz Ruiz-Canela

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Face-to-face sessions

SESSION 1: VALVE AREA. MODULES 1-2-3-4-5-6. (March 27 and 28, 2025)

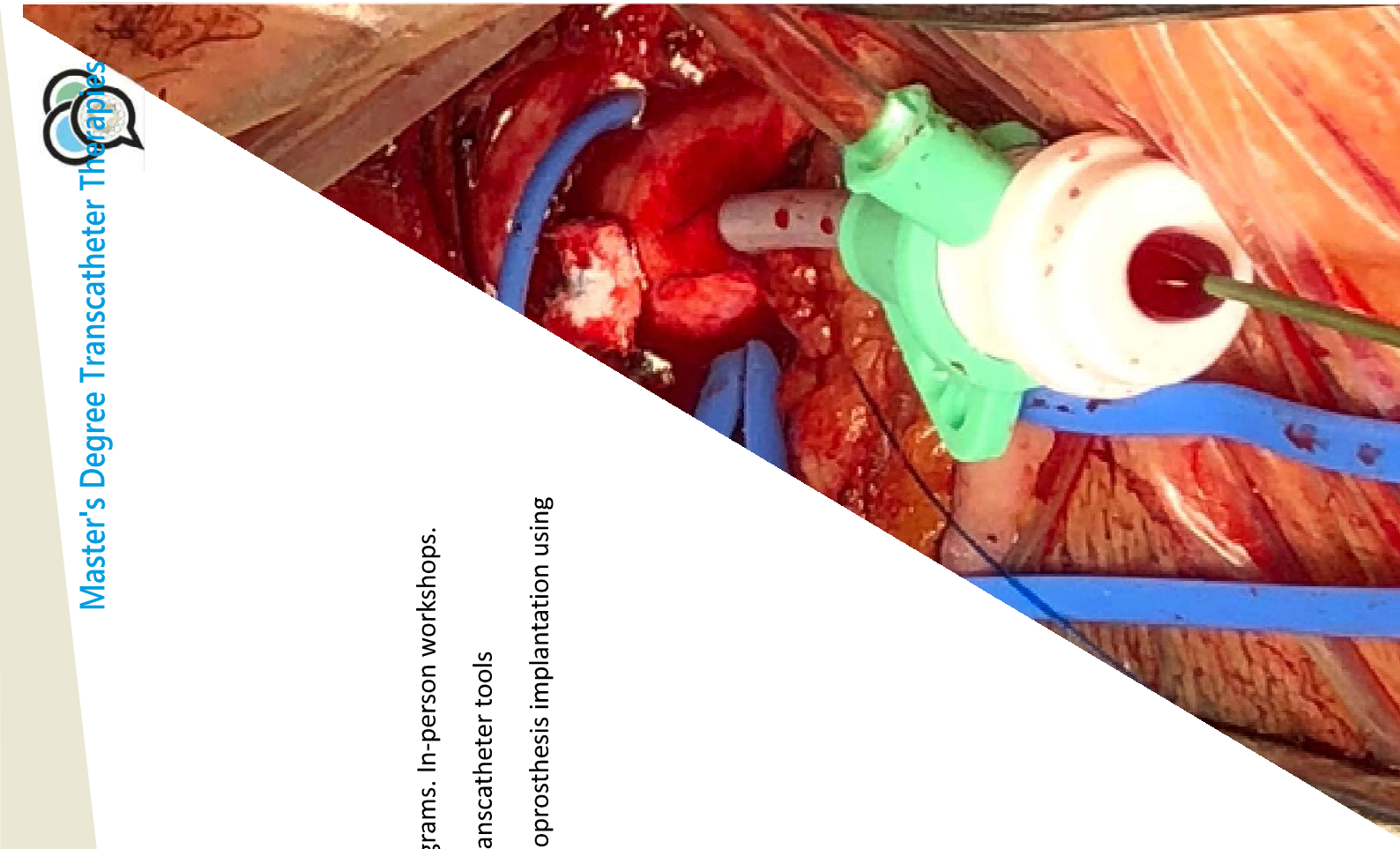
1. Transcatheter procedure planning workshops with the Osirix and 3 mensio programs.
2. Basic workshops: guides, catheters, balloons, introducers, percutaneous closures and transcatheter tools.
3. Basic techniques workshops: Arterial and venous puncture, endovascular navigation, percutaneous closures, Amplatzer implant, OI and step-by-step closure of leaks.
4. Computer and virtual reality use workshop: how to transform and send DICOM files and image processing.
5. TAVI prosthesis workshops: by laboratory or by valve.
 - a) Deployment simulators.
 - b) Valve assembly sessions.
6. Clinical sessions with recorded cases.

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Face-to-face sessions

**SESSION 2: VASCULAR AREA.
MODULES 1-2-3-7-8. (May 22 and 23, 2025).**

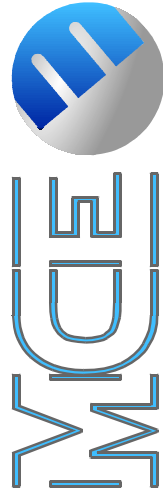
1. Planning of transcatheter aortic procedures with the Osirix, 3 mensio and endosize programs. In-person workshops.
2. Basic workshops: guides, catheters, balloons, introducers, percutaneous closures and transcatheter tools
3. Basic techniques: Puncture, endovascular navigation, percutaneous closures, aortic endoprosthesis implantation using simulators.
4. TEVAR-EVAR-FEVAR-REVA prosthesis workshops
 - a) Endoprosthesis deployment simulators
5. Clinical sessions with recorded cases.



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