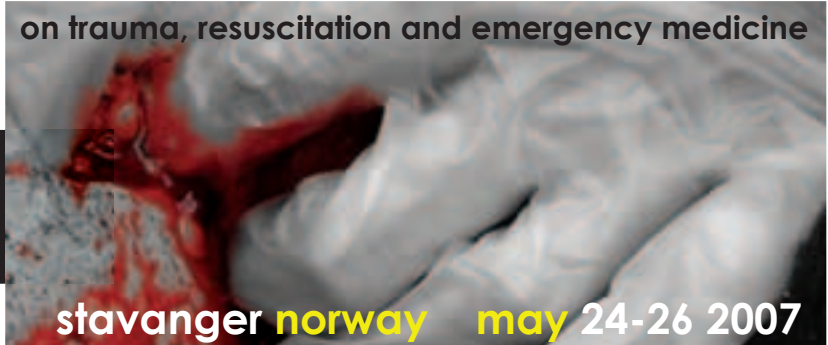




# Scandinavian update 2007

on trauma, resuscitation and emergency medicine



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### SESSION 1A+B: Opening session with awards

#### Welcoming words

#### The Axel Capplen Award for Excellence in Trauma

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#### A Scandinavian update on trauma, resuscitation and emergency medicine

#### The Scandinavian Update awards:

- Best educational programme
- Best system implementation
- Best scientific paper
- Scandinavian Update's Prize of honour

### SESSION 2A:

#### The bleeding trauma patient – does “he” continue to bleed or have we become much better during the last 5 years?

The Finnish experience  
The Danish experience  
An international view

Has there been a shift in the surgical approach

As well as a shift in fluid management and other emergency and critical care issues?

The next 5 years – where are we heading?

The role of the new Scandinavian Guidelines?

### SESSION 2B:

#### Emergency Care – an update on recent developments and controversies.

Will the new ILCOR guidelines on resuscitation in neonates and children save more lives and brains? A critical view on the facts and the recent developments.

Prehospital airway management – the new Scandinavian guidelines.

A critical view at the same guidelines.

The doctor is on board. Recent experience with the use of physicians as part of the prehospital team.

Clinical decision units, Triage in the Emergency Department,

METTS – what does it really mean?

The role of the Physician in Emergency Departments

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### SESSION 3A:

#### **Resuscitation – an update on recent developments and controversies. Interactive session with case discussions.**

Compression machines in cardiac arrest – the end of a short story or just the beginning?

Post-resuscitation care – always PCI and therapeutic hypothermia? Or, are we just wasting time, money and lives trying to improve care? Different views and different approaches. Involve yourself in this Pro-Con debate over real cases!

Case presentations of real patients with life-threatening illness or injuries with an expert panel and yourself voting and interacting on what to do next!

### SESSION 3B:

#### **Trauma registries – a lot of fun or just endless work?**

The Ullevål registry – what have we learnt so far? And, what can others learn from it?  
Pro/con Is it possible to implement a national registry?

The Scandinavian Major Trauma Outcome Study - an update

The UK trauma registries – do we still need them?

Euro-TARN - an update.

Trauma scoring and survival analysis - the raise and fall of the TRISS methodology  
- will Scandinavia be in the lead of the revision process

### SESSION 4A:

#### **From science to survival – the essential roles of educational efficiency and local implementation to improve outcome. An interactive session around specific scenarios.**

Advanced airway management – how to secure the right persons get the right training and the right things in the right patients??

Therapeutic hypothermia – why did it take so long to become standard of care? What went wrong and what can we learn from that?

"Just push on the chest while I do the important stuff" - why did we not pay attention to the importance of good quality CPR until recently? What can we do to avoid doing the same mistake next time?

If Medical Emergency Teams (MET) , Rapid Response Teams (RRT) and Outreach programs work in some hospitals, why should they not be implemented all over?

### SESSION 4B:

#### **Air ambulance services – cool guys, fancy toys, but also more?**

Air ambulance services - do they really make any difference?

Trying to establish a new air ambulance service. Experiences from the UK.

Implementing a national air ambulance service in Denmark - why?

Rural and urban air ambulance services - two of a kind?

When nurses man the Swedish rapid response cars, why can't they replace the physician in the air ambulance service?

Does the flight physician any difference in the trauma patient? Preliminary results from a randomised controlled study in Australia.

Helicopter Emergency Medical Services (HEMS) worldwide – a view from both down-under and up north!  
Are we able to learn anything from each other's good and bad experiences?



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### SESSION 5A:

#### Recent controversies and unsolved issues in trauma care.

When is the Trauma patient really dead and beyond saving?

Turning ABC into CABC - time to upgrade from the era of Madam Curie.

Novel agents for haemostasis – not so novel anymore, but still interesting?

What kind of trauma training do we need in the future? Should we train the surgeon, the doctor, the nurse or the whole team? Short introductions with Panel discussions. ATLS, PHTLS, BEST, TNCC, ETC, DSTC

Can we reach consensus, at least in the Scandinavian countries? How important will improvements in the task trainers and simulators used be? Are educational efficiency and cost-effectiveness important issues?

The resuscitative thoracotomy – a lot of blood, sweat and tears but nothing more? What can we learn from those we did not save?

-A local perspective  
-A global perspective  
Panel discussion

### SESSION 5B:

#### Recent controversies and unsolved issues in emergency care.

Evidence based medicine and emergency care – how to lie with numbers or the road to success?

When trying to save more lives – do we need to pay attention to "first, do no harm"? An update on patient safety issues still unsolved.

Ultrasound and eicardiography in the hands of non-experts: how to make the best of it?

Patient safety and simulation based training – have you really understood the full potential of these new words in your own system?

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### STAND-UP SCIENCE

On Friday evening the venue will switch to the conference bar for an informal session of academic presentations. Each presenter will be given just four minutes to outline their research, with nothing more than a flip chart. The participants will range from medical students to consultants, and they have to convince a panel of experts and a sceptical audience that their research project was worth listening to. The expert panel will put the presenters under pressure to ensure it will be an entertaining as well as educational evening. The debates will continue well into the evening in the bars and restaurants of Stavanger!

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### MEET-THE-FACULTY-PUB

- after the Stand-up Science you will be able to meet the faculty to an informal chat in the bar. They will be there to discuss hot topics or to answer your questions.

### FREE PAPERS

The authors are asked to send abstracts from lectures as well as from posters and workshop presentations. Abstracts to be submitted for presentation must be produced in font Times New Roman, point size 11. Maximum number of words is 300, including title, subtitle, authors and references.

The abstracts may be scientific or narrative in nature but must be relevant to either trauma, resuscitation or emergency medicine.

- Abstract submission deadline: February 15 2007
- Abstracts must be submitted in English

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