

## Mohs micrographic surgery, a tool in skin cancer treatment

Combined Course (Residents + Specialists) | 5-7 June 2026 | Bucharest, Romania

### Description

Three days of course with live surgery demonstration. Organization of the Mohs laboratory  
Indications of the Mohs micrographic surgery method. Reconstruction on anatomical areas.  
How to avoid complications.

### Learning Objectives

Following this course, the attendee should be able to:

- ✓ Understand the Mohs micrographic surgery method.
- ✓ Understand variability of tumor extension in skin cancer.
- ✓ Reconstruction of defects resulting from skin tumor surgery.
- ✓ Learn the indications of Mohs micrographic surgery (MMS).
- ✓ Learn the principles of MMS.
- ✓ Understand how a Mohs department is organized (equipment, documentation, workflow).
- ✓ Understand histologic aspects of skin tumors: vertical vs horizontal sections.
- ✓ Manage oncologic cases with indication for MMS.
- ✓ Surgical solutions for different types of tumors.
- ✓ Avoid surgical complications / scar correction
- ✓ Treatment options in advanced skin cancers

### Faculty

Chairs: Mihaela Leventer

Speakers: Glenn Goldman, Jürg Hafner, Joseph Alcalay, Leonardo Marini, Aleksandar Kronic

Tutors: Tiberiu Tebeica, Anca Stanciu, Laura Banciu

Guests: Joseph Weiss, Vanessa Lichon, Alina Fratila, Leventer Team

### Programme

#### Friday, 5 June 2026

8.30-9.00 Registration

9.00-9.15 Welcome; How is organized a Mohs unit  
Mihaela Leventer

9.15-9.30 When and why is indicated Mohs surgery  
Jürg Hafner

9.30-9.45 Cases discussions before surgery (tumor board)  
Clinic's Team

9.45-10.00 Histology for keratinizing skin tumors  
Aleksandar Kronic

10.00-10.30 Coffee Break

[Start of the surgical experience. Live transmission from operating rooms and histopathology lab]

- 10.30-10.45 Preoperative management of the patient. What happens in the surgery room  
Leonardo Marini
- 10.45-11.00 What happens in the histopathology lab  
Tiberiu Tebeica
- 11.00-13.00 What is the final result after Mohs Surgery/ reconstructions with flaps  
All Speakers
- Advancement flaps - Leonardo Marini
  - Rotation flaps - Joseph Alcalay
  - Transposition flaps – Aleksandar Kronic
  - Island flaps – Alina Fratila
  - Staged pedicle flaps - Glenn Goldman
  - Covering a defect with a combination of flaps and grafts - Mihaela Leventer
- 13:00-14:00 **Light Lunch**
- 14:00-16:00 Practical experience from the operating room and lab. Discussion of the cases operated by Mohs surgeons  
All Speakers
- 16:00-16:30 **Coffee Break**
- 16:30-18:00 Following experience of the day, different reconstruction options on the affected areas  
All Speakers
- Nose - Aleksandar Kronic
  - Lips - Glenn Goldman
  - Periorbital – Joseph Alcalay
  - Ears - Mihaela Leventer
  - Scalp - Jürg Hafner
  - Acral, genitalia, lower leg – Leonardo Marini

**Saturday, 6 June 2026 (live surgery from OR and histopathology discussions)**

[Start of the surgical experience. Live transmission from operating rooms and histopathology lab]

- 8.00-8.20 Grafts and complications in Mohs surgery  
Jürg Hafner
- 8.20-8.40 Histopathology of cutaneous tumor - vertical section vs. horizontal section approach  
Tiberiu Tebeica
- 8:40-9.00 Mohs in non-keratinizing skin tumors  
Mihaela Leventer
- 9.00-9.20 Histopathology in Mohs surgery of rare tumors  
Aleksandar Kronic
- 9.20-10.00 Short Quiz for participants about histopathology on frozen sections  
Tiberiu Tebeica
- 10:00-10:30 **Coffee Break**
- 10:30-11:30 Tips and tricks in the histopathology of skin tumors. Pitfalls  
Tebeica Tiberiu

- 11:30-13:00 Leadership in healthcare. How to build a high-performance Mohs Team  
Joseph Weiss, Vanessa Lichon, Alina Fratila, Mihaela Leventer
- 13:00-14:00 Light lunch
- 14:00-16:00 How to avoid complications in skin surgery? How to manage complications?  
All Speakers
- 16:00-16:30 Coffee break
- 16:30-18:00 Difficult cases, difficult reconstructions. When should we refer the case?  
Glenn Goldman
- 19:00-22:00 Networking event with faculty members and participants

### **Sunday, 7 June 2026**

- 9.00-9.10 How to become Mohs Surgeon?  
Mihaela Leventer
- 9.10-9.20 Mohs fellowship in EU and advantages to be ESMS member  
Jürg Hafner
- 9.20-9.30 Mohs surgery fellowship program in USA  
Aleksandar Kronic, Vanessa Lichon, Glenn Goldman
- 9.30-9.45 Scar Management  
Leonardo Marini
- 9.45-11:15 Participants short clinical presentations
- 11:15-12:00 Rehearsal of most important practical procedures in Mohs micrographic surgery. Close of the course.  
Leventer Mihaela

*The programme might be subject to changes.*

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