

TRUSTED SURGERY

Leading Teams to Excellence

Tuesday, 26 May 2026

SITEM Bern University Hospital

| Morning sessions: Non-technical skills in the OR | |
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| When | What |
| 7:45-8:15 | Welcome Coffee |
| 8:15-8:30 | Opening: Guido Beldi |
| From Trust to Communication - Foundations of Safe Teamwork in the OR | |
| 8:30-9:00 | Paul Barach - Philadelphia, US Trust and Safety in the OR: an international perspective |
| 9:00-9:30 | Brigid Gillespie - Brisbane, AUS Teamwork in the OR: a nursing perspective |
| 9:30-10:00 | Franziska Tschan - Neuchâtel, CH Communication under pressure: Lessons from the OR and beyond |
| 10:00-10:30 | Coffee Break |
| From Team Behavior to Patient Outcomes | |
| 10:30-11:00 | Sandra Keller - Bern, CH Do Intra-operative briefings improve patient outcomes? First results of a multicentric randomized controlled trial |
| 11:00-11:30 | Peter McCulloch - Oxford, UK From insight to action: Implementing efficient teamwork |
| 11:30-12:15 | Leadership Roundtable: Patient Safety a system perspective Moderated by Tanja Manser – Olten, CH |
| 12:15-13:30 | Lunch Break |

| Afternoon sessions: Let's make it happen | |
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| Making Teamwork Visible and Actionable | |
| 13:30-14:00 | Matthias Weigl - Bonn, D Determinants of Team Performance: What does it take to excel |
| 14:00-14:30 | Teodor Grantcharov - Stanford, US Inside the Black Box: Measuring performance in the OR |
| 14:30-15:00 | Julien Maillard - Geneva, CH From insight to action: Training teams for real ORs |
| 15:15-15:45 | Coffee Break |
| Designing the Future OR: Data, Environment, and Integration | |
| 15:45-16:15 | Hugo Guillen Ramirez - Bern, CH Data as a Team Member |
| 16:15-16:45 | Minou Afzali - Nidau, CH Designing Trust: How space, tools, and systems shape OR teamwork |
| 16:45-17:00 | Wrap-up & Perspectives: Franziska Tschan – Neuchâtel, CH |
| 16:45-17:30 | Farewell Aperero |

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