

Workshop on Management of Fracture-Related Infections (FRI)

Date: Thursday & Friday, April 9 – 10, 2026

Venue: Langenbeck-Virchow-Haus (Aesculap Akademie, 5th floor), Luisenstraße 58/59, 10117 Berlin, Germany

Organisor: PRO-IMPLANT Foundation **Scientific program**: Prof. Dr. Andrej Trampuz

Course fee: 520.00 € (regular) / 480.00 € (early bird until 30 days prior to the event)

Registration: www.pro-implant.org/workshops

CME credits: Applied for approval by the Medical Chamber Berlin and by Ethical MedTech.

Thursday, April 9, 2026

09.00 - 10.00	Registration & coffee	(60')
10.00 – 10.20	Welcome of participants & goals of the Workshop	Faculty (20')
10.20 – 10.40	Osteomyelitis and fracture-related infections: The mystic of biofilm & diagnostic approach	Trampuz (20')
10.40 – 11.10	Understanding fracture-related infections: Definitions, diagnostic workup and sampling	Ojeda-Thies (30')
11.10 – 11.40	Discussion	Faculty (30')
11.40 – 12.10	Coffee break	(30')
12.10 – 12.30	Antimicrobial treatment (type, duration, choice)	Trampuz (20')
12.30 – 12.50	Management of bone defects	Ojeda-Thies (20')
12.50 – 13.35	Discussion	Faculty (45')
13.35 – 14.35	Lunch buffet	(60')
14.35 – 14.55	FRI treatment in case of infected non-union. Bone defect management.	Martinaityte (20')
14.55 – 15.15	TBD	TBD (20')
15.15 – 16.00	Discussion	Faculty (45')
16.00 – 16.30	Coffee break	(30')
16.30 – 16.50	Clinical evidence of biomaterials in osteomyelitis treatment. Literature review and decision-making considerations	Arts (20')
16.50 – 17.50	Practical workshop (2 groups in parallel): • Mode of Action and practical consideration of use of S53P4 bioactive glass • TBD	Arts/Kooistra (30') TBD (30')
17.50 – 18.00	Wrap-up	Faculty (10')
From 19 00	Dinner (not included in the registration fee)	

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Friday, April 10, 2026

08.30 - 09.00	Coffee (meet the experts informally)	(30')
09.00 - 09.20	Management of complex cases	Vogt (20')
09.20 - 09.40	Local antibiotic treatment in FRI. IMN with antibiotics.	Kondrusevičienė (20')
09.40 - 10.00	Bone defect reconstruction with calcium sulfate-based substitutes: Clinical experience and advances	Rupp (20')
10.00 – 10.30	Discussion	Faculty (30')
10.30 – 11.00	Coffee break	(30')
11.00 – 11.20	Local antibiotics in the treatment of PJI	Pidgaiska (20')
11.20 – 11.35	Hands-on workshop	Rohr (15')
11.35 – 11.55	Most common errors	Ojeda-Thies (20')
11.55 – 13.00	Participants' case presentations, discussion & wrap-up	Faculty (65')
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