

SCHOOL OF INTERVENTIONAL RADIOLOGY LJUBLJANA 2026

ADVANCES AND COMPLICATIONS IN IR

Participants: Radiologists, performing IR, senior residents, medical students

Official language: English

Maximum number of participants: 25

Admission: No entrance fee in case of own case presentation (with previous attendance confirmation, based on first-come first-in)

Simulators for aorta and vascular flow models will be provided, mainly for medical students and residents

January 22nd -24th 2026

The School will be preceded by Bayer WS **Optimisation of procedures in Radiology**, held on **January 22nd 2026**- predavalnica 4, UKCL, 1st floor

Venue location: UMC Ljubljana, Clinical Radiology Institute, 1st floor, Zaloška 7, 1000 Ljubljana

WS location- Clinical Radiology Institute, 1st floor Zaloška 7, 1000 Ljubljana, simulators will be available on Jan 22nd and Jan 23rd.

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Organizer: assoc.prof.Dimitrij Kuhelj, MD, PhD, senior consultant

Friday, January 23rd

- 09:00 - 10:00 Registration: Tajništvo KIR, Poliklinika, C hodnik, 1. nadstropje
- 10:00 - 10:10 Welcome, introduction- Dimitrij Kuhelj
- 10:10 - 10:30 Pavel Kavčič: Mid-term results of endovascular PE management
- 10:30 - 10:50 Dimitrij Kuhelj: Management of obstructed VCS
- 10:50 - 11:10 Pavel Kavčič Endovascular management occluded pelvic veins
- 11:10- 11:30 Miha Štabuc- Mid-term follow-up of BEST for low-flow vascular anomalies
- 11:30- 11:50 Dimitrij Kuhelj: Retrograde PTA- why, how and when
- 11:50 - 12:30 Coffee break
- 12:30- 12:50 Valentin Golouh, Dimitrij Kuhelj: Closure devices- when, how and why
- 12:50-13: 10 Milenko Stanković: Endovascular treatment of aorta in UKCL: past, present and future
- 12:50 - 13:10 Nežka Harej, Dimitrij Kuhelj Infected grafts and endografts- life treating condition
- 13:30 - 13:50 Tim Velkavrh, Dimitrij Kuhelj: Type 2 EL embolization- mid-term data
- 13:50 – 15:00 Lunch break
- 15:00 - 15:20 Kristijan Ivanušič: Complications in interventional neuroradiology – case based discussion
- 15:20 - 15:40 Vladka Salapura: CT guided interventions in MSK
- 15:40- 16:00 Rok Dežman: Image-Guided Cryoablation of Abdominal Wall Endometriosis: A Minimally Invasive Treatment Option
- 16:00- 16:20 Martin Štrumbelj, Rok Dežman: Percutaneous Endoscopy-Assisted Laser Lithotripsy of Intrahepatic Biliary Stones: A 20-Patient Initial Series
- 16:20-16:40 Milenko Stanković: TBA
- 18:00 Round-table discussion

Saturday, January 24th

- 10:00 – 12:00 Participants case presentation and discussion- moderators Dimitrij Kuhelj and Dašmir Nuredini
- 12:00 Adjourn and departure

Simulator sessions- residents and medical students

Coordinators: Viktorija Kostadinova, Tim Velkavrh and Nežka Harej Eight 1-hour sessions with 4 participants

Thursday 10:00-14:00 and 15:00- 17:00 (12 sessions)

Friday 10:00- 12:00 (2 sessions)

Organizer:

Assoc. prof. Dimitrij Kuhelj, MD, PhD, radiologist

Faculty:

Prof. Vladka Salapura MD, PhD, radiologist

Assoc. Prof. Dimitrij Kuhelj, MD, PhD, radiologist

Assist. Rok Dežman, MD, PhD, radiologist

Pavel Kavčič, MD, PhD, radiologist

Milenko Stankovič, MD, radiologist

Kristijan Ivanušič, MD, radiologist

Dašmir Nuredini, MD, radiologist

Pavel Kavčič, MD, PhD, radiologist

Miha Štabuc, MD, radiologist

Viktorija Kostadinova, MD, radiologist

Tim Velkavrh MD, resident

Nežka Harej MD, resident

Črt Langel, MD, resident

Valentin Golouh MD, resident

Martin Štrumbelj, MD student

Organizing institutions:

Združenje radiologov Slovenije SZD, Sekcija za intervencijsko radiologijo;

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