



Byblos Health: 8-13 April, 2019

The Second Emergency Medicine Conference of ND Maritime Hospital

Dear colleagues and friends,

Following the great success of the first edition, I would like in my name and in the name of the management of ND Maritime hospital to invite you to the second edition of our **International Emergency Medicine Conference that will be held in the framework of Byblos Health activities organized by the hospital from the 8th to the 13th of April, 2019**. Plenary sessions will be held on the 12th and 13th of April, at St John Marc parish house (Ontoch) and the workshops will take place at Byblos Cultural Center, LAU School of Medicine and ND Maritime Hospital.

The support of both National Orders of physicians and nurses as well as the Lebanese French Medical Association and prominent International societies of emergency medicine grant this event an even greater importance.

A very rich and varied scientific program is offered along with a series of workshops targeting all emergency professionals. In addition to the scientific themes, conferences and workshops around management and quality within the Emergency Department will be held this year. Speakers and delegates from different countries will be given the opportunity to share and exchange knowledge and expertise and explore the latest medical technologies.

My sincere thanks go to all speakers and moderators as well as to the scientific and organization committees' members for their dedicated efforts to make this congress a success. I would like also to express my gratitude to the superior general of St John Marc parish home and to the Municipal Council of Byblos for their unconditional support.

Last but not least, I would like to thank all the sponsors and Institutions for their continuous collaboration and commitment in our hospital activities.

Looking forward to seeing you all in Byblos, millenary city and cradle of the alphabet.

Joseph Chami, MD

CEO of ND Maritime Hospital

Congress President



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Location	Conference	12, 13 April St John Marc Parish Home (Ontoch) Byblos – Jbeil
	Workshops	8-11 April HNDM, Byblos Cultural Center and LAU School of Medicine






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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lebanese Order of Physicians – Beirut Lebanese Order of Physicians – Tripoli Lebanese Order of Nurses LSEM: Lebanese Society of Emergency Medicine | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> EuSEM: European Society of Emergency Medicine SFMU: Société Française de Médecine d'Urgence SAMU Urgences de France AMFL: Association Médicale Franco-Libanaise |
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Speakers (listed as per their appearance in the program)	
International	Affiliation- Country
1. François Braun	Président, SAMU – Urgences de France
2. Youri Yordanov	ER Physician, Paris St Antoine - France
3. Karim Tazarourte	Chef de pôle Urgences – Lyon, France. Vice-Président - SFMU
4. Jean Cyrille Pitteloud	Anesthesiologist, Hôpital du Jura Bernois - Bern, Switzerland
5. Maud Michaloux	Emergency Physician, SAMU de Paris - France
6. Luis Garcia-Castrillo Riesgo	President of EuSEM, the European Society of Emergency Medicine
7. Enrique Casalino	Head of the ED, Paris Bichat – France, Professor at ESA Business School - Beirut
8. Valérie Homier	ER physician, Mc Gill University, Montreal - Canada
9. Bruno Megarbane	Professor of Toxicology, Paris Diderot, Lariboisière, Paris - France
10. Guillaume Alinier	Professor of simulation in healthcare education – UK and Qatar
11. Erik Louin	RN, Paris St Antoine, France
Local	Affiliation
1. Béatrice Chami	Medical Director and Head of the ICU – ND Maritime Hospital
2. Lina Younan Sabbagh	RN, MSN, DNP – Order of Nurses in Lebanon
3. Elsy Jabbour	ER physician, Rizk Hospital Medical Center – LAU
4. Claude Semaan	Head of Cardiology Dept – ND Maritime Hospital
5. Mirna Waked	Professor of Clinical Medicine, Uv of Balamand
6. Khalil Diab	Pulmonologist, RHMC. Pulmonary fellowship program director – LAU
7. Rasha Sawaya	Pediatric Emergency Medicine, ED - AUBMC
8. Najib Hanna	Pediatric Cardiology, ED – Hotel Dieu de France - USJ
9. Rêva Matta	HNDM - Clinical assistant professor of Surgery, Uv of Balamand
10. Michel Mawad	Professor, Neurosurgery, Radiology, Neurology, Ophthalmology. Dean, LAU SOM
11. Abir Kurdi Alame	BSN, MPH, HAS – Order of Nurses in Lebanon
12. Wafaa Maalouf	Head of the Quality Department – ND Maritime hospital
13. Chady Tawil	ER Resident, AUBMC
14. Line Abdo	Internal Medicine, HNDM and HDF - USJ
15. Marie Rose Rizk	Pediatric resident, Lebanese University
16. Ralph Bou Chebel	ER Physician, AUBMC
17. Jalal Abouss	ER physician, Director Tripoli International Training Center for Life Support – AHA
18. Antoine Hakim	RN, Instructor – National School for Emergency care
19. Mounzer Mostafa,	Instructor, TITCLS - AHA
20. Mazhar Abouss	Instructor, TITCLS - AHA
21. William Watfa	HNDM, Assistant Professor of Clinical Surgery - Uv of Balamand
22. Marianne Helou	ER physician, Rizk Hospital Medical Center – LAU
23. Alain Tanios	ER physician, Rizk Hospital Medical Center. Residency program director – LAU
24. Rachid Rahme	Head of the ED and ICU – Sacre Coeur Hospital



Preliminary Conference Programme

Friday 12 April: 8.00: welcome and registration

Session I: Ethics and administration (9.00 – 10.30)	<p>Why patient confidentiality is important? Beatrice Chami</p> <p>Ethical Decision-Making in the ED: Lina Younan Sabbagh</p> <p>Leadership in the ED: François Braun</p>
Coffee break	
Session II: Internal Medicine (11.00 – 12.30) Moderators: Antoine Aoun	<p>Pitfalls in the abdominal pain presentation in the ED: Elsy Jabbour</p> <p>Gastrointestinal bleeding: Youri Yordanov</p> <p>Anticoagulants related bleeding: Karim Tazarourte</p>
Keynote lecture I (12.30 – 13.00)	Rapid Sequence Intubation, Still up to date? Jean Cyrille Pitteloud
Lunch break	
Session III: Cardiopulmonary emergencies (14.00 – 15.30)	<p>Management of Atrial Fibrillation in the ED: Claude Semaan</p> <p>New Approach to Severe Asthma: Mirna Waked</p> <p>Management of Pneumothorax in the ED: Khalil Diab</p> <p>Prehospital needle decompression in tension pneumothorax: Maud Michaloux</p>
Coffee break	
Session IV: Pediatric Emergencies (16.00-17.45)	<p>Febrile Seizures in the ED: Rasha Sawaya</p> <p>Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation in infants and children: Najib Hanna</p> <p>Acute abdominal pain in children: Rêva Matta</p> <p>Management of pain in children in the ED: Jean Cyrille Pitteloud</p>
Keynote lecture II 18.00 – 18.30	Management of ischemic Stroke: Michel Mawad
Opening ceremony 18.30 – 19.30	Inaugural lecture: Explanatory factors influencing Emergency medicine demand: Luis Garci-Castrillo Riesgo (EuSEM president)
	<p>LSEM president, Mazen Al Sayyed</p> <p>SFMU president, Karim Tazarourte</p> <p>SAMU – Urgences de France president : François Braun</p> <p>President of the Order of Nurses in Lebanon: Myrna Abi Abdallah Dumit</p> <p>President of the Order of Physicians in the north, Omar Ayache</p> <p>President of the congress, Joseph Chami</p>

Saturday 13 April

Session V: Quality management (8.30 – 10.10): Moderator: Rachid Rahme	New quality indicators in the ED: Enrique Casalino Quality Improvement in the ED: Abir Kurdi Alame Mortality and morbidity review in the ED: Valérie Homier Medical errors in the ED: How to prevent it: Youri Yordanov
Keynote lecture III (10.10 – 10.30)	ED Accreditation: What you should know, Wafaa Maalouf
Coffee break	
Session VI: Toxicology: Interactive session directed by Bruno Megarbane 11.00 – 12.30	Updates: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Paracetamol Intoxication, updates in 2019,• Toxic Coma: When to intubate,• Antidotes: What you should know, Real cases of clinical toxicology: Chadi Tawil, Line Abdo, Marie Rose Rizk
Session VII: Literature Review 12.30 – 13.00 Moderator: youri Yordanov	Pediatric and adult EM articles that would change your practice Rasha Sawaya and Chady Tawil
Lunch break	
Session VIII: Simulation 14.00 – 15.00 Moderator: JC Pitteloud	Mass Casualty Incident Simulation: Guillaume Alinier “Tabletop” exercise approach in Mass Casualty: Maud Michaloux Simulation methods in Emergency Care education: Karim Tazarourte
Session IX: Ultrasound 15.00 – 16.00	Indications for US in the ED: Ralph Bou Chebel Challenges of implementing an ultrasound program in the ED: Valérie Homier
Keynote lecture IV (16.15 – 16.45)	Artificial intelligence: Francois Braun
17.00 – 17.30	Closing remarks : Beatrice Chami & Nagi Souaiby

Byblos Health II: The Second EM Conference of ND Maritime Hospital

Preconference Workshops 8-11 April, 2019

WS	Topic	Faculty	Date	Location	Nb
1	ACLS (AHA) <i>Advanced Cardiac Life Support</i>	Jalal Abouss, Antoine Hakim	8-9 April	HNDM*	8
2	PALS (AHA) <i>Pediatric Advanced Life Support</i>	Mounzer Mostafa, Mazhar Abouss	8-9 April	HNDM*	8
3	BLS and AED use for public	Elsy Merhi Ahmar	10 April am	HNDM*	12
4	Mass casualty triage	Valérie Homier, Antoine Hakim	10 April am	Cultural Center	15
5	Suturing	William Watfa	10 April pm	HNDM*	15
6	Daily Triage in the ED	Erik Louin	11 April	HNDM*	15
7	Immersive Simulation and technical skills	Guillaume Alinier, Jean Cyrille Pitteloud, Valérie Homier, Ralph Bou Chebel, Marianne Helou, Alain Tanios,	11 April	LAU – SL**	15
8	Management of Emergency Department	Enrique Casalino, Rachid Rahme	11 April	Cultural Center	15

*HNDM: Notre Dame Maritime Hospital

**LAU-SL: Lebanese American University Simulation lab,



Registration fees

Conference: April 12 and 13, 2019		Fees (USD)	
Physicians and residents requesting LOP CME credits		30	
Other physicians, nurses, residents and students		Free	
Physicians non registered to the LOP		100	
Workshops: April 8 -11, 2019		Language	Fees (USD)
1	ACLS (AHA) – two full days	English	200 ⁽¹⁾
2	PALS (AHA) – two full days	English	220 ⁽¹⁾
3	BLS and AED use – half day	Arabic	Sponsored by the Lebanese Resuscitation Council
4	Mass Casualty Triage – half day	English	
5	Suturing – half day	English	30 ⁽²⁾
6	Daily Triage in the ED – half day	French	30 ⁽²⁾
7	Immersive Simulation and technical skills – full day	English	100 ⁽¹⁾
8	Management of Emergency Department – full day	French	Sponsored by ESA ⁽³⁾
1- Including Coffee breaks and lunch 2- Including coffee break 3- Including coffee breaks excluding lunch			

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