

# EULVIC 2026

## preliminary program

Day 1 | Wednesday

15.00-16.00	Registration	Speaker
16.00-16.10	Welcome	Christian Dejaco
	<b>Imaging in the diagnosis and monitoring of LVV (Moderation Christina Duftner)</b>	
16.10-16.30	Imaging for the diagnosis of LVV: international recommendations	Christian Dejaco
16.30-16.50	Imaging for monitoring of disease activity and damage of LVV	Luca Seitz
16.50-17.10	Secondary large vessel vasculitis in rheumatoid arthritis and other rheumatic diseases	Cristina Ponte
17.10-17.30	Acute versus chronic lesions in LVV - current available definitions	Stavros Chrysidis
17.30-17.45	Coffee break	
17.45-18.05	Venous ultrasound in Behcet's disease – status and perspectives	Sara Monti
18.05-18.15	How to correctly adjust your ultrasound equipment to perform a vascular ultrasonographic examination	Christina Duftner
18.15-18.30	Ultrasound of the temporal arteries: Technique, pitfalls and pathological findings	Wolfgang Schmidt
<b>18.30-19.00</b>	<b>Satellite Symposium</b>	

Day 2 | Thursday

	<b>Ultrasound in LVV (Moderation Luis Coronell)</b>	
8.30- 08.40	<i>Live Demonstration:</i> Ultrasound of temporal arteries	Alojzija Hocevar
08.40-10.10	<i>Workshop:</i> Ultrasound of temporal arteries other cranial arteries in healthy individuals	All faculty
10.10-10.40	Coffee break	
10.40-10.55	Ultrasound of peripheral large arteries: Techniques, pitfalls and pathological findings in patients with LVV and PMR	Andreas Diamantopoulos
10.55-11.05	<i>Live Demonstration:</i> Ultrasound of peripheral large arteries	Berit Dalsgaard Nielsen
11.05-12.15	<i>Workshop:</i> Ultrasound of extracranial arteries in healthy individuals	
12.15-12.45	<b>Satellite symposium</b>	tbd
12.45-13.30	<b>Lunch break</b>	
13.30-15.30	<i>Workshop:</i> Ultrasound of temporal arteries and other cranial arteries in patients with GCA	
15.30-16.00	<i>Coffee break</i>	
	<b>Imaging in the diagnosis and monitoring of PMR (Moderation Wolfgang Schmidt)</b>	
16.00-16.20	Characteristic ultrasound findings in patients with PMR	Kornelis van der Geest
16.20-16.35	<i>Live Demonstration:</i> Shoulder ultrasound in a patient with PMR	Valentin Schäfer
16.35-18.10	<i>Workshop:</i> Ultrasound of shoulders and hips in patients with PMR and healthy controls	All faculty
18.15-18.45	<b>Satellite symposium</b>	

Day 3 | Friday

	<b>MRI in PMR (Moderation Kornelis van der Geest)</b>	
8.30-08.50	Characteristic MRI findings in patients with PMR	Tommaso Buzzegoli
8.50-9.50	<i>Workshop:</i> Assessment of MRI images under the supervision of the tutor	Tommaso Buzzegoli
	<b>PET in LVV (Moderation Berit Dalsgaard Nielsen)</b>	
09.50-10.10	PET for diagnosis and assessment of LVV, differential diagnoses and pitfalls, PET-scoring of LVV	Lars Christian Gormsen
10.10-10.30	<b>Coffee break</b>	
10.30-11.30	<i>Workshop:</i> Assessment of PET images under the supervision of the tutor	Lars Christian Gormsen
	<b>MRI in LVV (Moderation Tommaso Buzzegoli)</b>	
11.30-11.50	MRI for the assessment of cranial and peripheral arteries as well as the aorta in LVV, differential diagnoses and pitfalls	Thorsten Bley
11.50-12.50	Assessment of MRI images under the supervision of the tutor	Thorsten Bley
12.50-14.00	<b>Lunch break</b>	
	<b>Histopathology in GCA (Moderation Christian Dejaco)</b>	
14.00-14.20	Histology of normal arteries and pathological findings in patients with GCA ( $\pm$ PMR)	Alberto Cavazza
14.20-15.20	<i>Workshop:</i> Assessment of histological sections of normal arteries and sections from patients with GCA	Alberto Cavazza
15.20-15.30	<b>Coffee break</b>	
	<b>CT in LVV (Moderation Tommaso Buzzegoli)</b>	
15.30-15.50	CT for diagnosis and assessment of LVV, differential diagnoses and pitfalls	Thorsten Bley
15.50-16.50	<i>Workshop:</i> Assessment of CT images under the supervision of the tutor	Thorsten Bley
16.50-17.00	Concluding remarks and course end	Christian Dejaco