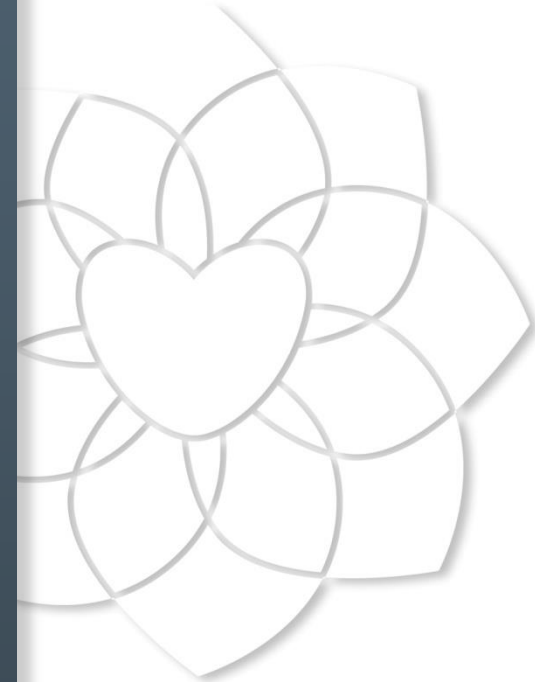


ACCA Greets 8th International Conference Acute Cardiac Care

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ACCA President*



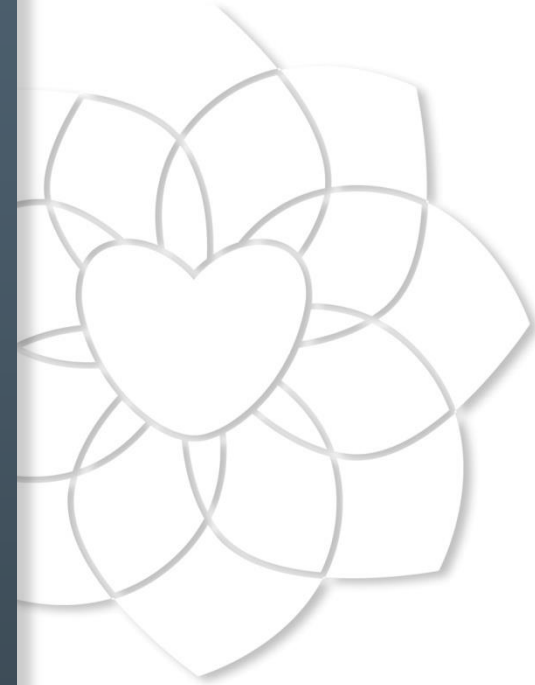
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Working Group (WG) ACC created in 2000

WG chairs between 2000 & 2010



Y Hasin
2001-2004



G Filippatos
2004-2006



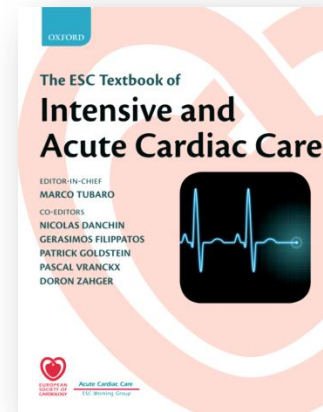
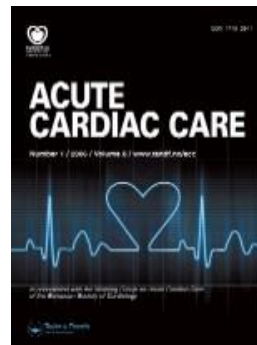
M Tubaro
2006-2008



N Danchin
2008-2010

2011: Already many assets

- **The largest WG** with the fastest growing number of **members** (700 in 2011)
- **A biennial congress of over 1000 pax**
- **A certification programme & exam**
- **Active study groups** (many papers on Biomarkers)
- **Participation in most of ESC practice guidelines**
- **A textbook** (January 2011)
- **Endorsement of a journal**



Feb 2011 – Brussels : A new beginning!



C Vrints
2010-2012

it all started under C.Vrints chairmanship

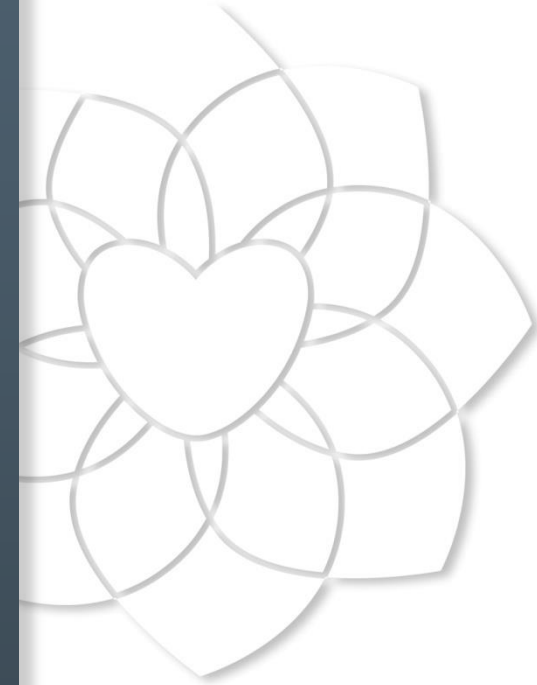
WG mission, objectives are no more aligned with the way management of acute cardiovascular disease has evolved in Europe over the last decade. i.e.:

- ***an integrated approach** involving new techniques, new devices, new systems of care and*
- *the involvement of **a multi-disciplinary team for best outcome: "TOGETHER SAVING LIVES"***

**Education in the field of ACS
MUST fit this evolution !**

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A new mission

To improve the
quality of care and
outcome of patients
with acute
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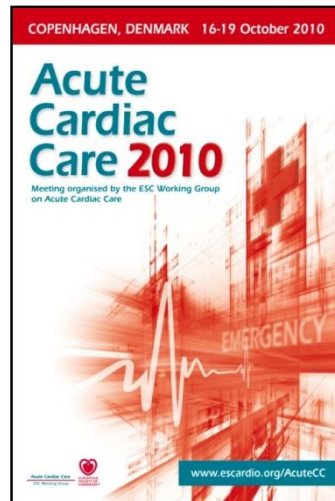


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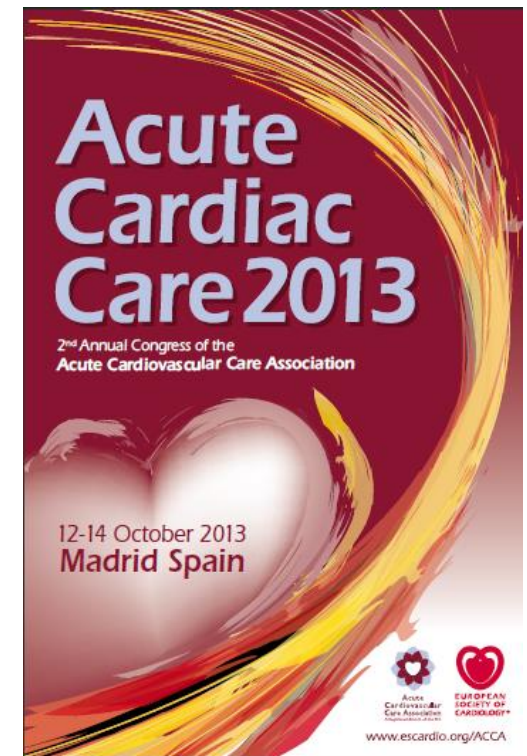


From biennial toan annual congress

2006 – 2008 – 2010

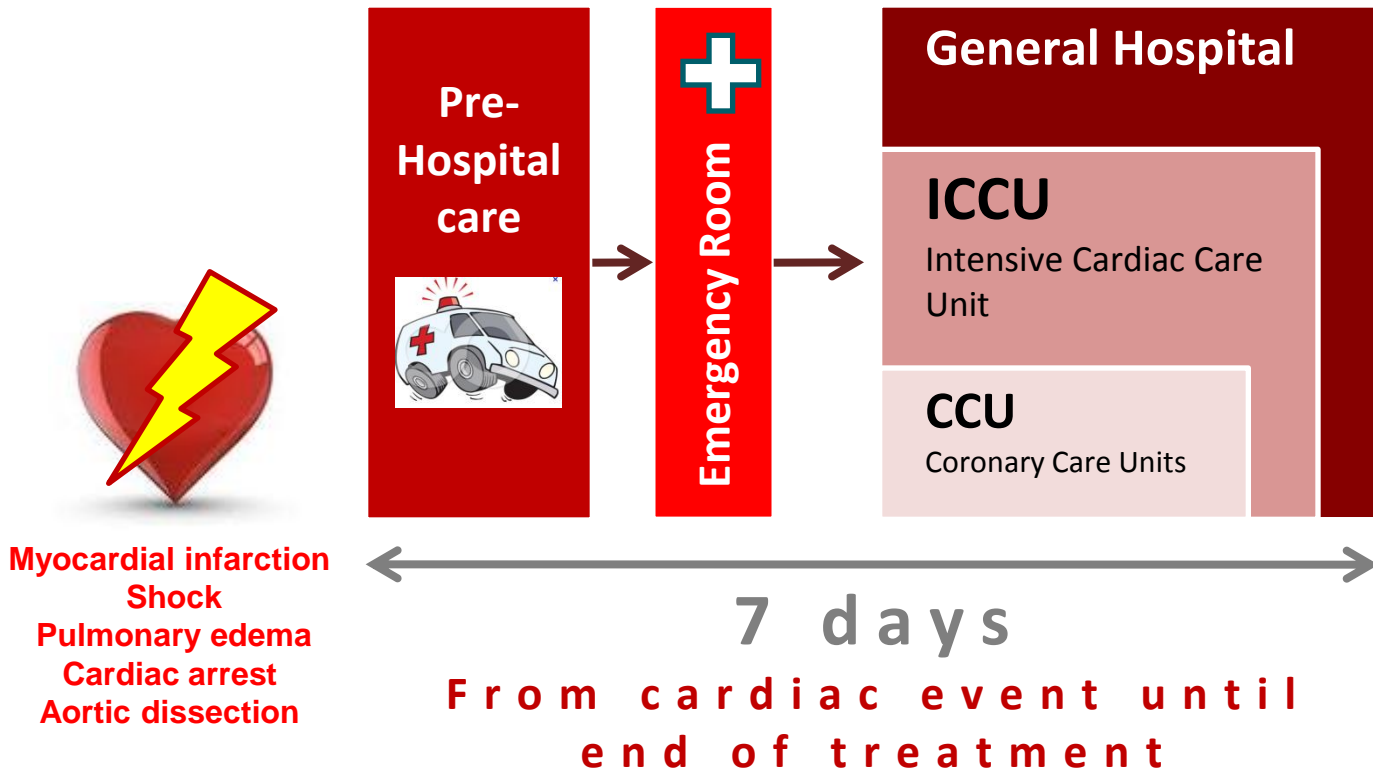


2012 – 2013 – 2014 – 2015 3000



Acute Cardiac Care: A Wider scope

Acute Cardiovascular Care Process



Extension of CCU

High risk patients only

Focus on "acute" syndromes

Appropriate beds, equipment, staffing,

Medical and nursing expertise in cardiac diagnosis, treatment, techniques

Better outcome

Small

Not supervised by cardiologist
non-specialised cardiac care staff

Unselected patient admitted (STEMI & NSTEMI - "treat & return vs "treat & keep

Patients re transferred to other units = delay & cost

Acute
Cardiology

Emergency
Medicine

Cardiovascular
Surgery

Researchers

**We all have
ONE single goal:
SAVING LIVES**

Nurses

Physicians

Cardiovascular
Imaging

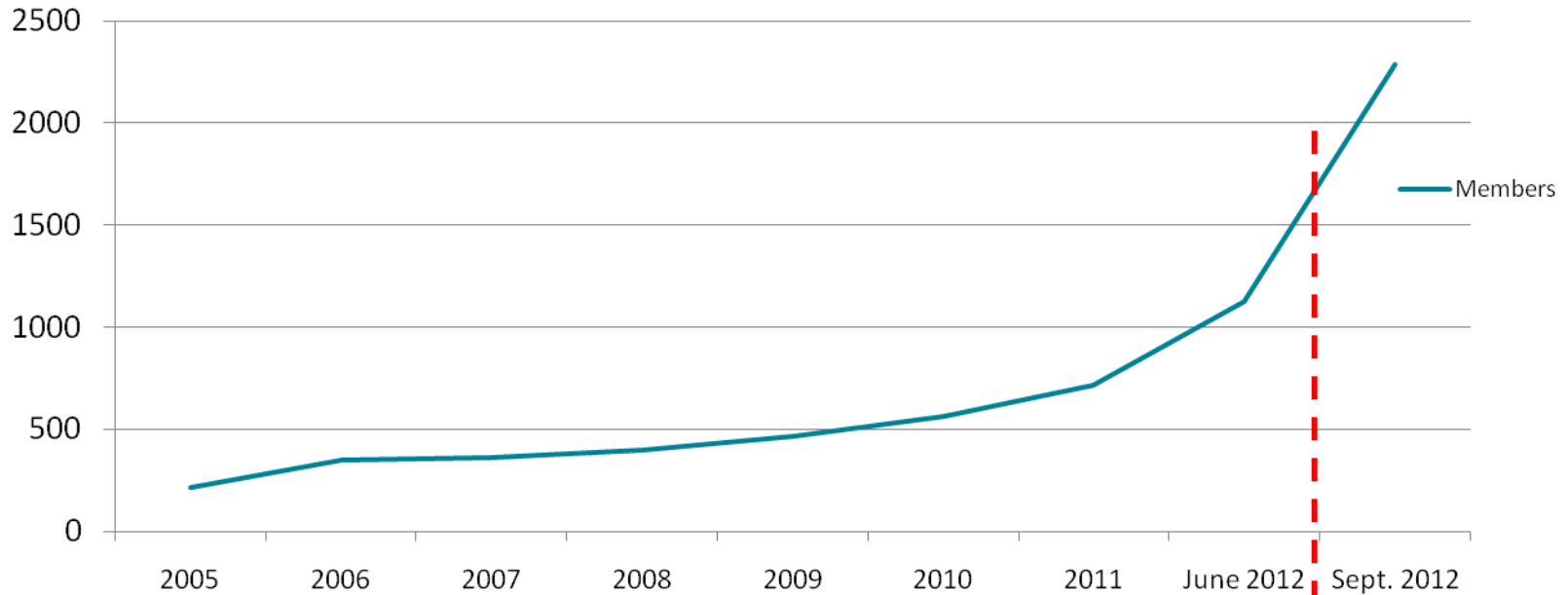
Interventional
Cardiology

Paramedics

ACCA membership evolution

2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	June 2012	Sept. 2012
212	348	363	396	465	561	714	1125	2288

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- **3591 Members** (*as of 10th June 2013*)



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ACCA Board: committees' chairs



Role

Membership and NS Relations

(Chair: Professor Doron Zahger, Israel)

To define membership value and member benefits, to liaise with national acute cardiac care working groups and to attract acute cardiac care professionals into the ACCA community



Role

Allied Societies, ESC Associations, Councils and WGs

(Chair: Professor Tom Quinn, UK)

To ensure continuous liaison and good relationships with external allied societies and the ESC Councils, Associations, and Working Groups



Role

Scientific Activities

(Chair: Professor Uwe Zeymer, Germany)

To initiate and promote multi-national European studies and registries in the field of acute cardiac care



Role

Education and Training

(Chair: Doctor Susanna Price, UK)

To promote knowledge and skills through training and certification programmes to a multi-disciplinary audience



Role

ACC Congress

(Chair: Doctor Maddalena Lettino, Italy)

To develop a state-of-the-art scientific programme and promote the ACCA's congress to a worldwide audience as a unique platform of information exchange



Role

Web, Communication, and Press

(Chair: Professor Kurt Huber, Austria)

To establish ACCA's reputation and international standing with a wide audience through both internal and external media channels

European Summit on Acute Cardiovascular Care EHH Oct 2011 and Apr 2013

AIM: Network with representatives of international acute cardiovascular care entities

RESULTS: 80 participants, 32 countries.
Cardiologists, emergency physicians, intensivists, nurses, all involved in the process of Acute Cardiac Care



A Success!!
A promising outcome:
future collaboration

See you in Madrid



Acute Cardiac Care 2013

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12-14 October 2013
Madrid Spain



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ACCA in brief

- *12 years of successful history as the Working Group on Acute Cardiac Care*
- *An Executive Board of renowned European experts*
- *Membership of over 1100 (in June 2012)*
- *Annual ACC Congress with increasing number of delegates*
- *A brand new journal: EHJ-ACVC published by SAGE (First issue: April 2012)*
- *An IACC Textbook: published by OUP (First issue: January 2011)*
- *A proven educational programme using the ESC eLearning platform*
- *An ACC Certification programme for individuals*
- *A European ACC Summit gathering national representatives in the field (bi-annual)*
- *Participation in ESC Clinical Practice Guidelines*
- *Production of many scientific position papers*