Dear Colleagues, Friends and Members of the SECEC family,

In September 2017 the city of Berlin will host the 27th Congress of the European Society for Surgery of the Shoulder and the Elbow (SECEC-ESSSE).

On behalf of the German Society of Shoulder and Elbow Surgery (DVSE) and on behalf of the Charité - Universitätsmedizin Berlin we feel proud and honored that after Wuerzburg in 1991 and Heidelberg in 2003 the Congress is back in Germany.

Berlin is a fascinating place to visit with an incredibly varied history – forever evolving and full of contrast. As one of the favorite destinations in Europe, the capital provides all necessary requirements for a successful meeting. Besides the established business community, Berlin offers a uniquely cultural programme, all sorts of entertainment and as Germany’s greenest city also many places for recreation.

The Congress will take place in one of the most attractive congress hotels located in the heart of Berlin, between Kurfuersten-damm and Potsdamer Platz. The InterContinental unites tradition with future and perfection and has outstanding meeting facilities still guaranteeing that the congress will be held in a familial atmosphere.

In 2017 the SECEC/ESSSE will also celebrate its 30th birthday and we are glad to host this Anniversary providing a high-quality scientific programme and an impressive framework of social events.

I am looking forward to welcoming you in one of the World’s most attractive cities and to one of the most relevant international events in the field of shoulder and elbow surgery.

Welcome to Berlin in 2017!

Markus Scheibel
Congress President

Dear Friends and Colleagues,

Our Society returns to Germany once again – this time to one of Europe’s greatest cities. Berlin has reemerged as an enormously important metropolis, as well as the most dynamic creative hub. Where better to discuss the cutting edge of our surgical discipline?

Markus Scheibel and his colleagues have located this conference in an arena of Contemporary and Performance Art, which totally characterizes their city. This will provide a setting for an insightful reminder of the parallels between Art and Surgery, namely the fundamentals of craftsmanship and innovation.

I am confident that the presentations and discussions will push at the boundaries but, just like Art, help us to learn from the past.

I encourage you to present your work and join the activities which I am confident will influence, and even change our clinical practice.

I look forward to seeing you in Berlin!

Roger Emery
President SECEC
# SECEC SYMPOSIA

### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14th

**AUDITORIUM**

**09.00 - 10.30 h**  
**SYMPOSIUM I**  
**DISTAL BICEPS TENDON**  
*Chair: Denise Eygendaal (Netherlands)*

### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15th

**AUDITORIUM**

**16.15 - 17.45 h**  
**SYMPOSIUM II**  
**BONY-MEDIATED ANTERIOR SHOULDER INSTABILITY**  
*Chair: Olivier Verborgt (Belgium)*

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# INSTRUCTIONAL COURSE LECTURES

### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14th

**ROOM 1**  
**07.30 - 08.45 h**  
**ICL I**  
**BASIC RESEARCH IN ROTATOR CUFF PATHOLOGY**  
*Chair: Stefano Gumina (Italy)*

**ROOM 2**  
**07.30 - 08.45 h**  
**ICL II**  
**OSTEOPOROTIC FRACTURES OF THE PROXIMAL HUMERUS**  
*Chair: Stefano Carbone (Italy)*

**ROOM 3**  
**07.30 - 08.45 h**  
**ICL III**  
**ELBOW ARTHROSCOPY**  
*Chair: Michel van den Bekerom (Netherlands)*

### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15th

**ROOM 1**  
**07.30 - 08.45 h**  
**ICL IV**  
**THE STIFF ELBOW**  
*Chair: Stefan Greiner (Germany)*

**ROOM 2**  
**07.30 - 08.45 h**  
**ICL V**  
**CLINICAL EXAMINATION OF THE ROTATOR CUFF**  
*Chair: Alexandre Lädermann (Switzerland)*

**ROOM 3**  
**07.30 - 08.45 h**  
**ICL VI**  
**SHOULDER ARTHROPLASTY REGISTRY – WHERE ARE WE NOW?**  
*Chair: Bo Olsen (Sweden)*

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### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16th

**ROOM 1**  
**07.30 - 08.45 h**  
**ICL VII**  
**RADIOHUMERAL OSTEOARTHRITIS**  
*Chair: Denise Eygendaal (Netherlands)*

**ROOM 2**  
**07.30 - 08.45 h**  
**ICL VIII**  
**CHALLENGES IN SHOULDER ARTHROPLASTY**  
*Chair: Anders Ekelund (Sweden)*

**ROOM 3**  
**07.30 - 08.45 h**  
**ICL IX**  
**MANAGEMENT OF COMPLICATIONS IN SHOULDER AND ELBOW SURGERY**  
*Chair: Bernhard Jost (Switzerland)*

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# INVITED KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

**Felix H. “Buddy” Savoie III, MD**  
ASES President  
Tulane University - New Orleans  
Chairman of Orthopaedic Surgery  
Chief of Sports Medicine. USA

**Prof. Dr. Michael Tsokos**  
Director of the Institute of Legal Medicine and Forensic Sciences, Charité-Universitätsmedizin Berlin. Germany
GENERAL INFORMATION

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September 13th - 16th 2017

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