



Course

2nd Comprehensive Berlin Anatomy Course

Anatomical Basics for Neurosurgery

8. - 10. December 2023

Venue

Dissection Hall and Seminar Room, BeST-CAT
Campus Charité Mitte, Philippstraße 11, 10115 Berlin
● Wilhelm-Waldeyer Haus (Center for Anatomy)



Organizer

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Registration

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Maximum number of participants: 30
Fee: 1450 Euro per participant

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Scientific Director

Prof. Dr. Peter A. Winkler

Local Host

Prof. Dr. Peter Vajkoczy

Invited Lecturers

Bruneau Michail, Professor, Department of Neurosurgery, Vrije Universiteit Brussels, Belgium
Capilla-Guasch Pau, Dr. med., Servicio de Neurocirugía, Hospital Clínico Universitario de Valencia, Spain
Ebner Florian, Professor and Chairman, Department of Neurosurgery, Krupp-Krankenhaus Essen
Froelich Sebastien, Professor and Chairman, Hospital Universitaire Paris, France
Krishnan Kartikeyan G., Priv.-Doz. Dr. med., Klinik für Neurochirurgie, Bad Soden – Frankfurt, Germany
Raabe Andreas, Professor and Chairman, Inselspital, University of Berne, Switzerland

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Faust Katharina, PD. Dr., Head of Intraoperative Functional Mapping Program, Neurosurgery – BCN
Onken Julia, PD. Dr., Head of BCN Training Academy
Picht Thomas, Professor of Digital Neurosurgery
Jöns Thomas, Professor of Anatomy and Head of the Berlin Simulation- and Training Center | BeST
Vajkoczy Peter, Professor and Chairman, Neurosurgery
Winkler Peter A., Em. Professor and Chairman, Visiting Professor Researcher at Charité – Universitätsmedizin Berlin, Neurosurgery

Tutors

PD Dr. Nils Hecht, Dr. Anna-Gila Karbe, Dr. Martin Misch, Dr. Anna Zdunczyk (Charité – Universitätsmedizin Berlin, Neurosurgery)
Dr. Torsten Weiß (BeST-CAT)
PD Dr. Ottavio Santino Tomasi (Salzburg Paracelsus University Department of Neurosurgery)

Dear young Neurosurgeons and esteemed Colleagues

we cordially invite you to participate in our highly anticipated second hands-on course, "Anatomical Basics of Neurosurgery," taking place from December 8th to 10th, 2023, at the prestigious Berlin Simulation and Training Center (BeST) of the renowned Charité University Hospital.

This unique course embraces an innovative approach, aiming to provide an unparalleled learning experience that seamlessly integrates intricate neuroanatomical theory with practical, hands-on exploration. Over the course of three comprehensive days, you will engage in a transformative microneurosurgical neuroanatomical training program.

Building upon the success of Prof. Dr. Peter A. Winkler's acclaimed Salzburg Anatomy Course with human specimens, we have further enhanced the learning environment. Our state-of-the-art 4K3D presentation technology will be employed, augmented by a groundbreaking fixation technique that allows for real-time and comprehensive exploration of neuroanatomical structures, even after craniotomy and dural opening.

We are thrilled to provide you with an instructive and captivating experience, filled with valuable insights and stimulating discussions. Join us this December in the vibrant city of Berlin and embark on a remarkable journey that will deepen your understanding of neurosurgery's anatomical foundations.

Wishing you enriching and captivating days with us in Berlin!

Programme

Friday, December 8, 2023

- 08:00 **Registration and Welcome Reception**
- 08:45 **Introduction** Prof. Dr. Peter Vajkoczy, Chairman
Opening Prof. Dr. Peter A. Winkler, Course Director
- Hands-on Sessions will start with short Introductory Lectures and Dissection Checklists. Participants will be guided throughout the Dissection by Expert Anatomical Demonstration*
- 09:00 **Craniocerebral Topography of Hemispheres and Lateral Ventricles**
A Hands-on Peter A. Winkler
- 10:00 **Pterional Approach to the Sylvian Fissure and Basal Cisterns**
B Hands-on Peter Vajkoczy, Peter A. Winkler
- 11:30 **Splitting of the Sylvian Fissure - the Way to the Carotid Artery**
C Hands-on Andreas Raabe
- 01:00 Lunch
- 02:00 **Functional Anatomy of White Matter and Tracts**
D Lecture and Anatomical Demonstration of Preformed Specimen Peter A. Winkler
- 02:30 **Functional Anatomy and Topography of the Basal Ganglia**
E Lecture and Anatomical Demonstration on Preformed Specimens Katharina Faust, Peter A. Winkler
- 03:00 **Approaches to Midline Structures and III. Ventricle**
F Hands-on Peter A. Winkler
- 06:00 Evening at Leisure in Berlin

Saturday, December 9, 2023

- 08:00 **Skull Base and Related Structures**
G Lecture and Anatomical Demonstration Peter A. Winkler

- 09:00 **Brainstem and Related Approaches**
Retrosigmoidal approach - Subtemporal without and with anterior petrosectomy
H Hands-on Michael Bruneau, Froelich Sebastián, Pau Capilla-Guasch, Peter A. Winkler
- 12:00 Lunch
- 01:00 **Cerebellum and Related Approaches**
I **Horizontal fissure - Median suboccipital approaches with lateral enlargement and telovelar approach**
Hands-on Peter A. Winkler
- 02:00 **Temporomesial Region and Related Approaches**
J **Visualization of the Different Approaches to the Temporomesial Region and Study of the Anatomy around the Brain Stem**
Case Discussion Julia Onken, Peter A. Winkler
- 04:00 **K. Parietooccipital Region and Atrium Ventriculi**
K Hands-on Pau Capilla-Guasch, Peter A. Winkler
- 08:00 Working Dinner together in Berlin - Place: t.b.a.

Sunday, December 10, 2023

- 08:00 **Cerebral Venous System and Surgical Implications**
L Lecture and Anatomical Demonstration Florian Ebner, Peter A. Winkler
- 09:00 **Supra- and infratentorial Exploration of the Pineal Region**
M Hands-on Pau Capilla-Guasch, Peter A. Winkler
- 11:00 Break
- 11:30 **Subfrontal Approach and Maximal Exposure including Cranial Nerves I – III, Liljequist-Membrane and the Basilar Artery**
N Hands-on Pau Capilla-Guasch, Peter A. Winkler
- 01:00 **Recalcitrant Wound healing Problems and Exophytic Brain Tumours – A Reconstruction Algorithm**
O Lecture and Case Discussion Kartik G. Krishnan
- 02:00 End, Course Evaluation, Certificates and Farewell