



Swiss Working Group «Interventional Cardiology»

Winter Meeting 2025

Friday – Saturday, 24 – 25 January 2025

Best Western Premier, Hotel Beaulac | Neuchâtel



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Dear colleagues, dear friends,

It is with great pleasure that we announce another exciting Winter Meeting of the Working Group Interventional Cardiology of the Swiss Society of Cardiology, which will take place on 24 and 25 January 2025 at the Best Western Premier, Hotel Beaulac, in Neuchâtel.



We will continue our long-standing tradition to primarily focus on presentations of complication cases from all regions of Switzerland, considering both coronary and structural interventions. We kindly ask all presenters to show complications with educative value and a clear teaching point, rather than scholastic interventions or heroic actions. The goal is to share knowledge and experience when facing adverse conditions for the benefit of our patients. Please email a short description of your cases to Oliver.Gaemperli@hirslanden.ch and matthias.meyer@ksgr.ch. To follow our tradition, the best three presentations will be awarded.

As a second spotlight of the meeting, we will dive into the hot, controversial topic of human and digital intelligence: do humans act reasonable, and can we control irrational behavior? May illogical, senseless actions sometimes even be helpful, or should we trust more on predictable algorithms and artificial technology in medicine? We are looking forward to two exciting presentations by our **Keynote speakers, Professor Lutz Jäncke und Dr. Michael Rieger.**

Last but not least, there will also be many relaxed moments: two quiz sessions, the announcement of this year's winner of the Working Group's Abstract Award, and of course the dinner in the restaurant «Du Peyrou» near our hotel, with the privilege of valuable moments spent between colleagues and friends. The Winter Meeting will serve, as every year, to exchange ideas in a relaxing and enjoyable atmosphere.

Please do not forget to confirm your participation and to send us interesting and challenging cases.

We look forward to seeing you all in Neuchâtel.

Oliver Gaemperli

Matthias Meyer

Organising Committee

Oliver Gaemperli, HerzKlinik Hirslanden, Zürich
Matthias Meyer, Kantonsspital Graubünden, Chur

Guests

Prof. Dr. Lutz Jäncke, Neuroscientist and Psychologist
Dr. Michael Rieger, Technical Strategist, Swisscom, Zurich

Chair & Moderation

Friday, 24 January 2025

Session 1: Coronary Cases

Samera Shakir, Lindenhofspital, Bern
Juan F. Iglesias, Hôpitaux Universitaires de Genève

Session 2: Structural Heart Disease Cases

Barbara Stähli, Universitätsspital, Zürich
Stefan Toggweiler, Luzerner Kantonsspital, Luzern

Saturday, 25 January 2025

Session 3: Coronary Cases

Ketina Arslani, Universitätsspital Basel
Johannes Rigger, Kantonsspital St. Gallen

Session 4: Structural Heart Disease Cases

Stefan Stortecky, Inselspital, Universitätsspital, Bern
David Tüller, Stadtpital Zürich, Triemli

Cardiology Quiz

Friday, 24 January 2025

Federico Moccetti, Luzerner Kantonsspital, Luzern
Julia Stehli, Universitätsspital Zürich

Saturday, 25 January 2025

Florian Rey, Spitalzentrum Biel
Nils Perrin, Hôpital de La Tour, Meyrin

Scientific programme

Friday, 24 January 2025 (Plenum at Léopold-Robert)

- 13.00 – 14.00 Lunch buffet at the Restaurant Lake Side of the hotel
- 13.30 Registration
- 14.00 – 14.10 Introduction by the organisers Oliver Gaemperli & Matthias Meyer
- 14.10 – 15.10 Chair & Moderation: Samera Shakir & Juan F. Iglesias
Session 1: Case Presentations – Coronary Cases
Case 1 & Case 2 & Case 3
- 15.10 – 15.20 **Cardiology Quiz: cases and questions**
Federico Moccetti & Julia Stehli
- 15.20 – 16.00 Chair & Moderation: Oliver Gaemperli & Matthias Meyer
Guest lecture – Is our brain reasonable?
Lutz Jäncke
- 16.00 – 16.30 Coffee break at Le Corbusier+Max
- 16.30 – 17.30 Chair & Moderation: Barbara Stähli & Stefan Toggweiler
Session 2: Case Presentations – Structural Heart Disease Cases
Case 4 & Case 5 & Case 6
- 17.30 – 17.40 **Swiss Spontaneous Coronary Artery Dissection (SwissSCAD) Registry**
Sophie Degrauwe
- 17.45 – 18.45 Business Meeting of the Working Group (only members)
- 18.45 Aperitif at the hotel at Le Corbusier+Max
- 19.45 Dinner at Restaurant Du Peyrou
(6 minutes' walk from the hotel)

Scientific programme

Saturday, 25 January 2025 (Plenum at Léopold-Robert)

- 08.15 – 09.15 Chair & Moderation: Ketina Arslani & Johannes Rigger
Session 3: Case Presentations – Coronary Cases
Case 7 & Case 8 & Case 9
- 09.15 – 09.50 Chair: Oliver Gaemperli & Pascal Meier
Presentation Abstracts for Award
- 09.50 – 10.00 **Cardiology Quiz: cases and questions**
Florian Rey & Nils Perrin
- 10.00 – 10.30 Coffee break at Le Corbusier+Max
- 10.30 – 11.10 Chair & Moderation: Oliver Gaemperli & Matthias Meyer
Guest lecture – AI's role in medicine: when will it take over from medical experts?
Michael Rieger
- 11.10 – 12.10 Chair & Moderation: Stefan Stortecky & David Tüller
Session 4: Case Presentations – Structural Heart Disease Cases
Case 10 & Case 11 & Case 12
- 12.15 – 12.30 Special awards & Conclusions by the organisers
- 12.30 Farewell, Lunch at the Restaurant Lake Side of the hotel

Participation fee (onsite TWINT payment or invoice post meeting)

Full participation, both days (incl. room and dinner)

Members/SCOT	CHF	80.00
Non-Member	CHF	400.00
Nurses	CHF	100.00

1 day participation (excl. dinner, no room)

Members/SCOT	CHF	40.00
Non-Member	CHF	200.00
Nurses	CHF	50.00



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Location

In a unique location directly on the lake, only a stone's throw from the historic centre, the Best Western Premier Hotel Beaulac Neuchâtel offers the perfect synergy of city ambience and tranquillity.

Arrival by train

Neuchâtel train station – Hotel Beaulac: 15 min. by foot or Funambule (small underground train) departure every 5 min.: 2 min. ride and then 5 min. by foot or by taxi around CHF 15.00.

Arrival by car

If you arrive by car, we will reserve a parking space for you in the Parking du Port. This car park is 2 minutes walk from the hotel. The cost is CHF 30.00 and will be charged to you. Please note this when registering.



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