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## WELCOME

### Dear Friends and Colleagues

I would like to personally invite you again to the 5th International Breast Symposium Düsseldorf (IBSD) at the InterContinental Hotel situated at the Königsallee in Düsseldorf. Again, we have been able to recruit national and international experts with a great deal of experience in all areas of aesthetic as well as reconstructive breast surgery. The 5th Symposium will be different and new for scientific conferences. Our goal is to accomplish lively scientific controversial discussions together with the participants and the faculty. Instead of having mainly front talks, we will focus on pro- and contra sessions to take the great opportunity to strengthen the multidisciplinary approach between the colleagues to create a platform for an open discussion from different perspectives.

Further we will have parallel teaching sessions lead by renowned plastic surgeons or gynecologist, to provide hands-on and interactive courses for young breast surgeons and gynecologists in their clinic or private practices.

The 5th Symposium will address the following topics relative to surgical indications and selection of appropriate techniques for breast surgery:

#### Aesthetic breast surgery:

Teaching hands-on sessions, different ways of marking for primary augmentations, epipectoral versus subpectoral implant positioning, lipofilling no limits versus with limits, different ways of approaching complications, ALCL update.

#### Reconstructive breast surgery:

Teaching hands-on sessions for autologous tissue and ultrasound, oncoplastic surgery capsular contracture and how to avoid it, direct to implant or two stage breast reconstruction BCT versus mastectomy and reconstruction: is the outcome comparable?, do we need RXT after BCT in the elderly?, experiences with ADM and meshes.

The symposium venue, situated on the famous Königsallee, provides again a very special atmosphere and have the possibility to enjoy the city.



I would also like to express my gratitude to the members of the faculty. Without their time and support, I would have been not able to accomplish this interesting program.

I look forward to welcoming you in Düsseldorf.

Kind Regards

Prof. Dr. med. Christoph Andree

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**Friday, 28<sup>th</sup> - Saturday, 29<sup>th</sup> April 2017**

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## PROGRAMM OVERVIEW FRIDAY

FRIDAY, 28<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2017

Grand ball room I + II

9.00

Exotic cases and how I solved them in the past 40 years

10.00

Controversy session aesthetics I  
- Different ways to mark the patient  
- Epipectoral vs. subpectoral pocket  
- Lipofilling no limits vs. lipofilling with limits

11.00

Coffee break

12.00

Neo-adjuvant or adjuvant: What will be the future?  
Management of complications in reconstruction  
- Major complications in autologous reconstruction  
- Major complications in implant reconstruction

13.00

Lunch at exhibition area

14.00

The lunch session I - State of the art - One and two stage immediate implant based breast reconstruction

Reconstruction I - Capsular contracture  
My personal way to avoid capsular contracture

15.00

IBSD championship session I:  
Europe against North and South America

Industry challenge: Tell me the truth

16.00

Coffee break

17.00

Controversy session reconstruction I  
Direct to implant vs. two stage breast reconstruction

18.00

The Gin Tonic-session  
BEST CASE – BEST SAFE

Work shops  
Room Velvet

10.00 - 10.45  
IBSD-Video-Academy  
Planing donor sites

11.15 - 12.00  
IBSD-Video-Academy  
Key steps in saving the flap

12.30 - 13.15  
Anatomy work shop –  
The breast

13.45 - 14.30  
Work shop - Fluoresence  
imaging in brest surgery

15.00 - 15.45  
Work shop - Less heat -  
improved healing

16.15 - 17.30  
IBSD-Video-Academy  
Key steps for harvesting the  
following flaps: DIEP, SIEA,  
I-GAP/S-GAP, TMG

## PROGRAMM OVERVIEW SATURDAY

SATURDAY, 29<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2017

Grand ball room I + II

8.00

The early morning ultrasound work shop  
Ultrasound for evaluating the breast and looking for  
problems after breast surgery

9.00

Arguments for Implant vs. autologous reconstruction  
IBSD championship session II  
Germany against the Rest of the world

10.00

Provocative topic:  
BCT vs. NSM/SSM with reconstruction

11.00

Coffee break

12.00

Controversy session reconstruction II  
ADM/meshes vs. no ADM/meshes  
Controversy session reconstruction III  
Surgery after remission after neo-adjuvant therapy?

13.00

The fight: Implant surfaces  
Smooth vs. textured

Lunch at exhibition area

The lunch session II:  
Forum für assoziierte Mitglieder der DGPRÄC - Verän-  
derungen in der Ausbildung zum plastischen Chirurgen

14.00

What are the key points to success in my career?

15.00

Personal statement session –  
The Anaplastic Large Cell Lymphoma (ALCL)

Lymphedema controversy session

16.00

Coffee break

Management of major complications in aesthetic surgery

17.00

Oncoplastic surgery

Work shops  
Room Velvet

9.00 - 9.45  
IBSD-Video-Academy  
Key steps in augmentation

10.15 - 11.00  
Work shop -  
Innovative suture techniques

11.30 - 12.15  
IBSD - Academy  
SSM with implants

12.45 - 13.30  
IBSD-Video-Academy  
Micro surgery & anastomosis



9.00 – 9.15    **Introduction**  
*Christoph Andree, Düsseldorf*  
*Dr. Klaus Göbels, Leiter des Gesundheitsamtes Düsseldorf*  
*Alexandru Blidaru, President of the Romanian Society of Breast Surgery and Oncology*  
*Raymund Horch, Presidents of the German society of plastic surgeons*  
*Omar Youssef, President-elect of Breast Surgery International*  
*Tobias Resch, Düsseldorfer Frauenärztinnen und Frauenärzte e.V.*

9.15 – 9.35    **KEY NOTE LECTURE I**  
Exotic cases and how I solved them in the past 40 years  
*Claudio Angrigiani, Buenos Aires, ARG*

9.35 – 11.05

**CONTROVERSY SESSION AESTHETICS I**  
*Chair: Raymund Horch, Alexandru Blidaru*  
*Referee: Günter Germann, Heidelberg, GER*  
**Lecture 1**  
Different ways to mark the patient in primary augmentation  
*Lukas Prantl, Regensburg, GER*  
*Roy de Vita, Rome, ITA*  
*Matthias Reichenberger, Heidelberg, GER*  
**Lecture 2**  
Epipectoral vs. subpectoral pocket for primary augmentation  
Short summary of the literature  
*Jutta Liebau, Düsseldorf, GER*

Epipectoral pocket <i>Stefano Pompei, Rome, ITA</i> <i>Alberto Rancati, Buenos Aires, ARG</i>	Subpectoral pocket <i>Stefan Hofer, Toronto, CAN</i> <i>Christoph Heitmann, Munich, GER</i>
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**Lecture 3**  
Lipofilling no limits vs. lipofilling with limits  
Short summary of the literature  
*Raymund Horch, Erlangen, GER*

Lipofilling with limits <i>Benjamin Sarfati, Paris, FRA</i> <i>Peter Cordeiro, New York, USA</i>	Lipofilling no limits <i>Alberto Rancati, Buenos Aires, ARG</i> <i>Yoav Barnea, Tel Aviv, ISR</i>
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11.05 – 11.45    Coffee break while visiting the exhibition area

11.45 – 12.00    **KEY NOTE LECTURE II**  
Neo-adjuvant or adjuvant Therapy in Breast Cancer:  
What will be the future?  
*Wolfgang Janni, Ulm GER*

12.00 – 13.00    **MANAGEMENT OF COMPLICATIONS IN RECONSTRUCTION**  
*Chair: Uwe von Fritschen, Jaume Masia*  
Different ways of approaching major complications  
in implant reconstruction  
*Roy de Vita, Rome, ITA*  
*Peter Cordeiro, New York,USA*

Different ways of approaching major complications  
in autologous reconstruction  
Pedicule flaps - *Mahdi Rezai, Düsseldorf, GER*  
Pedicule perforator flaps - *Ulrich Kneser, Ludwigshafen, GER*  
Free perforator flaps - *Philip Blondeel, Gent, BEL*

13.00 – 14.15    Lunch at exhibition area

13.25 - 14.10

**THE LUNCH SESSION**  
State of the art - One and two stage immediate  
implant based breast reconstruction  
*Michael Scheffan, Tel Aviv, ISR*

14.15 – 14.50    **RECONSTRUCTION I - CAPSULAR CONTRACTURE**  
*Chair: Stefan Hofer, Nicholas Leymarie*  
Review of the literature  
*Stefan Hofer, Toronto, CAN*  
My personal way to avoid capsular contracture  
*Stefano Pompei,Rome, ITA*  
*Michael Scheffan, Tel Aviv, ISR*

14.50 – 15.30

**IBSD CHAMPIONSHIP SESSION I**  
*Chair: Stefan Hofer*  
**Europe against Middle and South America**  
3 clinical cases of aesthetic surgery and how to solve them  
*Referee: Yoav Barnea, Tel Aviv, ISR*

Europe (without UK)  
*Stefano Pompei, Rome, ITA*  
*Matthias Reichenberger, Heidelberg, GER*  
*Alexander Bach, Eschweiler, GER*

Middle and South America  
*Alberto Rancati, Buenos Aires, ARG*  
*Eric Santamaria, Mexico City, MEX*  
*Claudio Angrigiani, Buenos Aires, ARG*

15.30 – 16.15

**INDUSTRY CHALLENGE: TELL ME THE TRUTH**  
The need for an implant register  
*Lukas Prantl, Regensburg, GER*  
  
Representatives of implant companies answer important questions for the future  
*Interviewer: Michael Scheffan, Tel Aviv, ISR*

16.15 – 16.55 Coffee break while visiting the exhibition area

16.55 – 17.30

**CONTROVERSY SESSION RECONSTRUCTION I**  
*Chair: Carolin Nestle-Krämling, Jürgen Hoffmann*  
**Direct to implant vs. two stage breast reconstruction**  
*Referee: Michael Scheffan, Tel Aviv, ISR*  
  
Short summary of the literature  
*Carolin Nestle-Krämling, Düsseldorf, GER*

Direct to implant  
*Roy de Vita, Rome, ITA*

Two stage  
*Peter Cordeiro, New York, USA*

17.30 - 17.45 Assessment of training success

17.45 – 18.45

**THE GIN TONIC-SESSION**  
**BEST CASE – BEST SAVE IN PLASTIC SURGERY**  
*Moderation: Christoph Andree, Jaume Masia*



8.00 - 8.45

**THE EARLY MORNING ULTRASOUND WORK SHOP**  
Ultrasound for evaluating the breast and looking for problems after breast surgery  
*Jürgen Terhaag, Eggenfelden, GER | Uwe Peisker, Erkelenz, GER*



9.00 – 9.20

**KEY NOTE LECTURE III**  
Trends implant vs. autologous reconstruction - Are indications changing?  
*Peter Cordeiro, New York, USA*

9.20 – 10.00

**IBSD CHAMPIONSHIP SESSION II**  
*Chair: Uwe von Fritschen*  
**Germany against the Rest of the world**  
3 clinical cases of breast cancer and how to reconstruct  
*Referee: Claudio Angrigiani, Buenos Aires, ARG*

Germany  
*Uwe von Fritschen, Berlin, GER*  
*Christoph Heitmann, Munich, GER*  
*Raymund Horch, Erlangen, GER*

Rest of the world  
*Alberto Rancati, Buenos Aires, ARG*  
*Jaume Masia, Barcelona, ESP*  
*Stefan Hofer, Toronto, CAN*

10.00 – 10.40

**THE PROVOCATIVE TOPIC**  
*Chair: Jürgen Terhaag, Abdallah Abdallah*  
**BCT vs. NSM/SSM with reconstruction:**  
Comparable outcome in oncology, aesthetic and quality of life?  
*Referee: Christoph Heitmann, Munich, GER*  
  
Short summary of the literature  
*Jürgen Terhaag, Eggenfelden, GER*

BCT & RXT  
*Mahdi Rezai, Düsseldorf, GER*  
*Elmar Stickeler, Aachen, GER*

SCM & Reconstruction  
*Jaume Masia, Barcelona, ESP*  
*Stefan Hofer, Toronto, CAN*

10.40 – 11.20 Coffee break while visiting the exhibition area

11.20 – 11.50

**CONTROVERSY SESSION RECONSTRUCTION II**  
*Chair: Elmar Stickeler, Claudia Schumacher*  
  
ADM/meshes vs. no ADM/meshes in breast reconstruction  
*Referee: Mahdi Rezaei, Düsseldorf, GER*  
  
Short summary of the literature  
*Elmar Stickeler, Aachen, GER*

ADM/meshes

No ADM/meshes

*Michael Schefflan, Tel Aviv, ISR*  
*Carolin Nestle-Krämling, Düsseldorf, GER*

*Alberto Rancati, Buenos Aires, ARG*  
*Benjamin Sarfati, Paris, FRA*

11.50 – 12.25

**CONTROVERSY SESSION RECONSTRUCTION III**  
*Chair: Jaroslaw Krupa, Tobias Resch*  
  
Is there an indication for surgery after complete remission after neo-adjuvant therapy?  
*Referee: Eric Santamaria, Mexico City, MEX*  
  
Short summary of the literature  
*Jaroslaw Krupa, Leicester, UK*

Pro surgery

Contra surgery

*Nicholas Leymarie, Villejuif, FRA*

*Wolfgang Janni, Ulm, GER*

12.25 – 12.55

**THE FIGHT: IMPLANT SURFACES**  
*Chair: Roy de Vita*  
*Referee: Jaroslaw Krupa, Leicester, UK*

Smooth

Textured

*Claudio Angrigiani, Buenos Aires, ARG*

*Günter Germann, Heidelberg, GER*

12.55 – 14.10

Lunch at exhibition area

13.20 - 14.05

**THE SATURDAY LUNCH SESSION**  
**FORUM FÜR ASSOZIIERTE MITGLIEDER DER DGPRÄC**  
  
Brauchen wir eine Veränderung in der Ausbildung zum plastischen Chirurgen?  
*Raymund Hoch, Erlangen, GER | Christoph Andree, Düsseldorf, GER*

14.10 – 14.30

**KEY NOTE LECTURE IV**  
The necessity to innovate  
*Elof Eriksson, Boston, USA*

14.30 – 15.00

**PERSONAL STATEMENT SESSION –**  
**THE ANAPLASTIC LARGE CELL LYMPHOMA (ALCL)**  
*Chair: Jürgen Hoffmann, Marcus Lehnhardt*  
  
Short summary of the literature  
*Marcus Lehnhardt, Bochum, GER*  
  
Approaching the future in implant surgery  
3-minutes statements of...  
*Roy de Vita, Rome, ITA*  
*Eric Santamaria, Mexico City, MEX*  
*Raymund Horsch, Erlangen, GER*  
*Michael Schefflan, Tel Aviv, ISR*

15:00 – 15.30

**LYMPHEDEMA CONTROVERSY SESSION**  
*Chair: Beatrix Munder, Eric Santamaria*  
*Referee: Jaroslaw Krupa, Leicester, UK*  
  
Different recipient site for the vascular lymph node transplantation

Extraanatomical

Anatomical

*Assaf Zeltzer, Brussels, BEL*  
*Katrin Seidenstücker, Düsseldorf, GER*

*Yves Harder, Lugano, CH*  
*Jaume Masia, Barcelona, ESP*



15:30 – 16.00 Coffee break while visiting the exhibition area

16.00 – 16.30 **MANAGEMENT OF MAJOR COMPLICATIONS  
IN AESTHETIC SURGERY**

*Chair: Alexander Bach, Jutta Liebau*

My worst cases and how I solved them

*Alberto Rancati, Buenos Aires, ARG*

*Lukas Prantl, Regensburg, GER*

16.30 – 17.30 **ONCOPLASTIC SURGERY**

*Chair: Abdallah Abdallah, Omar Youssef*

BCT and glandular flaps

*Björn Lisboa, Duisburg, GER*

Therapeutic Reduction mammoplasties

*Omar Youssef, Cairo, EGY*

The use of the tripple flap in preventing mastectomy

*Georgia Koulermou, Nicosia, CYP*

Chest wall perforator flaps

*Andrii Zhygulin, Kiev, UKR*

How to correct bad BCT results

*Benjamin Sarfati, Paris, FRA*

17.30 – 17.45 **Assessment of training success & Closing remarks**

*Christoph Andree, Düsseldorf, GER*

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## OVERVIEW PANELS & SATELLITE SYMPOSIUMS

Saturday, April 29, 8.00 – 8.45 @ Room Velvet

### THE EARLY MORNING ULTRASOUND WORK SHOP

Ultrasound for evaluating the breast and looking for problems after breast surgery

*Jürgen Terhaag, Eggenfelden, GER*



Saturday, April 29, 13.20 – 14.05 (Main hall)

### FORUM FÜR ASSOZIIERTE MITGLIEDER DER DGPRÄC

Brauchen wir eine Veränderung in der Ausbildung zum plastischen Chirurgen

*Raymund Hoch, Erlangen, GER | Christoph Andree, Düsseldorf, GER*



Friday, April 28, 13.25 – 14.10 (Main hall)

### THE LUNCH SESSION

State of the art -

One and two stage immediate implant based breast reconstruction

*Michael Schefflan, Tel Aviv, ISR*



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## IBSD ACADEMY FOR RESIDENTS - VIDEO PANELS

Friday, April 28, 10.00 – 10.45 @ Room Velvet

### DONOR SITES: PLAN, AVOID AND CORRECT BAD OUTCOMES

Tips and tricks from the members of the faculty

*Alexander Bach, Eschweiler, GER | Uwe von Fritschen, Berlin, GER*

Friday, April 28, 11.15 – 12.00 @ Room Velvet

### KEY STEPS IN SAVING THE FLAP

Tips and tricks from the members of the faculty

*Raymund Hoch, Erlangen, GER | Ulrich Kneser, Ludwigshafen, GER*

Friday, April 28, 12.30 – 13.15 @ Room Velvet

### THE BREAST – ANATOMY WORK SHOP

Anatomy of the breast and implantat positioning

*Omar Youssef, Cairo, EGY*

Friday, April 28, 16.15 – 17.30 @ Room Velvet

### KEY STEPS FOR HARVESTING FLAPS

DIEP, SIEA, I-GAP/S-GAP, TMG

*Philip Blondeel, Gent, BEL | Jaume Masia, Barcelona, ESP | Stefan Hofer, Toronto, CAN*

Saturday, April 29, 9.00 – 9.45 @ Room Velvet

### KEY STEPS IN BREAST AUGMENTATION

Tips and tricks from the members of the faculty

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### **Dr. Abdallah Abdallah M.D.**

Dr. Abdallah received his medical degree at the University of Timisoara, Romania. He completed his specialty training for Gynecology and Obstetrics at the Marien Hospital (University Hospital of the Ruhr-University Bochum) in Herne, Germany.

Dr. Abdallah obtained his specialization in the field of Breast Oncoplastic Surgery under the guidance of Prof. Audretsch at the clinic of the state capital Düsseldorf-Gerresheim, Germany. In 2003 he was appointed the director of a breast center for the first time. Since July 2008 he became the Head and Network Coordinator of the Breast Center in the Ruhr area at the Evangelische Kliniken in Gelsenkirchen, Germany.

The focus of his clinical practice is oncoplastic breast surgery. Dr. Abdallah has authored several scientific publications and published his first book: "Oncoplastic Breast Surgery: Case-Related Atlas".



### **Professor Dr. med. Christoph Andree**

attended medical school at the University of Bonn, Germany. He obtained his Medical Thesis in the Regional Burn Center of the University of San Diego. After his postdoctoral research fellowship at Harvard Medical School, he was trained in Plastic and Hand Surgery at the University Hospital Freiburg, Germany. Presently, he is head of the department of Plastic and Aesthetic Surgery at the Sana-Hospital in Düsseldorf and founder of Breast&Body at the Königsallee. He has been awarded several research grants and received various honours.

## FACULTY



### **Claudio Angrigiani**

Claudio Angrigiani received his medical degree at the University of Buenos Aires School of Medicine in 1972 and completed Plastic Surgery at the University of El Salvador in Buenos Aires Argentina. He was Microsurgery Fellow at Tokyo Metropolitan Hospital in Tokyo Japan in 1980. He was awarded with the Robert Ivy award best paper ASPS Meeting 1995. He is member of the American Association of Plastic Surgeons. He was chief of the Division of Plastic Surgery of Hospital Santojanni Buenos Aires until 2016 when he retired. He is now President of the Fundacion Marko for the development of Plastic Reconstructive Surgery in remote areas.



### **Priv.-Doz. Dr. med. Alexander D. Bach**

Alexander Bach is Head of the Department of Plastic and Aesthetic Surgery, Handsurgery and Reconstructive Surgery at the St.-Antonius-Hospital in Eschweiler, Germany.

After graduating from Medical School at the University of Freiburg, Germany, he received his doctor's degree from the Freiburg University followed by a training in Plastic Surgery at the University Hospital. After moving to the Department of Plastic and Hand Surgery at the University Hospital of Erlangen, Germany he became vice chair and received the State doctorate at the University of Erlangen. His research was particularly focused on tissue engineering.

In 2009 Alexander Bach became Head of the Department of Plastic and Aesthetic Surgery, Handsurgery and Reconstructive Surgery at the St.-Antonius-Hospital in Eschweiler, Germany. The department represents one of the big clinics for Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery as well as Hand Surgery in Germany. In 2010 he became the Medical Director of the Hospital.

Alexander Bach is both certified in Plastic and Hand Surgery and is a member of numerous scientific societies and committees.





### **Yoav Barnea, MD**

Dr. Barnea is a specialist in plastic surgery and the head of the breast reconstruction unit at the Tel-Aviv Medical Center in Israel. He is the past secretary of the Israel society of plastic and aesthetic surgery.

He graduated medical school at Tel Aviv University and served in the army as chief physician of the airborne infantry brigade and commander of the medical officers' course in the military school of medicine.

He completed his residency in plastic surgery at the Tel Aviv Medical Center, followed by a fellowship in microsurgical oncological reconstruction at MD Anderson, Houston, Texas. There he developed a specialization in aesthetic and reconstructive surgery of the breast, including microvascular breast reconstruction. He also completed a master degree in plastic surgery.

Currently Dr. Barnea performs various types of breast surgeries, both aesthetic and reconstruction, and works in the breast health center, as part of the multidisciplinary breast team. He published over 60 papers, both clinical research and basic science projects on these subjects.

He volunteers for the Israel Cancer Association and serves on the board of Bracha foundation, a non-profit organization for BRCA gene mutation carriers. Dr. Barnea is an invited speaker and faculty in many plastic surgery and breast meetings and has been leading breast symposiums, workshops and road-shows. He is a lecturer in plastic surgery and a tutor of medical students, interns, and residents.



### **Professor Dr. Alexandru Blidaru**

- Professor of Surgical Oncology, Department of Surgery at "Carol Davila" University of Medicine and Pharmacy, Bucharest
- Head of the Surgical and Gynecological Oncology II Department at "Prof. Dr. Al. Trestioreanu" Institute of Oncology, Bucharest
- Founder and current President of the Romanian Society of Breast Surgery and Oncology

In more than 30 years of activity in surgery and gynecologic oncology, he performed more than 20.000 surgeries, with a focus on breast cancer and gynecologic cancers. He is the initiator and promoter of different surgical techniques at "Prof. Dr. Al. Trestioreanu" Institute of Oncology, Bucharest: localization of infraclinical breast lesions, conservative treatment and breast oncoplastic surgery, breast reconstruction after mastectomy, sentinel node biopsy in breast cancer, melanoma, gynecologic cancers and laparoscopy techniques in gynecology.

Professor Blidaru was participant, speaker and organizer in more than 130 scientific meetings in Romania and abroad in the field of surgery, gynecological oncology, plastic surgery and medical oncology; he is author and joint-author of more than 100 scientific papers published in Romania and abroad, being also coordinator and team member in research projects and clinical trials.



### **Professor Dr. Phillip Blondeel, MD, PhD**

Phillip Blondeel is an internationally leading expert on aesthetic and reconstructive breast surgery and one of the pioneers in the so-called "perforator flap" surgery. He is Professor of Plastic Surgery and chairman of the department of plastic and reconstructive surgery at the University Hospital Gent, Belgium, as well as an attending plastic surgeon at LaClinic in Montreux, Switzerland.

A native of the United States of America, Phillip Blondeel received his medical degree from the Katholieke Universiteit Leuven Medical School in Leuven, Belgium. He underwent postgraduate training in plastic surgery in the department of plastic and reconstructive surgery, Catholic University Leuven as well as at Wolfgang Goethe University in Frankfurt, Germany and earned his Doctor in Medical Sciences (PhD) degree at the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Gent in 1998.

Prof. Blondeel is a fellow of the Collegium Chirurgicum Plasticum (Belgian Boards) and a diplomate of the European Board of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery. He holds membership in numerous scientific societies, among them the American Society for Reconstructive Microsurgery, the European Association of Plastic Surgeons and the American Society for Plastic Surgery. He is honorary member of the South-African and Canadian Society of Plastic Surgery.

A world-renowned expert in the field of aesthetic and reconstructive breast surgery, Prof. Blondeel is a much sought after speaker and teacher who has also authored and co-authored numerous books, book chapters, peer-reviewed articles and abstracts. He currently sits on the editorial boards of the Journal of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery and the Journal of Reconstructive Microsurgery. He is international co-editor of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery GO.

Prof. Blondeel is the chairman of the 'Beautiful After Breast Cancer Foundation', an international philanthropic organization that helps women to regain their well-being after breast cancer.

At the end of 2011, Prof. Blondeel led the team that performed the first face transplant in Belgium (#19 worldwide) and is the Chairman of the Vascularized Composite Tissue Allograft Program at the University Hospital Gent.





### **Peter G. Cordeiro, MD, FACS**

Dr. Cordeiro is a renowned oncologic plastic surgeon with a special expertise in breast reconstruction, head and neck reconstruction, and microsurgical procedures. Within breast reconstruction his work has focused on long and short term surgical, aesthetic and patient reported outcomes in addition to extending the use of implants for breast reconstruction, particularly in the previously irradiated patient and patients who need post mastectomy radiation. Within head and neck he has described several defect specific classification systems with algorithms pertaining to free flap reconstruction, particularly in the area of the midface, mandible and the oropharynx.

Dr. Cordeiro received his MD degree from Harvard Medical School, completed his general surgery training at the Harvard Surgical Service and plastic surgery at New York University. He is currently Professor of Surgery at Weill Cornell Medical College of Cornell University and served as Chief of the Division of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center from 2001 to 2016.

Dr. Cordeiro is the author of more than 300 peer-reviewed publications and book chapters, has served on 8 editorial boards including Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, Journal of Reconstructive Microsurgery, and Annals of Plastic Surgery and has delivered over 250 presentations and lectures around the world throughout the Plastic & Reconstructive Surgical community.



### **Dr. Uwe von Fritschen**

Dr. von Fritschen is head of the Department of Plastic Surgery at the Helios-Clinic Emil von Behring, Berlin.

His main clinical and academic interest is breast surgery covering the entire field from aesthetic surgery and breast malformation to oncologic reconstructions. An emphasis lies on microsurgical reconstructions, focusing on technical improvements of reconstructive techniques. He earned his medical degree at the University of Hamburg, Germany and completed his residencies in general surgery and traumatology. He underwent postgraduate training in the department of plastic and reconstructive surgery, University of Pernambuco, Brazil and at Markus Hospital, Frankfurt. He is member of the editor board of the Journal of Senology and responsible for the quality management in breast surgery for the German Society of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgeons.



### **Professor Dr. Günter Germann**

is the founder of the ETHIANUM Heidelberg. Until recently, he was the President of the internationally renowned and largest German Society of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgeons. As Head of Department, Professor Dr Germann managed the Berufsgenossenschaftliche Unfallklinik in Ludwigshafen (Ludwigshafen BG Casualty Clinic), Germany, for 18 years, giving it an international reputation.

He is considered an excellent microsurgeon within the international arena and has been practising plastic surgery for more than 30 years, with over 25 years of experience in hand surgery.

As early as 2001, Professor Germann was awarded the McCormack prize of the University of Rochester (New York) for his scientific work. He is a distinguished member of numerous scientific committees worldwide and has held the Professorship of Plastic Surgery and Hand Surgery at Heidelberg University since 1999. Above and beyond that, Professor German maintains a research laboratory that is primarily dedicated to the development of diagnostic and surgical procedures – also in the area of stem cell research.

With the foundation of the ETHIANUM, Professor Dr. Germann, specialist for plastic-reconstructive surgery, hand surgery and aesthetic surgery, has realised his dream of a perfect clinic.



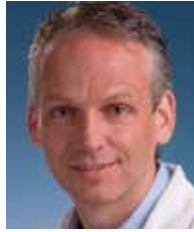
### **Prof. Dr. med. Yves Harder**

Prof. Harder received his medical degree at the University of Basel and completed his training in Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery at the University Hospital of Berne, Switzerland. Thereafter, he spent almost two years at the Institute of Clinical and Experimental Research at the University of Saarland in Homburg/Saar, Germany, during which he investigated various non-invasive strategies to prevent critically ischemic musculo-cutaneous tissue from necrosis. This period was followed by a clinical fellow-ship in Reconstructive Surgery at Johannesburg General Hospital, Witwatersrand-Universität, South Africa. In 2008, he completed his postdoctoral lecture qualification entitled "Non-surgical preventive strategies aiming at avoiding critical ischemia in musculocutaneous flap tissue". After having worked as an associate Professor in the Department of Plastic Surgery and Handsurgery at the Klinikum rechts der Isar, Technische Universität München in Munich, Germany, he has become the head of the Department of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery of the Ente Ospedaliero Cantonale in Lugano, Switzerland. Prof. Harder's main interest is reconstructive micro-surgery, particularly of the breast, the lower extremities and the ENT-region. Prof. Harder has authored over 100 peer-reviewed scientific publications, books and book-chapters. His research focuses on the development of easy applicable techniques of tissue preconditioning to decrease perioperative morbidity and eventually increase aesthetic outcome and quality of life.



#### **Dr. Juergen Hoffmann**

Head of the interdisciplinary breast centre of the University Hospital Dues-seldorf and Head of Departement of reconstructive surgery in gynecology and senology University Hospital Duesseldorf. Representative in Gyneco-logy of the German Academy of Senology (DAS) of the German Society of Senology (DGS).



#### **Dr. Stefan OP Hofer, M.D., Ph.D., FRCS(C)**

Dr. Hofer received his medical degree and PhD at the University of Amster-dam and completed his Plastic Surgery training at the University Medical Cen-ter in Groningen, The Netherlands. He became the first Plastic Surgeon to be awarded the highly prestigious Dutch Cancer Society clinical fellowship.

Dr. Hofer has authored over 120 peer reviewed scientific publications, and invited lectures and is the immediate past Editor of the Journal of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery (JPRAS) and current editor of JPRAS Open. He is Chief of the Division of Plastic Surgery at University Health Net-work in Toronto, holds the Wharton Chair in Reconstructive Plastic Surgery, Full Professor in the Division of Plastic Surgery, Department of Surgery at the University of Toronto and Associate Member in the Institute of Medical Scien-ces at the University of Toronto.

The focus of his clinical research is in the development, refinement and evalua-tion of innovative plastic & reconstructive surgical techniques for the face, head & neck and breast following oncology surgery. Dr. Hofer is also invol-ved in innovative regenerative medicine projects focusing on adipose derived stem cell applications. He has a strong interest in the functional, aesthetic and quality of life outcomes after reconstructive surgery and has received grant funding for research projects investigating these outcomes.



#### **Dr. med. Mazen Hagouan**

As Assistant Professor of the Medical Faculty of the Heinrich Heine Univer-sity of Düsseldorf Mazen Hagouan is giving lectures on the topic of breast reconstruction and in the area of conflict between aesthetic and ethic in plastic surgery.

Dr. med. Mazen Hagouan graduated at the University of Cologne and was working in the major departments of plastic surgery in Germany. Following an internship at Prof. Steinau in Bochum he is now senior consultant in the Department of Plastic and Aesthetic Surgery in Düsseldorf Gerresheim, Prof. Andree. He is working in the subject of reconstructive breast surgery for the last 10 years and is specialized in the free tissue transfer and Lipofilling pro-cedures. In cooperation with the University of Bochum the main resarch topic is on prae adipocyts and its proliferation on Breast Cancer Cells.

In the field of Aesthetic Surgery he is performing national and internatio-nal Masterclasses in the subject of facial rejuvenation for the companies of Allergan, Stada Aesthetics and CNC Cosmetics.



#### **Univ.-Prof. Dr. Dr. h. c. Prof.h.c. Raymund E. Horch**

is the President of the German Society of Plastic Reconstructive and Aes-thetic Surgeons (DGPRÄC). As a Director he heads the Department of Plastic and Hand Surgery at the University Hospital Erlangen, Friedrich Alexander University Erlangen-Nuernberg FAU. His clinical focus is on Reconstructive, Aesthetic and Hand Surgery and Breast Surgery. Within the reconstruction of defects after tumor surgery with complex microsurgical tissue transplants he has developed modern interdisciplinary concepts. Prof Horch was intensely invovled in creating replacement tissues by means of Tissue Engineering and Regenerative Medicine from the very beginning. He is at the same time spo-kesperson of all surgical departments and divisions of the Erlangen Univer-sity Hospital and of the convention of Executive University Plastic Surgeons in Germany. His scientific work includes several hundreds of publications. In addition to numerous invitations as a „visiting professor“ at renowned interna-tional universities his scientific work was honored with a variety of prestigious awards and honors worldwide.



#### **Prof. Dr. J. W. Janni**

Doctor Janni is currently full professor and director of the Department Obs-tetrics and Gynecology of the University of Ulm, Germany. He has been ap-pointed to this position in October 2012, after working as full professor and director of the Department Obstetrics and Gynecology of the Heinrich-Hei-ne-University Duesseldorf, Germany, from 2008 until 2012. He received the credentials for professorship at Munich University in 2015, but decided to stay in Ulm.

Following several internships in major medical institutions, including the Yale University, the University of Michigan and New York University, Doctor Janni received his medical training at the LMU-University in Munich. He is board certified gynaecologist, with board certified subspecialities in gynaecological oncology and breast cancer, as well as perinatal medicine. Doctor Janni was appointed Junior Professor of the Department for Gynaecology and Obste-trics of the General Hospital of the Ludwig-Maximilians-University, Munich, in June 2003.

Doctor Janni's two main fields of research include the relevance of the detec-tion of disseminated tumor cells in the bone marrow of breast cancer patients, and also clinical research. He developed the protocol for the ADEBAR-Study and was principal investigator of the SUCCESS-A/B/C-Trials, clinical phase III studies comprising more than 10,000 primary breast cancer patients with ex-tensive translational research programs. Doctor Janni is currently sponsoring two phase III trials (Detect III - V) in metastatic breast cancer



### **Prof. Dr. Ulrich Kneser**

Doctor Kneser is currently Director of the Department of Hand, Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery – Burn Center at the BG Trauma Center Ludwigshafen and Professor of Plastic and Hand Surgery at the University of Heidelberg. He received his medical degree at the University of Hamburg and completed his medical training at the University of Freiburg and University of Erlangen. He is a board certified Plastic and Hand surgeon. His main clinical interest is reconstructive microsurgery with a focus on extremity reconstruction and oncologic breast reconstruction, free-style perforator flaps, flap physiology and hand surgery. His research activities have a strong focus on surgical angiogenesis, microsurgical models of vascularization and bone tissue engineering. Dr. Kneser has authored more than 200 peer-reviewed scientific publications and is editor of a textbook of microsurgery.



### **Dr. Georgia Koulermou, MD, PhD,**

is the Director of Plastic Surgery and Burn Unit of Nicosia General Hospital, Cyprus. She is a Prof. of Plastic Surgery at University of Nicosia medical School and a foundation member of the first Breast Centre in Cyprus. She was the first coordinator of the breast team at Breast Centres Network (first international network of clinical centres) ESO (European School of Oncology).

Dr Koulermou has authored more than 200 reviewed scientific publications and invited lectures in local and international meetings. She is the author of the book, Clinical Differential Diagnosis of Cutaneous Melanoma (2017). She has awarded several research grants and received various honors. Her main field of interest is breast surgery, cosmetic and breast reconstruction after mastectomy. She has been specialized on breast reconstruction at Royal Marsden Hospital (UK), European school of Oncology Pavia, Italy and Rambam Hospital, Haifa, Israel.

She has research experience in several fields. Selected number of more than 40 research projects:

- The psychological impact on people who have experienced burn trauma (2005-2006) - Scientific study between the Department of Psychology, University of Cyprus and Department of Plastic Surgery, Microsurgery and Burns, Makarios III Hospital
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- "EUROCLEFT - Standards of Care for Cleft Lip and Palate in Europe" - A Concerted Action Project of the European Commission (1997- 1999)



### **Jaroslaw Krupa, MD PhD**

Consultant Oncoplastic Breast Surgeon, Head of Breast Surgery, Dept. of Breast Surgery, University Hospitals of Leicester, UK.

Dr Jaroslaw Krupa graduated from Medical University of Warsaw in 1995 and continued his postgraduate training at University College London Hospital and The Royal Marsden Hospital in London. He obtained his PhD in minimally invasive surgery and was awarded an Oncoplastic Surgery Fellowship at the National Institute of Cancer in Milan, one of Europe's most prestigious breast cancer centres. In 2009 Dr Krupa was appointed to the post of Consultant Oncoplastic Breast Surgeon at University Hospitals of Leicester, which is the largest single-site breast cancer centre in UK. He also obtained the role of the Head of Service in 2015 and received Honorary Lectureship at the Department of Cancer Studies, University of Leicester.



### **Univ.Prof. Dr. med Marcus Lehnhardt**

Marcus Lehnhardt is Head and Chair of the Department of Plastic, Hand and Burn Surgery at the University Hospital Bergmannsheil in Bochum, Germany.

After graduating from Medical School at Ruhr University in Bochum and Harvard Medical School in Boston he received his doctorate from the Ruhr University in Bochum followed by a scholarship at Max Planck Institute in Dortmund. His research is particularly focused on soft tissue sarcomas.

After becoming adjunct professor at the Bochum University, he was awarded an associate professorship at the University of Bochum.

In 2010 Prof. Lehnhardt became Professor and Head of the Department of Hand, Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery- Burn Center - BG Trauma Center Ludwigshafen and Professor of Plastic Surgery at the University of Heidelberg.

Since 2012 Full Professor and Head, Department of Plastic Surgery, Burn Center, Hand Surgery

Sarcoma Reference Center, BG University Hospital Bergmannsheil, Ruhr University Bochum.

Prof. Lehnhardt is both certified in Plastic and Hand surgery. The department represents one of the biggest units for reconstructive surgery especially in the field of trauma, tumor and breast in Germany. He is a distinguished member of numerous national and international scientific societies, committees and editorial boards.



## FACULTY



### Dr. Nicolas Leymarie

Dr. Nicolas Leymarie is a Plastic Surgeon, Senior Consultant at Gustave Roussy Hospital, one of the main comprehensive cancer centres in France. He graduated from Paris Diderot University. Dr Nicolas Leymarie is specialised in prosthetic and autologous breast reconstruction, microsurgery and oncoplastic surgery. He is a member of the French Society of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery (SoFCPRE) and educational coordinator for the "International master's degree of reconstructive microsurgery" (MRM) and for the "European master's degree in surgical oncology, reconstructive and aesthetic breast surgery" (MRBS). Dr Nicolas Leymarie is also the founder and co-director of the "Paris Breast Rendez-Vous", France's largest annual international congress dedicated to oncological, reconstructive and aesthetic breast surgery.



### Prof. Dr. Jutta Liebau

Head of department of plastic and aesthetic surgery, florence-nightingale-hospital düsseldorf, germany. Specialized in breast and facial surgery and body contouring.



### Prof. Jaume Masia

Prof Jaume Masia is currently Full Professor and Director of the Department of Plastic Surgery at Sant Pau Hospital - Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona. He received his Medical Degree at Barcelona University, and his PhD at Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona. Prof Masia did the Plastic Surgery training at Sant Pau Hospital in Barcelona. He completed his training doing fellowships in Canniesburn Hospital (Glasgow) and in Queen Victoria Hospital (East Grinstead).

In 1999, he introduced DIEP flaps for breast reconstruction in Spain. He got a post as plastic surgery consultant at Sant Pau University Hospital in 2001. Two years later became the Chief of Microsurgery Unit and in 2007 he won the position as Chief of Plastic Surgery Department and Professor in Plastic Surgery at Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona.

Prof. Masia was President of the Spanish Society of Plastic Surgery (SECPRE) in 2011-13 and President of Plastic Surgery Foundation for Education in 2014-15. From 2010 he is the Co-Director of the International Master Degree on Reconstructive Microsurgery and also Co-Director of the European Master in Oncology, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Breast Surgery at Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona. Currently he is the President of the Educational Committee of the European Federation of Microsurgery Societies. He has been invited as lecturer and visiting Professor in more than one hundred international meetings in plastic surgery, author of several papers and books as well. His current main interests are perforator flaps, lymphedema surgery and medical education.

## FACULTY



### Dr. med. Beatrix Munder

Dr. Beatrix Munder studied medicine at the Freiburg Medical University, as well as in Toronto, Canada and in Bordeaux, France.

She began her specialist training as a Plastic and Aesthetic surgeon at the University Clinic in Freiburg in the Department of Plastic and Hand Surgery / Prof. Dr. med. G. B. Stark. The following 6 months, she worked in the Department of Plastic and Aesthetic Surgery / Center of Breast Surgery of PD Dr. M. Voigt in Freiburg.

Since 2004, she is working in the Department of Plastic and Aesthetic Surgery at the Sana Hospital Gerresheim in Düsseldorf with Prof. Dr. Christoph Andree, where she is the leading consultant since 2008.



### Dr. med. Carolin Nestle-Krämling

Dr. Carolin Nestle-Krämling is a gynecologist with a specialization in senology, including gynecologic oncology and a main focus on oncologic, reconstructive as well as aesthetic breast surgery. She is a certified specialized breast surgeon according to the criteria of AWOgyn (german working group of aesthetic, plastic and reconstructive surgery in gynecology) since its inauguration in 2005. Since 1997 she was head of the reconstructive breast surgery in the Dpt. of gynecology of the University hospital in Munich Großhadern and from 2000 to 2010 in the University hospital in Düsseldorf. In Munich as well as in Düsseldorf university she coordinated the counselling ambulance for familial breast and ovarian cancer within the german consortium for familial breast and ovarian cancer. Since 2010 she is head of the department of senology and director of the certified interdisciplinary breast center in the Sana Hospital in Düsseldorf-Gerresheim. A special focus in her clinical work is beside comprehensive diagnostic, counselling and treatment of breast cancer patients the development and refinement of oncologic as well as reconstructive surgical techniques for prophylactic mastectomy.

She is in the executive board of the AWOgyn, from 2014 to 2015 president of the DGPW (German society of plastic and reconstructive surgery) and member of the DGS (german society of senology), DKG (german cancer society), AGO (german working group of oncology), DGGG (german society of gynecology and obstetrics) and associate member of the American Association of breast surgeons (ASBS) beside others. She is also author of various scientific publications on the diagnosis and treatment of breast cancer with emphasis on oncologic, esthetic and reconstructive breast surgery.



### Stefano Pompei, MD

- Specialization in General Surgery
- Specialization in Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery
- Past Resident in Plastic Surgery care of the Hospital of Defects of the Face, San Paulo ,Brazil
- Attending Plastic Surgeon care of the National Cancer Institute” Regina Elena “, Rome, Italy, from 1987 to 2000
- Head of the Reconstructive and Plastic Surgery Unit at the “Sandro Pertini” General Hospital, Rome, Italy, from sept. 2001 to june 2015.
- From 2015 ,July the 1st – present : Head of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery Unit at the “S.Camillo” General Hospital , Rome , Italy
- From 2016 ,Jan the 5th - present: Chairman of the Medical-Surgical Department of Integrated Procedures at the “S.Camillo” General Hospital , Rome , Italy
- Author and co-author of 123 National and International Scientific Publications
- Standing Member of the Italian Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery Society
- Presently the Director of ACOI Special School of Reconstructive Breast Surgery ( Italian Association of Public Hospital Surgeons )
- Main Clinical Activities: Breast Reconstruction , Head and Neck Reconstruction , Microsurgery



### Univ. –Prof. Dr. Dr. Lukas Prantl

is Director of the Center of Plastic and Aesthetic, Hand- and Reconstructive Surgery at the University of Regensburg, Medical Center.

He received his medical degree from the University of Innsbruck (Austria) and Bologna (Italy). After specialisation in General Surgery, Plastic surgery and Hand Surgery at the Technical University of Munich and at the University of Regensburg, he did further training in Plastic Surgery at different famous Universities over the world. He is an active member of numerous national and international societies and president of the German Society for Clinical Hemorheology and Microcirculation. Since 2013 he is secretary of the German Society of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery.

Prantl has been the recipient of different prestigious national and international research awards and has been Chair and faculty member of numerous national and international conferences. As an innovative surgeon and scientist he has published more than 150 peer review articles and 12 book chapters. He is a visiting Professor at the University of Texas, M.D. Anderson Cancer Center and a member of the Interdisciplinary Stem Cells Research team. In recent year he focused on the harvesting of stem cells from adipose tissue (ASCs) and the clinical application for tissue regeneration.



### Prof. Alberto Rancati, MD PhD

Alberto Rancati MD, PhD, graduated in 1984 from medical school at University of Buenos Aires, Argentina, he is Board certified in General Surgery, Mastology, and Plastic Surgery. He undertook his training in Plastic and Oncologic surgery in Argentina, Italy and the USA. In . He is member of ASPS, (American Society of Plastic Surgeons), ISAPS, (International Society of Aesthetic Plastic Surgery), SACPER (Sociedad Argentina de Cirugia Plastica, and AAC (Asociacion Argentina de Cirugia)

He is currently Chief of Oncoplastic Surgery of the Instituto Oncologico Henry Moore, at Buenos Aires Argentina, and Director of Plastic Surgery for Latin America at the CFS -UCSD ( Center for the Future of Surgery at University of California, San Diego, USA.

His Private practice is based at, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Dr Rancati has published comprehensively within the Plastic Surgery Literature throughout his career and presents his work internationally at Mastology and Plastic Surgery Conferences. He is actively involved in teaching both at undergraduate and postgraduate level. His broad training and international fellowships have enabled him to develop special interests within the field of Oncoplastic and aesthetic breast surgery



### Professor Dr. Matthias Reichenberger

Professor Dr. Matthias Reichenberger is Board-Certified Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgeon. He was awarded a doctorate from renowned universities in Germany and Switzerland.

The Surgeon was also most recently employed as Senior Registrar at BG-Unfallklinik Ludwigshafen until he became partner of Professor Germann in Heidelberg. His specialist areas are reconstructive and aesthetic breast surgery, facial surgery as well as skin firming surgery after weight reduction.

In research, Professor Reichenberger is actively seeking new wound healing and nerve regeneration methods and looking into the prevention of capsular fibrosis after breast implant surgery.



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### **Eric Santamaria M.D.**

is Professor of Reconstructive Microsurgery of the Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico and Associate Professor of the Department of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery at Hospital General Dr. Manuel Gea Gonzalez and the Instituto Nacional de Cancerologia in Mexico City. He did a 3 year fellowship in Reconstructive Microsurgery at Chang Gung Memorial Hospital, in Taipei, Taiwan and at Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center in New York City.

As an accomplished clinician, his expertise focuses on surgery of the Breast, Head and Neck and extremity reconstruction. His research interests focus predominantly on Prelaminated Free Flaps and Perforator Flaps. Widely published, with more than 64 peer reviewed journal articles and 12 book chapters Dr. Santamaria also actively participates in senior leadership activities of many international and national professional societies and associations.



### **Dr. Benjamin Sarfati**

After studying medicine in Paris, Dr Benjamin Sarfati became a plastic surgeon. He is a member of the French Society of Plastic Surgery. He works in Gustave Roussy in Paris, one of the leading Comprehensive Cancer Center in Europe and in private practice at the Hartmann Clinic.

He is specialized in breast oncologic and reconstructive surgery, microsurgery, head and neck reconstruction and dermatologic surgery.

He is the co-founder of the « Paris Breast Rendez-Vous », one of the main congress dedicated in breast aesthetic and reconstructive Surgery in France. Dr Sarfati is involved in many congresses and masterclasses, he is responsible of the French Inter-University Diploma of breast oncologic and reconstructive surgery (Paris XI Faculty.)

He is a member of the Scientific Committee of Europa Donna, an european organisation that works for improved breast cancer education, appropriate screening, optimal treatment and increased funding for research.

He has developped a new technique with the robot Da Vinci Xi for breast surgery. He founded in 2012 the Mobile App and Website « MeltingDoc », a social network only for doctors to share their difficult clinical cases.

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- Malliniac lecture Award. (ASPS 2013)
- Best international collaboration paper Award. (PRS GO 2015)
- Breast Reconstruction leader ambassador (Alpheon 2015)



### **Dr. Claudia Schumacher**

Dr. Claudia Schumacher is the director of the breast cancer center of the St. Elisabeth Hospital in Cologne since 2005 which is one of the biggest in Germany.

She received her medical degree at the University of Cologne and continued her postgraduate training at the departement of obstetrics and gynecology of the St. Elisabeth Hospital. Her board certified subspecialities are gynaecological oncology and breast cancer, as well as perinatal medicine. The focus in her daily practice and her clinical research is in oncoplastic breast surgery, intraoperative radiotherapy with electrons and medical oncology.



### **Dr. Katrin Seidenstücker, M.D**

Dr. Seidenstücker received her medical degree at the University of Düsseldorf and completed her Plastic Surgery training at the Department of Plastic Surgery in Frankfurt a.M. and Düsseldorf (Prof. Andree). She specialized her plastic surgery education with microsurgical fellowships at the University Hospital Gent (UZ Gent), Belgium and was fellow of Dr. Corinne Becker in Paris, France.

In 2014 she became staff member at the University Hospital Brussels Belgium (Prof. M. Hamdi). Dr. Seidenstücker was founder member of the European center of Lymphatic Surgery in Brussels.

In 2016 she returned to Germany and is senior doctor in the Department of Plastic Surgery II in Düsseldorf Benrath. The focus of her clinical work and research is the breast surgery, microsurgery especially lymphatic surgery.



### **Univ.-Prof. Dr. med. Elmar Stickeler**

Doctor Stickeler is currently full professor and director of the Department Obstetrics and Gynecology of the University of Aachen, Germany. He has been appointed to this position in October 2015, after working as the Deputy Chair of the Department Obstetrics and Gynecology of the University of Freiburg since 2006 and Co Director of the Comprehensive Cancer Center Freiburg. Doctor Stickeler received his medical training at the University of Ulm and Freiburg. He also received a postdoctoral grant of the DFG and did his PhD at the Department of Biochemistry at Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas and worked as a Research Associate the same Department. He is board certified gynaecologist, with board certified subspecialties in gynaecological oncology and breast cancer, as well as perinatal medicine.

Doctor Stickeler main fields of research include the posttranscriptional regulation processes of the mRNA in breast cancer and tumors, the relevance of miRNA in tumorigenesis, as well as their input as prognosticators and therapy predictors. Momentarily he is the German principal investigator of the Olympia Trial investigating the role of PARP inhibition in BRCA positive breast cancer.



### **Dr. Omar Z. Youssef**

Dr. Omar Z. Youssef is currently full professor of surgical oncology in the national cancer institute (NCI), Cairo University, the oldest and largest cancer center in the Middle East.

He received his master degree in surgery in 1997 and pursued his training, where he was trained as a fellow of plastic surgery in the department of reconstructive surgery in the European institute of oncology (EIO), Milan, Italy. Then, he worked as a senior resident of surgery in Institut Gustave-Roussy in Paris, France.

He returned to NCI Cairo to obtain his PhD, and he serves now as a professor of surgical oncology. His subspecialty is oncoplastic and reconstructive breast surgery, with main research area in locally advanced breast cancer and breast reconstructive surgery. His main activities are teaching and training young surgeons in breast surgery, and he has extended his experience in some African countries.

He has several publications on breast oncoplastic and reconstructive surgery and has been invited and presented talks in these specialties in many international conferences. He has successfully organized 6 successive workshops in breast oncoplastic and reconstructive surgery in Cairo during the last 7 years in collaboration with the European School of Oncology and a well-known international faculty from UK, France and Italy.

He is a member of many scientific societies, and currently he is the president elect of Breast Surgery International (BSI), an integrated society of the International society of surgery (ISS) and in the editorial board of World Journal of Surgery (WJS).



### **Andrii Zhygulin MD**

is a physician, general and oncological surgeon, breast and reconstructive surgeon and Member of ESSO.

- 2015 Founder and chief of educational course of Oncoplastic and reconstructive surgery and modern breast cancer treatment for the breast surgeons, Kyiv, Ukraine
- 2014 Founder of Ukrainian International breast conference, Kyiv, Ukraine
- since 2011 Head of Breast Unit in LISOD Israeli cancer care hospital, Kyiv, Ukraine (Full Membership of Breast Centres Network since 2013)
- 2009 One month fellowship in Kaplan medical center, Rehovot, Israel
- since 2007 Head of surgical department in LISOD Israeli cancer care hospital, Kyiv, Ukraine
- 1996 – 2007 general surgeon in municipal hospital 12, Kyiv, Ukraine
- 2003 – 2007 senior surgeon in private medical center "Dobrobut", Kyiv, Ukraine
- 1993 – 1996 resident in Department of gastrointestinal bleedings, Department of contaminated surgery, municipal hospital 12, in Department of polytrauma, municipal emergency hospital, Kyiv, Ukraine



### Prof. Dr. M. R. Warm

Prof. Warm is the department head of the Breast Cancer Center at the Municipal Hospital of the City of Cologne, Holweide since 2010. He is also an active faculty member at the University of Cologne, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology.

After completing his medical training at the Medical School of the University of Greifswald until 1992, he joined the residency program at the hospitals of Stralsund and Wolfsburg until the year 2000. Thereafter, he began to work as an attending physician at the University of Cologne, Breast Cancer Center where he became department head in 2003.

DEGUM III (Deutsche Gesellschaft für Ultraschall in der Medizin e.V.) certified since 2011, Prof. Warm is currently also highly active in several fields of scientific research. Having authored /coauthored over 50 peer reviewed medical scientific publications, the current focus of his work includes improvements in ultrasound based breast cancer diagnostics as well innovations in breast cancer surgical techniques. In addition, he has extensive clinical trial experience. Participating in and/or leading over 40 clinical phase I-IV trials concerning neo-adjuvant, adjuvant and metastatic therapies for breast cancer since 1996, he also works on the forefront of improving systemic breast cancer therapy.



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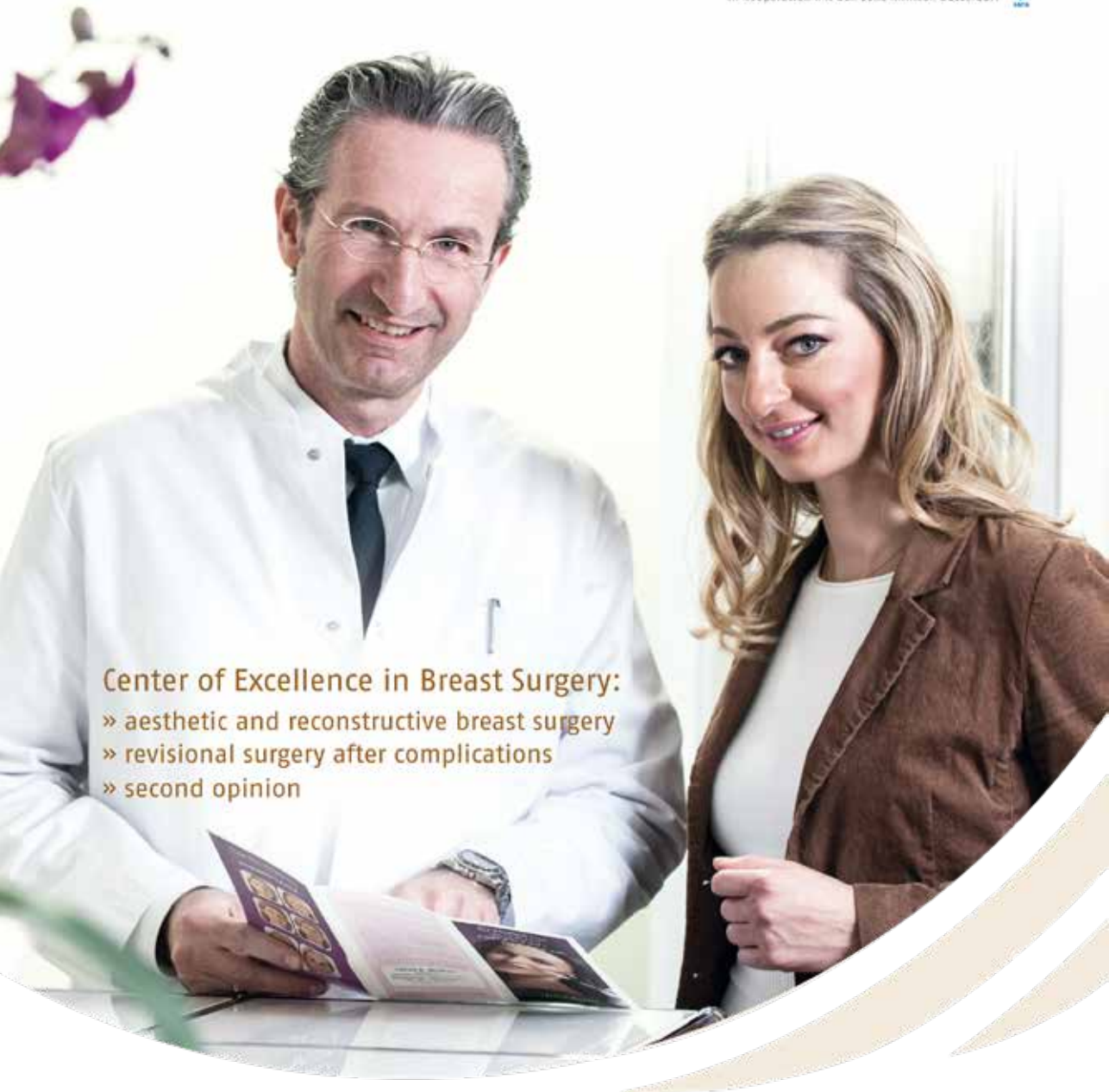


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