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# KAROLINSKA CARDIOGENIC SHOCK DAYS

4–5 JUNE 2025,  
STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN

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## DAY 1 – WEDNESDAY 4TH JUNE 2025

Time	Title	Speaker(s)
09.00–09.15	Welcome	<i>Andreas Liliequist (Sweden), Marcus Ståhlberg (Sweden), Peter Svenarud (Sweden)</i>
09.15–09.45	Definition and SCAI classification	<i>Benedikt Beer (Germany)</i>
09.45–10.15	Aetiology, epidemiology	<i>Alexander Bernhardt (Germany)</i>
10.15–11.00	<i>Swedish Fika (Coffee Break)</i>	
11.00–11.30	Pathophysiology of CS	<i>Florian Wenzl (Switzerland)</i>
11.30–12.00	Acute MI CS vs. Acute decompensated HF cardiogenic shock, updates from the ESC guidelines for management of Heart Failure and Acute Coronary syndrome	<i>Prof. Feras Bader (UAE)</i>
12.00–12.30	Panel discussion	<i>Moderators: Prof. Alain Combes (France), Emil Najjar (Sweden), Per Nordberg (Sweden)</i>
12.30–13.30	<i>Lunch</i>	

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Time	Title	Speaker(s)
13.30–13.55	Cardiac Arrest Complicating Cardiogenic Shock	<i>Per Nordberg (Sweden)</i>
13.55–14.10	Diagnosis: Should We Use the Pulmonary Artery Catheter in Cardiogenic Shock?	<i>Prof. Susanna Price (UK)</i>
14.10–14.30	Diagnosis: Pulmonary Congestion Assessed by Lung Ultrasound in CS	<i>Hatem Soliman-Aboumarie (UK)</i>
14.30–15.15	<i>Swedish Fika (Coffee Break)</i>	
15.15–15.45	Predictors of Survival in Cardiogenic Shock	<i>Prof. Ulrich Jorde (USA)</i>
15.45–16.15	Revascularization in CS, updates from the ESC guidelines for the management of Acute Coronary syndrome	<i>Andreas Rück (Sweden)</i>
16.15–16.45	Panel discussion	<i>Moderators: Benedikt Beer (Germany), Prof. Alain Combes (France), Prof. Feras Bader (UAE)</i>
16.45	<i>End of day 1</i>	
17.30	<i>Dinner at Karolina Hotel (free of charge but limited places)</i>	

## DAY 2 – THURSDAY 5TH JUNE 2025

Time	Title	Speaker(s)
08.15–08.45	From Silent Dysfunction to Pre-Shock: AI-Driven ECG and Wearable Monitoring for Early Heart Failure Detection and Readmission Prevention	<i>Prof. Kyung-Hee Kim (Republic of Korea)</i>
09.00–09.25	Inotropes and vasopressors in CS	<i>Prof. Lars H. Lund (Sweden)</i>
09.25–09.50	Short-term MCS in CS, VA ECMO in CS: real world experience and clinical trials	<i>Prof. Holger Thiele (Germany)</i>
09.50–10.15	DanGer Shock Trial: Haemodynamic effects and clinical outcomes	<i>Prof. Christian Hassager (Denmark)</i>
10.15–11.00	<i>Swedish Fika (Coffee Break)</i>	
11.00–12.30	<b>Workshop:</b> Right-left heart interaction in acute heart failure – a simulation workshop*	<i>Michael Broomé (Sweden)</i>
11.00–11.20	LV venting with ECMO, when and how to do it	<i>Prof. Susanna Price (UK)</i>
11.20–11.40	Building the shock team	<i>Alastair Proudfoot (UK)</i>
11.40–12.00	Addressing the gender gap in CS trials	<i>Prof. Holger Thiele (Germany)</i>
12.00–12.30	Panel discussion	<i>Moderators: Prof. Mandeep Mehra (USA), Prof. Holger Thiele (Germany), Prof. Ulrich Jorde (USA)</i>
12.30–13.30	<i>Lunch</i>	
13.30–14.30	<b>Workshop:</b> Integrated Ultrasound Assessment of Congestion*	<i>Hatem Soliman-Aboumarie (UK)</i>

\* The workshops run parallel with the program and pre-registration is required to participate. Limited places.

## DAY 2 – THURSDAY 5TH JUNE 2025

Time	Title	Speaker(s)
13.30–13.50	Escalating or de-escalating pathway?	<i>Benedikt Beer (Germany)</i>
13.50–14.10	From ECMO to LVAD or to transplantation, what is the best option?	<i>Prof. Mandeep Mehra (USA)</i>
14.10–14.30	Ethics and Palliative Care in Cardiogenic Shock	<i>Sharon Chadwick (UK)</i>
14.30–14.50	Surgeon's perspective of CS	<i>Prof. Diyar Saeed (Germany)</i>
14.50–15.15	<i>Swedish Fika (Coffee Break)</i>	
15.15–15.35	Nurse's perspective of CS	<i>Clare Mellis (UK)</i>
15.35–16.05	Future directions of shock treatment	<i>Prof. Holger Thiele (Germany)</i>
16.05–16.35	Panel discussion	<i>Moderators: Benedikt Beer (Germany), Prof. Susanna Price (UK), Prof. Lars H. Lund (Sweden)</i>
16:35	<i>Final words and closure</i>	

## SPECIAL GUESTS

Prof. Cecilia  
Linde,  
**Sweden**

Prof. John  
Pernow,  
**Sweden**

Prof. Sasa  
Borovic,  
**Serbia**

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**Slovenia**

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**Sweden**

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**Lebanon**

Prof. Zviad  
Kipiani,  
**Georgia**

Prof. Nazar  
Mitety,  
**Iraq**

Dr. Khaldoon  
Al Hummod,  
**Kuwait**

**Chairs:**

Prof. Thomas F. Lüscher, London, UK  
Alastair Proudfoot, London, UK  
Emil Najjar, Stockholm, Sweden

**Hosts:**

Marcus Ståhlberg  
Peter Svenarud  
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4–5 June 2025  
Karolinska Universitetssjukhuset  
Solna, Eugeniavägen 3,  
Stockholm, Sweden

Karolinska Cardiogenic Shock Days will bring together international leading experts in this field and will present a great opportunity to discuss the challenges and latest advances in Cardiogenic Shock.

## Registration

Registration is open from 30 January 2025:

**[mkon.nu/cardiogenic\\_shock\\_meeting\\_2025](https://mkon.nu/cardiogenic_shock_meeting_2025)**

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