

11th European Postgraduate Course in Neonatal and Pediatric Intensive Care Medicine

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Workshops March 11, 2015**

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Welcome address

Dear colleagues and friends,

We are proud to announce the 11th European Postgraduate Course in Neonatal and Pediatric Intensive Care Medicine.

The Course will take place on March 12-14, 2015, at the Auditorium Ettore Rossi, University Children's Hospital, Inselspital, in Berne, Switzerland.

For the first time we plan two runs of Precourse Workshops on March 11, 2015 (14:00h – 18:00h).

Again, internationally renowned speakers will present hot topics pertinent to young and senior physicians and discuss challenging cases in the clinical fields of emergency and intensive care medicine, neonatology and anesthesia.

It would be fantastic if you would join the next Bernese Postgraduate Course.

Sincerely yours



Bendicht P. Wagner, MD
Course Chairperson



Organization

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Accreditation

The workshops	(March 11, 2015) are accredited by the following national societies:	
	Swiss Society of Paediatrics (SGP/SSP): Workshop 1:	3 Credits
	Workshops 2&3: for each workshop	1.5 Credits
	Swiss Society for Neonatology (SGN/SSN): Workshop 1:	3 Credits
	Workshops 2&3: for each workshop	1.5 Credits

The course	(March 12-14, 2015) is accredited by the following national societies:	
	Swiss Society of Paediatrics (SGP/SSP):	17.5 Credits
	Swiss Society for Intensive Care Medicine (SGI/SSI):	15 Credits
	Swiss Society for Emergency and Rescue Medicine (SGNOR/SSMUS):	14 Credits
	Swiss Society for Neonatology (SGN/SSN):	17.5 Credits

The Course (March 11 – 14, 2015) has been accredited by the European Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (EACCME) to provide the following CME activity for medical specialists.

11th European Postgraduate Course in Neonatal and Pediatric Intensive Care Medicine is designated for a maximum of, or up to 18 European CME credits (ECMEC).



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Faculty

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Scientific program, March 12, 2015

- 08:30 **Welcome**
Ben Wagner
- 08:35 **Clinical decision making in critical care medicine: strengths and limitations of kinds of medical knowledge**
Brian Kavanagh, Toronto

Content: Overview lecture to include criticism to GRADE
- 09:00 – 12:45 **Session I – Fluid and shock**
Chair: Brian Kavanagh, Toronto
- 09:00 **Basics of fluid physiology**
Stuart Goldstein, Cincinnati

Content: Overview lecture to include the basics such as in Am J Kid Dis 2014
- 09:30 **Cardiovascular physiology**
Steve Schwartz, Toronto

Content: Overview lecture to include mean systemic filling pressure
- 10:00 **Septic shock**
Graeme MacLaren, Singapore

Content: Overview lecture to focus on important basics and controversies



Scientific program, March 12, 2015

10:30 – 11:00	Coffee break
11:00	<p>Advances in recognition, resuscitation, and stabilization of the critically ill child Todd J. Kilbaugh, Philadelphia</p> <p>Content: Overview lecture to focus on pericardiac arrest management, to include management of traumatic arrest</p>
11:30	<p>Acute kidney injury and management of fluids / hemodynamics Stuart Goldstein, Cincinnati</p> <p>Content: Overview lecture to include AKI definitions, and the role of fluid bolus, maintenance fluids, sodium, CVP, MABP on AKI</p>
12:00	<p>Case: Challenging pediatric septic shock: from initial suspicion to maximal intensive care medicine Todd J. Kilbaugh, Graeme MacLaren, Andreas Schibler</p> <p>Content: What variables/goals/ echocardiography to guide first line treatments; what variables/goals to guide fluid, vasoactive, hormones, glucose</p>
12:45 – 14:00	Lunch break



Scientific program, March 12, 2015

- 14:00 – 17:00 **Session II – The critically ill neonate postnatally**
Chair: Martin Kluckow, Sydney
- 14:00 **Early delivery room management – a gentler approach**
Martin Kluckow, Sydney

Content: Overview lecture to include delayed cord clamping
- 14:20 **How to minimize lung injury during compromised pulmonary transition perinatally**
Anton van Kaam, Amsterdam

Content: Overview lecture to include targets, modes of ventilation and therapeutics
- 14:50 **Deconstructing the syndrome of persistent pulmonary hypertension of the newborn**
Martin Kluckow, Sydney

Content: Overview lecture to include pathophysiology, diagnostics, therapeutics
- 15:10 **Oxygen targets in the premature infant: lessons learned from RCT**
Richard Ehrenkranz, New Haven

Content: Overview lecture to include the O₂-targets from birth to longterm BPD
- 15:30 – 16:00 Coffee break



Scientific program, March 12, 2015

- 16:00 **Case: Neonatal resuscitation and stabilisation: more than APGAR driven**
Richard Ehrenkranz, Martin Kluckow, Anton van Kaam
- Content: What respiratory support (recruitment, tidal volume, pressure), what hemodynamic monitoring, what agents?
- 16:45 – 17:15 **Session III – Inborn metabolic disease**
Chair: Koen Joosten, Rotterdam
- 16:45 **Inborn metabolic disease: Emergency evaluation and treatment**
Jean-Marc Nuoffer, Berne
- Content: Overview lecture to include pathophysiology, diagnostics, therapeutics
- 17:15 – 17:45 **Industry Session** – Details see page 21
- 17:45 End of day one



Scientific program, March 13, 2015

08:30 – 10:00

Session IV – Nutrition

Chair: Koen Joosten, Rotterdam

08:30

Nutrition in the critically ill: Myths and misconceptions

Koen Joosten, Rotterdam

Content: Overview lecture to include similar topics such as in CCM 2014;42:962

09:00

Nutritional management in the sick premature infant

Richard Ehrenkranz, New Haven

Content: Overview lecture to include important basics and controverse issues

09:30

Neonatal and pediatric cases: Nutritional assessment and supply in special circumstances

Richard Ehrenkranz, Koen Joosten

Content: Perioperative case, septic case, sick malnourished patient

10:15 – 10:45

Coffee break



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10:45 – 12:45

Session V – Lung

Chair: Andreas Schibler, Brisbane

10:45

Update on respiratory physiology

Andreas Schibler, Brisbane

Content: Overview lecture to include transpulmonary pressure, strain, stress, work of breathing

11:15

Ventilation induced lung injury: how to prevent in clinical practise?

Brian Kavanagh, Toronto

Content: Overview lecture: from basics to new aspects

11:45

Weaning the mechanically ventilated preterm infant

Anton van Kaam, Amsterdam

Content: Overview lecture about various ventilatory modes e.g. volume target ventilation, NAVA

12:05

Case: Challenging pediatric respiratory failure

Brian Kavanagh, Andreas Schibler

Content: How to recruit the lung, when to limit tidal volume and pressure, prone positioning, high frequency ventilation, muscle relaxation

12:45 – 14:00

Lunch break



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14:00 – 17:45

Session VI – Heart

Chair: Steve Schwartz, Toronto

14:00

Perioperative stage 1 in Hypoplastic Left Heart Syndrome

Steve Schwartz, Sarah Tabbutt

Content: Overview lecture including individualized approaches to HLHS

14:45

The Fontan patient in the intensive care unit

Sarah Tabbutt, San Francisco

Content: Overview lecture to include pathophysiology, diagnostics, therapeutics

15:05

Residual left heart lesions in the biventricular circulation

Steve Schwartz, Toronto

Content: Overview lecture to include pathophysiology, diagnostics, therapeutics

15:25

Mechanical support in failing congenital heart disease

Sarah Tabbutt, San Francisco

Content: Overview lecture

15:45 – 16.15

Coffee break



Scientific program, March 13, 2015

- 16:15 **Emergency treatment of dysrhythmias in the neonate and child**
Jean-Pierre Pfammatter, Berne

Content: Overview lecture
- 16:45 **Case: Postoperative low cardiac output syndrome: the deteriorating infant**
Steve Schwartz, Sarah Tabbutt

Content: Hypovolemia, SVR, PVR, cardiopulmonary interactions
- 17:30 End of day two



Scientific program, March 14, 2015

- 07:45 – 08:15 **Industry Session** – Details see page 22
- 08:30 – 10:30 **Session VII – Brain**
Chair: Todd J. Kilbaugh, Philadelphia
- 08:30 **Refractory status epilepticus**
Michael Bell, Pittsburgh

Content: Overview lecture to include pathophysiology, diagnostics, therapeutics
- 08:50 **Risk factors for neonatal intraventricular hemorrhage and periventricular leucomalacia**
Martin Kluckow, Sydney

Content: Overview lecture to include cerebrovascular reactivity disturbances
- 09:10 **Severe acute noninfectious encephalitis**
Michael Bell, Pittsburgh

Content: Overview lecture; to include FIRES and its differential diagnosis and treatment
- 09:30 **Therapeutic hypothermia update**
Todd J. Kilbaugh, Philadelphia

Content: Overview lecture to include neonatal, pediatric and adult data



Scientific program, March 14, 2015

- 10:00 **Organ donation after death in the neonate**
Michael Bell, Pittsburgh
- Content: Overview lecture including donation after brain death and cardiac death
- 10:30 – 11:00 Coffee break
- 11:00 – 12:45 **Session VIII – Organ replacement**
Chair: Graeme MacLaren, Singapore
- 11:00 **Type of renal replacement in the critically ill**
Stuart Goldstein, Cincinnati
- Content: Overview lecture to include CRRT vs intermittent RRT, citrate vs heparin; and application in metabolic diseases
- 11:30 **ECLS overview**
Graeme MacLaren, Singapore
- Content: Overview lecture to include neonatal and pediatric aspects
- 12:00 **Neonatal and Pediatric Cases: ECLS indication and goals**
Brian Kavanagh, Todd J. Kilbaugh, SarahTabbutt
- Content: respiratory failure, cardiac failure, CPR, sepsis
- 12:45 Closing remarks – end of the course



Workshops, March 11, 2015

Workshop 1, duration 180 minutes, 14:00 – 15:30 and 16:00 – 17:30

Chair: Michael Weidenbach, Leipzig

Co-Chair: Bert Hennig, Berne

Topic Functional and congenital heart disease echocardiography for neonatal and pediatric intensivists

Content Theory and hands-on (phantom, child) how to use echocardiography as a tool for hemodynamic evaluation and how to identify critical heart defects (segmental analysis)

Workshop 2, duration 90 minutes, 14:00 – 15:30 or 16:00 – 17:30

Chair: Christian Breschan, Klagenfurt

Co-Chair: Bianca Kreiter, Berne

Topic Ultrasound guided vascular access in neonates and children

Content Theory (techniques) and hands-on (phantom, child) how to use ultrasound and how to perform percutaneous vascular access with the aid of ultrasound

Workshop 3, duration 90 minutes, 14:00 – 15:30 or 16:00 – 17:30

Chair: Ralf Huth, Mainz

Co-Chair: Tom Riedel, Berne

Topic Difficult airway management in the critically ill neonate and child

Content Theory (proposals about management) and hands-on (phantoms, fiberoptics, video laryngoscopies, LAMA) how to manage difficult airway



General Information

Venue	Auditorium Ettore Rossi, Inselspital (Kinderklinik), Berne/Switzerland. Bus n° 11 (direction «Güterbahnhof») from main railway station to Inselspital, bus stop «Inselspital».
Official language	English, no simultaneous translation
Beginning and end of workshops	Wednesday, March 11, 2015, 14:00 – 17:30
Beginning and end of the Course	Thursday, March 12, 2015, 08:30 h Saturday, March 14, 2015, 13:00 h
Administrative Secretariat before and after the Course	BBS Congress GmbH, P.O. Box 604, CH-3000 Berne 25 Phone: +41 31 331 82 75, Fax: +41 31 332 98 79 e-mail: peter.salchli@bbscongress.ch, www.bbscongress.ch
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Registration	Please see www.intensivecource.com
Registration Desk – Opening hours	Each registered participant will receive his/her personal documentation at the registration desk, located in the Foyer Ettore Rossi, Children’s Hospital, Inselspital. Wednesday March 11, 2015 12:00 – 18:00 h Thursday March 12, 2015 07:30 – 19:00 h Friday March 13, 2015 08:00 – 18:00 h Saturday March 14, 2015 08:00 – 13:00 h



General Information

Registration fees

(prices in Swiss Francs CHF)

ESPNIC members:

600 CHF (until Dec. 15, 2014), 600 CHF (from Dec. 16, 2014)

Non members:

600 CHF (until Dec. 15, 2014), 700 CHF (from Dec. 16, 2014)

The registration fee includes lunches (March 12 & 13) and coffee breaks (March 12–14).

Remittance of fees

The fees have to be paid in Swiss Francs – clearly stating name of the participant – either by bank transfer to the IBAN account below or by credit card.

Cancellation

Refund less 25% administrative charge may be applied for in writing until February 1st, 2015. After this date no refund can be made for cancellations.

The participant acknowledges that he/she has no right to lodge damage claims against the organizers should the holding of the Course be hindered or prevented by unexpected political or economic events or generally by force majeure, or should the non-appearance of speakers or other reasons necessitate program changes. With his/her registration the participant accepts this proviso.

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General Information

Accommodation	Rooms can be booked online with Berne Incoming GmbH. Please see www.intensivecarecourse.com
Podcast	The participants will have access to podcasts of the conferences after the course.
Course website	www.intensivecarecourse.com
Internet access	Free WiFi access for all participants throughout the course area.

As we are not sure having reached all interested colleagues by our mailing, we kindly ask you to notify your collaborators/colleagues about this meeting. Thank you!



Industry Sessions

Thursday, March 12, 2015, 17:15 – 17:45

**Massive bleeding after trauma or surgery:
Update on evaluation and treatment**

Thorsten Haas, Zürich

Organized by CSL Behring AG, Berne, Switzerland

Content

The aetiology of haemostatic changes during major pediatric surgery is multifactorial and may be related to dilutional coagulopathy, hyperfibrinolysis, and surgical complexity. Fibrinogen is the first coagulation factor that achieves a critical low value during massive blood loss, while all other factors seem to be less affected by blood loss and hemodilution. Fast and reliable monitoring of the entire coagulation process (e.g. by thromboelastometry) might be of great value for detection of coagulopathy and guidance on effective coagulation management. Although the transfusion of fresh frozen plasma (FFP) has been recommended in several guidelines, the use of coagulation factors might offer an alternative and potentially superior approach in managing perioperative coagulation disorders. The implementation of a thromboelastometry-guided bleeding management in children seems to be associated with a considerable reduction of intraoperative transfusion requirements and thereby a decrease of transfusion-related direct costs.



Industry Sessions

Saturday, March 14, 2015, 07:45 – 08:15

NAVA beyond triggering

Andreas Schibler & Luregn Schlapbach, Brisbane

Organized by Maquet Vertrieb und Service Deutschland GmbH,
Rastatt, Germany

Content Neuronally adjusted ventilatory assist (NAVA) has been promoted as a novel device to improve triggering and patient-ventilator synchronisation. In addition, the use of NAVA opens up new perspectives to monitor and understand respiratory physiology in a patient. Indeed, the availability of the electric activity of the diaphragm is not only a powerful monitoring tool for the intensivist, but at the same time gives access to biologically variable ventilation. We will illustrate how using NAVA may change the way we think about our patients on a number of examples from research and case series.



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