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DAY 1 - 12TH DECEMBER 2025

08:00 - 09:30	Registration	
Workshops		
09:30 - 11:00	HALL(A) Mastering Renal Replacement Therapy in the ICU	Prof Claudio Ronco Dr Elwaleed Elhassan Dr Björn Tampe
	HALL(B) Vascular Access & Point of Care Ultrasound (POCUS)	Dr Iyad Abuward Prof Bharat Sachdeva Dr Hon Shen Png Dr Mustafa Ahmed Dr Emad Khater Dr Mohammed Abuazab
	HALL(C) Green Nephrology: Practical Strategies for Sustainable Dialysis Practice	Dr Ayman Al Madani Dr Nihal Bashir Dr Nathan Berman Parks
11:00 - 11:15	Coffee Break	
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12:45 - 14:15	Prayer & Lunch Break	
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	HALL(C) The 90-Minute CKD Masterclass: Integrating Diagnosis, Therapeutics & Transition Planning	Dr Mohamed Hassan Dr Wasim Ahmed Dr Fadel Al Rowaie
16:15 - 16:35	Practical Approach to APKD	Dr Mustafa Ahmed
16:35 - 17:15	Coffee	
Opening Ceremony Master of Ceremony: Dr Sara Mukhtar		
17:15 - 17:20	Opening Remarks	Prof Mona Al Rukhaimi
17:20 - 17:45	Opening Remarks A Call for an Integrated Approach to Interconnectedness in CRM Diseases	Dr Shaikha Ali
17:45 - 18:05	Keynote Lecture 100 Years of Hemodialysis	Prof Claudio Ronco
18:05 - 18:35	Debate: Frequency of Treatment The Appropriate Frequency of Dialysis Treatment (daily vs. conventional vs. infrequent)	Prof Joanne M Bargman Prof Ali Abu Alfa Dr Ali Alsahow Dr Muthana Alsahlawi
18:35	Speaker Appreciation Exhibition Opening & Dinner	

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08:00 – 09:00	Registration	
ICU Nephrology Chairpersons: Prof Mona Al Rukhaimi, Dr Ayman Al Madani		
09:00 – 09:20	Hemoadsorption: Past, Present and Future	Prof Claudio Ronco
09:20 – 09:40	Net Balance vs Net UF: What Matters?	Dr Björn Tampe
09:40 – 10:00	AI in AKI: Are We Ready?	Prof Marlies Ostermann (Virtual)
10:00 – 10:10	Panel Discussion	
10:10 – 10:40	Debate: ANCA Vasculitis: Plex Vs No Plex	Prof Yousef Boobes Dr Adnane Guella Dr Hormaz Dastoor Dr Björn Tampe
10:40 – 11:05	ANCA-Vasculitis in Focus: From Science to Clinical Practice	Dr Hormaz Dastoor
11:05 – 11:15	Coffee Break	
Dialysis Chairpersons: Dr Robert Najem, Dr Harith Aljubori		
11:15 – 11:45	Iptacopan in Practice: Insights from Real-life Patient Cases	Chairperson Dr Ayman Al Madani Speakers Dr Hormaz Dastoor Dr Dana Kidder
11:45 – 12:15	Debate: Potassium Binders: Chronic Prophylaxis vs. Episodic Rescue	Prof Mohamed Ghnaimat Dr Fadel Al Rowaie Dr Mustafa Ahmed Prof Bahaa Zayed
12:15 – 12:45	Revolutionizing CKD Management: The Transformative Role of Dapagliflozin	Dr Mustafa Ahmed
12:45 – 13:05	Dialysis Lifetime at Home: Incremental Peritoneal Dialysis to Home Hemodialysis	Prof Joanne M Bargman
13:05 – 13:25	Treatment of Hypertensive Patients with HF and Reduced or Preserved Ejection Fraction	Prof Giuseppe Mancia (Virtual)
13:25 – 13:35	Panel Discussion	
13:35 – 14:15	Lunch Break	

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Dialysis

Chairpersons: Dr Dawlat Hussein Sany, Dr Fakhriya Juma Alalawi

14:15 - 14:45	Debate: Should SGLT2i be First-line for all CKD, Displacing ACEi/ARBs?	Prof Mustafa NurElhuda Prof Torki Al-Otaibi Dr Pradeep Krishnan Dr Sultan Al Dhalbhi
14:45 - 15:15	Precision Management of sHPT in Dialysis Population	Dr Adnane Guella
15:15 - 15:35	Clinical Trials to Prevent Vascular Calcification Progression: Should We Start to Treat?	Prof Bharat Sachdeva
15:35 - 15:55	The Role of Peritoneal Ultrafiltration in Heart Failure Management	Dr Thangavelu Chandrasekar
15:55 - 16:25	Achieving Optimal Therapy in Challenging Body Habitus and Declining Residual Kidney Function	Prof Joanne M Bargman
16:25 - 16:45	Approach to Resistant Hypertension: Present and Future	Prof Giuseppe Mancina (Virtual)
16:45 - 16:55	Panel Discussion	
16:55 - 17:30	Coffee Break & Poster Presentations	

Workshops

17:30 - 19:00	HALL(A) Transplant Induction and Immunosuppression Management	Dr Faisal Basunbol Dr Hon Shen Png Prof Dr Caner Süsal
	HALL(B) Complement Activation in Glomerulonephritis An Emerging Target in Multiple Diseases	Dr Dana Kidder Dr Edwin Wong (Virtual) Prof David Kavanagh (Virtual)
	HALL(C) Cardio Renal Metabolic Syndrome at a Glance	Dr Omer Ali Prof Hassan El-Tamimi Dr Peter Lin (Virtual) Prof David Wheeler (Virtual)
	HALL(D) Genetics in Clinical Nephrology	Prof Neveen Soliman Dr Maryam Alshehhi Prof John Sayer (Virtual)

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DAY 3 – 14TH DECEMBER 2025

08:00 – 09:00	Registration	
Transplant Chairpersons: Dr Ali AlObaidli, Dr Faisal Basunbol		
09:00 – 09:20	Advances in Understanding Viruses as a Barometer of Immunosuppression: Epstein-Barr Virus and Torque Teno Virus	Prof Emilio Poggio
09:20 – 09:40	Potential Novel Biomarkers for Kidney Transplantation	Prof Mohamed Salah (Virtual)
09:40 – 10:00	Contemporary Management of Patients with CKD in T2D Finerenone Data Evolution	Dr Omer Ali
10:00 – 10:10	Panel Discussion	
10:10 – 10:40	Debate: Should High-KDPI (>%85) Kidneys be Transplanted at All?	Dr Mohammed Al Seiri Prof Emilio Poggio Dr Rishabh Jain
10:40 – 11:10	2024 KDIGO Guideline Updates on RAASi Enablement in CKD Patients	Dr Wasim Ahmed
11:10 – 11:25	Coffee Break	
Transplant Chairpersons: Dr Amna Al Hadari, Dr Mohammed Al Seiri		
11:25 – 11:45	The Virtual Crossmatch: Principles, Applications, Regulatory Updates, Challenges and Best Practices	Prof Dr Caner Süsal
11:45 – 12:10	Clinical Approaches for the Prevention and Treatment of Recurrent aHUS and C3G Post Transplant	Prof David Kavanagh (Virtual)
12:10 – 12:20	Panel Discussion	
12:20 – 12:50	Debate: The Great Complement Inhibition Revolution or Overreach in Nephrology?	Prof Reem Al Jayyousi Dr Dana Kidder Dr Iman Alshamsi
12:50 – 13:20	A New Dimension in IgAN Atrasentan Evidence and Experience	Chairperson Prof Basset ElEssawy Speakers Dr Omer Ali Dr Khaled Mahmoud Mzayen
13:20 – 14:20	Lunch Break	

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Chronic Kidney Disease Chairperson: Dr Muhamed Al Rohani, Dr Khaled Mousa		
14:20 – 14:50	Debate: Which is on First? First-Line Treatment in Secondary Hyperparathyroidism in ESKD Calcemimetics Vs Vitamin D Analogues	Prof Basset ElEssawy Prof Saeed AlGhamdi Dr Ahmad Chaaban Dr Hassan Khammas
14:50 – 15:15	Potassium Binders In Practice: Old Agents, New Insights	Dr Omer Ali
15:15 – 15:35	Beyond Diet and Exercise: When and How to Use Weight Loss Drugs in Your CKD Practice	Prof David Wheeler (Virtual)
15:35 – 16:05	Closing the Gap in CKD Management EMPA Kidney and PTFU	Dr Ayman Al Madani
16:05 – 16:25	Finerenone vs. SGLT2i: Which First?	Prof David Wheeler (Virtual)
16:25 – 16:35	Panel Discussion	
16:35 – 16:50	Coffee Break	
Oral Abstracts Chairpersons: Dr Mohamed Jaffer Hussein Railey, Dr Rachna Sahityani		
16:50 – 17:00	Aortic Dissection in Peritoneal Dialysis Patient	Dr Nihal Bashir
17:00 – 17:10	Tandem Plasma Exchange (PLEX) and Continuous Kidney Replacement Therapy (CKRT) in a Pediatric Renal Transplant Recipient: First Reported Case in Dubai	Dr Alaa Alsaqqa
17:10 – 17:20	Planning the Implementation of Telemedicine for Kidney Transplant Recipients in the Outpatient Setting of a Tertiary Hospital: A Framework based on a Scoping Review	Dr Reima Almarshoodi
17:20 – 17:30	The Timeless Transplant: Weathering infections, Preserving Function Since 1975	Dr Dhanya Mohan
17:30 – 17:40	Panel Discussion	
17:40 – 17:50	Closing Remarks	