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Live-Symposium and visiting Guest Lecture:  
**Thoracic and Thorako-  
abdominal Aortic Repair**

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7<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> September 2016



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Dear Colleagues and Guests,

it is a unique opportunity, to invite two of the world's most dedicated aortic surgeons, Professor Hazim Safi and Professor Anthony Estrera to our University Heart Center in Hamburg! Together with his team, they will perform a thoracoabdominal aortic repair, demonstrating their technique of repair, which will be live transmitted to the audience. This exciting event will be followed by an endovascular aortic arch repair by our team and the first presentation of an experimental procedure for a thoracoabdominal hybrid repair, performed with a newly created device, the SPIDER-Graft. We will conclude this second day with the "visiting guest lectures" of the two operators from Houston / Texas.

This event will be followed by the inaugural lecture, to be held by Associate Prof. Sabine Wipper, on Friday afternoon.

We warmly welcome you to these days, where we will have the opportunity to intensively discuss latest issues on thoracoabdominal aortic repair. Feel cordially welcome to Hamburg! We will do everything to make this event an unforgettable experience for all of us.



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**Prof. Dr. E. Sebastian Debus**  
Director of the Department  
for Vascular Medicine



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tilo Kölbel".

**Prof. Dr. Tilo Kölbel**  
Head of the German  
Aortic Center, Hamburg

Wednesday, 7. September 2016

- 9.00 h** TAAA open repair, University Heart Center Hamburg  
**Operators: Prof. Hazim Safi and Prof. Anthony Estrera**  
Room I, basement UHZ
- 19.00 h** **Faculty evening**, Restaurant „Altes Mädchen“  
(Ratsherrn Brauerei)

Thursday, 8. September 2016

- 9.00 h** **Branched aortic arch repair**  
Operators: Prof. Kölbel and PD Tsilimparis
- Parallel** **Thoracoabdominal aortic repair with SPIDER-Graft**  
(procedure in a pig model)  
Operators: Prof. Debus and PD Wipper

Holstein Hall, Erika-Haus

- 14.00 h** **Guest Lecture Prof. Safi**  
Open thoracoabdominal aortic repair: State of the Art
- 14.45 h** **Guest Lecture Prof. Estrera:**  
Update on paraplegia prevention protocol in  
thoracoabdominal open repair
- following:** **Celebration Academic Guest Professorship**  
to Prof. Safi and Prof. Estrera
- following:** **Panel Discussion** on thoracoabdominal repair with  
modified reversed frozen elephant trunk  
with Fingerfood and Drinks

Friday, 9. September 2016

Holstein Hall, Erika-Haus

- 15.00 h** **inaugural lecture**  
PD Dr. med. Sabine H. Wipper  
„Neue Therapiestrategien bei Aortenerkrankungen –  
From bench to bedside“  
with Fingerfood and Drinks