

VIRTUAL GRAND ROUNDS 2022

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Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy – An Update

given by:

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Dr Antonis Pantazis has many years of experience working within the field of cardiomyopathies. He is a consultant cardiologist at Royal Brompton & Harefield NHS Foundation Trust. He is also clinical lead for cardiomyopathy.

Dr Pantazis is instrumental in the development of the inherited cardiovascular conditions (ICC) service in accordance with his expertise. He introduced the ARVC clinic to the Trust and is leading the programme for the management of LVOTO in hypertrophic cardiomyopathy. He is also head of the echocardiography department at North Middlesex Hospital.

He was first appointed as a Consultant Cardiologist at The Heart Hospital, University College London in 2007 and then went to work as a Consultant Cardiologist at Bart's Heart Centre at St Bartholomew's Hospital in 2015. Dr Pantazis was the leading cardiologist at UCLH's neuromuscular complex care centre at the National Hospital for Neurology and Neurosurgery. In previous roles, he implemented clinics for arrhythmogenic cardiomyopathy (ARVC), cardio-neuromuscular and cardiac sarcoidosis. He was also the leading cardiologist for the interventional and surgical programmes for the management of left-ventricular outflow tract obstruction (LVOTO) in hypertrophic cardiomyopathy. He holds memberships of the European Society of Cardiology, the European Society of Cardiology Working Group on Myocardial and Pericardial Diseases, the Association for Inherited Cardiac Conditions, and the Hellenic Cardiological Society.

Dr Pantazis is involved in research in the following fields:

- phenotype / genotype in left-ventricular non-compaction cardiomyopathy and ARVC
- LVOTO
- cardiac phenotype in Friedreich's ataxia
- cardiac phenotype in neuromuscular diseases
- advanced cardiac imaging in relation to cardiomyopathies, valve diseases, intracardiac device implantation.

Dr Pantazis has had cardiomyopathy-related research published in a number of peer-reviewed journals and is an invited speaker at many national and international meetings. He has contributed to cardiac guidelines on Friedreich's ataxia for Ataxia UK. He is an active supporter of charities including Cardiomyopathy UK.