



HEP Preceptorship

3rd annual HEP Preceptorship

IMPROVING OUTCOMES IN CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE

Spittelsaal, GenerationenHaus
and Bauchzentrum, Inselspital, Berne,
Switzerland

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Organization:
Prof. Dr. med. A. De Gottardi



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Dear participants, Dear speakers,

It's a great pleasure to welcome you to Bern for this preceptorship focused on diagnosis and therapy in patients with chronic liver disease.

The development of novel diagnostic methods and the current availability of highly effective treatments of viral hepatitis are the result of an intensive research work in the clinic and in the laboratory over the last years. Thanks to these innovations, hepatology is currently going through a unique era towards better disease understanding and cure.

The task of young physicians and hepatologists is now to bring these advantages to the patients. Therefore, more than ever there is a need for opportunities like this course to learn and to discuss about these innovations.

I would like to thank all the members of the faculty for their contributions to this preceptorship, the organizing team including Bettina Endres and Dominique Maurer and our sponsors for their generous support.

I am looking forward to a fruitful preceptorship and I wish you a nice stay in Berne.

Andrea De Gottardi

Program



WEDNESDAY 8 JUNE 2016

- Arrival of participants
- Individual dinner

THURSDAY 9 JUNE 2016

- 8.45 – 9.00 Introduction and presentation (Andrea De Gottardi)
- Session 1: Improving diagnosis in hepatology (Moderator: Jean-François Dufour)**
- 9.00 – 9.30 Differential diagnosis of focal liver lesions (Martin Maurer)
- 9.30 – 10.00 We never need liver biopsy (Annalisa Berzigotti) vs we always need liver biopsy (Matteo Montani)
- 10.00 – 10.20 Clinical case discussion (Stefania Casu)
- 10.20- 10.35 Coffee Break
- Session 2: Improving the work up in chronic liver diseases: what we need to know when a patient has... (Moderator: Andrea De Gottardi)**
- 10.35 – 11.05 Viral hepatitis B (D) and C (Pierre Deltenre)
- 11.05 – 11.35 HCC (Jean-François Dufour)
- 11.35 – 11.55 Clinical case discussion (David Semela)
- 11.55 – 13.15 Lunch Break and transfer to Bauchzentrum
- 13.15 – 14.15 **Hands on workshop in Bauchzentrum:** the measurement of liver stiffness with Fibroscan and Aixplorer (Moderators: Annalisa Berzigotti and Nasser Semmo)
- 14.15 – 14.45 Transfer back to GenerationenHaus
- Session 3: Improving prevention of complications in the cirrhotic patient (Moderator: Nasser Semmo)**
- 14.45 – 15.15 Hepatic encephalopathy (Laurent Spahr)
- 15.15 – 15.45 Infections (Andri Rauch)
- 15.45 – 16.05 Clinical case discussion (Raffaele Malinverni)
- 16.05 – 16.30 Coffee Break and Preceptorship group picture

Session 4: Improving surgical and interventional therapy in hepatology (Moderator: Guido Stirnimann)

- 16.30 – 17.00 Possibilities and limits of liver resections (Guido Beldi)
- 17.00 – 17.30 Established and novel indications for TIPS (Karel Caca)
- 17.30 – 17.50 Clinical case discussion (Guido Stirnimann)

19.30 Dinner

FRIDAY 10 JUNE 2016

Session 5: Improving management of special situations (Moderator: Andrea De Gottardi)

- 9.00 – 9.30 Antithrombotic treatment in cirrhosis: therapeutic agents and monitoring (Anne Angelillo-Scherrer)
- 9.30 – 10.00 Reproductive function in women with liver disease (Erica Villa)
- 10.00 – 10.20 Clinical case discussion (Beat Müllhaupt)
- 10.20 – 10.40 Coffee Break

Session 6: Improving our understanding of chronic liver disease (Moderator: Andrea De Gottardi)

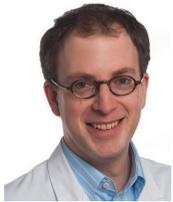
- 10.40 – 11.10 Development of portal hypertension (Jaime Bosch)
- 11.10 – 11.40 Progression and regression of cirrhosis (Guadalupe Garcia-Tsao)

Session 7: Improving medical therapy in hepatology (Moderator: Annalisa Berzigotti)

- 11.40 – 12.10 Hepatitis C: A therapeutic guide for 2016 (Francesco Negro)
- 12.10 – 12.30 Clinical case discussion: Challenging the therapeutic guide for 2016 (Markus Heim)
- 12.30 – 12.40 Closing remarks (Andrea De Gottardi)
- 12.40 – 13.30 Farewell lunch

Improving diagnosis in hepatology

(Moderator Prof. Dr. med. Jean-François Dufour)



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Differential diagnose of focal liver lesions

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We never need liver biopsy

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Clinical case discussion

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Improving the work up in chronic liver diseases: what we need to know when a patient has...

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Viral hepatitis B (D) and C

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Clinical case discussion

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After Lunch Break

Hands on workshop in Bauchzentrum: the measurement of liver stiffness with Fibroscan and Aixplorer

(Moderator Dr. med. Annalisa Berzigotti and PD Dr. med. Nasser Semmo)

Improving prevention of complications in the cirrhotic patient

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Improving surgical and interventional therapy in hepatology

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Possibilities and limits of liver resections

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Established and novel indications for TIPS

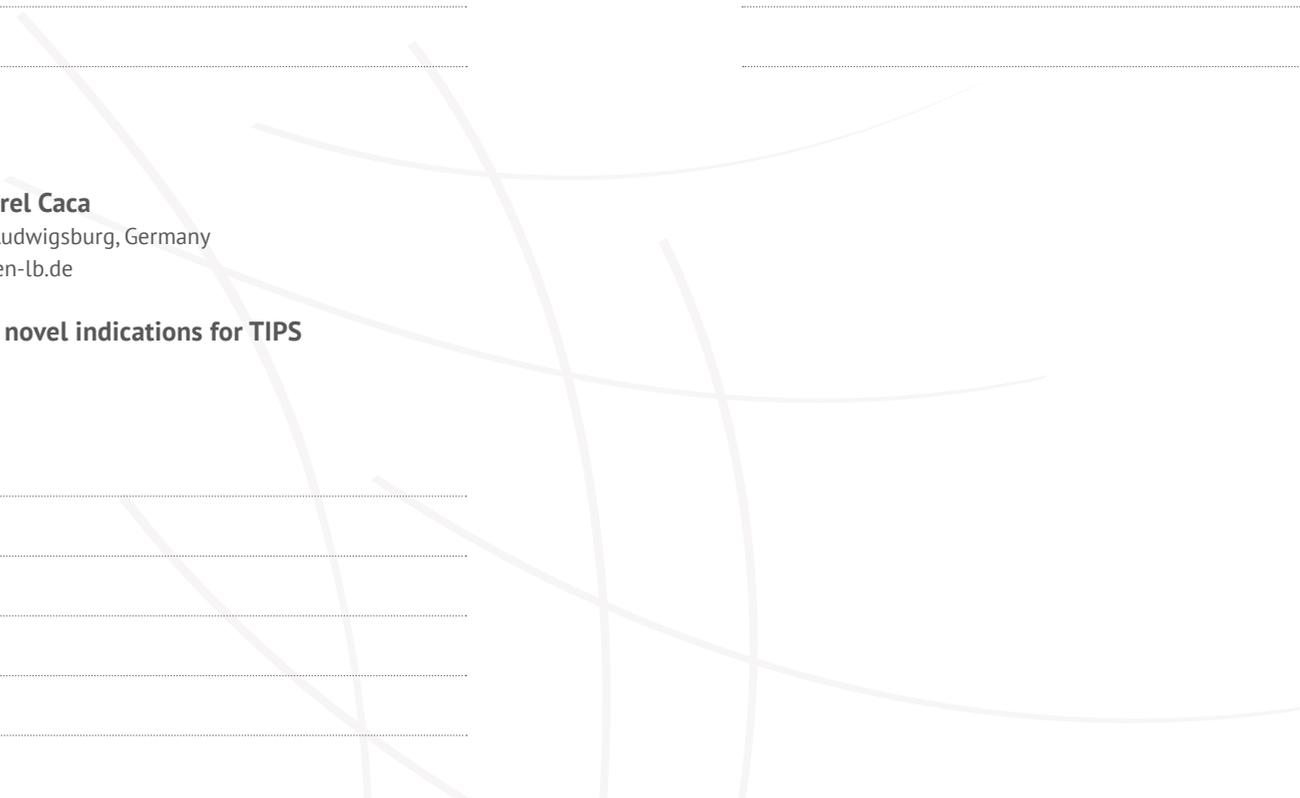
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Clinical case discussion

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Improving management of special situations

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**Antithrombotic treatment in cirrhosis:
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Reproductive function in women with liver disease

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Clinical case discussion

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Improving our understanding of chronic liver disease

(Moderator Prof. Dr. med. Andrea De Gottardi)



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Progression and regression of cirrhosis

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Improving medical therapy in hepatology

(Moderator Dr. med. Annalisa Berzigotti)



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Hepatitis C: therapeutic guide for 2016

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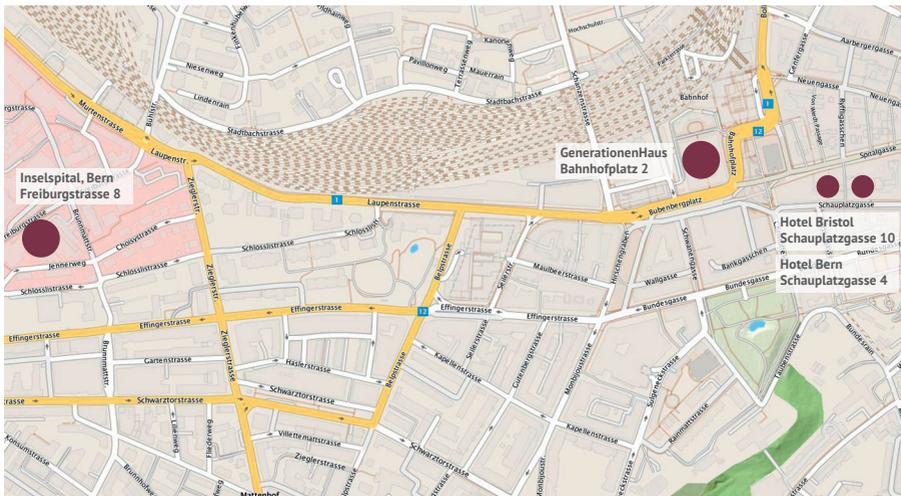
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Clinical case discussion: Challenging the therapeutic guide for 2016

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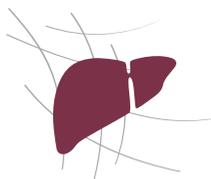


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