

**Preliminary Program Swiss Stroke Society Annual Meeting
Thursday, 16 January 2025 Bern**

Time	Session type	Title	Speaker	Status
08:45	Coffee/Registration			
09:00-10:30	Morning session 1 90min	Chair 1: Chair 2:		
15min	Welcome	Welcome by SSS president and local chair	tbd	
45min	(Swiss/ESO) Guideline session	Basilar Artery Occlusion Brain Heart Group Intracerebral haemorrhage	Patrik Michel Mira Katan David Seiffge	Invited – confirmation pending
30min	Neuroradiology/MRI	Advanced MRI to reveal mechanisms of small vessel disease	Professor Eric Jouvent, Paris (invited speaker)	confirmed
11:00-11:30	Coffee break 30min			
11:30-13:00	Morning session 2 75min	Chair 1: Chair 2:		
30min	High scoring abstracts (3x10min)	High scoring abstract oral presentations	Abstract authors	
30min	Satellitesymposium 1			
30min	Satellitesymposium 2			
13:00-14:00	Lunch + Poster 60min			
14:00-15:30	Afternoon session 1 90min	Chair 1: Chair 2:		
30min	Controversy 1	PFO-closure for stroke of unknown origin in patients >60 years	Pro: Lorenz Räber, Bern Contra: Guillaume Turc, Paris (invited speaker)	Invited – confirmation pending
30min	Controversy 2	Sex and Gender – does it matter for acute stroke treatment and prevention?	Pro: Carlo Cererda Contra: Emmanuel Carrera	Invited – confirmation pending
30min	Controversy 3	Distal vessel occlusion should be treated with intravenous thrombolysis only	Pro: Susanne Wegene Contra: Kristin Blackham	both confirmed
15:30-16:00	Coffee Break 30min			
16:00-17:30	Afternoon session 2 90min	Chair 1: Chair 2:		
30min	Neurosurgery	MMA embolization vs surgical treatment – what first?	Zsolt Hostettler	Invited – confirmation pending

		Surgical treatment Endovascular		
30min	Prevention	Blood pressure and brain health	Nils Peters and Swiss Society of Hypertension	Invited – confirmation pending
30min	Rehabilitation	The Swiss stroke rehab landscape now and in 10 years	Margrit Hundt, Basel Carmen Lienert	Not yet invited
17h30-18h00	Awards Honorary Members Closing Remarks			
18h00-19h00	General Assembly			