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### Congress Organization

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## Course Location

Swiss Institute for Translational  
and Entrepreneurial Medicine



Lectures: Felix Frei Auditorium E0.211, ground floor  
Dissections: CATR unit, O2.436, second floor

Clinical Anatomy Training and Research  
Freiburgstrasse 3  
3010 Bern

HNO-Klinik, Inselspital, August 2023/ g.pauciello

## Endoscopic Paranasal Sinus & Skull Base Hands on Course PSSB

Bern, Switzerland  
31 August - 01 September 2023



Under the auspices of

European Rhinology Society  
Swiss Society of ORL

Department of ENT, Head and Neck Surgery  
Inselspital, University Hospital Bern

Institute of Anatomy, University of Bern

## Final Program

[www.pssb-swiss-meeting.ch](http://www.pssb-swiss-meeting.ch)

## Thursday, August 31, SITEM-INSEL

07:45 Registration

08:00 Welcome and introduction.....M. Caversaccio  
Anatomy and preparation of the human specimen....  
.....V. Djonov

08:25 Surgical anatomy of nose and sinuses.....M. Soyka

08:45 Pathophysiology of CRS .....B. Landis

09:05 Conservative treatment of CRS..... B. Landis

09:25 Good and bad indications for surgery.....  
.....E.Novoa, C. Schlegel

09:40 Classification of surgical procedures.....H.R. Briner\*

09:55 Surgical CT-checklist and cone beam CT.....  
.....H. Friedrich & S. Negri

### 10:15 Group photo with all participants/ COFFEE BREAK and industrial exhibition

10:30 Cadaver dissection [navigation]: nasal endoscopy,  
infundibulotomy, partial ethmoidectomy.....  
.....H.R. Briner\*, C. Schlegel

### 13:00 LUNCH and industrial exhibition

13:45 Pre- and postoperative assessment of the olfactory  
function.....S. Negoias

14:00 Surgery of the posterior ethmoid and sphenoid.....  
.....H.R. Briner\*

14:30 Powered instruments.....P. Dubach

14:40 Surgical aftercare.....B. Landis

### 15:05 COFFEE BREAK and industrial exhibition

15:20 Cadaver dissection [navigation]: partial posterior  
ethmoidectomy, sphenoidotomy, sphenoid-eth-  
moidectomy, approach to pituitary .....

.....D. Holzmann, A-J. Tasman

### 18:00 BUS TRANSFER to social event

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## Friday, September 01, SITEM-INSEL

08:00 Fungal sinusitis: up-to-date classification and ma-  
nagement.....A. Almomen

08:15 Fronto-ethmoidectomy, frontal sinusotomy type I  
– III .....H.R. Briner\* & A. Leunig\*

08:50 Dacryocystorhinostomy.....E.Novoa, M. Caversaccio

09:05 Pediatric endoscopic sinus and skull base surgery...  
.....A. Almomen

### 09:15 COFFEE BREAK and industrial exhibition

09:55 Cadaver dissection [navigation], Sinus frontalis  
.....H.R. Briner\*, E.Novoa, A. Leunig\*

1. Dacryocystorhinostomy
2. Turbinoplasty
3. Fronto-ethmoidectomy
4. Frontal sinusotomy type I – III

### 12:45 LUNCH and industrial exhibition

13:30 How to avoid and deal with complication.A. Leunig\*

14:00 Epistaxis and its management.....M. Soyka

14:20 Decompression of the orbit and the optic nerve.....  
.....D. Holzmann

14:40 CSF leak: diagnostics and repair.....M. Soyka

15:05 Cases of extended sinus and skull base surgery.....  
.....D. Holzmann

### 15:20 COFFEE BREAK and industrial exhibition

15:50 Cadaver dissection [navigation].....

- .....M. Soyka, H.R. Briner\*, D. Holzmann
1. Management of the sphenopalatine artery, clipping
  2. Decompression of the orbit and optical nerve
  3. Lateral cantholysis
  4. CSF leak closure

18:20 Holistic Approach for Chronic Rhinosinusitis with  
Nasal Polyp.....O. Abu Suliman

### 18:45 TAKE HOME MESSAGE

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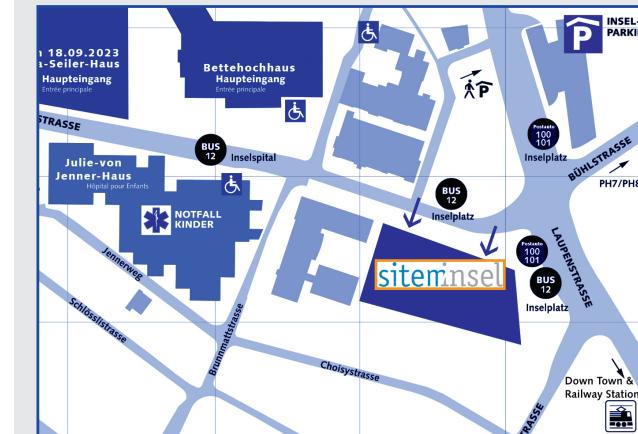
## CME Credits

The Swiss Society of ORL, Head and Neck Surgery  
has awarded 16 credit points for continuing medical  
education to this course.

## Course Location

SITEM-INSEL

Freiburgstrasse 3  
3010 Bern



Getting there:

From the Railway-Station with Bernmobil Bus (Number 12)  
until Bus Stop Inselplatz

## All information about the course

[www.pssb-swiss-meeting.ch](http://www.pssb-swiss-meeting.ch)

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