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CIRSE STANDARDS OF PRACTICE

Two new CIRSE SOP documents

CIRSE has released two new SOP documents. The first one on non-sclerosant liquid embolic agents which are safe and effective embolics that have been used in interventional radiology for more than 50 years, in both emergency and elective scenarios. This document aims to review the chemical principles and technical considerations involved to make recommendations regarding clinical indications for their application.

The second one is on endovascular treatment of acute lower limb ischaemia - a medical emergency that requires immediate diagnosis and management to avoid catastrophic consequences. Endovascular intervention offers a minimally invasive alternative in appropriately selected patients, with outcomes comparable to open surgery in contemporary series.

Many thanks to the writing groups around Dr. Francesco Giurazza, and Profs. Mohamad Hamady and Florian Wolf, respectively, for their work. To browse all CIRSE SOP documents, click here.

ECIP2027

Share your work on pain management

Interventional radiology has become indispensable in multidisciplinary pain management. With the European Conference on Image-Guided Pain Management (ECIP), CIRSE has created a platform to present the latest data, examine treatment strategies, and discuss challenging cases. Make sure to submit your work for ECIP 2027 by Nov. 19 to share it with pain treatment specialists from around the world!

ESIR 2028

Host an ESIR course at your institution

Since 2006, the European School of Interventional Radiology (ESIR) has established itself as the premier clinical training programme for interventional radiologists around the world. With over 150 courses held across 26 countries, ESIR has offered unparalleled educational opportunities combining lectures, case discussions, and practical hands-on workshops. Apply now to host an ESIR course at your institution in 2028 to further strengthen clinical procedure training in IR!

CIRSE fellowship grants available

Have you been thinking about learning new procedures, experiencing other hospital settings, and expanding your professional network abroad? In 2027, CIRSE will again support 20 CIRSE members with a grant of €3,000 each to spend a month at a European centre of excellence. Click here to browse the list of recommended training centres and make sure to apply by Dec. 29!

Become the next social media star

Since their inception in 2021, the social media takeovers carried out by CIRSE members from around the world have become one of the most popular features of the CIRSE and ECIO social media channels. Apply now to take over for a week and share your clinical work with more than 20,000 followers!

CVIR CardioVascular and Interventional Radiology

CVIR career reflections and lessons for the next generation of IRs

Read this compelling editorial by CIRSE 2026 Gold Medallist Dr. Raman Uberoi reflecting on a career dedicated to advancing interventional radiology through education, professional leadership, and furthering the clinical aspect of the specialty. Drawing on decades of experience within national and international societies, he shares the lessons, challenges, and opportunities that have shaped both his professional journey and the specialty itself.

CVIR ENDOVASCULAR

Editor's pick

For this month's pick, Editor-in-Chief Prof. Rob Morgan has selected a review by Prof. Jean-Pierre Pelage et al. about transarterial embolization in MSK care, as it provides an excellent overview of the technical principles, vascular anatomy considerations, embolic agent selection, clinical indications, and evidence maturity in this field. It is available open access, so make sure to share it with your colleagues!

CVIR ONCOLOGY

Discover the latest from CVIR Oncology

Explore the latest research published in CVIR Oncology to stay up to date with recent advances, innovative approaches, and developments shaping the field of interventional oncology!

ESIR 2026

Check out the fall courses

This fall, ESIR is offering courses on liquids and particles embolization, prostate and focal therapy, EVT of acute ischaemic stroke, and reliability in percutaneous tumour ablation. Browse all courses here and secure your spot!

CIRSE academy

Updated course: Percutaneous neurolysis in cancer patients

Discover the newly updated CIRSE Academy course "Percutaneous neurolysis in cancer patients" and explore key neural targets, patient selection, and techniques ranging from chemical neurolysis to radiofrequency ablation to cryoneurolysis. The course provides great insights into procedural planning, complication prevention, and current best practices to support effective cancer pain palliation.

IASIOS

Upcoming Events with IASIOS

The International Accreditation System for Interventional Oncology Services (IASIOS) will be attending several international events in the coming months, including BSIR 2026 in Birmingham, IROS 2027 in Salzburg, MIO Live 2027 in Rome, and more. If you are planning to attend any of these events, stop by the IASIOS booth to connect with the team, ask your questions, and learn more about the programme!

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CIRSE insider

For all interested parties wishing to learn more about CIRSE's projects and initiatives, CIRSE Insider provides in-depth articles and interviews on everything going on within the society. Click on the links below to find out more!



A Q&A with new CIRSE President Stefan Müller-Hülsbeck

CIRSE Insider talked to newly minted CIRSE President Prof. Stefan Müller-Hülsbeck to learn about his strategic vision for strengthening IR's clinical role, expanding access to training, and supporting the next generation.

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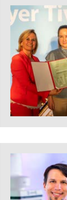

Prof. Edit Dósa receives the Women in IR Role Model of the Year Award

Prof. Edit Dósa received the Women in IR Role Model of the Year award at the Women in IR reception during CIRSE 2026. In this Q&A, she reflects on belonging, mentorship, and how the IR community can support women and young IRs.

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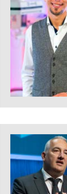

CIRSE 2026 Best Scientific Paper Award: a Q&A with the winner

Read the story behind this year's winning research paper AI-derived fully automated 3D body composition predicts outcome after transjugular intrahepatic portosystemic shunt placement", by Christian Roemer et al., from how the study was developed to its presentation at the author's first CIRSE Annual Congress.

Read full article



Redefining landscapes, reaching new horizons: honorary lectures at CIRSE 2026

CIRSE 2026's honorary lectures looked beyond the traditional boundaries of IR, from building services where they do not yet exist to establishing a stronger role in pain management. Prof. Vincent Vidal, the Andreas Gruentzig Lecturer, and Prof. Dimitrios Filippiadis, the Josef Roesch Lecturer, reflected on these ideas.

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