



ERS Onsite Course
Academy of pulmonary hypertension
20-21 November 2025 - Amsterdam, Netherlands

Thursday, 20 November 2025

08:15–08:45 Registration and welcome from organisers

Session 1 – Classification and pathophysiology

Chair: R. Condliffe

08:45–08:55 Introduction – R. Condliffe

08:55–09:15 Experiencing PH: from diagnosis to daily life – interview with L. Bouman

09:15–09:45 Pulmonary hypertension classification – O. Sitbon

09:45–10:30 Pathological changes in pulmonary hypertension – P. Dorfmueller

10:30–11:00 Right ventricle in health and pulmonary hypertension – A. Vonk Noordegraaf

11:00–11:30 *Coffee Break*

Session 2 – Diagnosing pulmonary hypertension

Chair: A. Vonk Noordegraaf

11:30–11:45 Diagnostic algorithm – R. Condliffe

11:45–12:15 Echocardiography – M. Van de Veerdonk

12:15–12:55 Radiology including systematic approach to CT – D. Gopalan

12:55–13:15 Right heart catheterisation – A. Hameed

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13:15–14:15 *Lunch*

Session 3 – Practical workshops

Participants are divided into 4 groups and rotate between the workshops.

Practical echocardiography – M. Van de Veerdonk, A. Hameed, R. Mańczak

Radiological reporting – D. Gopalan

Pathology reporting – P. Dorfmueller

Putting it together: diagnostic cases – R. Condliffe, A. Vonk Noordegraaf

14:15–15:00 Round 1

15:05–15:50 Round 2

15:55–16:40 Round 3

16:45–17:30 Round 4

17:45–18:00 Summary of Day 1 – R. Condliffe, A. Vonk Noordegraaf



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Session 4 – Managing pulmonary arterial hypertension (PAH)

Chair: O. Sitbon

- 08:40–08:45 Introduction and recap – O. Sitbon
- 08:45–09:15 PAH therapies: present and future – S. Ulrich
- 09:15–09:45 Risk stratification and treatment algorithm – A. Boucly
- 09:45–10:15 Managing pulmonary hypertension in difficult situations: acutely sick, pregnancy & surgery – R. Condliffe
- 10:15–10:45 *Coffee Break*

Session 5 – Non-PAH groups 2-4

Chair: R. Condliffe

- 10:45–11:15 **Group 2 PH - LHD (left heart disease)** – M. Van de Veerdonk
- 11:15–11:45 **Group 3 PH - Lung** – S. Ulrich
- 11:45–12:15 **PH with cardiopulmonary comorbidities** – A. Boucly
- 12:15–13:00 **Group 4 CTEPH: diagnosis and management** – O. Sitbon

13:00–14:00 *Lunch*

Session 6 – Interactive clinical-pathological-radiological cases

Chair: A. Vonk Noordegraaf

- 14:00–16:00 Putting it all together – D. Gopalan, P. Dorfmueller, R. Condliffe, O. Sitbon
- 16:00–16:15 Summary and close – A. Vonk Noordegraaf

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