



Luzerner Kantonsspital

ENDOVASCULAR THERAPY OF PERIPHERAL ARTERIAL DISEASE

Wednesday, October 21st, 2026

Thursday, October 22nd, 2026

Lucerne Cantonal Hospital

Dear colleagues,

Endovascular therapy plays a central role in the contemporary management of peripheral arterial disease. Continuous advancements in device technology, imaging techniques, and procedural approaches have substantially expanded the spectrum of endovascular interventions, allowing for the effective treatment of increasingly complex arterial lesions with durable outcomes.

This advanced-level workshop is designed for physicians with established experience in interventional therapy who aim to further refine their technical skills and procedural decision-making. Following a concise theoretical introduction, the course places a strong emphasis on structured, hands-on training in the catheter laboratory.

Working in small groups, participants will perform advanced endovascular interventions for complex iliac and femoro-popliteal disease, with a focus on technical execution, device selection, and the management of challenging anatomical and procedural scenarios.

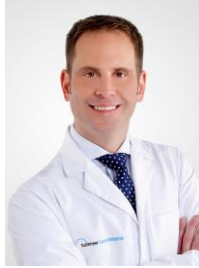
We look forward to welcoming you to this advanced hands-on course.

Prof. Dr. med. Aljoscha Rastan

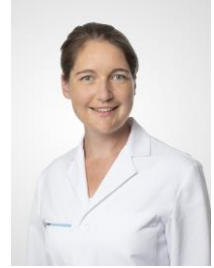
The workshop tutors



Prof. Dr. med.
Aljoscha Rastan
Chefarzt Angiologie



KD Dr. med.
Thorsten Grumann
Leitender Arzt



Dorothee Hellenschmidt
Leitende Ärztin

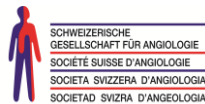


Dr. med.
Vasile Bocsa
Oberarzt



Dr. med.
Matthias Mohn
Oberarzt

Supporting Societies



Program 1st Day

Wednesday, October 21st, 2026

09:00	Registration
09:20	Welcome and participant introductions
09:40	Procedures on the iliac arteries: stents, endoprosthesis, mechanical devices KD Dr. med. Thorsten Grumann
10:10	Procedures on the femoro-popliteal arteries: balloons, stents, atherectomy devices Dr. med. Vasile Bocsa
10:40	Coffee break
11:00	Procedures on the infrapopliteal arteries: balloons, stents, trans-tibial, and -pedal recanalizations, mechanical devices Prof. Dr. med. Aljoscha Rastan
11:30	Get to know the devices – simulator training
12:20	Lunch Break
13:05	Cath lab interventions and live-in-the-box cases discussions: iliac, femoro-popliteal, and infrapopliteal artery procedures Prof. Dr. med. Aljoscha Rastan, KD Dr. med. Thorsten Grumann, Dr. med. Vasile Bocsa, Dr. med. Matthias Mohn
16:40	End of 1st day
18:45	Get together and dinner

Program 2nd Day

Thursday, October 22nd, 2026

09:00

Group 1:

Cath lab interventions – iliac, femoro-popliteal, and infrapopliteal artery procedures

Group 2:

Simulator training, live-in-the-box cases, and periprocedural complication management

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10:15 – 10:45

Coffee break (optional)

13:00

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flexible time

Lunch / coffee break

14:15 – 14:45

Coffee break (optional)

16:00

Final words and farewell

16:15

End of 2nd day

General Information

Organization

- Lucerne Cantonal Hospital
Department of Angiology
Kantonsspital 10, 6004 Lucerne,
Switzerland

For all matters relating to the workshop
mail to rahel.buehler@luks.ch.

Workshop Leader

- Prof. Dr. med. Aljoscha Rastan,
Department of Angiology
Lucerne Cantonal Hospital

Workshop Location

- Lucerne Cantonal Hospital
Kantonsspital, Haus 10



Credits

- Swiss Society of Angiology:
Accredited with 12 educational credits
- Swiss Society for Vascular Surgery:
Accredited with 11 educational credits

Fees and Charges

- The participant's fee of CHF 650 covers the following expenses:
 - Course organization
 - Rent for the venue
 - Rent of hands-on models and medical devices
 - Catering including lunch and coffee breaks
 - *Accommodation and travel expenses are not covered*

Registration

- Online via luks.ch/angio-advanced
- The number of workshop participants is limited to 8.

Payment

- After registering, you will receive a confirmation email. We ask you to settle the invoice within 10 days by bank transfer to

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- Cancellation of workshop participation is possible until September 1, 2026. In the event of a later cancellation, the workshop fee cannot be refunded.

