



**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](mailto:Oliver.Gaemperli@hirslanden.ch) and [matthias.meyer@ksgr.ch](mailto: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

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## Guests

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

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## 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

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## 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



## Best Western Premier, Hotel Beaulac

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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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