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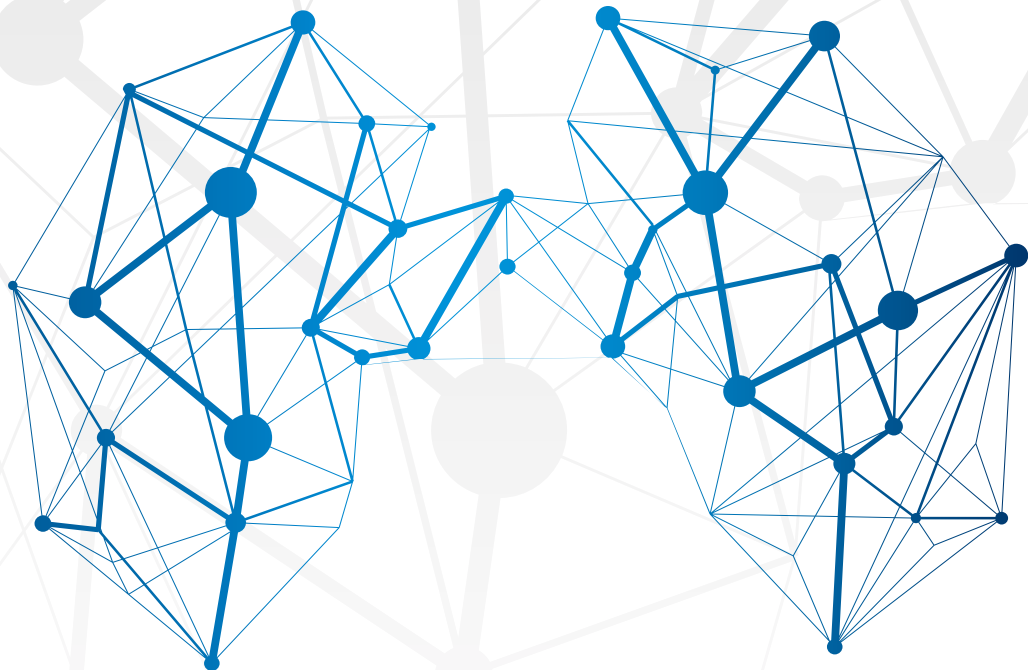
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of Nurses and Technicians  
in Nephrology

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**May 7-10, 2020**

Convention Centre Šibenik, Croatia



# FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT



Hrvatsko društvo za nefrologiju, dijalizu i transplantaciju  
Croatian Society of Nephrology, Dialysis & Transplantation  
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## WELCOME

Dear colleagues,

It is our great honour and pleasure to invite you to our joint events the **9<sup>th</sup> Croatian Congress of Nephrology, Dialysis and Transplantation with international participation** and the **5<sup>th</sup> Congress of Mediterranean Kidney Society (MKS)** which will take place from May 7-10, 2020 in Šibenik.

By organising this joint congress, we seek to expand our collaboration and enhance the exchange of knowledge and experience among colleagues from the broader nephrological community.

The Congress will present current topics from all areas of nephrology, with lecturers from Croatia and abroad, which will present in a new and comprehensive way highlighting news and numerous dilemmas from everyday work that will be discussed through plenary lectures, round tables and discussions. A significant portion of the Congress will be dedicated to presenting your own scientific and professional results and we invite you to contribute to the quality of Congress through your active participation.

Nurses and technicians are an indispensable portion in providing care to our patients, and we look forward to the fact that the **13<sup>th</sup> Symposium of Nurses and Technicians in Nephrology** with international participation will be organised in parallel with the Congress, nurturing a good tradition.

We look forward to working together and we welcome you to Krešimir's town!

**Assist Prof Mario Laganović, MD, PhD**

President of the 9<sup>th</sup> Croatian Congress of Nephrology, Dialysis and Transplantation

**Prof Sanjin Rački, MD, PhD**

President of the 5<sup>th</sup> Congress of Mediterranean Kidney Society

**Gordana Novaković, MSN, RN**

13<sup>th</sup> Symposium of Nurses and Technicians in Nephrology Organising Committee President



# ORGANISATION

## Organisers

Croatian Medical Association, Croatian Society for Nephrology, Dialysis and Transplantation  
[www.hdndt.org](http://www.hdndt.org)

Mediterranean Kidney Society  
Croatian Nursing Society, Nephrology and Dialysis Society

## Congress venue

Conference centre Šibenik  
Amadria Park  
Hoteli Solaris 86, 22000 Šibenik

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## Past Congresses

### **First Congress of the Mediterranean Kidney Society - Giardini Naxos – Taormina, Italy - October 2-4, 2009 - Russott Hotel**

Prof. Guido Bellinghieri and Prof. Natale G De Santo organised the 1<sup>st</sup> Congress of the Mediterranean Kidney Society in Taormina. It took place from October 2-4, 2009 at Russotto Hotel and was attended by nephrologists from Algeria, Morocco, Tunisia, Libya, Egypt, Israel, Turkey, Greece, Croatia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Slovenia, Macedonia, Montenegro, Italy, France, Spain, Malta, Serbia, San Marino, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Germany, Slovak Republic.

### **Second Congress of the Mediterranean Kidney Society - Milazzo (ME), Italy, April 12-14, 2013**

It took place in Milazzo from April 2-4, 2013 under the presidency of Biagio Ricciardi, chairman of the Division of Nephrology at the Milazzo General Hospital. More than 200 speakers attended. They came from Italy, Algeria, Tunisia, Egypt, Turkey, Greece, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Slovenia, France, Spain, Malta, Germany.

### **Third Congress of Mediterranean Kidney Society - Cappadocia, Turkey - June 10-13, 2015 Kapadokya Lodge Hotel**

The Congress was organized in Cappadocia (Capadokya Lodge Hotel) from June 10-13, 2015 by Ayse Balat and it featured 20 sessions. A special session was dedicated to organ donation. Some 200 specialists attended. There were speakers from Turkey (great presentations on Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome), Italy, Egypt, USA, France, Spain, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Libya, Tunisia, Greece, Poland, and Algeria.

### **Fourth Congress of the Mediterranean Kidney Society (Bosnia and Herzegovina 2018)**

The 4<sup>th</sup> Congress of the Mediterranean Kidney Society (MKS) has been successfully completed in Mostar, the historical city of Bosnia and Herzegovina, from 20-22 April 2018. As in the previous MKS Congresses, it was a great scientific meeting composed of invited lectures as well as oral and poster presentations with topics of interest for every participant in nephrology, dialysis and transplantation. In addition to the scientific events, an enjoyable social program made the participants very happy in this culturally diverse city of Mostar.



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## **Symposium of Nurses and Technicians in Nephrology Organising Committee President**

Gordana Novaković

### **Secretary**

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## **Symposium of Nurses and Technicians in Nephrology Scientific Committee**

Gordana Novaković

Bosiljka Devčić

Mirjana Maretić Dumić



# ABSTRACTS

Participants who would like to present an oral or poster presentation should submit an abstract for consideration by the Scientific Committee. The Scientific Committee will determine whether the abstract will be accepted for an oral or poster presentation.

The presenting author is required to ensure that all co-authors are aware of the content of the abstract before submission to the Congress agency, and of all communications thereafter.

## Instructions for writing abstracts

- abstracts should be written in Croatian or English
- abstract length: up to 350 words
- abstract font: Arial 10 pts
- abstract headline should be capitalised Arial 12 pts
- name of the author who will present the paper should be capitalised
- author's and co-author's last name and first name initial without titles
- author's and co-author's institution, city, and country
- author's e-mail address
- abstract text: goals, materials and methods, results, conclusion
- linguistic accuracy is the responsibility of the author

- previously published abstract will not be accepted
- Scientific Committee will review the abstracts and decide on the presentation form (oral or poster presentation)
- accepted abstracts will be published in the Book of Abstracts

## Instruction for submitting abstracts

Abstracts should be submitted only via the online submission form available on the Congress website: **[nefro2020.conventuscredo.hr](https://nefro2020.conventuscredo.hr)**

Please, follow the instructions step-by-step. Please, do not submit multiple copies of the same abstract. Abstract submission deadline: **February 01, 2020**

## Full Papers

All participants who have submitted an abstract may send in their full papers to **[danijela@conventuscredo.hr](mailto:danjela@conventuscredo.hr)** by **May 01, 2020**. After a review, all accepted papers will be printed in Acta Clinica Croatiaca, indexed in Science Citationa Index-Expanded, Index Medicus/Medline, Scopus, Excerpta Medica/EMBASE.

Please write full papers according to Acta Clinica Croatica instructions available here: **[https://hrcak.srce.hr/upute/upute\\_authorima\\_Acta\\_clinica\\_Croatica.pdf](https://hrcak.srce.hr/upute/upute_authorima_Acta_clinica_Croatica.pdf)**





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# GENERAL INFORMATION

## Scientific programme

The Congress will be organised in a form of plenary lectures, oral presentations, satellite symposia, workshops, and posters. Oral presentations may be in Croatian or English.

## Congress topics

1. Glomerular diseases and vasculitides
2. Tubulointerstitial diseases/ autosomal dominant polycystic kidney disease, nephrolithiasis
3. Arterial hypertension
4. Acute kidney injury
5. Chronic kidney disease
6. Hemodialysis and peritoneal dialysis
7. Kidney transplantation
8. Pediatric nephrology

## Nurses Symposium topics

1. Nursing organization in the provision of health care to a nephrologic patient
2. Outcomes of health care of a nephrologic patient.
3. A multidisciplinary approach in the care of a dialysis patient

4. Computerization in hemodialysis departments
5. The role of the nurse / technician in the administration of parenteral and enteral nutrition to patients on hemodialysis
6. The role of the nurse / technician in the care of patients with acute renal injury
7. Caring for a patient on peritoneal dialysis
8. Challenges in preparing patients for kidney transplantation
9. Nursing research in the field of nephrological activity
10. Round table topic: Vascular access
  - what are the challenges in vascular access care today
  - new vascular access options for hemodialysis



## Registration

- via the registration form on the Congress website: [nefro2020.conventuscredo.hr](http://nefro2020.conventuscredo.hr)

## On-site registration

- On-site registration will be possible during the Congress

## Registration fees

**Physicians:** € 335

**Residents, nurses and technicians members of HUMS:** € 200

**Nurses and technicians non members of HUMS:** € 230

**Accompanying person:** € 200

**Exhibition fee:** € 270

**Students:** free of charge

**Gala dinner:** € 40

Registration fee includes: admission to all congress sessions, poster and exhibition areas, Congress materials: Program, abstracts, congress bag, ID card, Welcome reception, Congress dinner, lunches, coffee breaks

## Cancellation

All refund requests must be submitted in writing to the Congress agency Conventus Credo and must be postmarked by **April 05, 2020**. Reimbursement of the fee less an administrative charge of 10% and VAT (25%) will be refunded after the Congress. Cancellations received after **April 05, 2020** will not be refunded.

## Exhibition

During the Congress, we will organise an industrial exhibition of manufacturers of equipment, devices and products and other companies related to aesthetic medicine. Companies interested in advertising their products at the exhibition and in the congress materials should contact the Congress agency.

## HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

The accommodation is organised at hotel Ivan and hotel Jakov with special congressional prices. Prices are expressed per room per day (VAT and sojourn tax of € 1,20 per person per day are included in the prices below):

	<b>Hotel Ivan **** +</b>		<b>Hotel Jakov **** +</b>	
	1/1	1/2	1/1	1/2
accommodation	€ 129	€ 175	€ 125	€ 170

The Technical Organizer has reserved hotel rooms for the delegates. Hotel accommodation is booked on a first-come, first served basis. If you wish to share accommodation, please indicate the name of the participant you have arranged to share a room with on the registration form. Reservations should be made no later than March 07, 2020. After this date, a desired hotel accommodation cannot be guaranteed.

To book your accommodation, please contact the Technical Organiser:

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E-mail: [danijela@conventuscredo.hr](mailto:danijela@conventuscredo.hr)



## OTHER INFORMATION

### Congress venue

Conference centre Šibenik  
Amadria Park  
Hoteli Solaris 86  
22000 Šibenik, Croatia

### Registration desk

The Registration Desk will open half an hour before the beginning of the sessions and close half an hour after the end of the sessions.

### Official languages

Official languages are Croatian and English. Simultaneous translation will not be provided.

### Letter of Invitation

The Organizing Committee will issue the Letter of Invitation upon request to be used for visa application and for your employer. Please, send your request to the Congress agency's e-mail:

**[danijela@conventuscredo.hr](mailto:danijela@conventuscredo.hr)**

### Official badges

All registered participants with registration fee paid will get Congress badges (ID cards) and are obligated to wear them during the scientific and social program.

### Insurance

The Organizing Committee cannot accept responsibility for accidents or damage to participants or accompanying persons before, during or after the Symposium. Participants are urged to make their own arrangements with respect to travel and health insurance. Upon registration, the participant accepts this provision.



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## Mobile phones

Participants are kindly requested to keep their mobile phones in off position in the halls where scientific sessions are being held.

## Internet

Internet services will be available to all participants during the Symposium.

## Certificate of Attendance

A Certificate of Attendance will be issued to all registered participants.

## Contact

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## Important dates

Abstract submission deadline:

**March 01, 2020**


Abstract acceptance deadline:

**April 01, 2020**

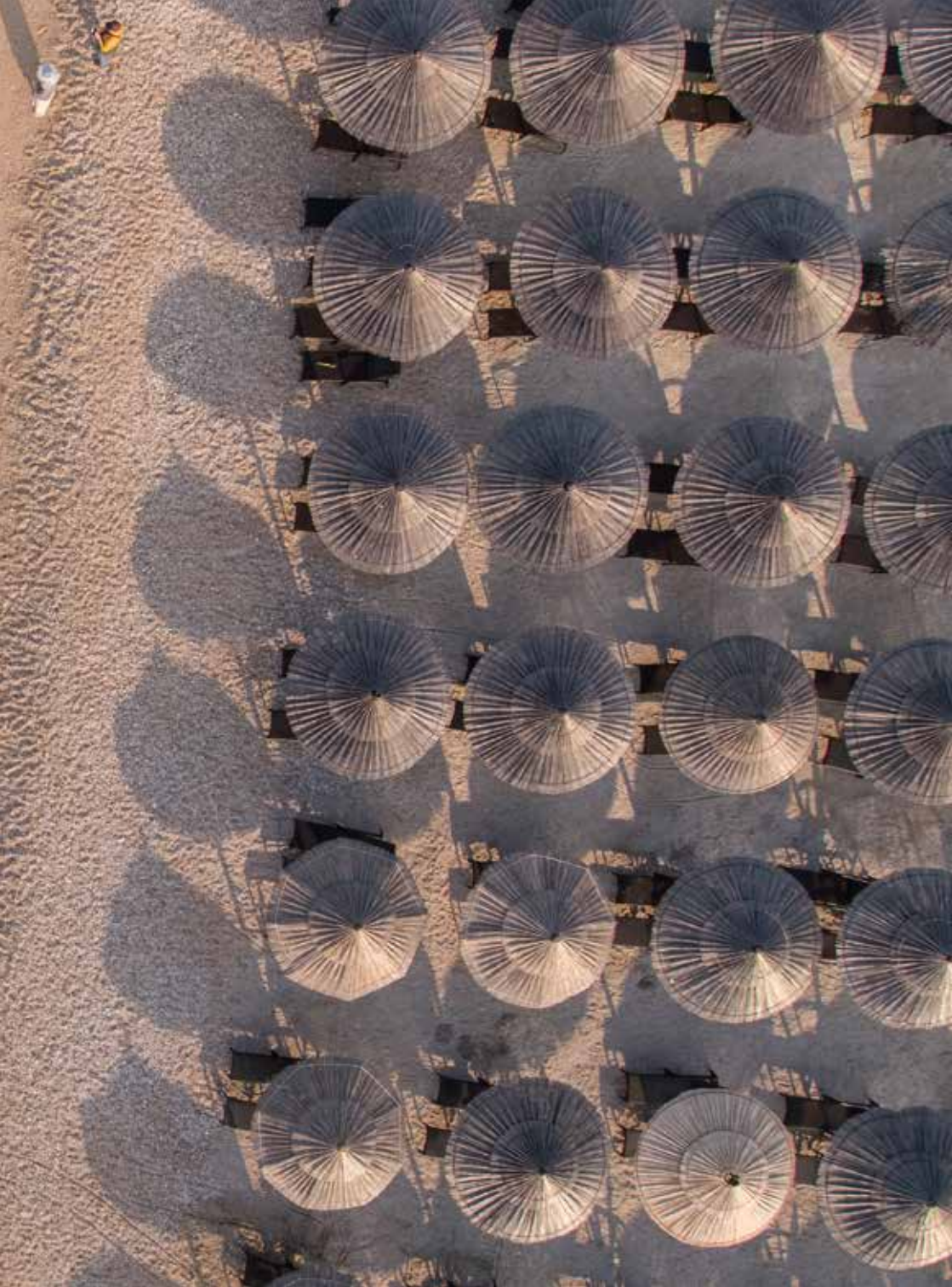
Full paper deadline for Acta Chirigica

Croatica supplement:

**May 01, 2020**

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