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**The art of managing clinical complexity:  
An integrated, patient-centred approach**



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#### IMPORTANT DATES

Abstract Submission Deadline	25 <sup>th</sup> April, 2018
Authors Notification	20 <sup>th</sup> June, 2018
Early Registration Deadline	4 <sup>th</sup> July, 2018
ePoster Submission Deadline	1 <sup>st</sup> August, 2018
Regular Registration Deadline	15 <sup>th</sup> August, 2018

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## THURSDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

	<b>PRE-CONGRESS WORKSHOPS</b>			
12:00-17:00	Less is more	The leisure time athlete: What the internist needs to know	Management of obesity	Point-of-care ultrasound
16:00	<b>REGISTRATION</b>			
17:45	<b>OPENING REMARKS</b>			
18:00	<b>OPENING LECTURE</b> Ethical aspects of clinical decision-making: Treating the patient, not only the disease			
19:00	<b>WELCOME RECEPTION</b>			

## FRIDAY 31<sup>ST</sup> AUGUST

08:30	<b>PLENARY SESSION 1</b> The potential impact of digital medicine: Opportunities and challenges			
09:30	<b>PARALLEL SESSION 1</b> Update in diabetes and thyroid disorders		<b>PARALLEL SESSION 2</b> Joint EFIM and ACP Symposium: Caring for vulnerable patient populations	
10:30	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>			
11:00	<b>PLENARY SESSION 2</b> High-value care: Importance of deprescription in a multimorbidity setting			
12:00	<b>PARALLEL SESSION 3</b> Update in gastroesophageal reflux disease and inflammatory bowel disease		<b>PARALLEL SESSION 4</b> Update in cancer medicine	
13:00	<b>LUNCH, SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM, ePOSTERS</b>			
14:15	<b>PARALLEL SESSION 5</b> Exercise therapy in internal medicine: Opportunities for a „multi-drug“		<b>PARALLEL SESSION 6</b> Iron disorders: Diagnosis and management	
15:15	<b>PARALLEL SESSION 7</b> Update in heart failure and atrial fibrillation		<b>PARALLEL SESSION 8</b> Transitions of care	
16:15	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>			
16:45	<b>PARALLEL SESSION 9</b> Target blood pressure and cholesterol: What do the new guidelines say?		<b>PARALLEL SESSION 10</b> Young Internists	
17:45	<b>PARALLEL SESSION 11</b> Update in the management of autoimmune diseases		<b>PARALLEL SESSION 12</b> Preventive medicine in 2018: What is the value of screening and early therapeutic strategies?	

## SATURDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> SEPTEMBER

08:30	<b>PLENARY SESSION 3</b> How to stop the obesity tsunami?			
09:30	<b>PARALLEL SESSION 13</b> Update in platelet disorders and myeloproliferative disorders		<b>PARALLEL SESSION 14</b> Gender medicine for the internist	
10:30	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>			
11:00	<b>PLENARY SESSION 4</b> Calcium disorders: New therapeutic strategies			
12:00	<b>PARALLEL SESSION 15</b> Update in acute kidney injury and chronic kidney disease		<b>PARALLEL SESSION 16</b> Young Internists	
13:00	<b>LUNCH, SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM, ePOSTERS</b>			
14:15	<b>PARALLEL SESSION 17</b> Update pulmonary hypertension		<b>PARALLEL SESSION 18</b> Evidence-based medicine and clinical practice	
15:15	<b>PARALLEL SESSION 19</b> Update in the management of viral infections		<b>PARALLEL SESSION 20</b> Use of simulation in medical education	
16:15	<b>FDIME RESEARCH GRANT AWARD CEREMONY AND FDIME BEST POSTER AWARD CEREMONY</b>			
16:30	<b>EJCRIM AND YOUNG INTERNISTS BEST CASE REPORT CEREMONY</b>			
16:45	<b>PLENARY SESSION 5</b> Young Internists			
17:45	<b>CLOSING REMARKS</b>			