

Vascular Trauma for Trauma Surgeons: Basic Course

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Dear Colleagues

In light of the increasing importance of vascular emergency techniques in both civilian and military contexts, this basic course offers a practice-oriented introduction to vascular trauma for trauma surgeons and other operative disciplines.

The course focuses on the acquisition of essential vascular surgical techniques that are indispensable for emergency treatment in cases of injuries and intraoperative complications.

Participants will work intensively on lifelike, pulsatile models developed by Vascular International, under the guidance of experienced tutors, within the proven 4:1 tutor-to-participant ratio.

We look forward to welcoming you.

The course convenors and tutors of Vascular International and AUC

Program Day 1: Wednesday, March 4, 2026

08:45 – 09:00	Registration, distribution of course material
09:00 – 09:15	Welcome, introduction
09:15 – 09:45	Fundamentals of vascular trauma, Part I
09:45 – 12:30	Suturing techniques: side branches, puncture channel; arteriotomy; end-to-end anastomosis (VI Box training)
12:30 – 13:00	Lunch break
13:00 – 15:00	Venous patch (VI Box training)
15:00 – 15:30	Break
15:30 – 18:00	Clamping, Fogarty thrombectomy, shunt insertion, end-to-end anastomosis (VI Box training)

Program Day 2: Thursday, March 5, 2026

08:00 – 08:30	Fundamentals of vascular trauma, Part II
08:30 – 10:00	Bypass anastomoses end-to-side (leg model – groin)
10:00 – 10:15	Break
10:15 – 12:30	Damage control training: free applications on the leg model
12:30 – 13:00	Lunch break
13:00 – 14:00	Damage control training: application of learned techniques, various vascular injuries (leg model)
14:00 – 14:30	Crisis surgery & simulation training – initial results
14:30 – 15:00	Feedback session, learning assessment, certificate ceremony, farewell

Venue

Bundeswehr Hospital Ulm
Oberer Eselsberg 40
89081 Ulm, Germany

[Map Link](#)

Emergency contact during the workshop: +41 79 129 14 61

Course Fee

“Vascular Trauma for Trauma Surgeons: Basic Course” € 2,230.–

Course Language

Depending on the participants' origin and language, the course will be held in English or German.

Registration

[Register here](#)

The number of participants is limited.

We do not accept substitute participants; please inform us as early as possible.

Please note the terms and cancellation policies of AUC.

Organisation

In cooperation:

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Supporting Societies

German Society of Vascular Surgery and Medicine (DGG)
Austrian Society of Vascular Surgery (ÖGG)
Swiss Society of Vascular Surgery (SGG)
UEMS, Division of Vascular Surgery

Credits

Upon successful completion, participants will receive a certificate from Vascular International. This course is accredited with 22 CME points by the responsible State Medical Association.

Accommodation

Please organise your accommodation individually. Information on hotels in Ulm can be found online via Ulm Tourism: www.tourismus.ulm.de

Transportation

Bundeswehr Hospital Ulm is accessible by public transport. Parking is available at the venue.

EthicalMedtech Requirements

- The program is included in this document
- At no time during the program will there be live music or any other form of entertainment
- The course fee covers the costs of:
 - Course organisation (registration management, IT support, insurance, etc.)
 - Tutors' travel costs (no examination fees are paid)
 - Rental of the course venue
 - Materials used during the course
 - Rental of practical models, surgical instruments, operating tables
 - Rental of didactic infrastructure (operating tables, AV equipment, etc.)
 - Costs for consumables, endo-material, gloves, needles, manuals, etc.
 - Daily catering including:
 - Croissant and coffee in the morning
 - Water, coffee, and fruit during breaks
 - Sandwiches for lunch
 - The course fee does not include:
 - Any full meals
 - Accommodation costs
 - Any travel costs
- There is no hospitality or social program included in the participant fee