Invitation to Attend

Dear Friends and Colleagues,

The Council on Cardiovascular Nursing and Allied Professions (CCNAP) of the European Society of Cardiology (ESC) and the British Association for Nursing in Cardiovascular Care (BANCC) are delighted to welcome you to EuroHeartCare (formerly the Annual Spring Meeting Cardiovascular Nursing) to be held 22-23 March 2013 in Glasgow, Scotland.

The EuroHeartCare congress provides opportunities for cardiovascular nurses and allied professionals to come together and discuss innovations in practice and education, recent findings from research, and the challenges that confront us in cardiovascular care.

The planned programme offers opportunities to develop practical skills, debate important issues in practice and education, exchange ideas, network, and learn with experts. During the two days of scientific sessions, attendees will hear the latest updates on acute cardiac practice, heart failure, prevention, diabetes, surgery, interventions and devices, psychosocial and behaviour issues, and interact with colleagues from around the globe.

Delegates will have the possibility to participate in oral, moderated poster and poster abstract presentations and share their research and clinical projects. The meeting will also provide a unique opportunity by which our Industry Partners may network with attendees from across the world.

Our host city is Glasgow, undoubtedly one of Europe's most dynamic cities: steeped in culture, rich in history, with its elegant streets, squares, parks and gardens. It is the first UK city to be a Cultural Capital of Europe and is home to Scottish Opera, Scottish Ballet and other cultural attractions. We hope that you will consider attending. It promises to be a conference to remember!

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General Information

Venue

Scottish Exhibition & Conference Centre (SECC)
Exhibition Way
Glasgow, G3 8YW, Scotland
http://www.secc.co.uk/

The building is fully accessible to disabled people

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Language: The official language is English. All lectures and presentations will be held in English.

How to get to the Scottish Exhibition & Conference Centre (SECC)

Glasgow is Scotland's most accessible destination with 3 international airports and over 130 daily direct flights, many of which are with low cost airlines. Glasgow International Airport is just 15 minutes from the city centre and the congress venue. The average journey time from continental Europe is approximately 2 hours, and just 1 hour from London.

Glasgow is an extremely compact city and being built on a grid system, it is very easy to find your way around. Most delegates will be able to walk from their hotel to the convention centre/venue or any social events.





By Taxi
The journey time from Glasgow International Airport to the SECC is approximately 15 minutes and costs in the region of £18.00. Travel time from the city centre to the SECC is estimated at 10 minutes and costs approximately £6.00.

By Bus
Shuttle buses run every 10 minutes from Glasgow International Airport to the city centre and the journey time is around 15 – 20 minutes. The current fare is £7.50. The service number 100 leaves every 30 minutes from George Square (city centre) to the SECC. The journey time is 15 minutes and a day return is currently £3.45.

By Rail
The city centre to the SECC is less than 5 minutes and the trains run every 10 minutes. A day fare is currently £2.40.

Opening Hours

	Thursday 21 March	Friday 22 March	Saturday 23 March
Registration*	14:00 - 18:00	08:00 - 18:00	08:00 - 17:00
Speaker Service Centre	Closed	08:00 - 18:00	08:00 - 17:00
Scientific Programme	Closed	08:30 - 18:00	08:30 - 17:00
Exhibition	Closed	08:00 - 18:00	08:00 - 17:00

* The Registration Desk will be open on Thursday, 21 March from 14:00. All attendees are strongly recommended upon arrival to collect their badge and delegate bag. Don't queue on Friday morning and miss the Opening Session!
The other areas and services will not be open until Friday, 22 March.

EuroHeartCare

Annual Congress of the Council on Cardiovascular Nursing and Allied Professions

Glasgow, Scotland

22-23 March 2013



At the Heart of Cardiovascular Care

Formerly the Annual Spring Meeting on Cardiovascular Nursing

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Registration

Early Registration Deadline: 1 February 2013

Late Registration Deadline: 1 March 2013

Last Minute Online Registration Deadline: 13 March 2013

The below registration fees entitle delegates to the following:

- Entry to all scientific sessions and exhibition area
- Free coffee breaks and lunch
- The Abstract Book and Final Programme (a combined publication)
- One year journal subscription to the European Journal of Cardiovascular Nursing
- Civic reception at the Glasgow Science Centre on Friday, 22 March

Delegate Fee	Until 1 February 2013	Until 1 March 2013	From 2 March 2013
Standard	€ 250	€ 270	€ 330
CCNAP Member	€ 250	€ 270	€ 270
Student*	€ 250	€ 250	€ 250

The registration fees include 20 % of British VAT.

* **Reduced Fee:** Applications must be accompanied by a letter from the applicant's Head of Department stating **full time undergraduate** student status.

Online registration via "My ESC" is available on our website: www.escardio.org/nursing. For further information, please contact the ESC Registration Department: ccnapregistration@escardio.org

Member Registration

The member fee is reserved to members of CCNAP. We understand you cannot always receive approval for funding to attend the Meeting before the late fee deadline. As a member privilege and sign of appreciation for your support of the Council we will only charge the Late Fee when you register on-site in Glasgow. Not a member? Membership is free and provides excellent benefits. Sign up via www.escardio.org/nursing.

Payment of fees

Payment can be made in Euro by credit card, bank transfer or cheque. British Pound will be accepted on-site.

Journals

A one-year subscription to the European Journal of Cardiovascular Nursing is included in the registration fee. The European Journal of Cardiovascular Nursing is a highly regarded peer-reviewed journal with up-to-date clinical information and cardiovascular nursing research from across Europe and the world.

Hotel Accommodation

The ESC will be reserving a limited number of rooms at negotiated rates. All rates are in British Pound and include breakfast & VAT. Bookings are handled on a "first come-first served basis".

The journey time from the hotel district to the SECC by taxi is 5 minutes and by train is 3 minutes. Delegates can also walk from the hotel district; it takes around 15 to 20 minutes to get to the congress centre.

To book and locate your preferred hotel, please visit our Web Site. For further information, please contact the ESC Hotels Department: ccnaphotels@escardio.org

Opening Ceremony and Civic Reception

Join us at 17:15 in the Lomond Auditorium at the congress centre for an Opening Ceremony. The Ceremony will immediately be followed by a Civic Reception at the Glasgow Science Centre. **Meet colleagues and friends on Friday, 22 March in what promises to be a memorable evening!**

City Information

Welcome to Glasgow, a city that welcomes over 3 million tourists from all over the world each year who are drawn by its wealth of cultural attractions and activities. What better a city to host you during EuroHeartCare!

Glasgow Sights and Attractions

1- Riverside Museum
2- Glasgow School of Art
3- Kelvingrove Art Gallery & Museum
4- Glasgow Cathedral
5- Glasgow City Chambers
6- Glasgow Science Centre
7- Merchant City
8- Ashton Lane



Key Dates

Abstract submission opens:
August 2012

Abstract submission Deadline:
19 October 2012

Early Registration Deadline:
1 February 2013

Late Registration Deadline:
1 March 2013

Last Minute Online Registration Deadline:
13 March 2013

Scientific Programme

The Programme Committee has developed an exciting programme that provides up-to-date information on contemporary nursing practices, offers opportunities to develop practical skills, debate important issues, network with colleagues from across the world and learn from leading experts.

During the two days of sessions, attendees will hear the latest updates on:

- Acute Care
- Secondary Prevention
- Psychosocial Care
- Heart Failure
- Research
- Guidelines
- Aging & Cognitive Deficits
- Cardiac Surgery & Intervention
- Leadership
- Quality of Life

The programme will also include:

- Discussion on recent developments in the fields of cardiovascular disease and cardiovascular nursing
- How to sessions
- Sessions on practical management of cardiovascular care in daily situations
- Joint Sessions
- A complete abstract-based programme

Call for Abstracts

The selected abstracts for presentation will appear in the abstract book of the congress. The deadline for submission is Friday, 19 October. The abstract-based programme is composed of several presentation formats for your research. All sessions are designed to give the most visibility to your work.

"Best Presentation" prizes are awarded at each session . Do not miss the opportunity to compete for the CCNAP 2013 Best Abstract prize and win a free registration for 2014 Congress!

Doctoral Students: highlight your research, submit your abstract under this new option

Scientific Programme

	LOMOND AUDITORIUM	ALSH ROOM	
FRIDAY 22 MARCH			
08:30 > 10:00	**Opening of EuroHeartCare** ▪ Welcome from CCNAP Leaders ▪ Deprivation: the comorbidity without a treatment ▪ Scotland's Smoking Ban-7 years on ▪ Quitting smoking-Where do we stand?		Poster Session 1
10:00 > 11:00	Coffee Break - Poster viewing & Moderated Posters Session		
11:00 > 12:30	**Cardiovascular disease and diabetes** ▪ CVD and diabetes mellitus ▪ Top tips in nutrition advice and effective weight management in diabetes. ▪ Physical activity	**Oral abstract session**	
12:30 > 13:30	Lunch Break - Satellite Symposium & Poster viewing		
13:30 > 15:00	**Managing atrial fibrillation** ▪ Arrhythmia management perspectives. ▪ Nurse led rapid access atrial fibrillation clinics pilot in England and Scotland. ▪ Atrial fibrillation guidelines. ▪ Atrial fibrillation: nurse initiatives out of the hospital	**Resuscitation science** ▪ Brain freeze! How to cool cardiac arrest patients during or after arrest - the nasal approach ▪ Therapeutic hypothermia: case studies of patients' experience with therapeutic hypothermia. ▪ 2010 guidelines for ACLS and BLS. ▪ Hands only resuscitation: BHF.	
15:00 > 15:30	Coffee Break - Poster viewing & Moderated Posters Session		
15:30 > 17:00	**Delirium in patients with cardiovascular disease** ▪ Risk factors and consequences of delirium after cardiac surgery. ▪ Detecting delirium-validity and reliability of different instruments. ▪ Preventing delirium - The Basel model ▪ Delirium in patients after myocardial infarction - is it really a problem?	**Oral abstract session**	
17:15 > 18:00	**Opening Ceremony followed by Civic Reception**		
SATURDAY 23 MARCH			
08:30 > 10:00	**Telehealth:State-of-Science** ▪ Tele-monitoring/Telehealth approaches in CVD patients living a long distance from their ICD centre. ▪ Patient reported outcomes on remote monitoring in heart failure patients with an ICD/CRT-D. ▪ Telemedicine management for all patients with heart failure? A critical approach.	**CCNAP Forum** **Management of acute coronary syndromes**	Poster Session 2
10:00 > 11:00	Coffee Break - Poster viewing & Moderated Posters Session		
11:00 > 12:30	**Strategies to manage heart failure in Scotland** ▪ What is important in new heart failure guidelines? ▪ The Outpatient acute heart failure unit.	**Oral abstract session**	
12:30 > 13:30	Lunch Break - Satellite Symposium & Poster viewing		
13:30 > 15:00	**CVD: educational updates for all** ▪ Cardiovascular nursing - Continuing education update ▪ The effectiveness of strategies to implement nursing guidelines. ▪ Nice guidelines: clinical perspectives.	**Patient engagement in CV counselling** ▪ Sexuality in patients with CVD: attitudes and problems - The nurses' view. ▪ Common misconceptions in cardiac patients. ▪ Counselling coronary patients for lifestyle modification: strategies for success. ▪ Different approaches to sustaining behaviour change in reducing CVD risk	
15:00 > 16:00	**Closing Session** ▪ Prizes and Awards. ▪ Welcome to EuroHeartCare 2014.		

Submit your research for all abstract sessions!

Programme at the time of printing, it may be subject to change