

ENGLISH PROGRAM

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June 18<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup> 2026



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# DOC goes green

## SUSTAINABILITY INITIATIVE

“The congress goes green” - against the background of this idea, the organizer has established a concept under the patronage of the scientific sponsor DOC e.V. has established a concept to make the DOC more sustainable. This starts with sustainable travel by means of a **congress train ticket at reduced price**, is based on the ecological idea of **reducing the number of printed products** and continues with the support of the Nürnberg Messe and with the involvement of the service providers.

Each speaker/chairman, participant and exhibitor will be provided with a **free ticket for the DOC congress for the use of public transport within Nuremberg** to make traveling more comfortable.

### Cooperation with PRIMAKLIMA e.V. to compensate for the personal CO<sub>2</sub> footprint.

Congress travel produces greenhouse gases. Especially the arrival and departure, but also the means of transport on site influence our personal CO<sub>2</sub> footprint. Air travel is a particularly significant factor here. Traveling is therefore most sustainable if the destination can be reached without a plane, but by train, for example.

The DOC Congress would like to offer all participants and exhibitors the opportunity to reduce the CO<sub>2</sub> emissions caused by their travel to and from the congress by supporting certified projects of the PRIMAKLIMA association.

For orientation, you will find the exemplary amount of CO<sub>2</sub> emitted:

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Independently of this, the DOC Congress will donate four trees per speaker/chairperson to filter CO<sub>2</sub> from the atmosphere.

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## Greetings by Dr. Scharrer

Dear Colleagues



The 38<sup>th</sup> International Congress of German Ophthalmic Surgery (**DOC**) will take place from 18 - 20 June in Nuremberg.

Renowned experts will present innovations and further developments and discuss the gold standards of ophthalmic surgery with the audience. Practical ophthalmic surgery will be given plenty of space in wetlabs and courses, so that comprehensive, practical training and further education is guaranteed.

In addition to the **Master Class courses**, which provide an excellent overview of a sub-area of ophthalmic surgery/ophthalmology, the surgical courses are also being continuously expanded. The aim of the surgical courses is to provide participants with a clear **surgical procedure**, divided into individual steps, supplemented by explanations of the indications and post-operative follow-up treatment.

In **pro & con sessions**, the speakers present their point of view and discuss it with the audience.

**Video Live Surgery** will also take centre stage in 2026. Video Live Surgery provides detailed information about the intraoperative management of difficult surgical situations. This time, the **Video Live Surgery Festival** comes from the University Eye Clinic in Homburg/Saar.

**Consilium diagnosticum, Consilium therapeuticum and Consilium retinologicum** are in high demand and an important part of DOC. DOC-Updates in the fields of cataract, glaucoma and retina describe the gold standard in these fields.

The symposium “**AI in ophthalmic surgery and ophthalmology**” provides us with the latest insights into the impact of artificial intelligence in our field. The **Management in Clinic and Practice seminar series**, as well as the **symposia on strabology and elective services (IGeLSymposium)**, continue to attract considerable interest.

The **seminar for the ophthalmologist's practice is of particular** importance for all colleagues in clinics and practices.

The DOC offers a separate, comprehensive, top-class programme (**OAP programme**) for **ophthalmological assistants in clinics and practices, i.e. MFAs, surgical nurses and administrative staff.**

Simultaneous translation German-English will be offered for our international guests on all 3 days in the large hall Tokio. We look forward to your participation in the 38th DOC from 18 - 20 June 2026 in Nuremberg!

Yours



Dr. med. A. Scharrer  
President

Your programme committee



H. Agostini, Freiburg



G.U. Auffarth, Heidelberg



S. Bopp, Bremen



Th. Dietlein, Köln



C. Hintschich, München



P. Hoffmann, Castrop-Rauxel



T. Klink, München



M.C. Knorz, Mannheim



T. Kohnen, Frankfurt a.M.



R.M. Menapace, Wien



G. Petzold, Kulmbach



C. Schier Wyss, Binningen



B. Seitz, Homburg/Saar



S. Zweifel, Zürich

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# The new **DOC** homepage is here!

Optimized and adapted to all end devices, our new homepage replaces the DOC-APP.

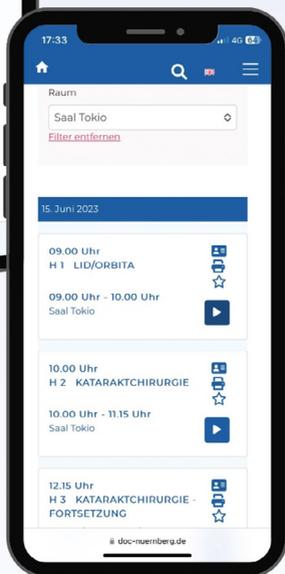


**We show you  
„What’s on now?“.**

**Simply look at the start  
page during the congress  
and immediately see the  
current program.**

With numerous filter options, you can choose the program points most suitable for you.

-  Download the session to your calendar as an .ics file in your Outlook calendar
-  Print whole sessions directly and easily
-  Load sessions or single lectures into your personal timetable



## More information

During registration, you will be shown directly when courses overlap in time.

With your account in the participant management portal, you will receive all invoices and certificates in digital form in the future.

You can access your documents at any time.



Thursday  
June 18<sup>th</sup> 2026



## Main lectures

*Simultaneous interpreting (German/English)*

08.30 - 10.05 am



Lecture hall Tokio

### 1. Main Session

#### GLAUCOMA

**Chairs:** *Thomas Dietlein, Köln · Inga Kersten-Gomez, Bochum*

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|------------------|---|
| 08.30 - 08.40 am | <b>How does the optic nerve OCT change after intraocular surgery?</b><br>Claudia Lommatzsch, Münster  |
| 08.40 - 08.45 am | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 08.45 - 08.55 am | <b>What influence do cataract surgery and YAG laser capsulotomy have on intraocular pressure in glaucoma patients?</b><br>Thomas Dietlein, Köln |
| 08.55 - 09.00 am | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 09.00 - 09.10 am | <b>DSLT – more than a storm in a teacup?</b><br>Inga Kersten-Gomez, Bochum  |
| 09.10 - 09.15 am | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 09.15 - 09.25 am | <b>When trabeculectomy, when filtering stent? An update</b><br>Thomas Klink, München  |
| 09.25 - 09.30 am | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 09.30 - 09.40 am | <b>Uveal spacer – first results of a new implant</b><br>Verena Prokosch, Köln   |
| 09.40 - 09.45 am | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 09.45 - 10.00 am | <b>KEYNOTE Lecture</b><br><b>The EGS Guide on Bleb Surgeries: fresh from the press</b><br>Ingeborg Stalmans, Leuven (Belgien)                   |
| 10.00 - 10.05 am | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 10.05 - 10.45 am | <b>Break – Visit the industrial exhibition</b>  |

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## Main lectures

*Simultaneous interpreting (German/English)*

10.45 - 11.30 am



Lecture hall Tokio

### 2. Main Session

#### GLAUCOMA – CONT.

**Chairs:** *Thomas Klink, München · Verena Prokosch, Köln*

10.45 - 10.55 am **How well can the surgical success of glaucoma surgery be predicted?**

Nils Loewen, Frankfurt

10.55 - 11.00 am

**Discussion**

11.00 - 11.15 am

#### **CURRENT CONTROVERSY:**

**Selective laser trabeculoplasty – can it be repeated several times?**

**YES**

Anton-Bernhard Hommer, Wien (5 min.)

**NO**

Randolf Widder, Düsseldorf (5 min.)

**Discussion** (5 min.)

11.15 - 11.30 am

#### **CURRENT CONTROVERSY:**

**Invasive glaucoma surgery in advanced age?**

**YES**

Karsten Klabe, Düsseldorf (5 min.)

**NO**

Lutz Pillunat, Dresden (5 min.)

**Discussion** (5 min.)

11.30 - 12.30 pm

**Lunch break – Visit the industrial exhibition**

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## Main lectures

*Simultaneous interpreting (German/English)*

12.30 - 02.05 pm



Lecture hall Tokio

### 3. Main Session

#### CATARACT

**Chairs:** *Rupert Menapace, Wien · Peter Hoffmann, Castrop-Rauxel*

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|------------------|---|
| 12.30 - 12.40 pm | <b>Which diagnostics before cataract surgery with premium IOLs – how do I recognize the no-gos?</b><br>Suphi Taneri, Münster  |
| 12.40 - 12.45 pm | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 12.45 - 12.55 pm | <b>Contrast sensitivity after cataract surgery – what is relevant with which IOLs?</b><br>Christina Leydolt, Wien   |
| 12.55 - 01.00 pm | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 01.00 - 01.10 pm | <b>“Spiral optics” for presbyopia correction: hype or gamechanger?</b><br>Achim Langenbucher, Homburg   |
| 01.10 - 01.15 pm | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 01.15 - 01.25 pm | <b>Laboratory vs. clinical performance of presbyopia-correcting IOLs:</b><br><b>To what extent are optical bench results translatable to patient outcomes?</b><br>Damien Gatinel, Paris |
| 01.25 - 01.30 pm | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 01.30 - 01.40 pm | <b>Hydrophilic IOLs: what are the problems, and how should they be assessed?</b><br>Gerd U. Auffarth, Heidelberg  |
| 01.40 - 01.45 pm | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 01.45 - 02.00 pm | <b>KEYNOTE LECTURE</b><br><b>Development and current significance of toric IOLs</b><br>Georg Gerten, Köln   |
| 02.00 - 02.05 pm | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 02.05 - 02.45 pm | <b>Break – Visit the industrial exhibition</b>  |

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## Main lectures

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02.45 - 04.15 pm



Lecture hall Tokio

### 4. Main Session

#### CATARACT SURGERY – CONT.

**Chairs:** *Christina Leydolt, Wien · Ramin Khoramnia, Dresden*

02.45 - 02.55 pm

#### Posterior buttonholing – technique & results

Rupert Menapace, Wien

02.55 - 03.00 pm

#### Discussion

03.00 - 03.10 pm

#### (Why no) further development of cataract femtosecond laser?

Theo G. Seiler, Zürich

03.10 - 03.15 pm

#### Discussion

03.15 - 03.30 pm

#### CURRENT CONTROVERSY:

##### Filter IOL – yes or no?

##### YES

Thomas Kohnen, Frankfurt

(5 min.)

##### NO

Gabor Scharioth, Recklinghausen

(5 min.)

##### Discussion

(5 min.)

03.30 - 03.45 pm

#### RAPID FIRE

##### What will you do differently this year?

– Which presbyopia-reducing solutions are in routine use?

– Which lens if the capsular bag is defect?

– Short-term IOL exchange after primary implantation – which technique?

– Incision sup vs. temp

– I/A koax vs. biax

Peter Szurman, Sulzbach/Saar · Stefanie Schmickler, Ahaus

03.45 - 04.15 pm

#### ROUND TABLE CATARACT

##### Perioperative management after cataract surgery

##### Antibiotics?

Yes/no/which ones? CS and/or NSAIDs? For how long?

Bandage yes/no?

Red telephone? Initial check-up when? In person or by telephone?

Prescription glasses/final check-up when?

Moderation: Anja Liekfeld, Potsdam

Panelists: Peter Hoffmann, Castrop-Rauxel · Ramin

Khoramnia, Dresden · Heike Krüger, Bünde ·

Christina Leydolt, Wien

04.15 - 05.00 pm

#### Break – Visit the industrial exhibition



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## Main lectures

Simultaneous interpreting (German/English)

05.00 - 06.30 pm



Lecture hall Tokio

### 5. Main Session

#### VIDEO LIVE SURGERY

**Chairs:** *Susanne Binder, Wien · Silvia Bopp, Bremen · Gábor B. Scharioth, Recklinghausen*

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|------------------|---|
| 05.00 - 05.15 pm | <b>New minimally invasive, vitrectomy-free technique for treating submacular hemorrhages</b><br>Lyubomyr Lytvynchuk, Gießen |
| 05.15 - 05.22 pm | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 05.22 - 05.37 pm | <b>Resection of a choroidal melanoma</b><br>Nikolaos E. Bechrakis, Essen  |
| 05.37 - 05.44 pm | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 05.44 - 05.59 pm | <b>Macular lamellar hole</b><br>Mathias Maier, München  |
| 05.59 - 06.06 pm | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 06.06 - 06.21 pm | <b>Pupil reconstruction with artificial iris</b><br>Christian Mayer, Offenburg  |
| 06.21 - 06.30 pm | <b>Discussion</b>   |

The video live surgery is included in the day pass (corresponding to the day) / permanent pass and does not have to be booked separately.

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## FORUM\*

02.30 - 04.00 pm

Lecture hall St. Petersburg

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### FORUM EYE SURGERY IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES: "CORNEAL SURGERY IN AFRICA – WHAT IS REASONABLY POSSIBLE?"

**Chair:** *Rudolf F. Guthoff, Rostock · Raimund Balmes, Ahlen*

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|------------------|--|
| 02.30 - 02.40 pm | <b>Introduction with overview of the relevance of corneal diseases in low and middle income settings</b><br>Ute Dibb, Freiburg |
| 02.40 - 02.50 pm | <b>The role of contact lenses in low and middle income settings</b><br>Christiane Paschke, Detmold                             |
| 02.50 - 03.00 pm | <b>Management of corneal diseases in Mengo Hospital Uganda</b><br>Fabian Fries, Homburg-Saar                                   |
| 03.00 - 03.10 pm | <b>Screening tool for Keratokonus in low and middle income settings</b><br>Andreas Götz, Rostock                               |
| 03.10 - 03.20 pm | <b>Corneal cross linking in low and middle income settings</b><br>Paul-Rolf Preussner, Mainz                                   |
| 03.20 - 03.30 pm | <b>Corneal transplantation in Sub Sahara Africa – a field report</b><br>Frank Wilhelm, Greifswald                              |
| 03.30 - 03.40 pm | <b>Management of corneal diseases in Morocco</b><br>Mohammed Belmekki, Hay Riad  |
| 03.40 - 04.00 pm | <b>Round table discussion</b>  |



\* The forum is free of charge and does not have to be booked! However, booking a day / permanent pass is a prerequisite!

09.00 - 11.00 am



Wetlab Room 3

**D-KAT 1**
**BEST IN CLASS APPLICATION OF YAG LASER TECHNOLOGY –  
“KNOWING YOUR TOOLS”**
**Moderation:** *Karl Brasse, Eibergen (Niederlande)*

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|------------------|--|
| 09.00 - 09.15 am | <b>Theoretical aspects: Get to know technical details of your laser / Plasma formation, micro-cavitation laser cavity etc / Observation, illumination, targeting and treatment beam / Off and on Axis (coaxial) illumination</b><br>Asem Hizzani, Vreden |
| 09.15 - 09.20 am | <b>Discussion</b>  |
| 09.20 - 09.35 am | <b>Practical aspects: Patient positioning, head stability to avoid a moving target / Essential check ups before laser treatment / Contact Lenses – Why and Which and how to keep them in perfect shape</b><br>Karl Brasse, Eibergen (Niederlande)        |
| 09.35 - 09.40 am | <b>Discussion</b>  |
| 09.40 - 10.40 am | <b>Hands on laser surgery: Target alignment, anterior and posterior offset, anterior and posterior offset / Practical laser exercise with Teflon target plates and Intraocular Lenses</b><br>Karl Brasse, Eibergen (Niederlande)                         |
| 10.40 - 10.55 am | <b>Safety aspects: Avoiding IOL pits and drills, capsular floaters, ocular pressure spikes / A coursebook will be provided</b><br>Karl Brasse, Eibergen (Niederlande)  |
| 10.55 - 11.00 am | <b>Discussion</b>  |

Cataract surgery procedures and complication management are intensively trained with the help of the EyeSi Surgical eye surgery simulator. You will learn the cataract surgery procedure and practise, among other things, capsulorhexis, phacoemulsification techniques, cortical clean-up, intraocular lens implantation, etc. Special situations such as capsulorhexis under Vision Blue in mature cataracts, procedures for anterior capsule tears or posterior capsule ruptures, and other complications are also presented and practised on the simulator. Colleagues who are familiar with and experienced in surgery and the system will give you tips and help you improve your individual surgical skills.

**Participation fee:** 180,- €\*

\* Booking a day / permanent pass is also a prerequisite!

\* **Punctual attendance at the beginning of the Drylabs is requested. If the participant is not in the corresponding course room within 10 minutes after the start of the course, the participant's right to participate in the course is forfeited. A legal claim to participation or a subsequent admission to the corresponding room or to reduction or refund of participation fees as well as further assertion of claims is excluded, since the punctual presence is a prerequisite for the regulated course sequence, preparation or introduction, etc. and mediation of the planned course contents with the respective practical exercises.**

**Friday**  
**June 19<sup>th</sup> 2026**



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Simultaneous interpreting (German/English)

08.00 - 09.30 am



Lecture hall Tokio

### 6. Video Live Surgery Festival

#### FROM THE UNIVERSITY EYE CLINIC HOMBURG

**Moderation:** *Christos Haritoglou, München · Lyubomyr Lytvynchuk, Gießen · Rupert M. Menapace, Wien*

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| 08.00 - 08.18 am | <b>Femtosecond laser-assisted PKP with liquid interface</b><br>Berthold Seitz, Homburg/Saar |
| 08.18 - 08.36 am | <b>Excimer laser-assisted DALK</b><br>Loay Daas, Homburg/Saar                               |
| 08.36 - 08.54 am | <b>Trabeculotomy / Canaloplasty</b><br>Elias Flockerzi, Homburg/Saar                        |
| 08.54 - 09.12 am | <b>ILM peeling with inverted flap in macular hole</b><br>Shady Suffo, Homburg/Saar          |
| 09.12 - 09.30 am | <b>Platinum chain implantation in the upper eyelid</b><br>Fabian Fries, Homburg/Saar        |

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09.45 - 11.40 am



Lecture hall Tokio

7. Main Session

**GENERAL SESSION**

**Moderation:** *Michael C. Knorz, Mannheim · Susanne Binder, Wien · Armin Scharrer, Nürnberg · Peter Hoffmann, Castrop-Rauxel · Rupert M. Menapace, Wien · Christos Haritoglou, München*

09.30 - 09.35 am

**Greetings from the PRESIDENT**

Armin Scharrer, Nürnberg

09.35 - 09.45 am

**DOC 2026: HONORS**

**Introduction into the Ophthalmology Hall of Fame Germany**

Bernd Bertram, Aachen

09.45 - 09.50 am

**DOC RESEARCH AWARD**

Berthold Seitz, Homburg/Saar

09.50 - 09.55 am

**DOC AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENTS IN FURTHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

Anja Eckstein, Essen

09.55 - 10.00 am

**PRIZE FOR BEST ePOSTER**

(NN)

10.00 - 10.20 am

**DOC LECTURE:**

**Amniotic membrane use in retinal detachment surgery**

Stanislao Rizzo, Rom (Italien)

10.20 - 10.40 am

**DOC INNOVATORS LECTURE (ALBRECHT VON GRAEFE LECTURE):**

**Rewriting Vision: The Science of What's Coming Next – From Biology to Breakthroughs**

Rohit Shetty, Bangalore (Indien)

10.40 - 11.00 am

**DOC RIDLEY LECTURE**

**Ridley's idea, our reality: A historical perspective on IOL innovation**

Thomas Kohnen, Frankfurt

11.00 - 11.20 am

**RICHARD P. KRATZ LECTURE**

**Cataract Surgery on the Edge: A Parforce Ride through surgical challenges**

Tun Kuan Yeo, Singapur

11.20 - 11.40 am

**MEYER-SCHWICKERATH LECTURE**

**Outpatient retinal/vitreous surgery in Germany**

**Medical feasibility, implementation, political environment**

Silvia Bopp, Bremen

11.45 - 12.45 pm

**Break – Visit the industrial exhibition**



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## Main lectures

*Simultaneous interpreting (German/English)*

12.45 - 01.45 pm



Lecture hall Tokio

### 8. Main Session

#### CORNEA

**Chairs:** *Philip Maier, Freiburg · Berthold Seitz, Homburg*

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| 12.45 - 12.55 pm | <b>EndoArt – fake or meaningful?</b><br>Björn Bachmann, Köln   |
| 12.55 - 01.00 pm | <b>Discussion</b>  |
| 01.00 - 01.10 pm | <b>Keratoconus surgery between crosslinking and keratoplasty – CAIRS and Bowman layer transplantation</b><br>Bader Khayat, Starnberg   |
| 01.10 - 01.15 pm | <b>Discussion</b>  |
| 01.15 - 01.25 pm | <b>Why has the DALK rate in Germany remained at 3% – paradigm shift?</b><br>Loay Daas, Homburg/Saar  |
| 01.25 - 01.30 pm | <b>Discussion</b>  |
| 01.30 - 01.45 pm | <b>CURRENT CONTROVERSY: INFECTIOUS KERATITIS</b><br><b>Conservative treatment as long as possible</b><br>Martina Herwig-Carl, Bonn<br><b>Operate as early as possible</b><br>Philip Maier, Freiburg<br><b>Discussion</b> |

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## Main lectures

*Simultaneous interpreting (German/English)*

01.45 - 03.45 pm



Lecture hall Tokio

### 9. Main Session

#### REFRACTIVE SURGERY

**Chairs:** Michael C. Knorz, Mannheim · Omid Kermani, Köln

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| 01.45 - 01.55 pm | <b>AI in preoperative diagnosis and planning</b><br>David Beckers, Rheine   |
| 01.55 - 02.00 pm | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 02.00 - 02.10 pm | <b>Re-operations after refractive surgery</b><br>Wolfgang Herrmann, Regensburg  |
| 02.10 - 02.15 pm | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 02.15 - 02.25 pm | <b>KLEX or Femto – future directions</b><br>Michael C. Knorz, Mannheim  |
| 02.25 - 02.30 pm | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 02.30 - 02.45 pm | <b>RAPID FIRE – WHICH SURGERY IS OPTIMAL?</b><br><b>Bds +1 sph -2zyl 90°, 30 Y.</b><br><b>Bds +0,5 sph and presbyop, reading glasses +2, 55 Y.</b><br><b>Bds -2,5 sph, 45 Y.</b><br><b>Bds -6,0 sph -1 zyl. 0°, pupil 7,5 mm, cornea 530 µm</b><br><b>right -2,0 sph left -7,0 sph, 35 Y., only wears glasses</b><br>Anne Hunold, Aachen · Ramin Khoramnia, Dresden |
| 02.45 - 03.00 pm | <b>CURRENT CONTROVERSY:</b>   |
| 02.45 - 02.50 pm | <b>Monovision</b><br>Thomas Neuhann, München  |
| 02.50 - 02.55 pm | <b>vs. Presby-LASIK</b><br>Omid Kermani, Köln   |
| 02.55 - 03.00 pm | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 03.00 - 03.45 pm | <b>Break – Visit the industrial exhibition</b>  |

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## Main lectures

*Simultaneous interpreting (German/English)*

03.45 - 04.30 pm



Lecture hall Tokio

### 10. Main Session

#### REFRACTIVE SURGERY – CONT.

**Chairs:** *Michael C. Knorz, Mannheim · Thomas Kohnen, Frankfurt*

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| 03.45 - 03.55 pm | <b>Dry eye in the refractive consultation</b><br>Tobias Neuhann, München                             |
| 03.55 - 04.00 pm | <b>Discussion</b>  |
| 04.00 - 04.10 pm | <b>The light-adjustable IOL – the perfect simultaneous-vision IOL</b><br>Burkhard H. Dick, Bochum    |
| 04.10 - 04.15 pm | <b>Discussion</b>  |
| 04.15 - 04.25 pm | <b>Modern full-range-of-vision IOLs: are trifocal IOLs obsolete?</b><br>Gerd U. Auffarth, Heidelberg |
| 04.25 - 04.30 pm | <b>Discussion</b>  |

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## Main lectures

*Simultaneous interpreting (German/English)*

04.30 - 06.10 pm



Lecture hall Tokio

### 11. Main Session

#### INNOVATIONS IN OPHTHALMOLOGY

**Moderation:** *Susanne Binder, Wien · Michael C. Knorz, Mannheim*

**Panel:** *Gerd Auffarth, Heidelberg · Burkhard Dick, Bochum · Nicole Eter, Münster*

04.30 - 04.40 pm

**What's new in the anterior eye segment?**

Burkhard Dick, Bochum

04.40 - 04.50 pm

**What's new in the posterior eye segment?**

Nicole Eter, Münster

04.50 - 05.05 pm

**KEY NOTE LECTURE**

**Surgical Education and AI**

David Lockington, Glasgow (UK)

05.05 - 05.10 pm

**Discussion**

05.10 - 05.17 pm

**SHARK TANK**

**Eyelin Pro – Digital OCT – Aberrometry System**

Abhishek Kumar, Wien

05.17 - 05.25 pm

**Discussion**

05.25 - 05.32 pm

**Haidy: Intelligent documentation of findings for everyday clinical practice**

Jannis Schönleber, Olten

05.32 - 05.40 pm

**Discussion**

05.40 - 05.47 pm

**3D-printed artificial cornea**

Amos Eitan, Greensboro (USA)

05.47 - 05.55 pm

**Discussion**

05.55 - 06.02 pm

**Biometry scanner App – easy and efficient biometry calculation**

Mayank A. Nanavaty, Brighton (UK)

06.02 - 06.10 pm

**Discussion**

**End of Day**

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**Saturday**  
**June 20<sup>th</sup> 2026**



## Main lectures

*Simultaneous interpreting (German/English)*

08.30 - 10.25 am



Lecture hall Tokio

### 12. Main Session

#### RETINA

**Chairs:** *Silvia Bopp, Bremen · Hansjürgen Agostini, Freiburg*

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| 08.30 - 08.40 am | <b>Liquid biopsy: ocular tumor diagnostics from blood?</b><br>Salvatore Grisanti, Lübeck  |
| 08.40 - 08.45 am | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 08.45 - 08.55 am | <b>Retinal ischemia: role of widefield FA and OCT-A</b><br>Sebastian Bemme, Göttingen   |
| 08.55 - 09.00 am | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 09.00 - 09.10 am | <b>Anti-VEGF therapy 2.0: new drugs between safety and effectiveness</b><br>Armin Wolf, Ulm   |
| 09.10 - 09.15 am | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 09.15 - 09.25 am | <b>Vitreoretinal extreme surgery: limits and sense</b><br>Spyridon Dimopoulos, Tübingen   |
| 09.25 - 09.30 am | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 09.30 - 09.40 am | <b>Microsurgical scleral buckling</b><br>Lyubomyr Lytvynchuk, Gießen  |
| 09.40 - 09.45 am | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 09.45 - 09.55 am | <b>Different surgical approaches for different macular holes</b><br>Tamer H. Mahmoud, Rochester (USA)   |
| 09.55 - 10.00 am | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 10.00 - 10.05 am | <b>DOC SCIENCE AWARD RETINA</b>   |
|                  | <b>Laudatory speech and award presentation to Heinrich Heimann</b><br>Heinrich Heimann, Liverpool (UK) · Susanne Binder, Wien · Hansjürgen Agostini, Freiburg |
| 10.05 - 10.20 am | <b>KEYNOTE LECTURE</b>  |
|                  | <b>Intravitreal Methotrexate for PVR</b><br>Marco A. Zarbin, Newark (USA)   |
| 10.20 - 10.25 am | <b>Discussion</b>   |
| 10.25 - 11.15 am | <b>Break – Visit the industrial exhibition</b>  |

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**Main lectures**

*Simultaneous interpreting (German/English)*

08.30 - 01.30 pm



Lecture hall Tokio

**13. Main Session**

**RETINA – CONT.**

**Chairs:** *Susanne Binder, Wien · Sandrine Zweifel, Zürich*

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| 11.15 - 11.30 am | <b>Current Controversy</b>   |
|                  | <b>Floaterctomy – clinically relevant or luxury problem?</b>         |
|                  | <b>Pro</b>   |
|                  | Silvia Bopp, Bremen  |
|                  | <b>Contra</b>  |
|                  | Martin Spitzer, Hamburg  |
|                  | <b>Discussion</b>  |
| 11.30 - 12.00 am | <b>ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION RETINA:</b>                                |
|                  | <b>Proliferative diabetic retinopathy – IVOM, Laser, Vitrectomy?</b> |
|                  | Moderation: Christos Haritoglou, München                             |
|                  | Panel: Lars-Olof Hattenbach, Ludwigshafen · Sandra                   |
|                  | Liakopoulos, Frankfurt am Main · Focke                               |
|                  | Ziemssen, Leipzig · Sandrine Zweifel, Zürich                         |
| 12.00 - 01.30 pm | <b>Break – Visit the industrial exhibition</b>                       |

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## Main lectures

*Simultaneous interpreting (German/English)*

01.30 - 02.30 pm



Lecture hall Tokio

### 14. Main Session

#### EYELID / ORBITA

**Chairs:** *Christoph Hintschich, München · Karl-Heinz Emmerich, Darmstadt*

01.30 - 01.40 pm

#### **Endocrine orbitopathy – what can we do?**

Aylin Garip-Kübler, München

01.40 - 01.45 pm

#### **Discussion**

01.45 - 01.55 pm

#### **Blepharoplasty: what do patients really want?**

Vladimir Kratky, Kingston (Kanada)

01.55 - 02.00 pm

#### **Discussion**

02.00 - 02.10 pm

#### **Botulinum and fillers: what do patients really want?**

Ines Lanzl, Prien

02.10 - 02.15 pm

#### **Discussion**

02.15 - 02.25 pm

#### **KEYNOTE LECTURE:**

#### **Lessons learned in 40 years of oculoplastic practice**

Jeffrey A. Nerad, Cincinnati (USA)

02.25 - 02.30 pm

#### **Discussion**

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## Main lectures

*Simultaneous interpreting (German/English)*

02.30 - 04.00 pm



Lecture hall Tokio

### 15. Main Session

#### COMPLICATION MANAGEMENT IN CATARACT SURGERY

#### INTERACTIVE VIDEO SESSION WITH PANEL AND AUDIENCE DISCUSSION

**Moderation:** *Daniel Mojon, St. Gallen · Nicola Vandemeulebroecke, Düsseldorf*

**Panel:** *Katharina Krepler, Wien · Catharina Latz, Berlin · Siegfried G. Priglinger, München · Gábor B. Scharioth, Recklinghausen · Rohit Shetty, Bangalore (Indien) · Catharina Latz, Berlin*

**End of Congress**

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# Industry



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During the conference, visitors are invited to enjoy a comprehensive industry exhibition with exhibits and information material from medical technology and pharmacy in Hall 7a.

**Opening hours of the industrial exhibition:**

|           |                            |                     |
|-----------|----------------------------|---------------------|
| Thursday, | June 18 <sup>th</sup> 2026 | 09.00 am - 05.30 pm |
| Friday,   | June 19 <sup>th</sup> 2026 | 09.00 am - 05.30 pm |
| Saturday, | June 20 <sup>th</sup> 2026 | 09.00 am - 05.00 pm |

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|---|------------------------------|-------------------|
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| Alcon Deutschland GmbH                                    | Exhibition booth; Sponsoring | 116,134.00 €      |
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|---|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| bon Optic Vertriebsgesellschaft mbH                       | Exhibition booth             | 28,115.60 €              |
| BRUMABA GmbH & Co. KG                                     | Exhibition booth             | 12,425.60 €              |
| Celltrion Healthcare Deutschland GmbH                     | Exhibition booth; Sponsoring | 23,540.00 €              |
| Chiesi GmbH   | Exhibition booth             | 2,916.80 €               |
| Ciliatech SAS   | Exhibition booth             | 8,350.40 €               |
| Custom Surgical / deepeye Medical GmbH                    | Exhibition booth             | 7,694.80 €               |
| Dieter Mann GmbH  | Exhibition booth             | 20,914.00 €              |
| Doctolib GmbH   | Exhibition booth             | 5,711.60 €               |
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| Eyeteq GmbH   | Exhibition booth             | 27,498.00 €              |
| FCI S.A.S.  | Exhibition booth             | 5,711.60 €               |
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| HOYA Surgical Optics GmbH                                 | Exhibition booth; Sponsoring | 51,476.00 €              |
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| humanvision ag  | Exhibition booth             | 4,004.40 €               |
| i.com medical GmbH  | Exhibition booth             | 5,633.60 €               |
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| INNOFORCE Est.  | Exhibition booth             | 2,994.80 €        |
| INVITALIS GmbH  | Exhibition booth             | 2,916.80 €        |
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| Kowa Medical Care Europe GmbH                             | Exhibition booth             | 11,119.20 €       |
| LiKoMed GmbH  | Exhibition booth             | 13,674.40 €       |
| Lohmann & Rauscher GmbH & Co. KG                          | Exhibition booth             | 5,789.60 €        |
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| Mediconsult   | Exhibition booth             | 9,256.00 €        |
| Medizinprodukte-Ophtha & Technologie, Dieter Pietrus e.K. | Exhibition booth             | 5,633.60 €        |
| medways e.V.  | Exhibition booth             | 25,104.00 €       |
| med_tec Medizintechnik Vertriebs-GmbH                     | Exhibition booth             | 5,789.60 €        |
| MELAG Medizintechnik GmbH & Co. KG                        | Exhibition booth             | 7,294.00 €        |
| MEyeTech GmbH   | Exhibition booth             | 12,092.00 €       |
| MicroSurgical Technology Germany GmbH                     | Exhibition booth             | 13,060.40 €       |
| Nordic Pharma GmbH  | Exhibition booth             | 2,916.80 €        |
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| OCULUS Optikgeräte GmbH                                   | Exhibition booth; Sponsoring | 61,414.40 €       |
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| Ophthalmo-pro GmbH                                  | Exhibition booth; Sponsoring | 29,676.00 €       |
| Optic-Handel Fragstein                              | Exhibition booth             | 13,862.00 €       |
| Optos GmbH  | Exhibition booth             | 24,729.20 €       |
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| pfm medical gmbh                                    | Exhibition booth             | 4,780.00 €        |
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| Santen GmbH   | Exhibition booth             | 16,126.00 €       |
| Schairer Ophthal-Technik                            | Exhibition booth             | 12,206.80 €       |
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| Théa Pharma GmbH                            | Exhibition booth             | 13,784.00 €       |
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| Ulrich Zuhner KG                            | Exhibition booth             | 7,242.00 €        |
| Viselle Augenzentren                        | Exhibition booth             | 5,228.00 €        |
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| W20 Medizintechnik AG                       | Exhibition booth; Sponsoring | 21,213.20 €       |
| WEGO Vision GmbH                            | Exhibition booth             | 3,822.40 €        |
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FRIDAY | JUNE 19<sup>th</sup> 2026 | 7.30 pm



# TUCHERHOF

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## General information

|                              |   |
|------------------------------|---|
| <b>Scientific Program</b>    | <b>DOC e.V.</b>   |
| <b>President</b>             | <b>Dr. med. A. Scharrer</b>   |
| <b>Organizer</b>             | <b>MCN Medical Congress Organization Nuremberg GmbH<br/>Neuwieder Str. 9, 90411 Nürnberg, Germany</b>   |
| <b>Venue</b>                 | Nürnberg Convention Center, NCC Ost, Messezentrum,<br>90471 Nürnberg  |
| <b>Event date</b>            | June 18 <sup>th</sup> - 20 <sup>th</sup> 2026   |
| <b>Opening hours</b>         | Wednesday, June 17 <sup>th</sup> 2026 03.00 pm - 06.00 pm   |
| <b>Conference desk</b>       | Thursday, June 18 <sup>th</sup> 2026 07.30 am - 07.00 pm  |
|                              | Friday, June 19 <sup>th</sup> 2026 07.30 am - 07.00 pm  |
|                              | Saturday, June 20 <sup>th</sup> 2026 07.30 am - 04.30 pm  |
| <b>Industrial exhibition</b> | During the conference, visitors are invited to enjoy a comprehensive industry exhibition with exhibits and information material from the medical technology and pharmaceutical sectors in Hall 7a and in the NCC Ost. |
|                              | <b>Opening hours</b>  |
|                              | Thursday, June 18 <sup>th</sup> 2026 09.00 am - 05.30 pm  |
|                              | Friday, June 19 <sup>th</sup> 2026 09.00 am - 05.30 pm  |
|                              | Saturday, June 20 <sup>th</sup> 2026 09.00 am - 03.30 pm  |
|                              | BDOC = Bundesverband Deutscher Ophthalmochirurgen e.V.  |

### Registration

#### Directly to the registration



#### Online at [www.doc-nuernberg.de](http://www.doc-nuernberg.de)

A binding registration for the face-to-face event and the digital part is possible at any time using the online registration tool provided by the organizer. Even during the ongoing congress, it is still possible to continue to register online or make additional bookings. In this case, you will receive the passes for the in-person event on site at the conference office. Access to streaming via the platform is activated for you immediately after booking. You can simply log in to the platform using your known access data.

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### CONGRESS DOCUMENTS

You have the opportunity to collect your personal documents from the conference office in NCC-Ost on Wednesday, June 17<sup>th</sup>, 2026, from 3.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m.

All participants who have **already received their documents** (ID cards, course cards) **by mail** can go directly to the lecture halls. The certificate of participation and certificates will be made available after the congress via the participant management portal.

**Access to streaming via the platform** will be possible from May 12, 2026. All registered persons will receive an email about this.

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## Participation fees

### The booking of a permanent pass / day ticket includes the following program items / documents:

- The main lectures (room Tokyo) and the main lectures for OAP (room Sydney) on all three days of the congress or, if you book a day pass, on the corresponding day
- The Video Live Surgery on Thursday and the Video Live Surgery Festival on Friday (both in room Tokyo)
- Consilia Diagnosticum, Therapeuticum and Retinologicum
- DOC updates (retina, glaucoma, cataract)
- Forum and the VAR course "Ophthalmology in developing countries"
- The live stream during the congress on the platform (when booking a permanent pass)
- Congress documents
- Ticket for public transportation (Nuremberg, Fürth)
- Lanyard/badge
- Congress program

### Fees received until 05/05/26 from 06/05/26

#### Permanent pass member BDOC \* 4

|   |          |          |
|---|----------|----------|
| Physician <sup>3</sup>  | € 255.00 | € 285.00 |
| Physician, streaming ticket <sup>2</sup>                      | € 170.00 |          |
| Physician in further education * <sup>3</sup>                 | € 115.00 | € 125.00 |
| Physician in further education, streaming ticket <sup>2</sup> | € 70.00  |          |

#### Permanent pass non-member <sup>4</sup>

|   |          |          |
|---|----------|----------|
| Physician <sup>3</sup>  | € 305.00 | € 335.00 |
| Physician, streaming ticket <sup>2</sup>                      | € 200.00 |          |
| Physician in further education * <sup>3</sup>                 | € 125.00 | € 145.00 |
| Physician in further education, streaming ticket <sup>2</sup> | € 80.00  |          |

#### Permanent pass non-working physician \* <sup>43</sup>

|  |          |          |
|--|----------|----------|
| Non-working physician, streaming ticket <sup>2</sup> | € 125.00 | € 145.00 |
|  | € 70.00  |          |

#### Permanent pass for students \* <sup>43</sup>

|  |         |  |
|--|---------|--|
| Student, streaming ticket <sup>2</sup> | € 65.00 |  |
|  | € 30.00 |  |

#### Permanent ticket for retired physician \* <sup>43</sup>

|  |         |  |
|--|---------|--|
| Retired physician, streaming ticket <sup>2</sup> | € 85.00 |  |
|  | € 50.00 |  |

#### Permanent pass pharmacist <sup>4</sup>

|   |          |          |
|---|----------|----------|
| Pharmacist, streaming ticket <sup>2</sup> | € 305.00 | € 335.00 |
|   | € 200.00 |          |

#### Day tickets specialist, member BDOC \*

|                         |          |          |
|-------------------------|----------|----------|
| Thursday, 18. June 2026 | € 140.00 | € 160.00 |
| Friday, 19. June 2026   | € 140.00 | € 160.00 |
| Saturday, 20. June 2026 | € 120.00 | € 130.00 |

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until 05/05/26 from 06/05/26

### Day tickets physician in training \* member BDOC \*

|                         |         |         |
|-------------------------|---------|---------|
| Thursday, 18. June 2026 | € 60.00 | € 70.00 |
| Friday, 19. June 2026   | € 60.00 | € 70.00 |
| Saturday, 20. June 2026 | € 50.00 | € 60.00 |

### Day pass doctor, non-member

|                         |          |          |
|-------------------------|----------|----------|
| Thursday, 18. June 2026 | € 170.00 | € 190.00 |
| Friday, 19. June 2026   | € 170.00 | € 190.00 |
| Saturday, 20. June 2026 | € 140.00 | € 160.00 |

### Day tickets physician in training \* non-member

|                         |         |         |
|-------------------------|---------|---------|
| Thursday, 18. June 2026 | € 70.00 | € 80.00 |
| Friday, 19. June 2026   | € 70.00 | € 80.00 |
| Saturday, 20. June 2026 | € 60.00 | € 70.00 |

### Day pass pharmacist

|                         |          |          |
|-------------------------|----------|----------|
| Thursday, 18. June 2026 | € 170.00 | € 190.00 |
| Friday, 19. June 2026   | € 170.00 | € 190.00 |
| Saturday, 20. June 2026 | € 140.00 | € 160.00 |

### Training conference for OR nurses / ward staff / ophthalmic nurses / orthoptists

|                                      |          |          |
|--------------------------------------|----------|----------|
| <b>Permanent pass</b> <sup>3 4</sup> | € 120.00 | € 130.00 |
| OAP, streaming ticket <sup>2</sup>   | € 70.00  |          |

### Day ticket OAP<sup>4</sup>

|                         |         |         |
|-------------------------|---------|---------|
| Thursday, 18. June 2026 | € 75.00 | € 85.00 |
| Friday, 19. June 2026   | € 75.00 | € 85.00 |
| Saturday, 20. June 2026 | € 55.00 | € 65.00 |

### Training Conference Administration / Management / Non-Specialist

|   |          |          |
|---|----------|----------|
| <b>Permanent pass</b> <sup>3 4</sup>  | € 120.00 | € 130.00 |
| Administration / Management / Non-Specialist, streaming ticket <sup>2</sup> | € 70.00  |          |

### Day ticket Administration / Management / Non-Specialist

|                         |         |         |
|-------------------------|---------|---------|
| Thursday, 18. June 2026 | € 75.00 | € 85.00 |
| Friday, 19. June 2026   | € 75.00 | € 85.00 |
| Saturday, 20. June 2026 | € 55.00 | € 65.00 |

## Participation fees

Fees received  
until 05/05/26 from 06/05/26

| Drylab * ° # ^   |          |          |
|--|----------|----------|
| D-KAT 1 Best in Class Application of YAG Laser Technology - „Knowing your tools“ | € 170,00 | € 180,00 |
| Supporting program*  |          |          |
| DOC Open Air Friday, 19. June 2026   | € 70,00  |          |

### All prices incl. VAT.

- ^ This pass also entitles the holder to attend the main lectures, the Video Live Surgery, Consilia, Forum, AI and Sustainability Symposia and DOC Updates. Please please note that there are limited contingents available and therefore no entitlement to participation
- ° Booking of a day pass (corresponding to the day) / permanent pass is required for occupancy.
- \* Limited number of participants. Please understand that due to the limited number of participants, registrations are binding. A reservation confirmation will be sent to you after receipt of your written and thus binding registration
- Upon presentation of a certificate or ID
- # Admission is no longer possible 10 minutes after the start of the Drylab! The entitlement expires!
- 2 Live Stream Main Lectures Room Tokyo
- 3 The streaming ticket is included in a permanent pass for the face-to-face event
- ^ Physicians in further training receive this course at half price.

### Certification

The congress will be certified by the Bavarian Medical Association. The certification points for physicians will be available in due course on the Internet at [www.doc-nuernberg.de](http://www.doc-nuernberg.de) (Information under the heading Certification).

In order to have your certification points recognized, you must have your uniform continuing education number (EFN) so that the organizer (MCN) can submit it to the German Medical Association no later than three weeks after the event

Please refer to the homepage in due course for the modalities of certification.

The certificate (for physicians) with the continuing education points as well as the certificate of attendance can be download approx. 3 weeks after the event.

### Social Media

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### Internet

The congress homepage [www.doc-nuernberg.de](http://www.doc-nuernberg.de) offers you: Automated search for topics, authors, etc., creation of your personal congress plan, online registration, registration for satellite symposia, links to selected informative websites and pdf of the preliminary program.

### Public transport

The combination ticket entitles the holder to free use of public transport from June 18<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup> 2026. The combi-ticket will be sent to you approximately 2 weeks before the start of the congress. Please note that your registration and payment must be received at least 2 weeks before the start of the congress.

Otherwise you will receive the combination ticket at the conference desk together with your documents.

A bus shuttle will be available for you at the Messezentrum subway station to take you to Hall 7a or to the NCC Ost.

## General information

### Bus shuttle schedule

|           |                            |                     |
|-----------|----------------------------|---------------------|
| Thursday, | June 18 <sup>th</sup> 2026 | 07.00 am - 07.30 pm |
| Friday,   | June 19 <sup>th</sup> 2026 | 07.00 am - 07.30 pm |
| Saturday, | June 20 <sup>th</sup> 2026 | 07.00 am - 06.30 pm |

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