

# SWISS CTO&CHIP

SUMMIT 2025



## PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

SEPTEMBER 25 & 26 - BASEL, SWITZERLAND

Live cases + International and national faculty + State of the art presentations + Debates & hot seats + Complication case contest  
+ CHIPSTAR workshop + Nurse and technician session  
+ Industry exhibition

Course directors:

Daniel Weilenmann & Gregor Leibundgut

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# DAY 1 | THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 25TH, 2025

08:00 Welcome and Introduction  
Gregor Leibundgut & Daniel Weilenmann

## 08:10 | SESSION 1 - EVIDENCE AND COMMON SENSE

- + Why is it difficult to show a mortality benefit in RCT?
- + Evidence for CTO-PCI in impaired LV Function.

08:30 Live Case 1 - Down under

09:00 Live Case 2 - The local case

09:30 Live Case 3 - From our guests

### **Hot Seat: CTO, DCB and beyond - Challenging the guidelines**

- + Guidelines - With all respects.
- + Critical controversy.
- + Guidelines - All about sausages.
- + Critical controversy.

10:30 Coffee Break and visit of the Exhibition

## 11:00 | SESSION 2 - NEW AND COMMON TECHNIQUES REVISITED

- + The art of knuckling.
- + From IVUS guided puncture to TD-ADR.
- + HDR and TD-HDR.
- + Tip-in and beyond.
- + Differential resistance wiring.

12:30 Lunch and visit of the Exhibition

## 13:30 | SESSION 3 - MECANISM OF ACTION

13:30 **Live Case 4 - From our Guests**

14:00 **Live Case 5 - No complication this time**

14:30 **Live Case 6 - Ricky from the Beach**

- + Specialty balloons.
- + Calcium morphology, distribution and differential treatment modalities.
- + Laser not only for Jedi.
- + IVL: Shockwave and beyond.
- + Ablation therapies.

16:00 Coffee Break and visit of the Exhibition

16:30 | **SESSION 4 - THE HISTORY AND THE FUTURE**

- + AI in interventional cardiology - Ready to go?
- + The sacred land ... all about developing complex PCI in Israel.
- + Invention and the art of swimming with sharks.

18:25 **Wrap up and Information**  
Gregor Leibundgut & Daniel Weilenmann

18:30 **End of Day 1**

# DAY 2 | FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 26TH, 2025

08:00 Welcome  
Daniel Weilenmann & Gregor Leibundgut

## 08:05 | SESSION 5 - EUROVASC MEETS SWISS CTO&CHIP

08:10 Live Case 7 - Double Distal Radial

08:40 Live Case 8 - The President's Case

09:10 Live Case 9 - Turkish coffee

### Access for CTO and CHIP PCI

- + Femoral only - set up for success
- + Distal radial is the state of the art
- + Hybrid access is most effective and safe
- + Is there a consensus in a polarized world?

10:30 Coffee Break and visit of the Exhibition

## 11:00 | SESSION 6 - GOING LIVE AGAIN

11:00 Live Case 10 - Sentai Podcast

11:20 Live Case 11 - From the parliament

11:40 Live Case 12 - The French Connection

12:30 Lunch and visit of the Exhibition

## 13:30 | SESSION 7 - NO TRACE

### **PCI twitter - Chances, Challenges and drawbacks of ...**

- + DCBs.
- + DESs.
- + Scaffolds.
- + Hybrid.
- + Moderator: search for a concensus.

## 14:30 | **SESSION 8 - THE SWISS CHIP COMPLICATION CASE CONTEST 2025**

### **„An educative case I absolutely want to share with you“**

Swiss CHIP Complication case presented by participants

16:10 **Voting for the best educative case**  
Gregor Leibundgut & Daniel Weilenmann

16:15 **And the winner is...**  
Gregor Leibundgut & Daniel Weilenmann

16:20 **Wrap up - end of congress and outlook**  
Gregor Leibundgut & Daniel Weilenmann

16:30 **End of the SWISS CTO & CHIP Summit**

# SWISS CTO&CHIP

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