

## PREVIOUS / UPCOMING DETACHMENT COURSES

1. Detachment Course, Tuebingen, *Germany*, Oct. 31-Nov. 1, 1991
2. Detachment Course, Brussels, *Belgium*, May 23-24, 1992
3. Detachment Course, Brasov, *Romania*, Oct. 5-6, 1992
4. Detachment Course, Tuebingen, *Germany*, Apr. 22-23, 1993
5. Detachment Course, Plovdiv, *Bulgaria*, Oct. 17-18, 1993
6. Detachment Course, Volgograd, *Russia*, Oct. 23, 1993
7. Detachment Course, Tuebingen, *Germany*, Apr. 14-15, 1994
8. Detachment Course, St. Petersburg, *Russia*, Oct. 23-24, 1994
9. Detachment Course, Milan, *Italy* (Xth SOE), Jun. 26, 1995
10. Detachment Course, Jekaterinburg, *Russia*, Sept. 16-17, 1995
11. Detachment Course, Tuebingen, *Germany*, Apr. 11-12, 1996
12. Detachment Course, Tehran, *Iran*, Dec., 3, 1996
13. Detachment Course, Greifswald, *Germany*, May 29-30, 1997
14. Detachment Course, Budapest, *Hungary*, Jun. 3, 1997
15. Detachment Course, Amsterdam, *Holland*, Jun. 21, 1998
16. Detachment Course, Odessa, *Ukraine*, Sept. 4-5, 1998
17. Detachment Course, Dubai, *UAE*, Nov. 21, 1998
18. Detachment Course, Tuebingen, *Germany*, Apr. 8-9, 1999
19. Detachment Course, Stockholm, *Sweden*, Jun 27, 1999
20. Detachment Course, Orlando, *USA*, Oct. 25, 1999
21. Detachment Course, Tokyo, *Japan*, Nov. 4, 1999
22. Detachment Course, Bratislava, *Slovakia*, Apr. 6-7, 2000
23. Detachment Course, Reykjavik, *Iceland*, Jun. 18, 2000
24. Detachment Course, Berlin, *Germany*, Sept. 21, 2000
25. Detachment Course, Poznan, *Poland*, Apr. 5-6, 2001
26. Detachment Course, Istanbul, *Turkey*, June 3, 2001
27. Detachment Course, Vienna, *Austria*, Febr. 21, 2002
28. Detachment Course, Tokyo, *Japan*, Mar. 30-31, 2002
29. Detachment Course, Moscow, *Russia*, Apr. 11-12, 2002
30. Detachment Course, Vienna, *Austria*, Febr. 13, 2003
31. Detachment Course, Mexico City, *Mexico*, Mar. 14-15, 2003
32. Detachment Course, Hamburg, *Germany*, May 15, 2003
33. Detachment Course, Tehran, *Iran*, Nov. 29-30, 2003
34. Detachment Course, Brussels, *Belgium*, Nov. 26, 2004
35. Detachment Course, Marburg, *Germany*, Jun. 3-4, 2004
36. Detachment Course, Xian, *China*, Nov. 13-14, 2004
37. Detachment Course, Surat, *India*, Dec. 9-10, 2004
38. Detachment Course, Odessa, *Ukraine*, May 14-15, 2005
39. Detachment Course, Prague, *Czech Rep.*, Sep. 3-4, 2005
40. Detachment Course, Parma, *Italy*, Apr. 16, 2005
41. Detachment Course, Barcelona, *Spain*, May 19, 2005
42. Detachment Course, Izmir, *Turkey*, June 23-24, 2005
43. Detachment Course, Hangzhou, *China*, Oct 30-31, 2005
44. Detachment Course, Ekaterinburg, *Russia*, Apr. 24, 2006
45. Detachment Course, Tbilisi, *Georgia*, May 26-27, 2006
46. Detachment Course, Qingdao, *China*, June 24-25, 2006
47. Detachment Course, Lisbon, *Portugal*, May 18, 2006
48. Detachment Course, Bangkok, *Thailand*, Nov 21-22, 2006
49. Detachment Course, Moscow, *Russia*, March 22, 2007
50. Detachment Course, Monte Carlo, *Monaco*, May 17, 2007
51. Detachment Course, Seoul, *South Korea*, June, 23-24, 2007
52. Detachment Course, Chongqing, *China*, June 29-30, 2007
53. Detachment Course, Monterrey, *Mexico*, Sept. 6-7, 2007
54. Detachment Course, Ravenna, *Italy*, Sept. 14, 2007
55. Detachment Course, Sinaia, *Romania*, Oct. 2-3, 2007
56. Detachment Course, Plovdiv, *Bulgaria*, Oct. 20, 2007
57. Detachment Course, Casablanca, *Morocco*, Feb. 24-25, 2007
58. Detachment Course, Alger, *Algeria*, Dec. 6-7, 2007
59. Detachment Course, Ahmedabad, *India*, March 14-15, 2008
60. Detachment Course, Vienna, *Austria*, May 22, 2008
61. Detachment Course, Ufa, *Russia*, May 30-31, 2008
62. Detachment Course, Birmingham, *UK*, June 5-6, 2008
63. Detachment Course, Hong Kong, *China*, June 28, 2008
64. Detachment Course, Spindleruv Mlyn, *Czech*, Sept. 24-25, 2008
65. Detachment Course, Tbilisi, *Georgia*, May 16-17, 2008
66. Detachment Course, St. Petersburg, *Russia*, Sept. 27-28, 2008
67. Detachment Course, Varna, *Bulgaria*, Sept. 3, 2008
68. Detachment Course, Berlin, *Germany*, Sept. 18, 2008
69. Detachment Course, Manama, *Kingdom of Bahrain*, Mar. 26, 09
70. Detachment Course, Moscow, *Russia*, March 19, 2009
71. Detachment Course, Nice, *France*, May 14, 2009
72. Detachment Course, Manchester, *England UK*, June 18, 2009
73. Detachment Course, Qingdao, *P.R. China*, June 27-28, 2009
74. Detachment Course, Leipzig, *Germany*, Sept. 25, 2009
75. Detachment Course, Bangkok, *Thailand*, Nov. 24-25, 2009
76. Detachment Course, Alger, *Algeria*, Dec. 9-10, 2009

Thursday, March 26, 2009

### 8 a.m. REGISTRATION:

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### 10 a.m. WELCOME

*E. Al-Harathi (Saudi Arabia)*  
*I Kreissig (Germany)*

### 1. FELLOW EYE OF RETINAL DETACHMENT

*Moderators: I Kreissig (Germany)*

*E Al-Harathi (Saudi Arabia)*

1.1. Lattice degenerations and breaks in the fellow eye: What to do or not to do?  
*B Aylward (UK)*

### 2. DIAGNOSTICS: RHEGMATOGENOUS PRIMARY RETINAL DETACHMENT

2.1. The 4 Rules to find the primary break

*I Kreissig (Germany)*

### 3. CERCLAGE WITH DRAINAGE

3.1. A look at cerclage after longterm follow-up

*I Kreissig (Germany)*

### 4. MINIMAL SEGMENTAL BUCKLING WITH SPONGE(S) WITHOUT DRAINAGE

4.1. Indications, optimal tamponade of break(s), longterm results

*T Boeker (Germany)*

4.2. Differential diagnosis of residual fluid

*J Jonas (Germany)*

### 5. MINIMAL SEGMENTAL BUCKLING WITH BALLOON WITHOUT DRAINAGE

5.1. Application, indication, longterm results

*I Kreissig (Germany)*

### 6. GAS OPERATION FOR UNCOMPLICATED DETACHMENTS

*Moderators: B Aylward (UK)*

*T Boeker (Germany)*

6.1. Pneumatic retinopathy: Indications; longterm results

*S Yamamoto (Japan)*

### 7. PRIMARY VITRECTOMY

7.1. Rationale, indications, longterm results

*T Boeker (Germany)*

### 8. MINIMAL SEGMENTAL BUCKLING FOR COMPLICATED DETACHMENTS

8.1. Reoperation:

The 4 Rules to find the undetected break

*I Kreissig (Germany)*

8.2. PVR-C1/C2 detachments:

Try buckling first: Longterm results

*T Boeker (Germany)*

1-1:15 p.m. GROUP PHOTO

1:15-2:25 p.m. LUNCH FOR PARTICIPANTS

2:25 - 9. VITRECTOMY

4 p.m. *Moderators: C Canning (UK)*

*T Boeker (Germany)*

9.1. Indications, results and comparison of:

20 -, 23 - or 25 - gauge vitrectomy

*S Yamamoto (Japan)*

### 10. THE DIABETIC EYE

10.1 Classification of diabetic retinopathy

*C Canning (UK)*

10.2. Diabetic macular edema:

What to do?

*B Aylward (UK)*

10.3. Diabetic. prolif. retinopathy:

What to do ?

*T Boeker (Germany)*

10.4. Differential diagnosis of retinal “elevations” in the diabetic eye

*B Aylward (UK)*

10.5. Vitrectomy in the diabetic eye: Rationale, indications, longterm results

*S Yamamoto (Japan)*

**4-4 :20 p.m. COFFEE / TEA BREAK**

**4:20 - 6 p.m. 11. COMPARISON OF PRESENT TECHNIQUES FOR REPAIR OF PRIMARY RETINAL DETACHMENT**

*Moderators: I Kreissig (Germany)*

*S Yamamoto (Japan)*

11.1. How to minimize risk of PVR

*S Yamamoto (Japan)*

11.2. Ambulatory binocular occlusion

*C Canning (UK)*

11.3. Segmental buckling vs. pneumatic retinopexy vs. primary vitrectomy

*T Boeker (Germany)*

**12. CASE PRESENTATIONS**

*Moderator: Kreissig (Germany)*

*Organizer: Boeker (Germany)*

*Case Presentation: A Mahmoudi, J Mosawy, panelists, participants*

**6 p.m. 13. DISTRIBUTION OF DIPLOMAS**

*A El-Danasoury (Kingdom of Bahrain)*

*I Kreissig (Germany)*

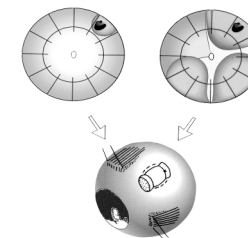
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- **Congress Language:** English
- **Location of Course:**  
Bahrain International Exhibition & Convention Center ( Al Dana Hall )
- **Registration:**  
**Pre-Registration:**  
MEACO Office Riyadh and  
MEACO Office Cairo  
(see under Local Organization)  
**On-Site:**  
Bahrain International Exhibition & Convention Center
- **Registration Fee:**  
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**PROGRAM**

**69. DETACHMENT COURSE**  
with International Faculty  
**Retinal and Vitreous Surgery**



**MANAMA, KINGDOM OF BAHRAIN, March 26, 2009**  
in Connection with the 10<sup>th</sup> International Congress of the  
Middle East African Council of Ophthalmology (MEACO)  
March 26 - 30, 2009

**Topics**

- Diagnostics
- Scleral Buckling: Cerclage, Sponge, Balloon
- Gas Operations
- Vitrectomy: Primary, Vitreoretinal Problems
- Reoperation
- The Diabetic Eye
- Comparison of Present Surgical Technique
- Panel Discussion with Case Presentations

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