Benefits of attending Atrial Fibrillation 2013:

• Be updated on the biology and causes of atrial fibrillation (AF)
• Explore the role of primary care in the detection and diagnosis of AF
• Increase understanding of the role of electrocardiography and bleeding risk assessment
• Hear comprehensive overviews of the latest anticoagulation therapies, antiarrhythmic drugs, interventional therapies and surgical treatments
• Participate in case studies on different types of AF
• Share and exchange ideas with leading practitioners in the field

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Atrial Fibrillation 2013 will be of particular interest to the following:

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- Neurologists
- Electrophysiologists
- Echocardiologists
- Vascular surgeons
- Specialists in cardiac or stroke rehabilitation
- General practitioners with special interest in cardiology and/ or stroke medicine
- Clinical nurse specialists in cardiology
- Clinical nurse specialists in neurology
- Nurse practitioners in cardiology or neurology
- All trainees in these disciplines

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- ‘Excellent, well organised conference. Well done!’
- ‘An excellent day with very good speakers’
- ‘A thorough agenda, timed well and paced appropriately. Good opportunity to network and to have interesting discussions’
- ‘An excellent study day’

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