

Keynote incl. Free Communication

Surgical meshes in aesthetic and reconstructive breast surgery

Saturday, 5 Sep 2026, 1:30 p.m. - 3 p.m., Deck 5

Chair: Sonia Fertsch, Martina Schneider, Daniel Schmauss

Do We Really Need Meshes in reconstructive Breast Surgery?

Presentation time: 10 min

Speaker: Dennis Hammond

Short-Scar Mastopexy Without Implants: Maintaining Breast Shape with Mesh

Presentation time: 10 min

Speaker: Mariza Salgarello

Mesh Support in Implant-Based Breast Surgery – Patient Selection, Implant Stabilization and Long-Term Outcomes

Presentation time: 10 min

Speaker: Giovanni Bistoni

Meshes in Reconstructive Breast Surgery After NSM/SSM – Prepectoral Reconstruction, Implant Coverage and Soft Tissue Support

Presentation time: 10 min

Speaker: Stefan Paepke

Soft Tissue Quality in Breast Surgery – How to Identify Patients Who Benefit From Mesh Reinforcement

Presentation time: 10 min

Speaker: Sonia Fertsch

Panel Discussion

Presentation time: 15 min

Clinical outcomes of synthetic and biologic meshes in single-stage breast reconstruction: a systematic review and meta-analysis

Presentation time: 6 min

Abstract Presenter: C. R. Harvey-Seutcheu

The use of Exashape in implant-based breast reconstruction

Presentation time: 4 min

Abstract Presenter: V. Hürlimann

Postoperative complications after implant-based breast reconstruction with synthetic and biological mesh

Presentation time: 6 min

Abstract Presenter: V. B. Wlach

Discussion of the Abstracts

Presentation time: 9 min

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