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



**Online Registration & Abstract Submission:**

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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

PRE-CONGRESS WORKSHOPS			
08:15 - 17:30   hands-on Basic Course Abdominal Ultrasound	11:00 - 16:15   OMTF Teaching course	12.00. - 17.00   Less is more	12:00 - 17:00   Ultrasound for the Internist
16:00	REGISTRATION		
17:45	OPENING REMARKS		
18:00	<b>OPENING LECTURE</b> Ethical aspects of clinical decision-making: Treating the patient, not only the disease		
19:00	WELCOME RECEPTION		

## 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	COFFEE BREAK	
11:00	<b>PLENARY SESSION 2</b> High-value care: Importance of untangling the complex interactions of several co-existing diseases in every day practice.	
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	LUNCH, SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM, ePOSTERS	
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	COFFEE BREAK	
16:45	<b>PARALLEL SESSION 9</b> Target blood pressure and cholesterol: What do the new guidelines say?	<b>PARALLEL SESSION 10   Young Internists</b> Are hospitals safe places for patients?
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	COFFEE BREAK	
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   Young Internists</b> Reflective practice - focus on doctor-patient relationship
13:00	LUNCH, SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM, ePOSTERS	
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   Young Internists</b> Why Civility Saves Lives	
17:45	CLOSING REMARKS	