Thursday, 10 March 2016

12:00      Attendee registration and lunch

13:00      Welcome
            Antonio Sportelli

            **Session: Overview and recent developments**

13:10      Hearing loss and bilateral cochlear implants in the Czech Republic
            Jiří Skřivan

13:35      The evolving status of clinical practices in bilateral implantation
            Josie Wyss

13:55      Binaural processing and bilateral cochlear implants
            Sandro Burdo

14:20      Qualification for bilateral cochlear implantation
            Józef Mierzwinski

14:45      Assessing children with bilateral cochlear implants
            Deborah Vickers

15:10      Afternoon tea/coffee break

            **Session: From unilateral to bilateral**

15:40      Outcomes for bilateral cochlear implants in children
            Jiří Skřivan

16:05      Sequential or simultaneous bilateral cochlear implantation
            Arthur Castilho

16:30      Experience with long term unilateral recipients
            Marie Bunne

16:55      Safety considerations in case of toddlers’ simultaneous bilateral CI
            László Rovó

17:20      Review and recap
            Jiří Skřivan
17:25  Day 1 close

19:30  Dinner – Restaurant:
       Restaurant TBC

Friday, 11 March 2016

08:55  Welcome – day 2
       Jiří Skřivan

   Session: Aspects for consideration

09:00  Evidenced based clinical decisions on bilateral and bimodal in CI
       Michal Luntz

09:30  Experiences with sequential bilateral cochlear implantation in working-age adults in Finland
       Ville Sivonen

09:55  Pediatric bilateral cochlear implantation: considerations and outcomes
       Marloes Sparreboom

10:20  The potential for bilateral cochlear implants in adults
       Jan Bouček

10:45  Morning tea/coffee break

   Session: Moving forward

11:15  The network of professional services for families with hearing-impaired children from across the Czech Republic
       Anna Tvrdoňová and Alžběta Osmančíková

11:40  Reimbursement strategies for bilateral cochlear implantation
       Matthias Schönermark

12:05  Panel discussion – Making bilateral cochlear implantation the standard treatment of care
       Moderator: Jiří Skřivan

12:55  Summary and concluding remarks
       Antonio Sportelli

13:00  Lunch

14:00  Seminar close

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