



20th INTERNATIONAL TRANSCATHETER INTERVENTION COURSE

Advanced Coronary Interventions, Cardiovascular Imaging & Physiology, Structural Heart Interventions & Emerging Therapies

February 7th & 8th, 2026

Venue:
NIRMA AUDITORIUM
Nirma University of Science & Technology
Sarkhej-Gandhinagar Highway, Ahmedabad-382481, Gujarat, INDIA

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PROGRAMME

Saturday, February 7, 2026

- 08:45 - 08:50 ■ **Welcome Address**
- 08:50 - 11:00 ■ **Live Demonstration 1**
Moderators: Samir Pancholy, John Coppola, Girish Navasundi, Latchumanadhas K., Jayesh Prajapati, Surender Deora, Bhupesh Shah, Sibasis Sahoo
On-site Commentators: Rajiv Gulati, Takashi Akasaka
- 11:00 - 13:30 ■ **Live Demonstration 2**
Moderators: Malcolm Bell, Ajay Mahajan, S. M. Sharma, Anand Rao, Pintu Nahata, Pooja Vyas, Sharad Jain, Kiran Prajapati
On-site Commentators: Tak Kwan, John Coppola, Takashi Akasaka
- 13:30 - 14:30 ■ **Lunch Break**
- 14:30 - 18:00 ■ **Live Demonstration 3**
Moderators: Rajiv Gulati, Manik Chopra, Anand Rao, Chirag Doshi, Hasit Joshi, Gajendra Dubey, Tarun Madan, Girish Navasundi
On-site Commentators: Samir Pancholy, Kintur Sanghvi
- 18:00 ■ **Adjourn**
- 20:00 Onwards ■ **Gala Dinner**
NIM backside Lawn, Nirma University Campus,
S. G. Highway, Ahmedabad

TRICO-2026 is conducted by TRICO Cardiovascular LLP & Apex Heart Institute in Collaboration with GCS Medical College, Hospital & Research Centre, Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India.

This course has been granted 8 & 10 CME hours for delegates and teaching faculty respectively by Gujarat Medical Council, Gujarat, India.

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Sunday, February 8, 2026

- 09:00 - 11:15 ■ **Live Demonstration 4**
Moderators: Tak Kwan, Kintur Sanghvi, Manik Chopra, Ajay Mahajan, Anand Shukla, Suresh Kaul, Kamal Sharma, Pawan Kumar
On-site Commentators: Rajiv Gulati, Abdurashid Mussayev
- 11:15 - 13:00 ■ **Live Demonstration 5**
Moderators: Samir Pancholy, John Coppola, Latchumanadhas K., Atul Abhyankar, Dinesh Joshi, Navdeep Singh Sidhu, Hariom Tyagi, Blessvin Jino
On-site Commentators: Malcolm Bell, Takashi Akasaka
- 13:00 - 14:00 ■ **Lunch Break**
- Lectures**
Chairpersons: Jayesh Prajapati, Bhupesh Shah, Kamal Sharma
- 14:00 - 14:15 ■ **Lecture 1:** Principles of Microcatheter and Torquing - Blessvin Jino
- 14:15 - 14:30 ■ **Lecture 2:** Lead Astray? Rethinking Radiation Protection in the Cath Lab - Malcolm Bell
- 14:30 - 14:45 ■ **Lecture 3:** Rethinking Aneurysm Management - Rajiv Gulati
- 14:45 - 15:00 ■ **Lecture 4:** Stent Expansion: How to Navigate Expectations and Realities - Samir Pancholy
- 15:00 - 15:15 ■ **Lecture 5:** Renal Denervation in 2026: Evidence, Technique, and the Road Ahead - Kintur Sanghvi
- 15:15 - 15:30 ■ **Lecture 6:** Potassium, RAASi, and the Heart: Keeping Life-Saving Therapies on Track - Jayesh Prajapati
- 15:30 - 15:45 ■ **Lecture 7:** Novel Therapy in Obstructive HCM Management with MAVACAMTEN (CMI): From Evidence to Guideline Recommendations - Kamal Sharma
- 15:45 - 16:00 ■ **Lecture 8:** Finerenone: The Next Beat for Patients with HF LVEF \geq 40% - Priyank Mody
- 16:00 - 16:15 ■ **Lecture 9:** Sotatercept: The First and Only Activin Signaling Inhibitor Approved for the Treatment of PAH in Adults - Niraj Yadav
- 16:15 - 16:30 ■ **Lecture 10:** Ulnar Access - Suresh Kaul
- 16:30 - 16:45 ■ **Lecture 11:** Understanding LDL-C Variability: A Key to Better Cardiovascular Outcomes - Atul Abhyankar
- 16:45 - 17:00 ■ **Lecture 12:** Optimising Worsening HF: Exploring Evidence with Vericiguat - Bhupesh Shah
- 17:00 - 18:00 ■ **Angio and Interesting Cases Discussion Session**
- 18:00 ■ **Concluding Remarks**



Course Directors

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