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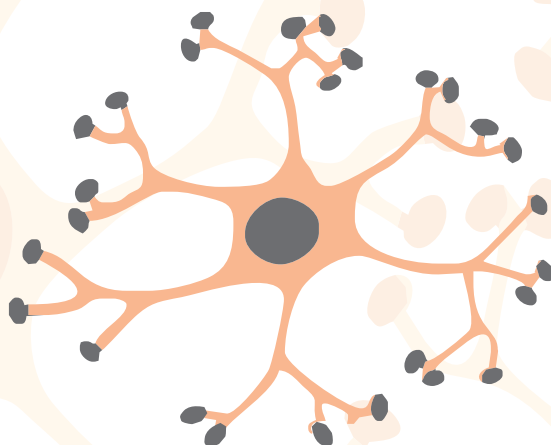
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08:00-10:00

## REGISTRATION

### SESSION 1

08:30-10:15

Hall 1

**What every doctor should know about the use of tapentadol and dexmedetomidine**

Chair: dr Dejan Marković, dr Svetlana Srećković

**Pre- and post-operative use of tapentadol with examples from practice**

Dr Svetlana Srećković,  
Serbia

**The use of Dexmedetomidine in ICU**

Dr Dejan Marković, Serbia

### SESSION 2

08:30-10:15

Hall 2

**Novelties of Pediatric Pain Management- A Call for Action: Session of the Serbian Association of Anesthesiologists and Intensivists (SAAI) - Committee for Regional Anesthesia**

Chair: Dr Marija Stević, Dr Marija Jovanovski Srceva

**Chronic Postsurgical Pain in Children and Adolescents**

Dr Ivana Budić, Serbia

**Novelties in pediatric postoperative pain management, Part two**

Dr Marijana Karišik,  
Montenegro

**ERAS protocols for pediatric pain management**

Dr Marija Jovanovski  
Srceva, RN Macedonia

**Neurologic injuries associated with regional anesthesia**

Dr Dragan Nenadić, UK

**Pain management for pediatric headaches**

Dr Marija Stević, Serbia

### SESSION 3

08:30-10:15

Hall 3

**Curiosity: The Spark That Ignites the Flame of Learning**

Chair: dr Suzana Bojić, dr Olivera Potparić

**Managing the Unbearable: Pain Relief in Steven-Johnson Syndrome**

Dr Nemanja Radovanović,  
Serbia

**Beyond the Doors of Perception - Unknown World of Pain in Children with Autistic Spectrum**

Dr Aleksija Stefanija  
Herrera, Serbia

**ADRIANA- a new Alternative to Opioids**

Dr Milica Radović, Serbia

**Transgender Population: Challenges in Pain Management**

Dr Sanela Hajdarević,  
Serbia



11:30 – 13:30 Hall 1	<b>SESSION 6</b> <b>Innovative Techniques in Pain Therapy: Spotlight on Radiofrequency Ablation</b> Chair: dr Nemanja Dimić, dr Nataša Petrović	
<b>Cooled vs Conventional Radiofrequency Ablation: Why Size, Temperature and Outcomes Matter</b>	Dr Bojana Miljković, Serbia	
<b>Racz Procedure in Chronic Pain Management: From Concept to Clinical Practice</b>	Dr Nemanja Dimić, Serbia	
<b>Cooled Radiofrequency Ablation of Genicular Nerves: A Game Changer in Knee Pain Management</b>	Dr Nataša Petrović, Serbia	
<b>Epiduroscopy in Spinal Pain Syndromes: An Evolving Tool in Interventional Pain Management</b>	Dr Ivan Petrović, Serbia	

11:30 – 13:30 Hall 2	<b>SESSION 7</b> <b>Is history really a teacher of life?</b> <b>Patient cases that will guide us through the treatment of pain</b> Chair: dr Svetlana Simić	
<b>Case report: the role of NSAIDs in the management of headaches</b>	Dr Svetlana Simić, Serbia	
<b>Case report: treatment of nociceptive component of cancer pain using NSAIDs</b>	Dr Dane Krtinić, Serbia	
<b>Case report: the complexity of pain management in orthopedics</b>	Dr Marko Simić, Serbia	
<b>Case report: the inflammatory component of pain in osteoarthritis and rheumatoid arthritis</b>	Dr Aleksandra Karadžov-Nikolić, Serbia	
<b>Case report: acute exacerbation of pain as a therapeutic challenge</b>	Dr Dušica Simić-Panić, Serbia	

11:30 – 13:30 <b>Hall 3</b>	<b>SESSION 8</b> <b>Confront the pain</b> Chair: dr Nebojša Lađević, dr Sanja Tomanović Vujadinović	
	<b>The place of pharmacotherapy in the treatment of LBS - Guide for lumbar pain syndrome</b>	Dr Nebojša Lađević, Serbia
	<b>The role of naproxen in pain therapy in the light of new evidence - results of the Q-life study</b>	Dr Sanja Vujadinović Tomanović, Serbia
	<b>The role of the fixed combination of tramadol/ paracetamol in the therapy of painful conditions in orthopedics</b>	Dr Aleksandar Matić, Serbia
	<b>The role of pregabalin and duloxetine in the treatment of neuropathic pain</b>	Dr Nensi Lalić, Serbia
	<b>Gastroprotection – the key to the balance between therapy and safety</b>	Dr Ratko Tomašević, Serbia

11:30 – 13:30 <b>Hall 4</b>	<b>SESSION 9</b> <b>New strategies for effective pain therapy and anesthesia?</b> <b>Meet esketamine and baclofen</b> Chair: dr Nebojša Lađević, dr Mirko Grajić	
	<b>Baclofen and spine- new solution for orthopedics</b>	Dr Slaviša Zagorac, Serbia
	<b>Pain management with baclofen - what can we do?</b>	Dr Aleksandar Knežević, Serbia
	<b>All advantages of esketamine in world of anesthesia and analgesia</b>	Dr Jelena Jovičić, Serbia
	<b>Esketamine as a part of protocol for opioid-free anesthesia</b>	Dr Bojana Miljković, Serbia

11:30 – 12:30 <b>Hall 5</b>	<b>SESSION 10a</b> <b>SPONSORED SESSION BY MEDIKUNION</b> Chair: dr Tomislav Palibrk	
11:30- 12:30	<b>Application of Na-hyaluronate in orthopedic surgery</b>	Dr Tomislav Palibrk

12:30-13:30 <b>Hall 5</b>	<b>SESSION 10b</b> <b>SPONSORED SESSION BY PROSPERA</b> Chair: dr Ivan Palibrk	
12:30-12:55	<b>Application of antimicrobial CVK with chlorhexidine</b>	Dr Ivan Palibrk
13:00-13:30	<b>Application of arterial catheter</b>	Dr Jovan Perić

11:30-13:00 <b>BOARD ROOM</b>	<b>SESSION 10c</b> <b>POSTER SESSION – part 2</b> Dr Carsten Bantel, Germany Dr Dušica Stamenković, Serbia Dr Nebojša Nick Knežević, USA Dr Žika Petrović, UK	
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13:30- 14:15	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>	
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14:15 – 16:15 <b>Hall 1</b>	<b>SESSION 11</b> <b>PAIN Program at the Institute for Pain Management of the Clinical Hospital Center Osijek</b> Chair: dr Ivan Radoš	
	<b>PAIN Program at the Institute for Pain Management of the Clinical Hospital Center Osijek</b>	Dr Ivan Radoš, Croatia
	<b>The influence of physiotherapy interventions and education on the outcomes of chronic pain treatment</b>	Dr Vanja Matković, Croatia
	<b>The use of adapted aids in the performance of daily activities in patients with chronic pain</b>	Tea Podobnik, Croatia
	<b>Multidisciplinary approach in the treatment of chronic pain</b>	Dijana Hnatešen, Croatia
	<b>Cognitive-behavioral techniques in the treatment of chronic pain with a group multidisciplinary approach</b>	Iva Dimitrijević, Croatia

14:15 – 15:45 <b>Hall 2</b>	<b>SESSION 12</b> <b>QNOX index - quantification of intraoperative nociception</b> Chair: dr Nebojša Lađević, dr Marina Stojanović	
	<b>QNOX index for quantification of intraoperative nociception: comparison of opioid based and opioid free anesthesia</b>	Dr Marina Stojanović, Serbia
	<b>Possibilities of measuring pain using the QNOX index</b>	Dr Nebojša Lađević, Serbia

15:45 – 16:15 <b>Hall 2</b>	<b>SESSION 12a</b> <b>SESSION SPONSORED BY AKSIOSMED</b>	
	<b>Performing a complex epidural space access</b>	Dr Blaž Peček, Slovenia

<p>14:15 – 16:15 <b>Hall 3</b></p>	<p align="center"><b>SESSION 13</b> <b>SPONSORED SESSION BY VICOR</b> <b>Minimally Invasive Procedures in Pain Management</b> Chair: dr Predrag Stevanović</p>	
<p><b>Selecting Vascular Access Devices for Therapeutic Purposes: Criteria, Benefits, and Challenges</b></p>	<p>Dr Ana Cvetković</p>	
<p><b>Radiofrequency Ablation of Peripheral Nerves in Pain Management - Shoulder</b></p>	<p>Dr Nemanja Dimić</p>	
<p><b>Radiofrequency Ablation of Peripheral Nerves in Pain Management – Knee</b></p>	<p>Dr Predrag Stevanović</p>	

<p>14:15 – 16:15 <b>Hall 4</b></p>	<p align="center"><b>SESSION 14</b> <b>Hot Topics in Women's Pain:</b> <b>From Myths to Media Movements - A Multidisciplinary Session of the SAAI Committee for Medicine in Extreme Environments</b> Chair: dr Suzana Bojić, dr Olivera Potparić</p>	
<p><b>How Social Media Shapes Women's Pain Narratives</b></p>	<p>Dr Suzana Bojić, Serbia</p>	
<p><b>The Myth of Painless Childbirth</b></p>	<p>Dr Irina Nenadić, Serbia</p>	
<p><b>Endometriosis and Pain</b></p>	<p>Dr Slađana Mihajlović, Serbia</p>	
<p><b>Key Pain Syndromes in Perimenopausal Women</b></p>	<p>Dr Tijana Dimkić Tomić, Serbia</p>	
<p><b>Dyspareunia – pain in women during sexual intercourse</b></p>	<p>Dr Ivana Likić Lađević, Serbia Dr Nikola Lađević, Serbia</p>	

<p>14:15 – 16:15 <b>Hall 5</b></p>	<p align="center"><b>SESSION 15</b> <b>Many faces of perioperative pain</b> Chair: dr Carsten Bantel, dr Dušica Stamenković</p>	
<p><b>Why should we stay away from the pain scores?</b></p>	<p>Dr Nebojša Nick Knežević, USA</p>	
<p><b>Timing of perioperative analgesics: some thing worth considering?</b></p>	<p>Dr Carsten Bantel, Serbia</p>	
<p><b>Surgery and recovery: clinical roadmap from pain type to therapy</b></p>	<p>Dr Ivana Nikolić, Serbia</p>	
<p><b>Perioperative pain management and postoperative pain outcomes</b></p>	<p>Dr Dušica Stamenković, Serbia</p>	

<p>16:15 – 18:15 <b>Hall 1</b></p>	<p align="center"><b>SESSION 16</b>  <b>Session of the Serbian Pain Society - Committee for Regional Anesthesia and Interventional Procedures: Precision, Courage &amp; Ethics in Regional Anesthesia and Pain Therapy</b>                      Chair: dr Nemanja Dimić, dr Svetlana Srećković</p>	
	<p><b>Essential Blocks: What Every Serious Practitioner Must Master</b></p>	<p>Dr Svetlana Srećković, Serbia</p>
	<p><b>Breaking the Myths: Why Are We Still Afraid of Regional Anesthesia?</b></p>	<p>Dr Marija Stević, Serbia</p>
	<p><b>If You Can't See It, You Can't Hit It: The Power of Needle Visualization</b></p>	<p>Dr Nemanja Dimić, Serbia</p>
	<p><b>Courage or Recklessness? Ethics and Safety in Regional Anesthesia and Interventional Pain Therapy</b></p>	<p>Dr Nataša Petrović, Serbia</p>
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dr Olivera Potparić, UK	
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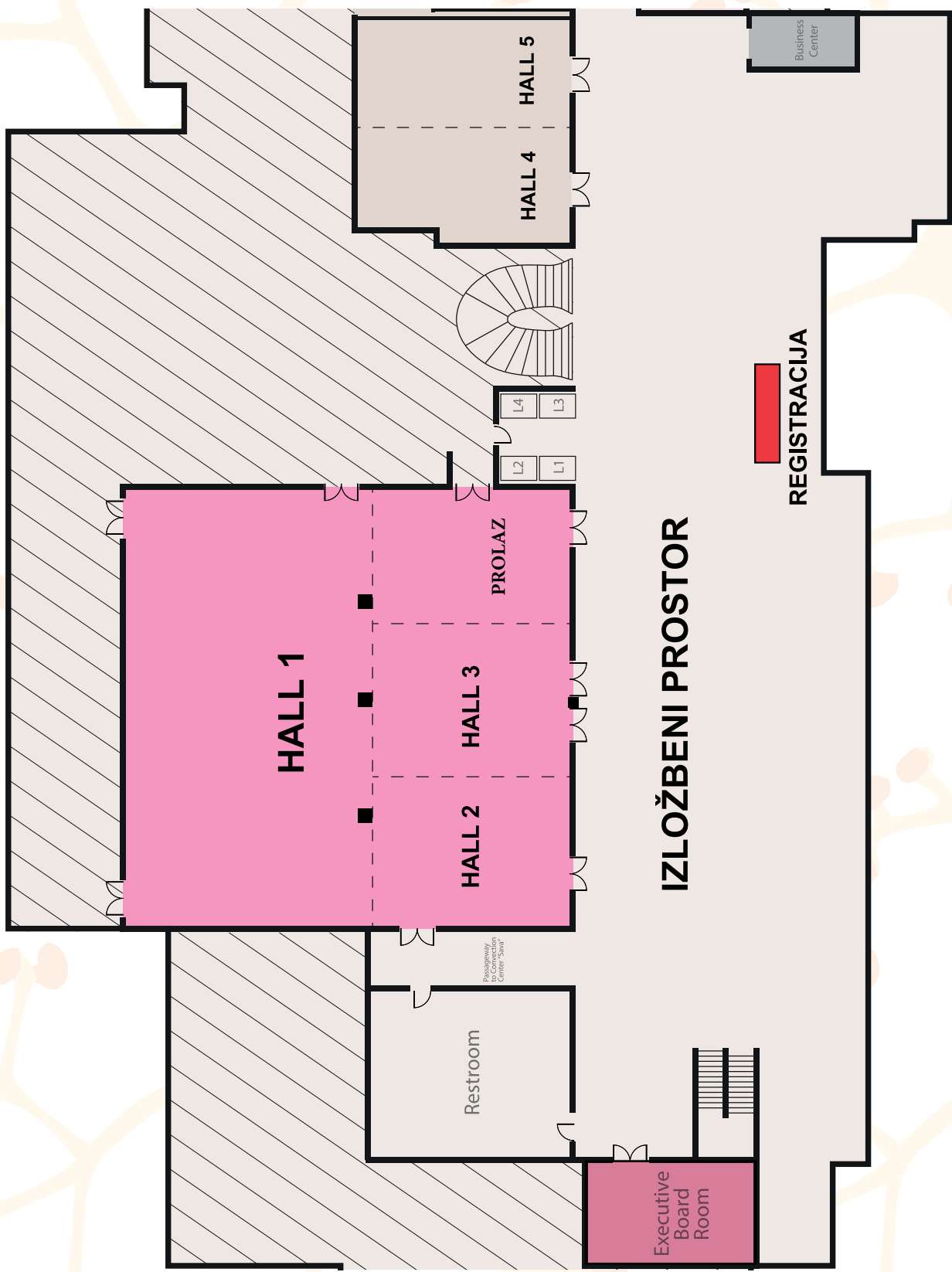


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