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of North Macedonia

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**2026**  
17-19 September  
Hotel Merriott, Skopje  
North Macedonia



# Master Course in Heart Failure

**First**  
Announcement

official website:  
<https://mscardiology.org.mk/>



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Dear Participants and Esteemed Colleagues,

We are pleased to invite you to the second Master Course in Heart Failure, which will be held in Skopje from September 17<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup>, 2026. The Course is organized with the support of London Heart House and Zurich Heart House. Heart failure remains one of the most significant challenges in modern cardiovascular medicine. Despite remarkable advances in diagnosis and treatment, it continues to affect millions of patients worldwide and demands a multidisciplinary, evidence-based approach. The course has been carefully designed in alignment with the latest guidelines, aimed to bridge the gap between cutting-edge science and everyday clinical practice, equipping you with knowledge that can be directly applied to improve patient care.

To meet this need, for the second time we have partnered with leading European experts and dedicated educational centers, specifically the Zurich Heart House and the London Heart House. The goal of the course is to further strengthen a top-tier educational program in heart failure, bringing together expertise, innovation, and practical clinical knowledge. This educational program will offer the opportunity to share the latest scientific insights from Europe's leading experts, along with interactive training to enhance diagnostic and management skills for heart failure patients.

Whether you are here to deepen your clinical expertise, stay up to date with evolving research, or connect with colleagues from around the world, we hope this course will be both informative and inspiring.

We are pleased to invite you to the Master Course in Heart Failure in Skopje 2026—an excellent opportunity to deepen your knowledge, connect with leading international experts, and strengthen your professional network.

We wish you a productive and rewarding experience.

Yours sincerely,

Irena Mitevska, MD, PhD, FESC

President of National Society of Cardiology of North Macedonia

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# COURSE Directors



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## Course Organisation



Christine Lohmann  
Zurich, Switzerland

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### Organizing Committee:

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Atanas Georgievski

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Master Course in Heart failure in Skopje will guarantee for a high-quality education integrating the curriculum of the British Society for Heart Failure and the ESC Heart Failure Association.

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TEACHING  
faculty

- ✓ Aldostefano Porcari (GBR)
- ✓ Aleksandar Neshkovic (SRB)
- ✓ Alison Duncan (GBR)
- ✓ Ana Chelikik (MKD)
- ✓ Anna Sonia Petronio (ITA)
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- ✓ Lidija Poposka (MKD)
- ✓ Luke Howard (GBR)
- ✓ Maria Bäck (SWE)
- ✓ Marija Polovina (SRB)
- ✓ Milka Klincheva (MKD)
- ✓ Nicholas Mills (GBR)
- ✓ Planinka Zafirovska (SRB)
- ✓ Rajdeep Khattar (GBR)
- ✓ Petar M. Seferovic (SRB)
- ✓ Sebastian Szmit (POL)
- ✓ Shouvik Haldar (GBR)
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- ✓ Sotiria Liori (GRE)
- ✓ Tanja Angjusheva (MKD)
- ✓ Thomas F. Lüscher (GBR)
- ✓ Thomas Suter (SUI)
- ✓ Valentina Andova (MKD)
- ✓ Vassil Traykov (BUL)
- ✓ Zarko Hristovski (MKD)

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The Course Venue with international participation, will be held in the Hotel “Merriott” in Skopje, North Macedonia.

The lectures, presentations, discussions and the rest of the scientific program will be held in the Congress halls of the Hotel. The Gala opening dinner will be held in the “Ballroom 1” of the hotel.

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## COURSE Venue

### Instructions for preparing Lectures

The **lectures** that will be presented in the contents section will need to be prepared as a PowerPoint file in English, using universal fonts.

**Photos and other materials** that will be presented as images should be prepared in the following formats: jpg, png.

**Video presentations and films** should be made in MP3 format with a resolution of no more than 3MB.

**Lectures should be submitted by USB during the course in the technical implementation room to the responsible person from the agency.**

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## Technical realization of the Course

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DFP “3D-Project studio”, Skopje  
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1000 Skopje, North Macedonia  
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E-mail: office@3dstudio.com.mk  
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# REGISTRATION

We invite all interested participants to apply as soon as possible, using the benefits that are offered:

**NOTE:** Only registered participants who have paid the fee will be able to participate in the Course. Cancellation of registration is possible 15 days before the Course only if the fee has not been paid.

You can register on the website <https://mastercourse.msccardiology.org.mk/> after 20<sup>th</sup> June 2026.

Early fee until  
01 September

Late fee from  
02 September

130€

160€

**Member of the National Society of  
Cardiology of North Macedonia**

150€

180€

**Standard fee**

80€

110€

**Special fees**

(PCHF Zurich and London graduate,  
Fellow in training, Undergraduate  
medical student)

## Payment options:

**MZK Account (denars):**  
300-0000005547-79,  
Komercijalna Banka AD Skopje

**(EUR) BANK:**  
Komercijalna Banka AD Skopje  
Address: Orce Nikolov 3  
P.O. Box 563 1000 Skopje  
REPUBLIC OF NORTH MACEDONIA

**SWIFT: KOB SMK2X**  
**IBAN: MK7300701001838990**  
Address: ul. Majka Tereza, No. 17,  
1000 Skopje, North Macedonia

### The registration fee includes:

- ✓ Set of congress materials and badge
- ✓ Access to the Opening Ceremony
- ✓ Participation at all Scientific Sessions
- ✓ Access to the Exhibition space
- ✓ Organized lunches.

### Acreditation:

- ✓ Under endoorsment of Heart Failure Association of the European Society of Cardiology
- ✓ Under endorsment of Doctor's Chamber of Republic of North Macedonia
- ✓ In collaboration with the Economic Chamber of North Macedonia.

# ACCOMODATION



The Organizer of the Course offers the following options with special prices (including VAT):

Hotel “Merriott”, Skopje, address: „Macedonia“ Square No. 7

| Room type   |             |
|-------------|-------------|
| Single room | <b>139€</b> |
| Double room | <b>149€</b> |

Send the reservation request to the following e-mails:

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Note: When booking a room, please refer to the event title to obtain these prices.