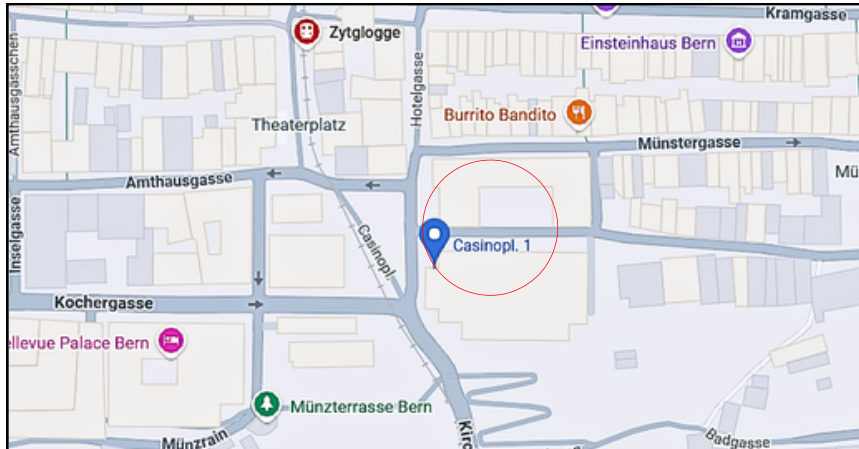




## 50th Anniversary of the Swiss Society of Hypertension 1976-2026

Thursday, September 17<sup>th</sup> 2026  
2-6 p.m.  
Casino Bern  
Casinoplatz 1, 3011 Bern



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There is no registration fee.



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Dear friends and colleagues,

We would like to welcome you to the symposium celebrating the 50th anniversary of the Swiss Society of Hypertension.

Arterial hypertension is a highly recognized cardiovascular risk factor underlying various conditions of different medical subspecialties. Up until today, diagnosis and treatment of hypertension remain an interdisciplinary challenge. Since its foundation in 1976, the Swiss Society of Hypertension has been at the forefront of advancing interdisciplinary research into hypertension. Through groundbreaking research and interdisciplinary collaborations, the society has tirelessly worked towards enhancing diagnostic and therapeutic strategies for patients. With these activities, the society has also promoted the understanding of hypertension in general. Based on this legacy, we invite you to join us in a dynamic journey of discovery and inspiration.

Join us for an engaging and insightful program that celebrates the society's 50-year journey and discover the innovations that have changed the landscape of hypertension management.

Franco Muggli  
Head of the  
Organizational committee

Belen Ponte  
Vice President

Nils Peters  
President SSH

## 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Swiss Society of Hypertension (SSH) Thursday, 17 September 2026 / Casino Bern

- 13.30h Arrival and Registration of guests
- 14.00h Welcome by Prof. Nils Peters, President Swiss Society of Hypertension
- 14.10h Welcome by Prof. Thomas Weber, Pastpresiden European Society of Hypertension
- 14.20h Welcome by Lorenz Hess, Member of the National Council
- 14.30h Welcome by PD Dr. Olivier Giannini, Member of the Central Executive Committee FMH

### Scientific Program - Part 1

Chair: Prof. Antoinette Pechère and Dr. Franco Muggli

- 14.40h History of the Swiss Society of Hypertension *Prof. Michel Burnier*
- 15.00h History of Research of Hypertension in CH *Prof. Thomas Lüscher (by Video)*
- 15.20h History of Hypertension – Hypertension in Women, Women in Hypertension *Prof. Isabella Sudano*
- 15.40h History of Hypertension Management in Pediatrics *Prof. Mario Bianchetti*

### 16.00h Coffee Break

### Scientific Program - Part 2

Chair: Prof. Stefano Rimoldi and Prof. Paolo Suter

- 16.30h Hypertension management in the real world *Dr. Renate Schoenenberger -Berzins*
- 16.50h Transforming Hypertension Diagnosis Through Wearables and Digital Biomarkers *Prof. Grégoire Wuerzner*
- 17.10h Presentation Prize Winners Best Publication Award 2023 and 2024 *Dr. Annaelle Zietz / Dr. Nora Schwotzer*
- 17.30h Role of the SSH in the future *Prof. Belén Ponte*
- 17.50h Closing Remarks *Prof. Nils Peters*

### 18.00h Aperò Riche