

Guangzhou International Symposium on Intestinal Ultrasound in Inflammatory Bowel Disease & IBUSXP - Masterclass and certification for the experienced IUS performer

 Guangzhou, China – July 11th – 12th, 2026

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The Sixth Affiliated Hospital, Sun Yat-sen University

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 Hamburg!

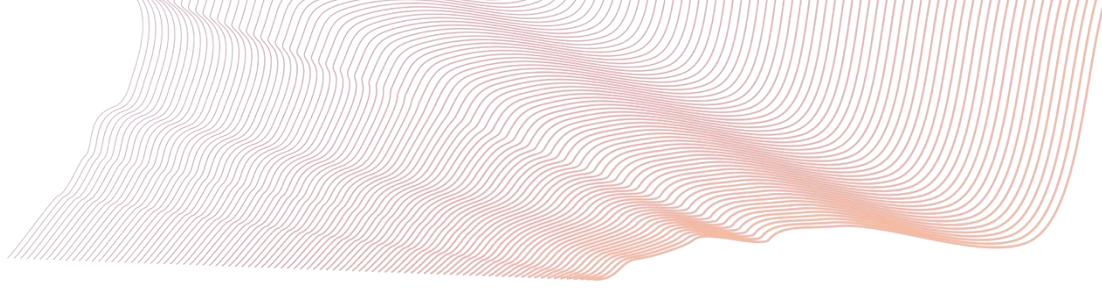
Best wishes,
Prof. Gao Xiang

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

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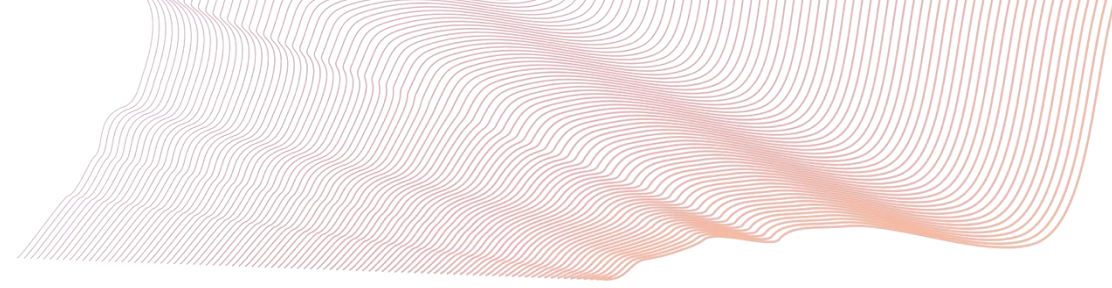
- 08:30 - 09:00** Registration + Welcome coffee
- 09:00 - 09:20** **Welcome and Introduction Round**
Liu Guangjian / Mariangela Allocca
- 09:20 - 09:50** **Treat To Target in 2026 - AbbVie TRUST Lecture**
Christian Maaser
- 09:50 - 10:10** **IUS in CD – state of evidence in 2026**
Joyce Mak
- 10:10 - 10:30** **IUS in UC – state of evidence in 2026**
Edmund Wu
- 10:30 - 11:00** **Complicated IUS examinations with Tips and Tricks**
Christian Maaser
- 11:00 - 11:20** Johnson&Johnson Academic Symposium
- Coffee-break
- 11:20 - 11:50** **Standardized reporting and tips for central reading**
Alex Leow
- 11:50 - 12:20** **Perineal US (fistula, abscess, UC)**
Mariangela Allocca
- 12:20 - 13:20** Everest Medicines Academic Symposium - Lunch

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- 13:20 - 13:50** Transfer the Sixth Affiliated Hospital of Sun Yat-sen University
- 13:50 - 14:50** **Hands-on #1: IUS in CD**
- 14:50 - 15:00** Comfort break
- 15:00 - 16:00** **Hands on #2: IUS in UC**
- 16:00 - 16:55** **Hands-On #3: Complications in IBD - Video Library**
IUS in UC
- 16:55 - 17:15** Comfort break
- 17:15 - 18:15** **Hands-On #4: Is it IBD? - Video Library**
- 18:15 - 18:30** **Closing day 1**
Gao Xiang
- 19:00 - 20:30** Dinner

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- 08:00 - 08:30** Welcome coffee
- 08:30 - 09:30** **Hands on #5: Post-operative**
- 09:30 - 09:45** **Instructions for Participants**
Christian Maaser
- 09:45 - 12:30** **Practical and Theoretical Exam**
Light Lunch & Coffee available
- 12:30 - 12:45** **Closing remarks**
Gao Xiang



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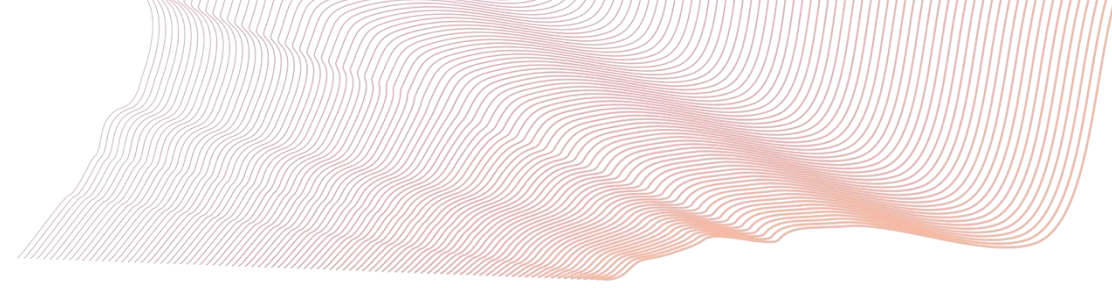
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