

PREVIOUS DETACHMENT COURSES

1.- 98. Detachment Course: Tuebingen, *Germany* 1991; Bruxelles, *Belgium* 1992; Brasov, *Romania* 1992; Tuebingen, *Germany* 1993; Plovdiv, *Bulgaria* 1993; Volgograd *Russia* 1993; Tuebingen, *Germany* 1994; St. Petersburg, *Russia* 1994; Milano, *Italy* 1995; Ekaterinburg, *Russia* 1995; Tuebingen, *Germany*, 1996; Tehran, *Iran*, 1996 Greifswald, *Germany*, 1997, Budapest, *Hungary*, 1997, Amsterdam, *Holland*, 1998, Odessa, *Ukraine*, 1998, Dubai, *UAE*, 1998, Tuebingen, *Germany*, 1999, Stockholm, *Sweden*, 1999; Orlando, *USA*, Oct. 25, 1999 Orlando, *USA*, Oct. 25, 1999; Bratislava, *Slovakia*, Apr. 6-7, 2000; Reykjavik, *Iceland*, Jun. 18, 2000; Berlin, *Germany*, Sept. 21, 2000; Poznan, *Poland*, Apr. 5-6, 2001; Istanbul, *Turkey*, June 3, 2001; Austria, Febr. 21, 2002; Tokyo, *Japan*, Mar. 30-31, 2002; Moscow, *Russia*, Apr. 11-12, 2002; Vienna, *Austria*, Febr. 13, 2003; Mexico City, *Mexico*, Mar. 14-15, 2003; Hamburg, *Germany*, May 15, 2003; Tehran, *Iran*, Nov. 29-30, 2003; Brussels, *Belgium*, Nov. 26, 2004; Marburg, *Germany*, Jun. 3-4, 2004; Xian, *China*, Nov. 13-14, 2004; Surat, *India*, Dec. 9-10, 2004; Odessa, *Ukraine*, May 14-15, 2005; Prague, *Czech Rep.*, Sep. 3-4, 2005; Parma, *Italy*, Apr. 16, 2005; Barcelona, *Spain*, May 19, 2005; Izmir, *Turkey*, June 23-24, 2005; Hangzhou, *China*, Oct 30-31, 2005; Ekaterinburg, *Russia*, Apr. 24, 2006; Tbilisi, *Georgia*, May 26-27, 2006; Qingdao, *China*, June 24-25, 2006; Lisbon, *Portugal*, May 18, 2006; Bangkok, *Thailand*, Nov 21-22, 2006; Moscow, *Russia*, March 22, 2007; Monte Carlo, *Monaco*, May 17, 2007; Seoul, *South Korea*, June, 23-24, 2007; Chongqing, *China*, June 29-30, 2007; Monterrey, *Mexico*, Sept. 6-7, 2007; Ravenna, *Italy*, Sept. 14, 2007; Sinaia, *Romania*, Oct. 2-3, 2007; Plovdiv, *Bulgaria*, Oct. 20, 2007; Casablanca, *Morocco*, Feb. 24-25, 2007; Alger, *Algeria*, Dec. 6-7, 2007; Ahmedabad, *India*, March 14-15, 2008; Vienna, *Austria*, May 22, 2008; Ufa, *Russia*, May 30-31, 2008; Birmingham, *UK*, June 5-6, 2008; Hong Kong, *China*, June 28, 2008; Spindleruv Mlyn, *Czech*, Sept. 24-25, 2008; Tbilisi, *Georgia*, May 16-17, 2008; t. Petersburg, *Russia*, ept.27-28, 2008; Varna, *Bulgaria*, Sept. 3, 2008; Berlin, *Germany*, Sept. 18, 2008; Manama, *Kingdom of Bahrain*, Mar. 26, 2009; Moscow, *Russia*, March 18, 2009; Nice, *France*, May 14, 2009; Manchester, *England UK*, June 18, 2009; Qingdao, *P.R. China*, June 27-28, 2009; Leipzig, *Germany*, Sept. 25, 2009; Bangkok, *Thailand*, Nov. 24-25, 2009; Alger, *Algeria*, Dec. 9-10, 2009; Athens, *Greece*, Jan. 14, 2010; Berlin, *Germany*, June 9, 2010; Ufa, *Russia*, June 25-26, 2010, Reykjavik, *Iceland*, Aug. 2010; Paris, *France*, September 2, 2010; Beijing, *China*, Sept. 19, 2010; Chicago, *USA*, Oct. 19, 2010; Innsbruck, *Austria* Febr. 2011; Lagos, *Nigeria*, March 18-19, 2011; London, *UK*, May 26, 2011; Geneva, *Switzerland*, June 4-7, 2011; Bucharest, *Romania*, June 18, 2011; Cholpon-Ata, *Kyrgyzstan*, June 24, 2011; Abu Dhabi, *UAE*, Febr. 19, 2012; Khartoum, *Sudan*, Febr. 23-24, 2012; Japan, March 4, 2012; Ekaterinburg, *Russia*, April, 25, 2012; Ufa, *Russia*, June 7-8, 2012; Milano, *Italy*, Sept.6, 2012;

99. Teaching Course, Almaty, *Kazakhstan*, Oct., 11, 2012

100. Teaching Course, Bangkok, *Thailand*, Nov. 22, 2012

101. Teaching Course, Bucharest, *Romania*, April 20, 2013

102. Teaching Course, Copenhagen, *Denmark*, June 10, 2013

103. Teaching Course, Hamburg, *Germany*, Sept. 26, 2013

104. Teaching Course, Almaty, *Kazakhstan*, Oct. 11, 2013

105. Teaching Course, Samara, *Russia*, Nov. 29, 2013

106. Teaching Course, Tokyo (WOC), *Japan*, April, 2-6, 2014

107. Teaching Course, Ufa, *Russia*, June 7, 2014

108. Teaching Course, London (EURETINA), *UK*, Sept. 11, 2014

109. Teaching Course, Almaty, *Kazakhstan*, Oct. 34, 2014

110. Teaching Course, Ekaterinburg, *Russia*, April 28, 2015

111. Teaching Course, Vienna, *Austria*, June 8, 2015

112. Teaching Course, Issyk-Kul, *Kyrgyzstan*, June 26, 2015

113. Teaching Course, Nice, *France*, Sept. 17, 2015

114. Teaching Course, Kaohsiung, *Taiwan*, Oct. 17, 2015

115. Teaching Course, Kiev, *Ukraine*, April 21, 2016

116. Teaching Course, Manama, *Bahrain*, May 4, 2016

117. Teaching Course, Ufa, *Russia*, June 2, 2016

118. Teaching Course, Trieste, *Italy*, June, 16, 2016

119. Teaching Course, Copenhagen, *Denmark*, Sept. 8, 2016

120. Teaching Course, Dubai, *Emirates*, Nov. 22, 2016

121. Teaching Course, Kiev, *Ukraine*, April 20, 2017

122. Teaching Course, Genoa, *Italy*, June 8, 2017

123. Teaching Course, Barcelona, *Spain*, Sept. 7, 2017

124. Teaching Course, Zuerich, *Switzerland*, Sept. 18, 2017

125. Teaching Course, Bucharest, *Romania*, Oct. 7, 2017

126. Teaching Course, Plovdiv, *Bulgaria*, Oct. 21, 2017

127. Teaching Course, Kiev, *Ukraine*, March 1, 2018

128. Teaching Course, Ekaterinburg, *Russia*, April 27, 2018

129. Teaching Course, Firenze, *Italy*, June 7, 2018

130. Teaching Course, Vienna, *Austria*, September 20, 2018

131. Teaching Course, Rome, *Italy*, April 4, 2019

132. Teaching Course, Paris, *France*, September 5, 2019

133. Teaching Course, Bari, *Italy*, Juni 11, 2020

134. Teaching Course, Hamburg, *Germany*, Sept. 1, 2022

135. Teaching Course, Trieste, *Italy*, June 8, 2023

136. Teaching Course, Amsterdam, *Netherlands*, Oct. 5, 2023

137. Teaching Course, Hyderabad, *India*, May 18, 2024

138. Teaching Course, Barcelona, *Spain*, Sept. 19, 2024

139. Teaching Course, Milan, *Italy*, June 27, 2025

140. Teaching Course, Paris, *France*, September 4, 2025

141. Teaching Course, New Delhi, *India*, January 18, 2026

142. Teaching Course, Vienna, *Austria*, October 1, 2026

October 1, 2026

LOCATION OF COURSE:

26th Euretina Congress,

VIECON - Vienna Congress & Convention Center

(Messe Wien), Austria Messeplatz 1, Postfach 277,

A-1021 Wien

13:15

WELCOME

T Boeker (Germany)

I Kreissig (Germany)

13:20

1. PREOPERATIVE DIANOSTICS:

RHEGMATOG. RETINAL DETACHMENT

Moderators: T Boeker (Germany)

I Kreissig (Germany)

1.1. Binocular indirect ophthalmoscopy: Why it is important and how to do it

P Stanga (GB)

1.2. Why is finding all of the breaks in retinal detachment preoperatively mandatory?

T Boeker (Germany)

1.3. Precise preop. documentation of findings with fundus drawing: Detachment contours, localization of break/s, retinal pathology

S Mennel (Austria)

1.4. The 4 LINCOFF Rules to find the primary break

I Kreissig (Germany)

14:00

2. MINIMAL BUCKLING WITH SPONGE/S, WITHOUT DRAINAGE AS TAMPONADE FOR BREAK/S

Moderators: A Kothari (India)

D Tognetto (Italy)

2.1. Ambulatory double patching

D Tognetto (Italy)

2.2. Why is drainage not necessary ?

A Kothari (India)

2.3. Rational, indications, optimal tamponade of break(s), video of surgery: Complications, long-term anatomical and functional results

S Mennel (Austria)

2.4. Why is a small segmental buckle without drainage enough ?

T Boeker (Germany)

14:50

3. RE - QUESTION YOUR SELECTED TYPE OF TREATMENT

Moderators: I Kreissig (Germany)

S Mennel (Austria)

3.1. Patient with rubeosis iridis and vitreous hemorrhage or neovascular AMD:

Repeated anti-VEGF injections - or ?

I Kreissig (Germany)

S Mennel (Austria)

3.2. Patient with proliferative diabetic retinopathy:

Do we abandon what works - or ?

M Berrocal (Puerto Rico)

15:15 – 15:35

GROUP PHOTO COFFEE BREAK

15:35

4. DIFFERENTIAL DIAGNOSIS OF PERSISTING DETACHMENT AFTER MINIMAL BUCKLING WITHOUT DRAINAGE: WHAT TO DO OR BETTER NOT ?

Moderators: M Berrocal (Puerto Rico)

V Ferrara (Italy)

4.1. Postop. residual fluid due to delayed absorption with break attached on buckle with 2 configurations:

Convex or concave

V Ferrara (Italy)

4.2. Postop. detachment due to surgical failure having 3 causes: Break not found or insufficiently tamponaded

T Boeker (Germany)

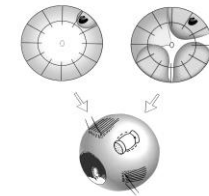
PROGRAM

142. TEACHING COURSE

by International Faculty

RETINAL DETACHMENT:

**Preoperative Diagnostics+Documentation,
Minimal Surgery without Drainage, Other
Options for Repair; Video-Session and Case
Presentations with Quiz**



VIENNA, AUSTRIA

OCTOBER 1, 2026

in connection with 26th EURETINA Congress
OCTOBER 1-4, 2026 in Vienna, Austria

Topics

- Preoperative Diagnostics of Retinal Detachment
- Preop. Documentation of Retinal Detachment
- Minimal Buckling without Drainage
- Re-Question your Selected Type of Treatment
- Differential Diagnosis of Persisting Detachment after Minimal Buckling without Drainage
- Minimal Buckling without Drainage as Reoperation
- Comparison of Surgeries for Retinal Detachment
- Video-Session: Min. Buckling without Drainage
- Quiz: Presentation of Challenging Cases for Treatment

Scientific Program:

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Reinacherstrasse 131, 4053 Basel, Switzerland.

15:45

5. MINIMAL BUCKLING WITHOUT DRAINAGE AS REOPERATION FOR COMPLICATED DETACHMENTS

Moderators: *S Mennel (Austria)*
J Schmidt (Germany)

5.1. Reoperation: The 4 LINCOFF - KREISSIG Rules to find the undetected break

I Kreissig (Germany)

5.2. How to minimize risk of PVR

D Shroff (India)

5.3. PVR-C1/C2 detachments: Try minimal segm. buckling without drainage first: Long-term anatomical and functional results.

J Schmidt (Germany)

5.4. Are there limitations to non-drainage buckling:

Aphakia, pseudophakia, total detachment, PVR ?

D Tognetto (Italy)

16:20

6. MINIMAL BUCKLING WITHOUT DRAINAGE: TRICKS HOW TO LOCALIZE A DETACHED BREAK DURING SURGERY

6.1. What is mandatory for localizing a detached break at surgery without drainage and how to train for it?

S Mennel (Austria)

16:30

7. COMPARISON OF PRESENT TECHNIQUES FOR REPAIR OF PRIMARY RETINAL DETACHMENTS

7.1. Temporary balloon buckle without drainage vs. pneumatic retinopexy vs. minimal segmental buckling without drainage vs. primary PPV

T Boeker (Germany)

16:40

8. VIDEO-SESSION: Surgeons presenting minimal segm. buckling without drainage, followed by discussion

Moderators:
T Boeker (Germany), A Kothari (India), D Tognetto (Italy)

Presenters:
M Berrocal (Puerto Rico), T Boeker (Germany), V Ferrara (Italy), A Kothari (India), R. Liegl (Germany), S Mennel (Austria), J Schmidt (Germany), D Tognetto (Italy)

17:00

9. PRESENTATION OF CHALLENGING CASES: QUIZ FOR TREATMENT OPTIONS

Moderators:
I Kreissig (Germany), S Mennel (Austria)

Presenters:
H Abu Serhan (Qatar), T Boeker (Germany), F Cabrita (Portugal), S Mennel (Austria), O Okonkwo (Nigeria)

Panel:
M Berrocal (Puerto Rico), T Boeker (Germany), F Cabrita (Portugal), V Ferrara (Italy), A Kothari (India), I Kreissig (Germany), S Mennel (Austria), R Liegl (Germany), O Okonkwo (Nigeria), J Schmidt (Germany), D Shroff (India), D Tognetto (Italy)

17:15 DISTRIBUTION OF DIPLOMAS

GENERAL INFORMATION

- **Congress Language:** English
- **Course Location**
VIECON - Vienna Congress & Convention Center (Messe Wien), Austria Messeplatz 1, Postfach 277, A-1021 Wien
- **Course Room:** tba
- **Course included in Registration Fee**
Participants are getting:
Diploma, Group Photo
- **Hotel Reservations:**
Please see www.euretina.org for hotel details