



Press Release

Eurocor to host Conference at the IROS 2011 in Salzburg, Austria

International experts to discuss new techniques for treating peripheral arterial disease (PAD).

Bonn, 20th December 2010 – The Bonn-based manufacturer of medical devices, Eurocor, is due to host a conference under the heading of “Drug-Eluting Balloons – Update 2011 and Perspectives, New Coating Concept” at the third IROS (Interventional Radiological Olbert Symposium) in Salzburg, Austria, in January 2011.

Latest Trial Results

Chaired by Prof. Dr. Josef Tacke from Passau, the Eurocor conference will include the latest DEB trial results presented by renowned scientists as well as a talk by the Viennese specialist Dr. Johannes Lammer on new indications for using drug-eluting balloons to treat peripheral arterial disease (PAD). In addition, under the “New Coating Concept” heading, PD Dr. Kirsten Peters from Rostock will be delivering a paper entitled “Evaluation of shellac for coating intravascular instruments – testing in-vitro compatibility using endothelial and smooth muscle cells”. A further highlight is set to be the lecture by the Darmstadt-based expert Prof. Dr. Peter Huppert on the limits of using conventional percutaneous transluminal angioplasty (PTA) to treat the lower leg.



The IROS (Interventional Radiological Olbert Symposium) will be held in Salzburg, Austria from 13 to 15 January 2011. The organisers expect last year's record attendance of 670 participants to be exceeded at the IROS 2011.

“As a manufacturer of innovative techniques, we greatly welcome symposia such as the IROS as a forum for intensive discussion among specialists in the field of arterial disease. We also appreciate the opportunity such events give us to present our techniques within the framework of intensive training courses”, explained Katja Hausner, Director of Corporate Business Affairs at Eurocor.

The company

Eurocor GmbH is a rapidly growing European Life Sciences Technology corporation specialising in the research, development and manufacture of interventional cardiology products. Eurocor is providing interventional cardiologists with innovative, coronary stent technologies and special cardiovascular devices.

The products manufactured by the company in Bonn are used in minimally invasive cardiovascular and peripheral surgery and comply with biological and biomechanical principles to offer highly flexible, adaptable solutions. Strong research and development, close collaboration with clinicians, outstanding quality standard philosophy and global scientific alliances lead to optimisation of clinically effective technologies. For more information, please visit www.eurocor.de.

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