

Ultrasound and Regional Anaesthesia



6th Annual International Symposium ISURA 2009

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of Toronto, Innsbruck
and Bochum

September
10-13, 2009

**Castle of
Schwetzingen**
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Introduction Symposium

Dear Colleagues,
Ultrasound imaging in Anaesthesia is a developing field with immense growing interest in recent years. This valuable imaging technique will likely become standard in the future of anaesthesia practice. Previous symposia on ultrasound and regional anaesthesia,



held in Toronto, Heidelberg, Innsbruck, Schwetzingen and Bochum have attracted many clinicians from Europe and abroad. We are encouraged to continue offering the International Symposium on Ultrasound and Regional Anaesthesia on an annual basis.



We will work on imaging improvements in peripheral and neuroaxial regional anaesthesia and we will demonstrate either methods of the sonoanatomy, electro-physiological questions and methods of pain therapy and new concepts for intensive care.

The hands-on workshop session is a major part of the programme. Based on feedback from past evaluations, we will further improve educational

quality of the workshops by conducting small group teaching with a small student to teacher ratio and by increasing the workshop time. Acquiring ultrasound skills will be made possible through practice under supervision during these hands-on workshop experiences. Our programme aims to present the latest innovations in ultrasound for



anaesthesia. The focus is on ultrasound imaging and ultrasound-guided nerve blocks. The symposium presenters will clearly highlight the clinical and practical value of ultrasound imaging for regional anaesthesia so that nerve blocks can be performed with more accurate



needle trajectory, consistent local anaesthetic placement and improved safety. In addition to didactic teaching, this symposium will also provide ample of opportunities for idea exchange and group discussion. So you can take home valuable knowledge and apply these imaging techniques in your practice.

Vincent Chan, Hans-Juergen Rapp,
Thomas Grau

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Thursday September 10, 2009

8.30-17.20 Refresher Course

Friday September 11, 2009

9.00-09.10 **Conference Opening Ceremony**

9.10-10.30 Lectures

10.30-10.50 **Break**

11.00-12.40 Lectures

Lunch

13.40-15.40 Lectures

15.40-16.00 **Break**

16.00-18.30 **BASIC COURSE: Workshop**

19.00 Evening bus tour to the Heidelberg Castle, Guided Tour and Dinner

Saturday September 12, 2009

8.30-10.20 Lectures

10.20-10.50 **Break**

10.50-13.00 Lectures

Lunch

14.00-15.40 Lectures

15.40-16.00 **Break**

16.00-18.00 Lectures

18.30 Aperó

19.00 Concert in the Rokokotheatre and
Gala Dinner in the castle restaurant

Sunday September 13, 2009

8.30-10.00 **Workshop: Introductions**

10.00-16.00 Workshops in the circle area of the castle

Monday September 14, 2009

12.00 **Transfer to Innsbruck (Hotel)**

Bustransfer Schwetzingen-Füssen (Neuschwanstein)-Reutte-Innsbruck

20.30 Social evening in Rustic Atmosphere

Tuesday September 15, 2009

Cadaver Workshop: Moriggl, Grau, Maecken, Chan, Rapp, Kirchmair

8.30-8.45 Welcome and opening; Introduction

8.45-9.50 Lectures

9.50-10.10 **Break**

10.10-13.00 Workshop

13.00-14.00 **Lunch**

15.00-17.00 Workshop

17.00-17.30 **Break**

17.30-18.20 Guest lecture

18.20-18.30 Closing ISURA 2009



- Enrolment: until September 5th, 2009
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