7th International Breast Symposium
Düsseldorf (IBSD)

4th - 6th April 2019
InterContinental Hotel, Düsseldorf

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BREAST & BODY – Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery, Königsallee 88, Düsseldorf

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Dear Friends and Colleagues

Again, it is my great pleasure to personally invite you again to the 7th International Breast Symposium Düsseldorf (IBSD) at the InterContinental Hotel situated at the Königsallee.

Once more, we have been able to recruit national and international experts with a great experience in all areas of aesthetic as well as reconstructive breast surgery.

The aim of our 7th Symposium is to have lively scientific controversial discussions together with the participants and the faculty. Again 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 following topics are focused to surgical indications and selection of appropriate techniques for breast surgery:

- Reconstructive breast surgery
- Aesthetic breast surgery
- Breast conserving therapy
- ALCL & the choice of implants: will there be an impact in the future?
- Session mastectomy & reconstruction
- Hybrid breast reconstruction
- The marking session
- Education & training in breast surgery
- Lipofilling for augmentation
- Acellular dermal matrices (ADM) & meshes
- Reconstruction – radio therapy
- IBSD championship 2019
- Best case - best save session

I am really overwhelmed from the members of faculty. Without their time and support, it would have been not possible to accomplish this fantastic program.

I am looking forward to welcome you in Düsseldorf.

Kind Regards
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Date / Venue
Thursday, 4th April 2019 - Marking work shops
Friday 5th - Saturday, 6th April 2019 - Main program
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Zina Memorial LISSOD Cancer Hospital, Kiev
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### Workshops

- **9.00 - 9.45** Micro surgery & anastomosis
- **10.00 - 10.45** Work shop chemotherapy
- **11.00 - 12.00** Psychological & social aspects of breast cancer
- **13.30 - 14.15** Breast surgery in transgender
- **14.30 - 15.00** Latest trends in implant surfaces
- **16.30 - 17.15** Pro & contra discussion – surgical scaffolds
- **11.15 - 12.00** The lymphedema workshop
- **10.10 - 10.55** The ultrasound workshop
- **11.45 - 12.45** The lymphedema workshop
PROGRAM FRIDAY, 5 APRIL

9.00 – 9.20  Introduction
Christoph Andree, Düsseldorf
Prof. Dr. Andreas Meyer-Falcke, City of Düsseldorf
Jie Luan, President of the Chinese Society of Plastic Surgeons
Alexandru Bildaru, President of the Romanian Society of Breast Surgery and Oncology

9.20 – 9.40  BREAST CONSERVING THERAPY
Chairmen: Jie Luan, Alexandru Bildaru

BCT and glandular flaps
Andrii Zhygulin, Kiev, UKR

Therapeutic reduction mammoplasties
Björn Lisboa, Düsseldorf, GER

Correction options after bad BCT results
Moustapha Hamdi, Brussels, BEL

9.40 – 11.05  ALCL & THE CHOICE OF IMPLANTS
WILL THERE BE AN INPACT IN THE FUTURE?
Chairmen: Matthias Warm, Raymund Horch

Status Quo of the literature
Anand Deva, Sydney, AUS (via WebEx)

My personal view of ALCL
Peter Cordeiro, New York, USA | Pier Camillo Parodi, Udine, ITA

Is there a misuse of statistics in medical evidence?
Eckhard Nagel, Bayreuth, GER

Shape and surface of implants regarding to ALCL

TEAM round/smooth
Team leader: Michael Schellfan, Tel Aviv, ISR
Scientific view of a surgeon: Radu Ionescu, Bucharest, ROM
Clinical view of a surgeon: Per Heden, Stockholm, SWE

TEAM anatomic/textured
Team leader: Günter Germann, Heidelberg, GER
Scientific view of a surgeon: Patrick Mallucci, London, GBR
Clinical view of a surgeon: Roy de Vita, Rome, ITA

11.05 – 11.45  Coffee break while visiting the exhibition area
11:45 – 12:45  **THE MARKING SESSION**  
Chair: Günter Germann, Christoph Heitmann  

**Impulse lecture**  
Make measurement for augmentation simple  
Charles Randquist, Saltsjöbaden, SWE

**PRIMARY BREAST AUGMENTATION**  
Who makes the decision about implant sizes: surgeons or patients?  
Patrick Mallucci, London, GBR  
Per Heden, Stockholm, SWE  
Markus Klöppel, Munich, GER  
Roy de Vita, Rome, ITA  
Jie Cai, Beijing, CHN  

Justification of the decisions  
Pitmaster: Michael Scheflan, Tel Aviv, ISR

**Video lecture**  
How to mark a patient for breast reduction  
The I-scar  
Moustapha Hamdi, Brussels, BEL  
The T-scar  
Jutta Liebau, Düsseldorf, GER

12.45 – 13.10  **HYBRID BREAST RECONSTRUCTION**  
Chairmen: Jaume Masia, Jian Farhadi  

**Pro & Contra Discussion**  
The combination of DIEP flap with implant  

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13.10 – 14.00  **Lunch time in exhibition area**
14.00 – 14.15  **KEY NOTE LECTURE II**  
Chair: Alberto Rancati, Visnja Fink  
Prophylaxis and risk reduction  
Seromas, capsular contracture and infection prevention  
Roger Wixtrom, Springfield, USA

14.15 – 15.25  **SESSION MASTECTOMY & RECONSTRUCTION**  
Chair: Alberto Rancati, Visnja Fink  
**MASTECTOMY**  
Review of the literature  
Raymund Horch, Erlangen, GER

Safety of mastectomy flaps  
Lecture 1  
Benjamin Sarfati, Paris, FRA

Lecture 2  
Mahdi Rezai, Düsseldorf, GER

**Video lectures**  
Different techniques in mastectomy  
Areolasparring  
Christoph Heitmann, Munich, GER

Lateral-vertical  
Michael Schelfani, Tel Aviv, ISR

Submammary  
Nicholas Leymarie, Paris, FRA

**PRE-PECTORAL BREAST RECONSTRUCTION**  
Introduction  
Alberto Rancati, Buenos Aires, ARG

Time for paradigm change?  
5 arguments for subpectoral  
Christoph Heitmann, Munich, GER

5 arguments for prepectoral  
Alexandru Bildaru, Bucharest, ROM

Discussion
15.25 – 15.50  
**EDUCATION & TRAINING**  
Chair: Moustapha Hamdi, Markus Lehnhardt  
Future training perspectives for plastic surgeons in ...  
... Europe  
Jaume Masia, Barcelona, ESP  
... South America  
Alberto Rancati, Buenos Aires, ARG  
... North America  
Arash Momeni, Stanford, USA  
... China  
Jie Luan, Beijing, CHN

15.50 – 16.30  
Coffee break while visiting the exhibition area

16.30 – 17.10  
**IBSD CHAMPIONSHIP 2019 – PART 1**  
Moderation: Elmar Stickeler, Alexandru Blidaru  
Germany vs. Rest of the world  
Clinical cases of breast reconstruction and how to solve them  
Referee: Yoav Barnea, Tel Aviv, ISR

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17.10 – 17.45  MANAGEMENT OF COMPLICATIONS IN RECONSTRUCTIVE SURGERY  
Chair: HP van Noot, Katrin Seidenstücker  
How to avoid bad results in donor site area for...  
SGAP-flap  
Moustapha Hamdi, Brussels, BEL  
LD-flap  
Jürgen Terhaag, Eggenfelden, GER  
DIEP-flap  
Phillip Blondeel, Gent, BEL  
TMG-flap  
Ulrich Kneser, Ludwigshafen, GER

17.45 - 18.00 Refreshments for the upcoming Session

18.00 – 19.00  THE GIN TONIC SESSION  
Moderation: Jaume Masia, Günter Germann  
Best case – best save in breast surgery  
In our awarded session „Best case, best save in breast surgery“ five pre-selected cases will be presented by delegates.  
1st place: Micro-surgery instrument of S&T  
2nd place: Free ticket for a breast meeting (Rome, Paris, Barcelona)  
3rd place: Free ticket for IBSD 2020

20.00  Social event / roof top party
ROOF TOP PARTY – FRIDAY, 5 APRIL

ROOF TOP PARTY @ PHOENIX - TWENTY-TWO’S ROOF TERRACE
Friday, April 5, 2019 - 8:00 p.m.

Cosmopolitan flair in the middle of Düsseldorf. The Twenty-Two reveals a unique and breathtaking view over the Düsseldorf skyline. On the 22 floor there is a spectacular roof terrace with a 22 metre long bar and an interior room with exquisite works of art.

Entrance fee is 80,00 Euro and includes party buffet, midnight snack and drinks (wine, beer, soft drinks) from 8.00 p.m. to midnight.

PLEASE NOTE – ADMISSION BY TICKET ONLY!
PROGRAM SATURDAY, 6 APRIL

9.00 – 9.40  AESTHETIC BREAST SURGERY
Chair: Alexander Bach, Oliver Thamm

THE TUBEROUS BREASTS
Definition
Markus Lehnardt, Bochum, GER

Implants and/or fat
Stefano Pompei, Rome, ITA

Two stage procedure
Yoav Barnea, Tel Aviv, ISR

BREAST AUGMENTATION

Sensitivity of the nipple
Günter Germann, Heidelberg, GER

Solving bottoming out and implant malpositioning with PopCorn technique
Charles Randquist, Saltsjöbaden, SWE

Animation deformities – avoiding & prevention
Per Heden, Stockholm, SWE

9.40 – 9.55  KEY NOTE LECTURE III
The „Red Flag Patients“ – how to manage
Peter Cordeiro, New York, USA

9.55 – 10.30  LIPOFILLING FOR AUGMENTATION
Chair: Adrian Dragu, Nicholas Leymane

Impulse lecture
Why does lipofilling work?
Michael Scheflan, Tel Aviv, ISR

Pro & contra discussion

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**ACELLULAR DERMAL MATRICES (ADM) & MESHES**

Chair: Björn Lisboa, Abdallah Abdallah

*What drives me to my decision?*

**ADM & Meshes in immediate breast reconstruction**

- **Braxon**
  - Roland Mett, Schwerin, GER

- **TIGR Matrix**
  - Stefano Pompei, Rome, ITA

- **TILOOP Bra Pocket**
  - Hans-Joachim Strittmatter, Winnenden, GER

- **GalaFLEX**
  - Patrick Mallucci, London, GBR

- **Tutomesh**
  - Christoph Heitmann, Munich, GER

- **SERAGYN BR**
  - Visnja Fink, Ulm, GER

- **SURGIMEND**
  - Michael Scheflan, Tel Aviv, ISR

*Discussion & round table*

Pitmaster: Günter Germann, Heidelberg, GER

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**IBSD CHAMPIONSHIP 2019 – PART II**

Chair: Andrii Zhygulin, Radu Ionescu

*Europe vs. America*

**Clinical cases of aesthetic surgery and how to solve them**

*Referee: Yoav Barnea, Tel Aviv, ISR*

**Europe**

- Stefano Pompei, Rome, ITA
- Per Heden, Stockholm, SWE
- Patrick Mallucci, London, GBR

**America**

- Arash Momeni, Stanford, USA
- Alberto Rancati, Buenos Aires, ARG
- Aldona Spiegel, Houston, USA

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**Lunch time in exhibition area**
13.30 – 13.45  
**KEY NOTE LECTURE IV**  
Sensate breast reconstruction  
Aldona Spiegel, Houston, USA

13.45 – 14.20  
**RECONSTRUCTION – RADIO THERAPY**  
Chair: Jürgen Hoffmann, Stefano Pompei

Is there a standard for RXT protocols throughout countries?  
Karl-Axel Hartmann, Düsseldorf, GER

**RADIATION AND RECONSTRUCTIVE SURGERY**

- How to manage with implants  
  Peter Cordeiro, New York, USA
- How to manage with autologous tissue  
  Phillip Blondeel, Gent, BEL

**NEO-ADJUVANT RADIOTHERAPY**

- The new concept to avoid radiation of reconstructed breasts?  
  Wilfried Budach, Düsseldorf, GER
- Immediate delayed autologous breast reconstruction  
  Aldona Spiegel, Houston, USA

14.20 – 15.05  
**INTERNATIONAL BREAST SURGERY ALLIANCE – IBSA SESSION**  
Chair: Phillip Blondeel, Jaume Masia

Round table & open discussion  
Phillip Blondeel, Jaume Masia,  
Christoph Andree, Stefano Pompei,  
Nicholas Laymanie, Benjamin Sarfati

15.05 – 15.35  
Coffee break while visiting the exhibition area
ABDOMINOPLASTIES
15.35 – 16.10
Chair: Jie Cai, Michael Scheflan

*Impulse lecture*
Tipps and tricks in planning of abdominoplasties
Adrian Dragu, Dresden, GER

Surgical procedure and how to avoid bad outcomes
Charles Randquist, Saltshöbaden, SWE

Revisional surgery after abdominoplasties
Alexander Bach, Eschweiler, GER

AESTHETIC BREAST SURGERY
16.10 – 17.00
Chair: Mazen Hagouan, Jie Luan

*THE PECTUS EXCAVATUM*
Is there a need for custom made implants?!
Yves Harder, Lugano, CH

There is no need for custom made implants!
Alberto Rancati, Buenos Aires, ARG

*BREAST SURGERY AFTER MASSIVE WEIGHT LOSS*

*The female breast*
With implants
Stefano Pompei, Rome, ITA

Just mastopexie technique
Adrian Dragu, Dresden, GER

With implants and mastopexy
Jie Cai, Beijing, CHN

*The male breast*
Incision lines/techniques
HP van Not, Zeeland, NED

Free nipple transfer/pedicled nipple
Andreas Wolter, Düsseldorf, GER

Closing remarks
17.00
Christoph Andree & Team
IBSD ACADEMY – SPECIAL LECTURES & WORK SHOPS

Friday, April 5, 10.10 – 10.55 @ Room Velvet
THE ULTRASOUND WORK SHOP
Ultrasound for evaluating the breast and looking for problems after breast surgery
Jürgen Terhaag, Eggenfelden, GER | Visnja Fink, Ulm, GER

Friday, April 5, 11.45 – 12.45 @ Room Velvet
WORK SHOP Lymphedema - CASE DISCUSSION OF THE EXPERTS
3 experts – 3 cases – 3 opinions?
Katrin Seidenstücker, Düsseldorf, GER | Yves Harder, Lugano, CH | Jaume Masia, Barcelona, ESP

Friday, April 5, 14.15 – 15.00 @ Room Velvet
LATEST TRENDS FOR IMPLANT SURFACES
This work shop will be organized by Allergan
Matthias Reichenberger, Heidelberg, GER | tba

Friday, April 5, 16.30 – 17.15 @ Room Velvet
PRO & CONTRA DISCUSSION – SURGICAL SCAFFOLDS
The use of bioresorbable surgical scaffolds for soft tissue reinforcement in plastic and reconstructive surgery
Patrick Mallucci, London, GBR | Christoph Heitmann, Munich, GER

Saturday, April 6, 9.00 – 9.45 @ Room Velvet
MICRO SURGERY & ANASTOMOSIS
Tipps and tricks for anastomosis techniques in breast reconstruction
Beatrix Munder, Düsseldorf, GER | Mazen Hagouan, Düsseldorf, GER

Saturday, April 6, 10.00 – 10.45 @ Room Velvet
WORK SHOP CHEMOTHERAPY
Basics in using chemotherapy for breast cancer therapy for plastic surgeon
Tanja Fehm, Düssledorf, GER | Mahdi Rezai, Düsseldorf, GER

Saturday, April 6, 11.15 – 12.00 @ Room Velvet
PSYCHOLOGICAL & SOCIAL ASPECTS OF BREAST CANCER
Presentation the concept of a new study
Jaume Masia, Barcelona, ESP

Saturday, April 6, 13.30 – 14.15 @ Room Velvet
BREAST SURGERY IN TRANSGENDER
Part 1: Man to woman – techniques and implant positioning one stage or two stages
Part 2: Woman to man – techniques and free- or pedicled nipple transfer
Andreas Wolter, Düsseldorf, GER
SESSION BEST CASE, BEST SAVE & POSTER SESSION

ACCEPTED CASES

In our awarded session „Best case, best save in breast surgery“ five pre-selected cases will be presented by delegates. Further, from the scientific board selected abstracts will be accepted and presented as a poster in the exhibition area close to the elevators.

At the end of the session will be a live voting by the audience to select the best presentation. The best presentation will be awarded. Each presentation will last six minutes – 4 minutes for the presentation and 2 minutes for questions.

CASE 1 - 18.00 - 18.06:
Katrin Mikolajczik, Klinikum Eggenfelden, GER

CASE 2 - 18.10 - 18.16:
Malak Moubarak, Evangelische Kliniken Gelsenkirchen, GER

CASE 3 - 18.20 - 18.26:
Jerzy Kolasinski, Klinika Kolasinski, POL

CASE 4 - 18.30 - 18.36:
Tarek El-Asfar, St.-Antonius-Hospital Eschweiler, GER

CASE 5 - 18.40 - 18.46:
Lorenz Larcher, Landesweiter Dienst für Plastische Chirurgie, ITA

CASE 6 - 18.50 - 18.56:
Maksym Silvestrov, Spöhenko Clinic, UKR

CASE 7 - 19.00 - 19.06:
Lukas M. Grüter, Sana Klinikum Düsseldorf Gerresheim, GER

1st place: Micro-surgery instrument of S&T
2nd place: Free ticket for a breast meeting (Rome, Paris, Barcelona)
3rd place: Free ticket for IBSD 2020
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MARKING WORKSHOPS – AUGMENTATION & REDUCTION

WORK SHOP AESTHETICS - PRIMARY BREAST AUGMENTATION
How to mark a patient in primary breast augmentation

Schedule:
Thursday, April 4, 14.00 – 15.00 (Matthias Reichenberger, Heidelberg, GER)
Thursday, April 4, 15.30 – 16.30 (Patrick Mallucci, London, GBR)

WORK SHOP REDUCTION - AUGMENTATION & MASTOPEXY
How to mark a patient in breast augmentation with mastopexy

Schedule:
Thursday, April 4, 14.00 – 15.00 (Alberto Rancati, Buenos Aires, ARG)
Thursday, April 4, 15.30 – 16.30 (Roy de Vita, Rome, ITA)

Location:
All workshops will take place at the Hotel Intercontinental Düsseldorf, Room Velvet and Room Satin at the conference level at the first floor.
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.

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”.

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 completed his residency in plastic surgery at the 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 in an invited speaker and faculty in many plastic surgery and breast meetings and has been leading breast symposiums, workshops and roadshows. He is a lecturer in plastic surgery and a tutor of medical students, interns, and residents.

Priv.-Doz. Dr. med. Alexander D. Bach
Alexander Bach is Head of the Department of Plastic and Aesthetic Surgery, Hand surgery 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, Hand Surgery 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.
Professor Dr. Alexandru Bliudaru

- 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 intraclinical 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 Bliudaru 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.

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.

Professor Dr. Adrian Dragu

Prof. Dr. Dragu is full professor and Head of the Department of Plastic and Hand Surgery at the University Hospital Carl Gustav Carus in Dresden, Germany. His clinical focus is based on free microsurgical tissue transplantation – especially autologous breast reconstruction, reconstructive hand surgery and burn surgery. In addition he has profound clinical experience in body contouring after massive weight loss. Prof. Dragu is author and co-author of more than 100 scientific papers in peer-reviewed international journals. In addition he is author of several book chapters. His scientific focus is based on ischemia and reperfusion of tissue and extracorporeal tissue preservation. He is a member of the DGPRÄC, DGCH, DGPW, DAG, DGPS, DGS, DGAW, DGV and chairman of the DGPRÄC for the state of Saxony in Germany.

Peter G. Cordeiro, MD, FACS

Dr. Cordeiro is a renowned onologic 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 holds the William G. Cahan Chair in Surgery at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer where he 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, two books, 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.
Roy de Vita, MD, specialist in Plastic Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery, is since 2002 the Chief of the Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery Department of the National Cancer Institute “Regina Elena” of Rome and he is also Coordinator of the Breast Unit of the same Institute.

His main field of clinical and scientific interest are reconstructive and aesthetic breast surgery, an area in which is widely published.

In his Dept. are performed more than 700 breast surgical reconstructive procedures/year including implant base breast reconstruction, both DTI and 2 stage, and autologous tissue, both microsurgical and pedicle flaps.

In private practice he performs more than 200 breast augmentation/year and 40% of these procedures are for revisional surgery.

Roy de Vita, M.D. is a member of the Italian Society of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery (SICPRE), American Society for Plastic Surgery (ASPS), Italian Society for Surgery (SIC).

Prof. Dr. Tanja Fehm
is the head of the Dept Gyn / OB, University Hospital Duesseldorf and spokesman of the German Society of Gynecological Oncology (AGO e.V.). Her research focus is translational breast cancer research.

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.

Dr. med. Mazen Hagouan
As Assistant Professor of the Medical Faculty of the Heinrich Heine University 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 procedures. In cooperation with the University of Bochum the main research topic is on preadipocytes and its proliferation on Breast Cancer Cells.

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

Moustapha Hamdi, MD, PhD
He was graduated from medical school of Damascus University in 1990 with high honours degree. Ended up in Belgium in where he did his training in general and plastic surgery in Free University of Brussels. He did a fellowship in microsurgery in Glasgow –UK and aesthetic fellowship in Atlanta-USA.

He had worked in Gent University for 10 years. He was entitled Professor in Plastic Surgery after he defenced his PhD thesis in 2007. Currently, he is the head of department of plastic and reconstructive surgery in free university of Brussels. He is also a consultant in Edith Cavell Medical Institute.

Prof. Hamdi is inventor and developer of many techniques in reconstructive and aesthetic breast surgery. He is an international speaker and organizer of many meetings and Courses in breast and aesthetic surgery. His major expertise is breast reconstruction mainly with perforator flaps, however, he has also contributed to many chapters of aesthetic breast and body contouring surgery. He is the world expert in breast lifting using mesh and internal bra system.

Prof. Hamdi is a pioneer in microsurgery and supra-microsurgery; therefore, microsurgical treatment of lymphedema has been one of main interests during the last decade. Combined microsurgical breast reconstruction with lymph nodes and/or lymphovenous bypass present the state of the art in this difficult field.

Finally, Prof. Hamdi is an expert in eyelid surgery and oculoplastic surgery. In addition, he is a co-author of the famous technique in facial rejuvenation, The MACS facelift and NanoFat which have been developed in Belgium and currently the safest way of facial skin rejuvenation. The last invention was the using Nanofat and stem cells for Stria and skin stretch marks treatment.
Prof. Dr. med. Per Hedén

Prof. Dr. Per Hedén is an Associate Professor of Plastic Surgery at Karolinska Institutet in Stockholm, Sweden. He was the pioneer in establishing microsurgical procedures in the Stockholm region in the beginning of the 1980’s and has still a profound interest in reconstructive surgery and a special interest in facial paralysis reanimations. Dr Hedén is also the Founder and Head of Akademikliniken, which is now Europe’s largest private hospital exclusively for plastic surgery: The main hospital in Stockholm has 9 operating theaters and thirty-four overnight beds. Akademikliniken also have several smaller hospitals in Copenhagen, Malmö, Gothenburg and Oslo. In addition to this a number of “Walk in Clinics” are scattered throughout the Nordic countries. In total Akademikliniken today has 25 different units staffed by twenty-two plastic surgeons, along with anesthesiologists and nurses. Skin therapy department,s with skin therapists and dermatologist, are also part of the hospital group. More than 5000 surgical procedures are performed at Akademikliniken in Stockholm alone every year. In addition to this more than 50,000 non-surgical procedures are performed each year.

Dr Hedén is a member of the many international and national plastic surgery societies. He also serves as a jury member, tutor, and a faculty opponent on medical students’ dissertations and a research advisor for young plastic surgeons. Dr. Hedén is regularly called on to review papers for many different international plastic surgery journals. He is also a member of the editorial board of Aesthetic Plastic Surgery Journal and Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery Journlal. Dr Hedén has written the patient information book: “Plastic Surgery and You” published in Swedish 1996. It has since been translated and published in English and Russian. He has also published several book chapters in medical textbooks on the topic of breast augmentation and written close to 100 peer reviewed medical articles.

Dr Hedén has developed several new techniques applying to the use of breast implant devices and he has held a large number of international workshops and lectures on this subject. He has performed a large number of live surgery demonstrations of his techniques in many countries worldwide and he is a frequent presenter and moderator at medical congresses. Dr Hedén has also been a lecturer at medical education programs, participated in clinical studies on breast surgery and has been hosting education events at Akademikliniken, where he shares his knowledge on aesthetic breast surgery with plastic surgeons from numerous countries. Dr Hedén has also been the organizer and president of the international plastic surgery conference “Beauty Through Science” held each year in Stockholm. This conference is now the largest aesthetic medical conference in northern Europe. In 2017 it was attended by close to 1000 participants from 60 countries.

Dr Hedén was also one of the first plastic surgeons in the world to use of Botulinum toxin and Hyaluronic acid fillers. He was part of introducing the first non-animal based HA in 1996 and has since acted as a key opinion leader for different companies in this field. Dr Hedén is well known for his non-surgical facial rejuvenation techniques and he has extensively demonstrated and lectured about around the world.

Prof. Dr. med. Yves Harder

Prof. Harder received his medical degree at the University of Basel, Switzerland and completed his training in Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery at the University Hospital of Bern, 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 musculocutaneous 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 Hand surgery at the Klinikum rechts der Isar, Technische Universität München in Munich, Germany, he has become the head of the Division 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, incl. chronic lymphedema and the ENT-region. He has authored over 100 peer-reviewed scientific publications, books and book-chapters. Currently, his research focuses on the development of easy applicable techniques of tissue preconditioning to decrease perioperative morbidity.

Prof. Dr. Christoph Heitmann, MD, PhD

- Studies at Hannover, Cologne, Mayo Clinic and Duke
- Professor of Plastic Surgery University of Heidelberg
- Private Practice at Munich, Germany (www.heitmann-fansa.de)
- Head of the breast Centre at the English Garden Munich
- Board of the German society of senology
- National delegate of EURAPS

Dr. Juergen Hoffmann

Head of the interdisciplinary breast centre of the University Hospital Duesseldorf and Head of Departement of reconstructive surgery in gynecoology and senology University Hospital Duesseldorf. Representative in Gynecology of the German Academy of Senology (DAS) of the German Society of Senology (DGS).
Dr. med. Markus Klöppel

Dr. Markus Klöppel is a specialist in plastic and aesthetic surgery. After his medical studies in Bonn, Berlin and Munich, for seven years, he has worked very successfully at the Department of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery under the leadership of the internationally renowned Prof. Dr. E. Biemer at the Klinikum Rechts der Isar of the Technical University Munich. For his scientific work, which focused on increasing vascularity in body tissue, skin and muscles, he received a multi-year research grant from the German Research Foundation (DFG) as well as numerous scientific awards and prizes. Study visits to Harvard Medical School (Boston, Massachusetts), the Groote Schuur Hospital (University of Cape Town, South Africa) and many other institutions were key stages in his professional career. Still today Dr. Klöppel is collaborating closely with university research departments for ensuring continuously the highest level regarding medical, scientific and surgical techniques.

Since 2005, he has had his own practice clinic in the MediCenter München-Solln, where he treats patients from all over the world, as well as at the latrocs Clinic in Munich. He is specialized in aesthetic surgery of the face, breast and body and provides aesthetic correction options at the most modern, highest international level – including endoscopic procedures in breast augmentation and facelifting. Since 2017, he has been an international speaker for the renowned company Merz Aesthetics and member of the Competence Center of Mentor. In addition to the german DGPRÄC and VDÄPC, he is a member of the leading international guild of the ASAPS and the ISAPS.

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

is currently full professor and director/ chairman of the Department of Plastic and Hand Surgery and Head of the Laboratory for Tissue Engineering and Regenerative Medicine at the Friedrich Alexander University Erlangen-Nuernberg FAU University Hospital in Germany. He has been appointed to this position in January 2003.

Doctor Horch was trained as a general surgeon at the Rheinische Friedrich-Wilhelms-University Bonn, served as a scientific advisor to the medical service of health insurances and became a Plastic and Aesthetic Surgeon at the Klinikum Cologne-Merheim / University Witten-Herdecke. He was then incremental in building up the Laboratory for Tissue Engineering at the Albert-Ludwigs-University of Freiburg, where he served as a vice chairman of the Department of Plastic and Hand Surgery until he was appointed at the University Erlangen-Nuernberg from January 2003 to now.

He was highly acclaimed with numerous prestigious scientific awards and merits including honorary doctorates and professorships and was appointed as a honorary member of the Romanian Academy of Science. He acted as President of the German Society of Plastic Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgeons DGPRÄC as well as a member of the presidium of the German Society of Surgery DGCH from 2015 until 2017 (currently acting as past president). He is involved in numerous academic committees and is also serving as the spokesman of all Surgical Departments and Divisions of the University Hospital Erlangen at FAU.

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 Dresden.

For his research he 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.

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 oncolgic 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. 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

graduated at medical school in Freiburg, Germany including her medical thesis in transplant surgery. After one year experience in maxillofacial surgery at the University of Münster she attended Hannover Medical School for Plastic surgery. She is now head of departement of plastic and aesthetic surgery, Florence-Nightingale-Hospital Düsseldorf, Germany and Medical Director since 2016. Specialized in breast and facial surgery and body contouring.

Professor Luan Jie

Basic Medical Qualification:
University awarding the Basic Medical Degree: Qingdao Medical College
Post Graduate qualification:
University awarding the Post Medical Degree: Peking Union Medical College

Clinical Experience:
9/85 - 8/88: Resident in the Hospital Affiliated to Qingdao Medical College.
9/93 - 9/99: Attending Surgeon in Plastic Surgery Hospital of CAMS, PUMC.
10/99 - 8/04: Assistant Professor in Plastic Surgery Hospital of CAMS, PUMC.
9/04 - Present: Professor in Plastic Surgery Hospital of CAMS, PUMC.

Current Appointments:
- Vice Dean and professor of Plastic Surgery Hospital, PUMC, CAMS.
- President of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery Society of CMA.
- President of Breast Plastic Surgery Society of CAPC.
- Vice Editor, Chinese journal of aesthetic and plastic surgery.
- Editorial committee member, Chinese journal of medical aesthetics and cosmetology.
- Editorial committee member, Journal of Tissue Engineering and Reconstructive Surgery

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 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.

Patrick Mallucci, MD


In 1996 he was awarded the higher post graduate degree of Doctorate in Medicine (MD) having spent two years at University College London developing the concept of scarless wound healing. He was awarded the Fellowship of the Royal College of Surgeons in Plastic Surgery, FRCS(Plast) in 1998.

Mr Mallucci is entered into the GMC Specialist Register for Plastic Surgery. He is a full member of the British Association of Plastic Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgeons (BAPRAS) and the British Association of Aesthetic Plastic Surgeons (BAAPS). He is currently a Consultant Plastic Surgeon at The Royal Free and University College London Hospitals.

His Private practice is based at The Cadogan Clinic in Chelsea.

Mr Mallucci has published comprehensively within the Plastic Surgery Literature throughout his career and presents his work internationally at Plastic Surgery Conferences and is most recently reknowned for his extensive research into “The Perfect Breast” a paper that has been published worldwide. He is actively involved in teaching both at undergraduate and postgraduate level. He has also been highly involved with the media through BBC documentaries, news items and chat shows.
Dr. Arash Momeni is an Assistant Professor of Surgery and Director of Clinical Outcomes Research in the Division of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery at Stanford University. He graduated with magna cum laude honors from the Johannes Gutenberg University (Mainz, Germany). After completing his Plastic Surgery and Hand Surgery training at the University of Freiburg (Germany), Dr. Momeni completed a second residency in Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery at Stanford University. This was followed by a fellowship in Advanced Reconstructive Microsurgery at the University of Pennsylvania.

Dr. Momeni’s clinical practice focuses on complex reconstructive surgery of the breast, head and neck, trunk, and extremities. He has a particular focus on autologous breast reconstruction, hybrid breast reconstruction, as well as flap neurotization for the purpose of improving sensory return following post-mastectomy reconstruction.

Dr. Momeni is recognized nationally and internationally for his research in clinical outcomes after microsurgical reconstruction and Evidence-based medicine (EBM). In addition to having authored over 150 peer-reviewed publications, he is the author of numerous chapters in major plastic surgery textbooks. He speaks regularly at national and international meetings and is an ad hoc reviewer for numerous scientific journals, including Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, Journal of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery (JPRAS), Journal of Reconstructive Microsurgery, and Aesthetic Plastic Surgery. Additionally, he is the Associate Editor of Annals of Plastic Surgery and serves on the Editorial Board of leading plastic surgery journals, including Microsurgery and European Journal of Plastic Surgery.

Dr. med. Roland Mett
- 09/1985-09/1987 Resident, Institute of Pathology Schwerin, Schwerin Clinics Specialization in surgical pathology
- 09/1987-09/1991 Surgical Resident, Departement of General Surgery, Schwein Clinics
- 10/1991 Board certification in General Surgery
- 10/2000-12/2004 Senior consultant for Breast and Aesthetic Surgery, Departement of General Surgery, Schwein Clinics
- 01/2005-08/2009 Senior Consultant and executive director of the Department of Breast and Aesthetic Surgery, General Surgery, HELIOS Clinics Schwerin
- 01/2009 Board certification for Plastic and Aesthetic Surgery
- since 09/2009 Director of the Department of Plastic, Aesthetic and Reconstructive Surgery, HELIOS Clinics Schwerin
- 01/2012 Certified Senior Breast Surgeon at Schwerin Breast Center
- 01/2015 Part of the Onkologic Center of the HELIOS Clinics Schwerin
- 10/2018 Certification in reconstructive Breast Surgery, Director of the Reconstructive Breast Center, HELIOS Clinics Schwerin

Prof. Jaume Masia
Prof. Jaume Masia is currently Full Professor and Director of the Department of Plastic Surgery at Sant Pau Hospital - Universitat Autonoma de Barcelona. He received his Medical Degree at Barcelona University, and his PhD at Universitat Autonoma 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 Autonoma de Barcelona.

Prof. Masia was President of the Spanish Society of Plastic Surgery (SECPR) 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 Autonoma 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.

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
- Author and co-author of 127 National and International Scientific Publications
- Standing Member of the Italian Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery Society
- Main Clinical Activities: Breast Reconstruction , Head and Neck Reconstruction , Microsurgery, PostTrauma Reconstruction (Face and Limbs), Cosmetic Surgery.
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.

Dr. med. Mahdi Rezai

- 1975-1981: medical school of duesseldorf-university
- 1982: promotion, Heinrich Heine University Düsseldorf
- 1990 - 1997: senior assistant in department of senology in Gerresheim Duesseled
- since 1997: Medical Director of the European Breast Center Düsseldorf at the Luisenhospital, Düsseldorf

Since 2007 medical director of European Academy of Senology, which was founded by Prof Veronesi (EIO) and Rezai. The academy offers an concerted and specialized training in all fields of senology based on national and international guidelines – is a contribution to the improvement of doctor’s in there qualifications and knowledge in Breast disease.

Dr. Charles Randquist

Dr Randquist has been a Board Certified Plastic surgeon since 1996 and received his degree at Karolinska Institute and Karolinska University Hospital, Stockholm and Sahlgrenska University Hospital, Gothenburg, sub-specializing in Microsurgery.

In the year 2000 he opened his own private hospital, Victoriakliniken (www.victoriakliniken.com).

Due to his experience since 1996 with form-stable, anatomical implants, his main focus became primary and re-constructive breast surgery. Over the years he has conducted studies on implants by various manufactures trying to understand the multi-level complexity of these procedures and the impact of different texturing, gels, shape and surgical technique on outcomes. Currently he is one of the FDA investigators of Establishment Labs and Motiva Implants.

Since 2005 Dr Randquist offers Preceptorships in „How to run your best breast practice“ based on the principals of the 5 P’s in his clinic, emphasizing on how to create predictable outcomes with less short-/ and long-term complications.

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**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 developed 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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**Michael Scheflan, MD**

ISAPS professor of Plastic Surgery, Board certified in General Surgery and Plastic Surgery. Private Practice. Tel- Aviv, Israel.

- Medical school: Switzerland and Israel
- General Surgery training: New York (Albert Einstein & Mount Sinai University) and Boston (Harvard University)
- Plastic Surgery training Atlanta Georgia,( Emory University)
- Past affiliations: Medical College of Virginia, Tel Aviv Medical Center.
- Past president – Israel Society of Plastic Surgeons
- Past president _ Mediterranean Society of Plastic Surgeons
- Member of ISAPS, IPRAS, ASAPS, ASPS, ISPS
- Past National Secretary for ISAPS Israel

Author of more than 150 publications, books and chapters on:
- Breast Reconstruction, ADM and Tissue reinforcement, Breast Aesthetics, Breast implants, Fat grafting, Body Contouring, Facial rejuvenation

Recipient of:
- Carl Moyer Award. (ABA 1978)
- James Barrett Brown Award (AAPS 1984)
- Raymond Villan award (ASAPS 1986, 1995)
- Malliniac lecture Award, (ASPS 2013)
- Best international collaboration paper Award. (PRS GO 2015)
- Breast Reconstruction leader ambassador (Alpheon 2015)

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**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 were 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.

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**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 subspecialities 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.

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**Priv.-Doz. Dr. Oliver C. Thamm**

is Head of the Department of Plastic and Aesthetic Surgery at HELIOS Clinic Berlin-Buch. He attended medical school in Hamburg and Madrid and was graduated as Board-certified Plastic Surgeon in Cologne Merheim Medical Center. He is specialized in reconstructive and aesthetic breast surgery and general microsurgical reconstruction of soft tissue defects after trauma or oncologic surgery. His scientific background is stem-cell induced regenerative Medicine in the field of wound healing. Dr. Thamm is leading the german burn registry and is member of the extended executive board of the German Burn Society.
Dr. Aldona J. Spiegel, MD

Dr. Aldona J. Spiegel is an Associate Professor at Weill Cornell School of Medicine and the Director of the Center for Breast Restoration, at Houston Methodist Hospital. Her main field of clinical expertise and scientific interest is advanced breast reconstruction procedures. She specializes in autologous muscle-preserving perforator flaps and has performed over a thousand microsurgical reconstructive procedures. In addition, she focuses on functional aspects of breast restoration, including lymph node transfer and has pioneered techniques for restoration of sensation in microsurgical breast procedures. Dr. Spiegel also specializes in composite breast reconstruction techniques after nipple sparing mastectomy, direct to implant breast reconstruction, and fat grafting procedures.

Dr. Spiegel was born in Warsaw, Poland and grew up in Canada. She received her Doctorate in Medicine from the University of Ottawa. She trained in general surgery at Johns Hopkins in Baltimore Maryland and completed her plastic surgery residency and microsurgery fellowship at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston Texas, and is board certified by the American Board of Plastic Surgery. She has authored two textbooks and has written over 50 articles and book chapters and has given over 200 lectures around the world. Dr. Spiegel is recognized by her peers and has been voted to Super Docs, Houston Top Docs, Castle Connolly’s Top Docs and US News and World Report Top Doctors. She has authored two textbooks and has written over 50 articles and book chapters and has given over 200 lectures around the world. Dr. Spiegel is recognized by her peers and has been voted to Super Docs, Houston Top Docs, Castle Connolly’s Top Docs and US News and World Report Top Doctors. She actively participates in the plastic surgery resident training program and instructs residents in the highly skilled area of microsurgical breast reconstruction.

Dr. Jürgen Terhaag

- 1982-1989 Student, Universities of Göttingen, Bochum, Essen and Ulm
- 1989-1991 Civil Service as Intern in Göppingen, Teaching Hospital of the University of Ulm (O&G)
- 1991-1992 Intern in McCord Hospital Durban, South Africa
- 1992-1993 Resident at the Marienhospital in Ratingen (O&G)
- 1993-1996 Resident at the Margaretenhospital in Schwäbisch Gmünd
- 1996-1998 Consultant at the Margaretenhospital in Schwäbisch Gmünd
- 1998-1999 Consultant at the Kreiskrankenhaus Geislingen/Steige, Specialising in Gynaecological Oncology
- 1998-2005 Consultant at the Womans Clinic in Rheinfelden, Specialising in Gynaecological Oncology
- 2005-Present Chief Consultant of O&G and of the Breast Unit at the Rotal Inn Klinik in Eggenfelden
- 2011-Present Consultant for Breast Surgery at the Kreiskrankenhaus Mühldorf am Inn
- 2016-Present Shareholder of the Medical Care Unit in Eggenfelden, specialised on Gynaecological Oncology

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.

Dr. med. Andreas Wolter, M.D., FEBOPRAS

Study of Medicine at RWTH Aachen Germany from 1999 to 2006. Common trunk absolved as Resident Surgeon at Kliniken der Stadt Köln gGmbH, Cologne, Department of General, Vascular and Transplantation Surgery (Prof. Dr. M. Haiss), University of Witten-Herdecke from 2006 to 2008.

Resident Surgeon from 2008 to 2010 at Kliniken der Stadt Köln gGmbH, Cologne, Department of Thoracic Surgery, University of Witten-Herdecke (Prof. Dr. E. Stoelben).

Resident Surgeon from 2010 to 2014 at Kaiserswerther Diakonie, Florence-Nightingale Hospital, Düsseldorf, Department of Plastic and Aesthetic Surgery (Prof. Dr. J. Liebau).

German Board Examination for Plastic and Aesthetic Surgery in 2013 in Düsseldorf. European Board Examination for Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery (EBOPRAS) in 2015 in Helsinki, Finland.

Formal Attending Surgeon at Kaiserswerther Diakonie, Florence-Nightingale Krankenhaus, Düsseldorf, Department of Plastic and Aesthetic Surgery (Prof. Dr. J. Liebau) from 2014 to 2017.

Attending Surgeon at SANA Hospital Düsseldorf-Gerresheim, Department of Plastic and Aesthetic Surgery, Interdisciplinary Breast Center (Prof. Dr. C. Andree) from 2014 to 2017. Attending Surgeon and Head of Section Postbariatric Surgery, Liposuction and Transgender Breast Surgery at SANA Hospital Düsseldorf-Gerresheim, Department of Plastic and Aesthetic Surgery, Interdisciplinary Breast Center (Prof. Dr. C. Andree) from 2018 until now.
Andrii Zhygulin, MD

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

• 2019 Founder and chief of the first international one-week educational course “Oncoplastic and reconstructive breast surgery in multidisciplinary approach” for breast surgeons, organized in framework of Central-Eastern Europe Consortium of breast Surgeons, Kyiv, Ukraine

• 2018 Co-organizer of Central-Eastern European Consortium of Breast Surgeons

• 2016 Bronze Best Video Award on ESSO Congress, Krakow, Poland

• 2015 – Present Founder and chief of the two-weeks educational course (twice a year) “Oncoplastic and reconstructive surgery and modern breast cancer treatment” for local breast surgeons, Kyiv, Ukraine

• 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018 Founder and scientific director of the first Ugainian International Breast Conference, Kyiv, Ukraine (Full Membership of Breast Centres Network since 2013)

• 2009 One month fellowship in Kaplan medical center, Rehovot, Israel

• 2007- 2015 Head of surgical department in LISOD Hospital of Israeli Oncology, 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 polytrauma, municipal emergency hospital, Kyiv, Ukraine

Dr. Radu Ionescu

Is a Board Certified Plastic Surgeon based in Bucharest, Romania. Studied medicine at University “Carol Davila” of Bucharest, Romania, where he received his degree in medicine. He continued his training in plastic surgery at the Military Hospital of Bucharest, Romania and he became in 2006 specialist of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery at University “Victor Babes” of Timisoara, Romania. To the same university in 2011 he obtained “Medic Primar” Board Certification. He is also, from 2019, Chairman of the Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery Department at Monza Metropolitan Hospital. Before that, from (2013-2019), Chairman of the Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery Department at Medlife Hospital Group, the leading private network of hospitals in Romania, (2007-2013) he was the Chairman of the Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery Department at Regina Maria Hospital Group.

He is a full member of Romanian Association of Plastic Surgeons, Romanian Society of Aesthetic Surgery and American Society of Plastic Surgeons where he was appointed member of the board and member in different committees. He is also member of Plastic and Reconstructive Committee at Romanian College of Physicians.

His skills are focussed breast surgery, specially: breast augmentation and mastopexy. Also he have an European prize for adiposse stem cell inovations. In the latest years, he was involved in research of BIA-ALCL with multiples international presentations, beeing Chairman of Romanian BIA-ALCL Committe and member of Global Network BIA-ALCL of PSN (ASPS), representing Romania. In several publications and worldwide lectures, he presented new surgical techniques for breast augmentation and mastopexy also inovations in immediat breast reconstruction. He was consultant and speaker for Allergan, Mentor and Motiva.

Professor Dr. med. Dr. phil. Dr. theol. h. c. Eckhard Nagel

Professor Dr. med. Dr. phil. Dr. theol. h. c. Eckhard Nagel is Executive Director of the Institute of Medical Management and Health Sciences (IMG) at the University of Bayreuth.

Until April 2016 he was member of the German Ethics Council and 2010 - 2015 Chief Executive and Medical Director of the University Hospital Essen.

As a physician and philosopher, Eckhard Nagel has always been interested in superior structures of healthcare beyond his practical work as transplant surgeon. The basis of both, strategic and medical decisions is an important field of interest. His analyses reflect the tension between the medical rationale and the economic rationale.
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The Fluobeam® is fully controlled by the surgeon from the optical head, handled over the surgical field. A dedicated cart and panel PC allow users to easily visualize images in either operating rooms and/or in clinics.

We will be pleased to show our device during IBSD, so please feel free to pay a visit to our booth. For more information: www.fluoptics.com

Human Med AG is the worldwide leading manufacturer of water-jet assisted products for the plastic, reconstructive and aesthetic surgery, based in Schwerin, Germany.

The world famous water-jet technology (WAL) has become a benchmark in natural body contouring. Human Med has many years of experience in water-jet dissection that allows precise control and delicate tissue handling. Building on this experience, the technique of Water-jet Assisted Liposuction and Lipotransfer (WAL) provides optimal solutions in aesthetic body contouring, reconstructive surgery and treatment of soft tissue defects, scars or chronic wounds for patients and physicians.

Today’s water-jet assisted systems manufactured by Human Med meet the highest demands of a fast-growing market of autologous fat harvesting and transfer for the correction of soft tissue defects, scar repair and wound healing.

The latest innovation, the Q-graft® system, and the ongoing development of water-jet assisted systems for harvesting and separating of regenerative cells (SVF und ASC/MSC) from fat tissue for regenerative medicine will sustainably support the vision of Human Med AG.

Further information: www.humanmed.com

Integra is the global forerunner in the development of dermal regeneration. Its unique expertise has given it a leadership position in reconstructive plastic surgery and the regenerative medicine industry. The collagen that Integra produces mimics the natural collagen present in the human body and has been used successfully in more than 10 million procedures worldwide.*

Learn more at www.integralife.com

Medtronic

Further Together

As a global leader in medical technology, services and solutions, Medtronic improves the health and lives of millions of people each year. We believe our deep clinical, therapeutic and economic expertise can help address the complex challenges — such as rising costs, aging populations and the burden of chronic disease — faced by families and healthcare systems today. But no one can do it alone. That’s why we’re committed to partnering in new ways and developing powerful solutions that deliver better patient outcomes.

Founded in 1949 as a medical repair company, we’re now among the world’s largest medical technology, services and solutions companies, employing more than 85,000 people worldwide, serving physicians, hospitals and patients in more than 155 countries. Join us in our commitment to take healthcare Further, Together.

Learn more at Medtronic.com.

pfm medical is an internationally operating, medium-sized family company based in Germany, offering solutions in the field of healthcare. For more than 40 years we have successfully developed, manufactured, and distributed quality products, while simultaneously offering reliable service. From our headquarters in Cologne, we direct the activities of our locations both within Germany and abroad.

Our thoughts and actions are focussed on the type of therapeutic success which improves a patient’s quality of life, as well as offering the best possible working conditions for users in hospitals, practices, care facilities, and laboratories.

Our products, services, and treatment portfolio cover our medical focus fields of infusions, surgery, histotechnology and cardiovascular technologies. We consistently develop our solutions in collaboration with leading medical practitioners and partners, may it be for the treatment of patients in hospitals, rehabilitation facilities or in outpatient care. In this way we can offer flexible, individual solutions for the relevant context.
TRICONmed GmbH is founded in 2007 with serious experience since more than 15 years in development and distribution of medical products before.

We started with the distribution of Jobskin® compression garments for burn-scars and mainly the related “Scar Therapy” of several brands. All our brands are chosen with the highest interest in quality, efficiency and reliability.

Our main effort is to be a reliable and qualified partner for our customers. Since 2012 we are the first and only distributor in Germany for the TIGR mesh, the first 100% synthetic and 100% resorbable mesh with two stage resorption.

We do our best to improve the living quality of people.

TRICONmed - we provide the best service to your business.

For 30 years, Sebbin has been designing, manufacturing and marketing silicone implants for Aesthetic and Reconstructive surgery. Its range of round and anatomical breast implants with smooth, microtextured or textured envelope allows answering the needs of surgeons and their patients with a choice of more than 400 references. Its tissue expanders of various shapes, its glutal, calf, testicular, facial implants and nasal stents are there to complete the silicone family range. Sebbin is also active on the lipomilling market with its Fat Washer single-use material. By the way, Sebbin also markets Meso BioMatrix®, an acellular peritoneum matrix designed and developed by DSM. More efficient, this surgical mesh provides an easy handling for surgeons and the necessary strength to reinforce soft tissue in breast reconstruction procedures.

In order that patients benefit from innovative solutions and first-class services, Sebbin is present in direct through its subsidiaries in Belgium, Germany, Switzerland, Spain, and in the UK as well as in 60 countries through its distribution network.

Sebbin develops also partnerships with companies such as AnatomikModeling (custom-made implants designed in 3D by CAD) for thoracic reconstruction purpose or Crisalix (3D simulation software) for breast augmentation purpose.

Do not hesitate in consulting our website on www.sebbin.com for more information.

TapMed Medizintechnik Handels GmbH is a German-based distributor of innovative, high-grade medical and technical products for international manufacturers.

We are the exclusive representative in Germany for the following products:

- Braxon - pre-shaped ADM for one-step prepectoral breast reconstruction – Decomed (Italy)
- NATIVE - ADM sheet for breast reconstruction – Decomed (Italy)
- Microvascular anastomotic COUPLER, MicroClips – MCA Synovis (USA)
- LipoSculptor PAL650E – MicroAire (USA)
- LipoFilter, Fat transfer system – MicroAire (USA)
- Compression garments – Design Veronique (USA)
- Surgical instruments – Stille Surgical AB (Sweden)
- NEW: NEUROLAC®, NEUROCAP®, VIVOSORB® – flexibility in PNR – Polyganics (Netherlands)
- NEW: INSORB absorbable skin stapler – Incisive (USA)

The Eisacktal Valley is one of the most popular holiday regions in South Tyrol and extends along the North-South axis from the Brennerpass to the province capital of Bolzano. In the heart of this landscape and only eight kilometres from the picturesque town of Brixen, lies St. Andrä, at the foot of the beautiful skiing and hiking area of mount Plose.

The spectacular new My Arbor hotel opened in May 2018 at an altitude of 960 metres in a peaceful spot on the edge of a forest and in close proximity to the valley station of the Plose cable car. With its slope-side setting and unique architecture, the four-star superior wellness hotel appears to float in the tree tops.

From the modern luxury suites (there are four suite categories to choose from), guests can enjoy a fantastic view over the valley and surrounding peaks. Specialities from South Tyrolean and Italian cuisine are served in the My Arbor restaurant. Pampering of the finest from head to toe is promised by the ‘Spa Arboris’. In the (2,500 sqm) spa, guests can enjoy five saunas as well as an ice spring. The experienced team of the beauty centre offers treatments using products from top local brands Vitalis Dr. Joseph and Trehs as well as the Swiss KOSHO label. Spa treatments are based on trees – the combination and beneficial effect of the local tree varieties (larch, Swiss pine, mountain pine and spruce), bring body, soul and mind into unison.
Tepha, Inc. is a medical device firm pursuing the development, manufacture, and commercialization of innovative products based on the company’s proprietary biomaterial technology. Built upon the knowledge of MIT scientists, the technology provides a new class of absorbable biomaterials for medical applications, known as PHAs, which may be tailored to meet unmet needs for medical devices in multiple fields.

As a wholly owned subsidiary of Tepha, Inc., Galatea Surgical, Inc. was acquired in 2012 with the commitment to enhance and extend the life of aesthetic procedures through the use and application of a next generation in biomaterials, P4HB™ (poly-4-hydroxybutyrate) Biopolymer. By providing both patients and surgeons monofilament, bioresorbable devices that enable the patient’s own body to generate new tissue, a stronger repair can be obtained with the goal of achieving longer, more enduring results. With its proprietary monofilament, bioresorbable scaffold, Galatea Surgical is “where science meets art.”

TEOXANE Laboratories is a Swiss group with international scope and expertise in aesthetic medicine. Established in 2003 in Geneva, it specializes in the design and manufacture of hyaluronic acid-based injectable implants. The first fillers, released on the market in 2004, were immediately successful and opened the way to the development of a full range of products responding precisely to the needs and characteristics of each anatomical area.

The range of products made of 100% non-animal origin resorbable hyaluronic acid combines Safety, Efficacy and Durability. Thanks to the brand’s three core values Teoxane products are recognized for their quality and have enabled it to be propelled to the third place in the world ranking of hyaluronic acid-based filling implant manufacturers. With 10 years of clinical experience behind it, Teoxane Laboratories is now recognized by aesthetic physicians, dermatologists and plastic surgeons in over 90 countries worldwide.

For more information, please visit www.teoxane.com

Eschenbach Medical GmbH

Your specialist for postoperative treatments.

Ralf Eschenbach founded the company in 2011 with the aim of supporting the healing process of the customers with individual and innovative medical products after an operation. The company’s product range is the result of continuous development and product optimization. We market u. a. the products of CAROMED® International, Sculptures Compression Wear / USA and GABOL Cosmetics from Italy. These products are ideally matched to the needs of patients in terms of quality, fit and functionality. An intensive exchange with physicians, plastic surgeons, patients and nurses led to the current product portfolio.

The products of CAROMED® and SCULTURES are manufactured in North Carolina, USA with the highest quality materials in selected weaving mill to produce according to our strict guidelines the quality that the conscientious doctor and patients demand. We use only the best zippers, hooks and eyelets available on the market. Each product is carefully selected to produce quality and cut and sew with precision.

Gabol Cosmetics was founded with the goal of offering functional and highly innovative products. In collaboration with doctors, dermatologists, toxicologists and chemists, research is developing the latest ingredients. Both herbal and biotechnological and synthetic, to bring to market cosmetic products that promote the well-being of the skin and help fight problems and imperfections. Whereby they follow their own functional mechanisms, taking full account of their physiology.
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