

13th EUROPEAN SCHOOL OF DERMATO-ONCOLOGY (ESDO)

**AN INTERACTIVE, INTENSE
EDUCATIONAL COURSE**

JUNE 27TH-28TH, 2025

**RADISSON BLUE HOTEL
HAMBURG, GERMANY**

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European Association of Dermato-Oncology (EADO)

The EADO is a non-profit organization founded in 1999 to promote, coordinate and improve clinical and laboratory research activities in the field of skin cancer including primary and secondary prevention, early detection, clinical diagnosis and clinical and experimental research. EADO has organized many successful meetings and the upcoming ones are visible on the website (www.eado.org).

The EADO initiates for the thirteenth time a course dedicated to fundamentals in skin cancer targeted to specialists and residents in the final phase of their resident program. They will benefit a comprehensive and updated course to improve their decision-making process for the management of all types and stages of skin cancer, from diagnosis, primary treatment and adjuvant treatment, to the management of locoregional disease and distant metastatic disease.

Target Audience

This 1.5 day educational course is suitable as a refresher (update) for experienced dermato-oncologists as well as for less experienced dermato-oncological in clinic and practice. It is also helpful for preparing for the examination of the European Certificate for Medical Tumor Therapy in Dermato-Oncology

Educational Objectives

The principal aim of the course is to provide a comprehensive and detailed understanding of the decision-making process for the management of all types and stages of skin cancer. This will include diagnosis and primary treatment, management of locoregional disease and distant metastatic disease, and adjuvant treatment. This is particularly relevant given the rapid progress in our understanding of melanoma and non-melanoma skin cancer, and the development of new treatments. In particular delegates will acquire the following knowledge:

1. Learn the process and essential steps involved in establishing a skin cancer center
2. Key aspects of skin cancer surgery.
3. Skills to interpret and understand clinical trial data, with a focus on Hazard Ratios, p-values and more.
4. The fundamental biological principles behind targeted therapies and immune checkpoint inhibitors.

5. The evolution of adjuvant and neo-adjuvant therapies for melanoma and other skin cancers, examining past methods, current standards and future advancements.
6. Current first- and second-line treatment for stage IV melanoma patients.
7. Treatment options for advanced cases of basal cell, cutaneous squamous cell and merkel cell carcinomas, particularly for patients whose tumors cannot be surgically removed.
8. Diagnosis and treatment of rare skin tumors, such as cutaneous lymphomas, with a focus on specialized approaches.
9. Strategies to manage side effects associated with targeted therapies and immunotherapies.
10. Key communication strategies for effectively engaging with cancer patients, tailored specifically for dermatology-oncologists.

Course Organization

The course consists of interactive outbreak sessions. Every participant takes part in each of these sessions which mainly comprise case-based discussion. These will be used to illustrate treatment pathways, how risk and benefit are assessed, and how management decisions are made.

We look forward to welcoming you in Hamburg in June 2025!

Claus Garbe, MD
Axel Hauschild, MD
Course Directors

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

	8:00	9:00	10:00	11:00	12:00
Friday June 27 th , 2025					
Saturday June 28 th , 2025	COURSE 3 Michael Weichenthal	COURSE 4 Olivier Michelin	COURSE 5 Axel Hauschild	COURSE 6 Christoph Höller	Break

A commercial exhibition will be held on all days close to the meeting rooms.

13:00	14:00	15:00	16:00	17:00	18:00	19:00
				COURSE 1 Claus Garbe	COURSE 2 Roland Kaufmann	
COURSE 7 Ana-Maria Forsea	COURSE 8 Emmanuella Guenova	COURSE 10 Lidija Kandolf	COURSE 11 Christoffer Gebhardt	EUROPEAN EXAMINATION DERMATO-ONCOLOGY 2025		

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PROGRAM

Friday, June 27th, 2025

16:30-17:30	COURSE 1: How to organize a skin cancer centre - including certification? Claus Garbe
17:30-18:30	COURSE 2: What you should know about skin cancer surgery! Roland Kaufmann

Saturday, 28th June 2025

08:00-09:00	COURSE 3: How to interpret clinical trials: Hazard Ratios, p-values & more!? Michael Weichenthal
09:00-10:00	COURSE 4: Basics on the biology of targeted therapies and immune checkpoint inhibitors Olivier Michielin
10:00-10:15	Coffee break
10:15-11:15	COURSE 5: Adjuvant and neo-adjuvant treatment of melanoma and other skin cancers - past, present and future Axel Hauschild

11:15-12:15	COURSE 6: First- und second-line standards for stage IV melanoma patients Christoph Höller
12:15-13:15	Lunch break
13:15-14:15	COURSE 7: Advanced basal cell, cutaneous squamous cell and Merkel cell carcinomas: What can we do for non-resectable patients? Ana-Maria Forsea
14:15-15:00	COURSE 8: Rare tumors incl. cutaneous lymphomas: how to diagnose and treat? Emmanuella Guenova
15:00-16:00	COURSE 9: Side effect management of targeted and immunotherapies Lidija Kandolf
16:00-17:00	COURSE 10: Communication with cancer patients: basic rules and tips for dermato-oncologists Christoffer Gebhardt

17:00-19:00	EUROPEAN EXAMINATION DERMATO-ONCOLOGY 2025	Only for authorized exam candidates
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GENERAL INFORMATION

Cancellation Policy

Cancellations must be received in writing by May 31, 2025. No refunds will be granted after that date. A processing fee of 30 Euro will be deducted from each cancelled registration. Substitutions are possible. To substitute a registration, please send an email including the name of the original registrant and the name of the person substituting to info@medconcept.org.

The participant acknowledges that he/she has no right to lodge damage claims against the organizers should the holding of the meeting be hindered or prevented by unexpected, political or economic events or generally by force, or should the non-appearance of speakers or other reasons need program changes. With registration, the participant accepts this proviso.

Course Organization



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Exhibition Opening Hours

Friday, June 27: 16:00-18:30
Saturday, June 28: 08:00-17:30

Fees

Registration Fee of **380 Euro (incl. VAT)** covers

- Admission to scientific sessions
- Admission to exhibition
- Bag with course documents
- Welcome reception
- Coffee breaks and lunch
- Certificate of attendance

A reduced registration fee of **190 Euro (incl. VAT)** will be available for attendees from Eastern European countries, Students and Nurses.

Language and Translation

The official language of the meeting will be English.
Simultaneous translation will not be provided.

Registration/Information Desk

The registration desk is situated at the second floor.

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