



**AHRS**

الجمعية الجزائرية لإضطراب نظم القلب  
Algerian Heart Rhythm Society

# INTERNATIONAL HEART RHYTHM MEETING

# IHRM

2026

الملتقى الدولي لإضطراب نظم القلب



**05, 06, 07**  
**NOVEMBRE**  
2026



École Supérieure d'Hôtellerie  
et Restauration d'Alger (ESHRA)

## Thématiques

- Fibrillation atriale & AVC
- Mort subite & arythmies ventriculaires
- Stimulation Physiologique & Resynchronisation cardiaque
- Cardiomyopathies, canalopathies & génétique
- Rythmologie pédiatrique & cardiopathies congénitales
- Innovations & nouvelles frontières





THURSDAY 05 NOVEMBRE 2026

13:00-14:00 Welcome, Registration & Orientation Simulation stations:

14:00-16:00 Abbott, Cardioline, Medtronic

Young EP Corner

16:00-16:30

Coffee Break

## Workshop Programme

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|------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|
| S1 - 16:30 17h30 | <b>Workshop 1:</b> Heart and Fabry disease: When a clinical case reveals a rare disease <b>Sanofi</b> | M. Tahmi K. Bouasria   |
|                  | <b>Workshop 2 :</b> DOAC decision Lab: the right strategy for the right patient <b>Beker Groupe</b>   | S. Staifi S. Bachtarzi |
|                  | <b>Workshop 3:</b> Cardio-renal-metabolic syndrome and atrial fibrillation <b>BiocareGroupe</b>       | R. Benkouar A.Boudrifa |
|                  | <b>Workshop 4:</b> EKG lecture not always easy                                                        | N. Dahimene O. Kassoul |
| S2 - 17:30 18h30 | <b>Workshop 5:</b> Management of supraventricular tachycardia in children                             | Y. Tir W. Boudjelida   |
|                  | <b>Workshop 6:</b> Low-flow,low-gradientaorticstenosis : can you make the right call <b>Servier</b>   | S. Lehachi O. Djerroud |
|                  | <b>Workshop 7:</b> Dyslipidemia and Cardiovascular Risk <b>Hikma</b>                                  | M. Tahmi H. El Nagger  |

## Oral Presentations – Auditorium

08:30-09:30

### Session 1 : Ventricular arrhythmias / Sudden death / Genetics

#### Moderators

- Sudden death and physical exercise - **M. Tahmi, Algeria** 10min
- The current role of autopsy in sudden death - **R. Belhadj, Algeria** 10min
- A Molecular autopsy & sudden death: everything you need to know about genetics in cardiac electrophysiology - **S. Salah, Algeria** 10 min
- Life threatening arrhythmias and electrical storm in ICU - **A. Taher, Egypt** 10min
- VT/VF After Acute Myocardial Infarction: Should We Implant an ICD? **E.Marijon, France** 10min
- Discussion 10 min

MS. Ait Messaoudene,  
S. Salah,  
R. Belhadj,  
A. Djelouadji

09:30-09:40

### Official Opening

09:40-10:10

### El Kendi Symposium

Les AOD en 2026 : Peut-on encore parler d'inter changeabilité ?  
l'APIXABAN-vers un anticoagulant personnalisé **S. Bachtarzi**

10:10-10:40

Coffee Break

10:40-11:40

### Session 2 : Atrial fibrillation ablation

#### Moderators

- Current indications for AF ablation **F. Sacher France** 10 min
- PFA/electroporation: progress or revolution? **S. Boveda France** 10 min
- Which technique/energy for which patient? **B. Mokrani France** 10 min
- Discontinuation of anticoagulation after catheter ablation for AF; **Y Tir Algeria** 10min
- AV Node Ablation : When and How ? **K. Ramoul France** 10 min
- Discussion 10 min

Y. Aoudia  
R. Benkouar  
B. Mokrani  
K. Ramoul

11:40-12:10

### Becker Symposium

- DOACs 2026: From Global Evidence to Local Impact: What the World Has Learned **S. Boveda**
- What Thrombix-DZ Tells Us about Algeria **Y. Aoudia**

12:10-12:30

### Conference

Using Intracardiac Echo during EP interventions **Pr Djelmami-Hani (USA)**

FRIDAY 06 NOVEMBRE 2026



12:30-14:00

**Lunch Break & Friday Prayer**

14:00-15:00

**Session 3 AF–Stroke / Anticoagulation / Left atrial appendage**

**Moderators**

- Anticoagulation in Frail Patients: Challenges and Strategies **T. Boumedien France** 10 min
- Atrial Fibrillation after Stroke: From Detection to Anticoagulation? **Badsy Algeria** 10 min
- Management of Device-Detected AF. **K. Bouasria Algeria** 10 min
- Left atrial appendage closure: what future? **P. Defaye France** 10 min
- Anticoagulation in the Grey Zones: Who Really Needs It?" **O.Kassoul Algeria** 10 min
- Discussion 10 min

MT. Chentir  
Y. Aoudia,  
D. Abbou  
S. Chabrak

15:00-15:30

**Biopharm Symposium**

L'apixaban à l'épreuve du terrain. Cas cliniques. **Y. Aoudia N. Dahimene**

15:30-16:30

**Session 4 : Pacing / Defibrillation / CRT**

**Moderators**

- Beyond LVEF: A New Paradigm for SCD risk stratification in Cardiomyopathies  
**S. Chabrak Tunisia** 10 min
- Conduction System Pacing in heart failure: Where Are We Now? **S. Ouali Tunisia** 10 min
- Conduction system pacing in Algeria : from first attempts to structured implementation  
**N. Dahimene Algeria** 10 min
- Management of infections related to implantable devices. **A. Djeraimi Germany** 10 min
- Cardioneuroablation: A promising Innovation or premature enthusiasm?  
**H. Mahieddine France** 10 min
- Discussion 10 min

R. Benkouar  
M.Boukheloua  
R. Hamdi  
S. Ouali

16:30-17:00

**Coffee Break**

**AbbottSymposium**

The new era of cardiac pacing : from leadless technology to conduction

17:00-17:30

- Leadless pacing : Redefining cardiac pacing through innovative technology **Prof. Dr. C. Steinwender**

17:30-18:00

- Conduction system pacing : Advancing toward physiological cardiac activation **Prof. Dr. S. Brusich**

18:00-19:00

**Session 5 : AHRs/CSC Joint Session**

**Moderators**

- Congenital heart disease and arrhythmias **F. Bessière France** 10 min
- Ablation of pediatric arrhythmia **A. Moustafa Egypt** 10 min
- Management of arrhythmogenic cardiomyopathy in children **M.KARA Algeria** 10 min
- Sudden Cardiac Death in Adults with Congenital Heart Disease **Y Aoudia Algeria** 10 min
- Cardiac Pacing in Children: Indications and Techniques **M Touati Algeria** 10 min
- Discussion 10 mn

D. Nibouche  
M. Moualek  
M. Touati,  
T. Delassi  
L. Bendaoud  
A. Taher

19:00-19:30

**General Assembly**

19:30

**Diner**



08:30-09:30

**Session 6 : AHRs / Cardio-Oncology Federation Joint Session**

**Moderators**

- Heart and Cancer — A View from Rhythmology: Toward a Network and a Sub-Specialty Diploma in Cardio-Oncology in Algeria **S. Benkhedda Algeria 10 min**
- What to do with LV dysfunction under chemotherapy **S. Ouabdeslem Algeria 10 min**
- Advanced heart failure: Current Challenges and Future Perspectives **Lehachi Algeria 10mn**
- Beyond Ejection Fraction: The role of myocardial work in cardiac resynchronization therapy **A. Kachenoura**
- Arterial Hypertension and Atrial Fibrillation: Specificities and Challenges in Algeria? **Bachir chérif Algeria 10 min**
- Discussion 10 min

S. Benkhedda,  
S. Lehachi,  
Boutaleb,  
Saidouamer

08:30-09:30

**Open Presentations Session Workshop Room**

**Moderators**

- Pacing therapy in heart failure: Updates and perspectives **M. Djouhri**
- Residual arrhythmic risk despite improved EF: the unfinished recovery **L. Bourahla**
- Distinguishing Arrhythmia-Induced Cardiomyopathy from "Bystander" Myocardial Fibrosis I. **Louali**
- Overlap syndromes in cardiac channelopathies: from sodium channels to other ion channels **A. Ouarnougui**
- Effectiveness of brief cognitive behavioral therapy programs for cardiac anxiety associated with AF **T. Makour**
- Atrial Fibrillation and nutrition **H. Zidani**
- Discussion 10mn

M. Tahmi,  
R. Benkouar,  
D. Beraza,  
A. Tebaibia,  
A. Bassem.

09:30-10:00

**Amgen Symposium**

Inhibiteurs de la PCSK9 : de la baisse du LDL-C à la protection cardiovasculaire

10:00-10:30

**Coffee Break**

10:30-11:30

**Session 7: Primary arrhythmia syndromes**

**Moderators**

- Management of long QT **H. El Nagger 10 min**
- Management of Brugada syndrome **A. Boudrifa 10 min**
- Management of Early repolarization. **N. Boudoucha 10 min**
- TV catheter ablation. **W. Harbi 10 min**
- Idiopathic Ventricular fibrillation. **F. Chaouat 10 min**
- Discussion 10 min

A. Kechnoura  
S. Amara,  
N. Boudoucha  
A.F. Bendaoud

10:30-11:30

**Open Presentations Session Workshop Room**

**Moderators**

- Tritherapy in post PCI with AF: how long for which patient - **N. Zaoui**
- CIED-related tricuspid regurgitation **A. Belmallem**
- The Heart in Rhythm: A two-year review of pacemaker implantation activity at Tlemcen Hospital - **M. Bensalah**
- Reflex Syncope : Always Benign ? **S. Staifi**
- The Role of Multimodality Imaging in Arrhythmogenic Cardiomyopathies - **B. Djemmal**

N. Hamoudi  
Y. Aoudia  
S. Benmimoune  
O. Djerroud

11:30-12:00

**Scenarios around sudden deaths E. Marijon**