

» faculty

- › Christoph Arens (Giessen)
- › Doris-Maria Denk-Linnert (Vienna)
- › Hans N.C. Eckel (Cologne)
- › Hans Eckel (Klagenfurt)
- › Katharina Feige (Cologne)
- › Kevin Hansen (Cologne)
- › Hanna Klimza (Wrocław)
- › Jens Peter Klusmann (Cologne)
- › Constantin Kölmel (Stuttgart)
- › Aude Lagier (Liège)
- › Dirk Muerbe (Berlin)
- › Andreas Müller (Gera)
- › Martin Otte (Cologne)
- › Cesare Piazza (Brescia)
- › Ursula Schröder (Luebeck)
- › Miroslav Tedla (Bratislava)
- › Gerd Fabian Volk (Jena)
- › Małgorzata Wierzbicka (Wrocław)
- › Claus Wittekindt (Dortmund)
- › Michal Zabrodsky (Prague)

» topics

- › trans oral laser surgery
- › open laryngeal surgery
- › laryngeal reinnervation
- › laryngotracheal stenosis
- › vocal cord augmentation
- › laryngeal cancer
- › dysphagia in glottic insufficiency
- › premalignant laryngeal lesions
- › microlaryngoscopy

» Live surgery

- › for functional and oncologic laryngeal pathologies

» Dissection course with live demonstration and step by step approach

- › tracheotomy, thyroplasty, laryngeal reinnervation, open partial laryngeal surgery, laryngectomy, voice prosthesis, hands-on-3D CO2-laser application, blue laser application



» Information

» Registration:

<https://hno.uk-koeln.de/zuweiser-professionals/kehlkopfkurs/anmeldung-zum-kehlkopfkurs/>

» Registration fee:

900 € with dissection (limited amount of places)
500 € without dissection

Course places are allocated according to the time of receipt of payment. Registration can be canceled free of charge up to 4 weeks before the start of the course.

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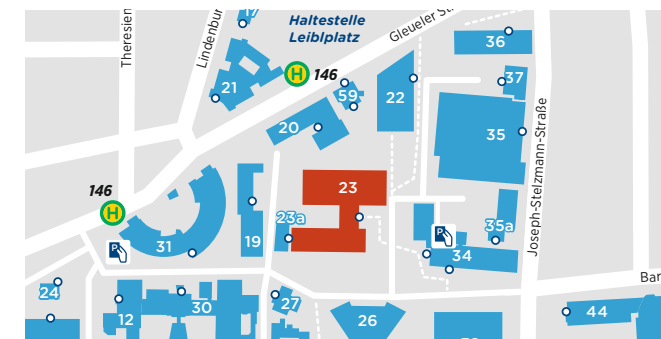
» Date

25th-27th November 2026



» Location

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25th Cologne course on laryngeal surgery

*Educational course for functional and
oncologic laryngeal surgery.*



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*ENT clinic of the
University of Cologne*



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Aachen Bonn Cologne Duesseldorf

Dear colleagues,

laryngology has a long tradition at the University Hospital of Cologne. As early as the 1960s, Oskar Kleinsasser conducted groundbreaking developments on the subject of microlaryngoscopy at our hospital that are applied until this day. An educational course for laryngeal surgery was founded by Hans Eckel and Christian Sittel in the 1990s. We are very happy to continue this tradition and invite you to Cologne to share our experience in laryngology with you.

Renown speakers from all over Europe will cover a wide spectrum of subjects with cutting-edge, varied and topical talks and discussions. Live operations and the possibility of hands-on-dissection at our anatomical institute offer the opportunity of learning various surgical techniques from the experts. The course is directed at early- and advanced-career laryngologists, head and neck surgeons and phoniatricians.

The course will be held in English and is endorsed by the European Laryngological Society.

With socializing events, including a visit to Colognes christmas market, we hope to create an enjoyable and animated atmosphere and thus an unforgettable experience.

We look forward to welcoming you in Cologne!



**Univ.-Prof. Dr.
Jens Peter Klussmann**
Director of the Department
of Otorhinolaryngology,
Head and Neck Surgery



Wednesday – 25.11.2026

08:00 [registration](#)

08:30–09:00 [Introduction](#)

08:30–08:45 J.P. Klussmann

welcome and introduction

08:45–09:00 H. Eckel

history of laryngology at the University of Cologne

09:00–13:00

[Functional Session](#)

(moderation: H.N.C. Eckel)

09:00–09:30 C. Arens

surgery of benign lesions of the vocal cords

09:30–10:00 C. Kölmel

surgery of the laryngotracheal junction

10:15–10:45 G. Desuter

surgical treatment of unilateral vocal fold paralysis

10:45–11:30 [coffee break -](#)

[visit the industrial exhibition](#)

12:00–12:30 F. Burk

laryngeal reinnervation surgery

12:30–13:00 C. Wittekindt

treatment of bilateral vocal cord paralysis

13:00–14:00 [lunch break -](#)

[visit industrial exhibition](#)

14:00–18:00

[Oncologic Session](#)

(moderation S.J. Sharma)

14:00–15:00 M. Wierzbicka, M. Zabrodsky, U. Schröder

Video Session of complex surgical cases with live commentary by expert surgeons

15:00–15:30 C. Piazza

TOLS - current state-of-the-art

15:30–16:00 M. Suchan

ELOS Trial – an update

16:00–16:30 [coffee break -](#)

[visit the industrial exhibition](#)

16:30–17:00 H. N. C. Eckel

Perioperative Immunotherapy for advanced head and neck cancer (MSD supported)

17:00–18:00 U. Schröder, C. Piazza, M. Zabrodsky,
H. E. Eckel

Round table discussion “Pushing the boundaries of TOLS: limits and future perspectives”

from 18:00 **Christmas market tour and Cologne
brewery**

from 20:00 **Dinner at Peters Brauhaus on Rudolfplatz**

Thursday – 26.11.2026

08:00–12:00 [Live Operations](#)

[with Commentary and Discussion](#)

(moderation: Eckel / Klussmann / Otte)

› [“Oncologic intervention” \(TOLS\)](#)

› [Dilatation of subglottic stenosis in JET](#)

› [Augmentation of vocal cord with autologous fat
or synthetics in JET](#)

› [RRP laser treatment](#)

› [Surgery of benign laryngeal lesion /
micro laryngoscopy](#)

12:00–13:00 [lunch break -](#)

[visit industrial exhibition](#)

13:00–17:00

[Phoniatrics Session](#)

(moderation: M. Otte)

13:30–14:00 D. Mürbe

voice feminization

14:00–14:30 Denk-Linnert

oropharyngeal dysphagia - an update

14:30–15:00 H. N. C. Eckel

recurrent respiratory papillomatosis

15:00–15:30 K. Hensen

the aging voice - diagnostics and treatment

15:30–16:00 [coffee break -](#)

[visit industrial exhibition](#)

16:00–16:30 M. Otte / M. Boes

Practical FEES with Commentary and Discussion

Friday – 27.11.2026

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