

IBUSXP

Masterclass and certification for the experienced IUS performer



Berlin, Germany - October 2nd – 3rd, 2025

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Welcome!

Dear Colleagues,

Welcome to the **Masterclass and certification for the experienced IUS performer!**

The primary aim of this workshop is to establish standardized, high-quality techniques for performing IUS examination among physicians with minimum 300 performed procedures over the last 3 years.

The workshop consists of 2 parts:

- Theoretical and didactic training: participants will engage in an interactive, self-directed eLearning course via IBUS
- Practical training: the hands-on experience component will be facilitated through an introductory face-to-face course involving sessions with patients

Upon completion of the workshop, participants will undergo theoretical and practical exams. Those who successfully pass the course will receive the full IBUS curriculum certificate.

We are looking forward to meeting you in Berlin!

Best wishes,

Britta Siegmund and Juliane Buchkremer

Local organizers of the workshop on behalf of the non-profit association
International Bowel Ultrasound Group e.V.

Day 1 – Thursday, October 2nd

12:30 - 13:00 Registration and Light Lunch

13:00 - 13:15 **Welcome and Introduction**
Britta Siegmund, Krisztina Gecse

13:15 - 13:35 **IUS in CD – state of evidence in 2025**
Juliane Buchkremer

13:35 - 13:55 **IUS in UC – state of evidence in 2025**
Krisztina Gecse

14:05 - 14:55 **Hands-on Session #1:**
IUS in CD

14:55 - 15:10 Coffee Break

15:10 - 16:00 **Hands-on Session #2:**
IUS in UC

16:10 - 17:00 **Hands on Session #3:**
Post-operative

17:10 - 17:40 **Perineal US (fistula, abscess, UC)**
Federica Furfaro

17:40 - 18:10 **State of the Art: Treat-to-Target in 2026**
Britta Siegmund

18:10 - 18:20 **Closing Remarks**
Mariangela Allocca, Juliane Buchkremer

19:00 - 21:00 Dinner

Day 2 – Friday, October 3rd

08:30 - 09:00 Welcome Coffee

09:00 - 09:30 **Sharpening the eyes – image optimization**

Frauke Petersen

09:40 - 10:30 **Hands-on Session #4:
Complications in IBD – Video Library**

10:30 - 10:45 Coffee Break

10:45 - 11:35 **Hands-on Session #5:
Is it IBD? – Video Library**

11:45 - 12:15 **Standardized reporting and tips for
central reading**

Torsten Kucharzik

12:15 - 12:30 **Test Instructions**

Federica Furfaro

12:30 - 15:30 **Practical and Theoretical Exam**
(Light Lunch & Coffee available)

15:30 - 15:45 **Closing Remarks**

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