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When

Thursday, 18.10.2018
10.00–17.30 h

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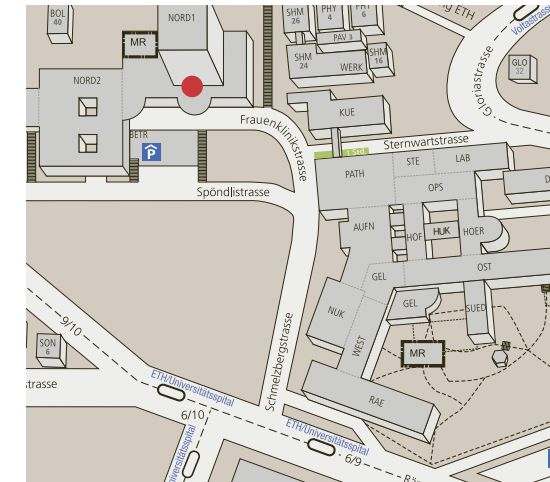


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Institute for Complementary and Integrative Medicine

6th International Symposium
Acupuncture Update: Mechanism and Clinical Evidence

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Welcome

Dear colleagues and friends,

It is our great pleasure to invite you to our 6th International Scientific Symposium at the Institute for Complementary and Integrative Medicine.

This year's symposium will focus on acupuncture research. Acupuncture treatment is widely available in Switzerland and depending on the type of provider treatments can be reimbursed within the basic insurance or additional insurances. Evidence plays a key role, when it comes to integration of complementary medicine treatments into usual medical care.

At this year's Symposium "Acupuncture Update: Mechanism and Clinical Evidence" international renowned experts from the United States, United Kingdom, Germany and Switzerland will provide an update on recent research results on mechanism and clinical evidence of acupuncture.

We very much look forward seeing you!



Claudia Witt, MD, MBA
Director

Program

- 10.00 h** **Opening remarks**
- 10.10 h** **Integration**
Acupuncture in Switzerland: A health service perspective
Jürgen Barth, PhD, Switzerland
- 10.35 h** **Acupuncture services into conventional academic and military centers in the US**
Remy Coeytaux, MD, PhD, USA
- 11.00 h** **Beyond efficacy: conducting and translating research for policy-makers considering acupuncture reimbursement in a small, rural US state**
Robert Davis, MS, USA
- 11.25 h** **Cost-effectiveness of acupuncture**
Claudia Witt, MD, MBA, Switzerland
- 11.50 h** **Lunch break**
- 13.15 h** **Pain**
Distant effects of acupuncture on connective tissue
Helene Langevin, MD, LAc, USA
- 13.40 h** **Acupuncture for chronic pain – update of a patient level data meta-analysis**
Klaus Linde, MD, Germany
- 14.05 h** **Role of neuroimaging to assess acupuncture-induced neuroplasticity in pain relief**
Vitaly Napadow, PhD, LAc, USA
- 14.30 h** **The impact of acupuncture and related techniques on the autonomic nervous system**
Johannes Fleckenstein, MD, Switzerland
- 14.55 h** **Coffee break**

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- 15.25 h** **Cancer, multiple sclerosis, depression and gulf war illness**
Acupuncture in cancer care
Jun J. Mao, MD, MSCE, USA
- 15.50 h** **Self-acupressure for cancer related fatigue**
Richard Harris, PhD, USA
- 16.15 h** **Acupuncture for fatigue in multiple sclerosis patients**
Daniel Pach, MD, Germany
- 16.50 h** **Acupuncture for depression**
Hugh MacPherson, MD, UK
- 17.05 h** **Acupuncture in the management of symptoms of gulf war illness among veterans**
Rosa Schnyer, DAOM, IFMCP, LAc, USA
- 17.30 h** **Closing remarks**
Claudia Witt, MD, MBA, Switzerland