

Participation fees and registration

The participation fee for registration before / after 15/3/2025 for

Fri., 4/4/2025 (max. 30 participants) - booking keyword „Wetlab“
Eye Surgery Masterclass, Dry- & Wetlab 85,- € / 95,- €
PRE-REGISTRATION necessary under:
sekretariat.uak@med.uni-rostock.de, only against prepayment,
no on-site tickets, registrations for Fri. and Sat. are preferred
over registrations for Fri. only!

6.00 pm: **Harbour tour - payment on board:** 15,- €
 Departure: Alter Strom, berth 11, Baltic Sea Resort of Warnemünde
 (Am Alten Strom/Querstr. V) Ship: „Warnowstar“
 Please register in advance with Sabine Neusser.

Sat., 5/4/2025: Rostock Beach Academy

Booking keyword: „Rostock Beach Academy“

Specialists	80,- € / 90,- €	on site fee: 130,- €
Residents	70,- € / 80,- €	on site fee: 90,- €
Students, pensioners.	50,- € / 60,- €	on site fee: 70,- €

Sat., 5/4/2025: Program for ophthalmological assistants & patients
 (max. 40 participants) 55,- € / 65,- €

PRE-REGISTRATION necessary, no ON-SITE REGISTRATION!
 Booking keyword: „Staff & patient program“

Bank details:

University Medicine Rostock, Deutsche Bundesbank Rostock
 IBAN: **DE 16 1300 0000 0013 0015 31**, BIC: **MARKDEF1130**

Purpose of use:

„Kostenstelle **99 23 73**“ plus respective keyword („Rostock Beach Academy“, „Staff & Patient Program“)

received bank transfer = registration

Fee incl. VAT and catering, excl. bank charges. **Prior to bank transfer due to limited number of participants please contact congress secretary:**
 Please send additional E-Mail to: sekretariat.uak@med.uni-rostock.de
 Last receipt of payment 2nd of April 2025

Accommodation in the city center, Hanseatic City of Rostock & in the Baltic Sea Resort of Warnemünde
Hotel Neptun, Baltic Sea Resort of Warnemünde – vis-à-vis the Kurhaus
Booking keyword „Baltic Sea Eye Conference“

Conference rate of Hotel Neptun (valid Thu., 3/4/2025 - Sun., 6/4/2025):
 Single room: 3 to 4/4/ 189,- €, 4 to 5/4/ 172,- €, 5 to 6/4/ 148,- € per night,
 Double room: 3 to 4/4/ 229,- €, 4 to 6/4/ 251,- € per night

limited room contingent available **until 28/02/2025, keyword: 7.BSEC** //
 Included services: eachroom with balcony & sea view, breakfast buffet, paid parking for a fee, Shuttle from/to Warnemünde train station (call reception).

Hotels in Rostock's pedestrian zone, within walking distance of the Eye Clinic:

Radisson Blu	+49 381 37500
Vienna House Sonne	+49 381 4973555
Motel One	+49 381 6669190

Hotels in Warnemünde:

Hotel „Am Alten Strom“	+49 381 548230
Hotel Neptun, info@hotel-neptun.de	+49 381 777666

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University Medical Center Rostock

Clinic and Polyclinic for Ophthalmology

Director: Prof. Dr. med. Dr. rer. nat. Thomas Fuchsluger

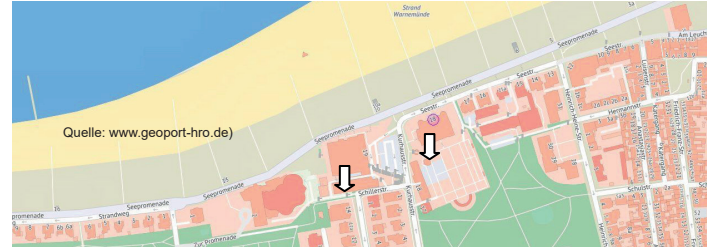
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Venue

Kurhaus & Hotel Neptun, Seestraße 18, Baltic Sea Resort of Warnemünde



Getting to the Hanseatic City of Rostock:

Berlin Airport BER

Direct InterCity train connection from Berlin Airport BER T1-2, Berlin Central Station-Rostock Central Station-Baltic Sea Resort of Warnemünde; S-Bahn local train to Warnemünde station (terminus), from there walk via promenade to the Kurhaus (15 min.) or call Hotel Neptun Shuttle



North-South: Autobahn A19 - East-West: Autobahn A20

Parking facilities:

Kurhaus Warnemünde: Underground car park, Kurgarten, Seestr. 18
 Hotel Neptun: hotel owned parking lot and parking garage, Seestr. 19

For this educational meeting 8 CME points have been requested at the Medical Association of Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania

Next events:

2025: 74th Annual Meeting of the Association of North German Ophthalmologists (VNDA) 20/21 June 2025, Rostock/ Hohe Düne
Update: Retina & Tumours: Wed. 15 October 2025, Lecture Hall of the University Eye Clinic

5th German-Polish Winter Academy, Saturday 29 November 2025 in the historic auditorium, main building of the University of Rostock

2026: 8th Baltic Sea Eye Conference, 17-18 April 2026

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10/03/2025 Deadline for abstract submission
Young Investigator / Clinician-Scientist Symposium
with presentation of the Baltic Sea Eye Award

7th Baltic Sea Eye Conference

- Simultaneous translation -

Friday, April 4, 2025

6:00 pm Harbour cruise from the Baltic Sea Resort of Warnemünde

Saturday, April 5, 2025

International Rostock Beach Academy with Young Investigator / Clinician-Scientist-Symposium

Kurhaus & Hotel Neptun, Baltic Sea Resort of Warnemünde

- direct train connection e.g. Intl. Airport BER & Berlin Central Station -
 (double-decker ICs (every 2 hours), travel time 2.5 / 2.0 hours)

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Hanseatic City of Rostock, February 2025

Dear colleagues, dear employees of the non-medical service, esteemed patients,

today we would like to cordially invite you to the **6th Baltic Sea Eye Conference**. On Friday, April 4, 2025, the Eye Surgery Masterclass with Dry- & Wet-Lab will take place at the Dept. of Ophthalmology, downtown Rostock. You can register separately for this Masterclass. In the evening we will take a harbor cruise of the Overseas Harbor and the International Ferry Quay.

On Saturday, April 5, 2025, the Dept. of Ophthalmology, Rostock University Medical Center will organize the **International Rostock Beach Academy** in the Baltic Sea Resort of Warnemünde: The scientific conference program will take place in the Kurhaus at the promenade. For this purpose we have invited high-ranking speakers to give lectures on cornea, glaucoma, retina and ophthalmological innovations. After last years success we will once again organize the „**Young Investigator / Clinician-Scientist-Symposium**“ with the Baltic Sea Eye Award Ceremony, for which abstracts with work of all fields in ophthalmology can be freely submitted (deadline: 10/3/2025).

At Hotel Neptun, located opposite of the Kurhaus, we offer a very interesting **Program for Ophthalmological Assistant Staff & for Patients**.

Participants from more distant regions are advised to travel via Berlin Brandenburg International Airport (BER) or Berlin Central Station. Please board the double-decker InterCity at the Airport / Central Station with direct connection to Rostock Central Station and to the Baltic Sea Resort of Warnemünde. Furthermore, with participation of the Masterclass and arrival on Thursday we offer you the possibility up to three nights at the broadest Baltic Sea beach in Germany. We are looking very much forward to welcome you!



Prof. Dr. Dr. Th. Fuchsluger & the team of the Dept. of Ophthalmology, Rostock University Medical Center

Young Investigator / Clinician-Scientist-Symposium

with Baltic Sea Eye Award Ceremony for the best presentation

Deadline: 10/3/2025

Data of clinical or experimental studies (all fields in ophthalmology), 1 page abstract, usual format (DOG, ESCRS, EVER or ARVO).

Please announce abstract submission at:

sekretariat.uak@med.uni-rostock.de

Presenters will receive free registration to the event.

Program for ophthalmological assistant staff & patients:

Saturday, April 5, 2025, Hotel Neptun, conference level 1st floor, Salon Muschel & Seestern, Baltic Sea Resort of Warnemünde

- 9:00 am Registration in the foyer, ground floor, welcome coffee
- 9:30 am Welcome – trauma & reconstruction (Prof. Dr. Dr. T. Fuchsluger)
- 10:00 am Refraction – tips & tricks (M. Steirat, master optician)
- 10:30 am Glaucoma – clinical picture & therapy (Dr. Altas)
- 11:00 am Coffee break**
- 11:30 am Surgical treatment and follow-up of retinal detachment (Prof. Dr. F. Schaub)
- 12:00 pm Driving ability – update (W. Rusch)
- 12:30 pm Traumatic optic neuropathy (T. Schacher)
- 1:00 pm Farewell (T. Schacher)

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7. BALTIC SEA EYE CONFERENCE, Saturday, April 5, 2025



Video and photography:

Photography will be taken at this event. By participating, you agree that photos can be used for Rostock University Hospital & Dept. of Ophthalmology public relations (e.g. intranet, social media such as facebook, Instagram). If you disagree, please contact the photographer on site. Thank you!

Note on data protection:

Your data will only be processed for the purpose of preparing and conducting this and future ophthalmological congresses. You can refuse the use of your data at any time with effect for the future. Please send an E-Mail to: sekretariat.uak@med.uni-rostock.de.

Cancellations: In case of cancellation or non-attendance, the total amount is payable.

International Rostock Beach Academy

Saturday, 5th April 2025, 9 am to 4:30 pm, Kurhaus of the Baltic Sea Resort of Warnemünde, Seestr. 18, 18119 Baltic Sea Resort of Warnemünde, Hanseatic City of Rostock, Germany // German speakers with English slides & German language, simultaneous translation

8:15 am Registrierung im Eingangsbereich Kurhaus

9:00 am Welcome, Retina

- 9:00 am Prof. Dr. Dr. T. Fuchsluger, Rostock / Welcome, News, Studies
- 9:15 am Prof. Dr. F. Schaub, Rostock / Retinal causes and therapeutic approaches for secondary glaucoma
- 9:35 am Prof. Dr. A. Machalińska, Director, Dept. of Ophthalmology, Pomeranian Medical Univ., Szczecin, Poland / Epiretinal membranes – Diagnostic and Therapeutic Considerations
- 9:50 am Prof. Dr. K.U. Bartz-Schmidt, Director, Dept. of Ophthalmology, Univ. Hospital Tübingen / Pediatric Exsudative Retinal Detachment treatment (Norrie/FEVR/Coats) - Tübingen Experience

10:10 am Coffee Break, Industry Exhibition

Music: Andreas Pasternack Trio – Swing & Jazz Sound

10:50 am Cornea, Anterior Ocular Segment

- 10:50 am Assoc. Prof. Dr. M. Resch, Semmelweis-Univ., Budapest, Hungary / Langerhans cells in the cornea assessed by in vivo confocal microscopy
- 11:10 am Prof. Dr. S. Ahmad, Prof. of Corneal Regeneration, Moorfields Eye Hosp. London, GB / 30 years of limbal stem cell therapy
- 11:25 am Prof. Dr. T. Brockmann, Rostock / Corneal fibrosis - drug therapy approaches

11:45 am Carl-Wilhelm-von-Zehender Honorary Lecture

Prof. Dr. Dr. Farhad Hafezi, Pioneer and Innovator of Corneal Crosslinking, Zurich (in presence) / Surgical visual rehabilitation in keratoconus **Handover of Carl-Wilhelm-von-Zehender Honorary Award & Baltic Sea Eye Award (best paper, Young Investigator / Clinician-Scientist Symposium)**

12:15 pm Lunch Break, Industry Exhibition

Music: Andreas Pasternack Trio – Swing & Jazz Sound

13:15 pm Glaucoma, Microbiome

- 13:15 pm Prof. Dr. S. Joachim, Head, Experimental Eye Research Institute, Bochum Univ. / Exploring neuroprotective strategies for glaucoma: insights from experimental studies and future perspectives
- 13:30 pm Prof. Dr. F. Majo, Head, Centre Ophthalmologique de la Gare, Lausanne, Switzerland / Eye and gut microbiome: Why do we need to keep an eye on it?
- 13:50 pm Prof. Dr. R. Žemaitienė, Head, Dept. of Ophthalmology, Lithuanian University of Health Sciences, Kaunas, Lithuania / Post-keratoplasty glaucoma
- 14:10 pm QA Dr. M. Walckling, Rostock / Bleb evaluation using OCT-clinical relevance

14:25 pm Coffee Break, Industry Exhibition

Music: Andreas Pasternack Trio – Swing & Jazz Sound

15:00 pm Innovation, Tumors

- 15:00 pm Prof. Dr. P. Liskova, Head, Laboratory of Ocular Genetics, Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic / Posterior polymorphous corneal dystrophy- the Czech Republic experience
- 15:20 pm Assoc. Prof. Dr. C. Brockmann, Rostock / Brachytherapy of large choroidal tumors - comparison between three decades
- 15:40 pm Prof. Dr. O. Stachs, Rostock / Analysis of IOLs with near-infrared light: effects on visual performance assessment

16:00 pm CME Questions

16:30 pm Ende