



2025 | ATHEROSCLEROSIS COURSE

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AUGUST 19-22

Atherosclerosis course 2025 (2 ECTS)

Tuesday, August 19

16.00 - 17.00	Arrival & registration
17.00 - 17.30	Welcome
17.30 - 18.15	Keynote The REACT study <i>Henning Bundgaard, University of Copenhagen, Denmark</i>
18.30 - 20.00	Dinner

20.00 - 22.00 Networking & drinks

Wednesday, August 20

07.00 - 08.00	Breakfast
08.00 - 08.15	Welcome back
08.15 - 08.55	Lecture 1 Overview of atherosclerosis <i>Jacob Bentzon, Aarhus University, Denmark</i>
08.55 - 09.10	Student presentation 1 <i>10 min presentation + 5 min discussion</i>
09.10 - 09.25	Student presentation 2 <i>10 min presentation + 5 min discussion</i>
09.25 - 09.55	Coffee break
09.55 - 10.45	Lecture 2 Role of lipoproteins in atherosclerosis <i>Katariina Öörni, University of Helsinki, Finland</i>
10.45 - 11.00	Student presentation 3 <i>10 min presentation + 5 min discussion</i>
11.00 - 11.40	Lecture 3 Inflammation in atherosclerosis <i>Marit Westerterp, UMC Groningen, the Netherlands</i>
11.40 - 11.55	Student presentation 4 <i>10 min presentation + 5 min discussion</i>
12.00 - 13.00	Lunch
13.00 - 13.40	Lecture 4 Animal models of atherosclerosis <i>Anton Gisterå, Karolinska Institutet, Sweden</i>
13.40 - 13.55	Student presentation 5 <i>10 min presentation + 5 min discussion</i>
13.55 - 14.10	Student presentation 6 <i>10 min presentation + 5 min discussion</i>
14.10 - 14.40	Coffee break

14.40 - 16.00	Group task
16.00 - 18.00	Free time
18.00 - 20.00	Dinner
20.00 - 22.00	Networking & drinks <i>Optional music quiz</i>

Thursday, August 21

07.00 - 08.00	Breakfast
08.00 - 08.15	Welcome back
08.15 - 08.55	Lecture 5 Treating atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease <i>Anders Berg Wulf, Herlev-Gentofte Hospital, Denmark</i>
08.55 - 09.10	Student presentation 7 <i>10 min presentation + 5 min discussion</i>
09.10 - 09.25	Student presentation 8 <i>10 min presentation + 5 min discussion</i>
09.25 - 09.55	Coffee break
09.55 - 10.45	Lecture 6 Genetics in atherosclerosis <i>Maria Sabater Lleal, Institut de Recerca Sant Pau, Spain</i>
10.45 - 11.00	Student presentation 9 <i>10 min presentation + 5 min discussion</i>
11.00 - 11.40	Lecture 7 Genetic epidemiology and Mendelian Randomization Studies <i>Liv Tybjærg Nordestgaard, Herlev-Gentofte Hospital, DK and University of Bristol, UK</i>
11.40 - 11.55	Student presentation 10 <i>10 min presentation + 5 min discussion</i>
12.00 - 13.00	Lunch

13.00 - 13.40	Lecture 8 Understanding atherosclerotic disease heterogeneity and its clinical applications <i>Michal Mokry, UMC Utrecht, the Netherlands</i>
13.40 - 13.55	Student presentation 11 <i>10 min presentation + 5 min discussion</i>
13.55 - 14.10	Student presentation 12 <i>10 min presentation + 5 min discussion</i>
14.10 - 14.40	Coffee break
14.40 - 16.00	Group task: Meet the Lecturers
16.00 - 17.45	Free time
17.45 - 18.00	Group photo
18.00 - 20.00	Dinner
20.00 - 22.00	Networking & drinks <i>Optional pub quiz</i>

Friday, August 22

07.00 - 08.00	Breakfast
08.00 - 08.15	Welcome back
08.15 - 08.55	Lecture 9 UK biobank in atherosclerotic research <i>Benjamin Wadstrom, Herlev og Gentofte Hospital, Denmark</i>
08.55 - 09.10	Student presentation 13 <i>10 min presentation + 5 min discussion</i>
09.10 - 09.25	Student presentation 14 <i>10 min presentation + 5 min discussion</i>
09.25 - 09.55	Coffee break

09.55 - 10.45	Lecture 10 PREPARE: Risk assessment “home kit” <i>Jes Lindholt, Odense University Hospital, Denmark</i>
10.45 - 11.00	10.45 - 11.00 Student presentation 15 <i>10 min presentation + 5 min discussion</i>
11.00 - 11.15	11.00 - 11.15 Student presentation 16 <i>10 min presentation + 5 min discussion</i>
11.15 - 11.30	Course evaluation
11.30 - 12.00	Awards for best student presentations: 1 for Basic research and 1 for Clinical research
12.00 - 13.00	Lunch & Goodbye