

The Third International Summer School on Cardiac Arrhythmias is over now

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Dear Editor,

The Third International Summer School on Cardiac Arrhythmias, which was organized by Eskişehir Osmangazi University in Anemon Hotel between 9-12 September 2005, is over.

It has become customary to organize summer schools in Eskişehir, which has been initiated by Prof.Dr.Bilgin Timuralp 20 years ago. It is a great honour for us continuing this scientific tradition for many years. We are very happy, because some of the delegates of the past summer schools took active role as speaker, chairman, panelist and operator in summer school 2005.

The 3rd International Summer School on Cardiac Arrhythmias was the last (but not the final) summer school focused on cardiac arrhythmias. The previous ones were in 1996 and in 2001. The third summer school on arrhythmia was different from the previous ones, as it was organized jointly with renowned international and national institutions, including International Society of Electrocardiology, European Cardiac Arrhyth-

mia Society, Utrecht University, Maastricht University, TUBİ-TAK and Turkish Society of Cardiology; Working Group on Pacing, Arrhythmias and Electrophysiology. The summer school was accredited by European Heart Rhythm Association (EHRA), a registrated branch of European Society of Cardiology.

Following interactive symposia, expert electrophysiologists from the above institutions did case practices during four days. More 300 participants attended, 25 cardiologists from outside of Turkey and almost 40 cardiologists from Turkey were in the scientific program as speaker, panelist, chairman and operator.

I wish to thank faculty, delegates and sponsor companies. Looking forward to meet in "The 4th International Summer School on Cardiac Arrhythmias, in 2008.

Kind regards.

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