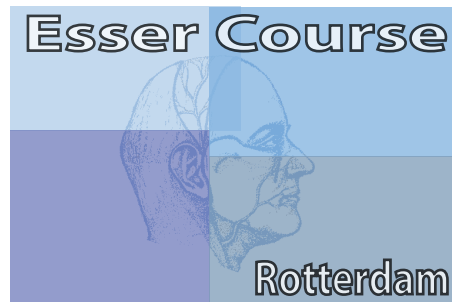




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Sensory assessment and education:

- Sensibility testing
- Mirror therapy:
- Sensory re-education
- Pitfalls in electrodiagnostic testing

Nerve reconstruction: the "graft versus tube" dilemma

- Autologous grafts
- Silicon tubes
- Resorbable tubes
- Panel Discussion

Cubital tunnel syndrome:

- Endoscopic cubital tunnel
- The role of simple decompression
- Submuscular transposition
- Ulnar nerve transposition
- Panel Discussion: Cubital tunnel surgery: to transpose or not?

Keynote speakers include:

- Peter C. Amadio M.D.
- Reimer Hoffmann, MD,
- Christina Jerosch-Herold, Ph.D.
- Göran Lundborg M.D., Ph.D.
- Susan E. Mackinnon, M.D.

- Orthopedic Surgeon Mayo Clinic, Rochester (MN), USA
- Plastic Surgeon Evangelisches Krankenhaus, Oldenburg, Germany.
- Department of Occupational Therapy, University of Southampton, UK
- Hand surgeon, Malmö, University Hospital, Malmö, Sweden
- Plastic Surgeon Washington University School of Medicine, St Louis (MO) USA

Brachial Plexus Surgery

- Advances in brachial plexus surgery
- Functional nerve transfers
- Prevention of muscle atrophy
- New frontiers in nerve surgery
- Nerve research: quo vadis?

Pain Treatment

- Non-surgical treatment options for neuropathic pain
- Surgical treatment options for neuropathic pain
- Panel discussion

Tunnel Syndromes

- Carpal tunnel syndrome: the value of electrodiagnostic testing
- Carpal tunnel surgery: new concepts in etiology.
- Endoscopic management of carpal tunnel syndrome
- Carpal tunnel surgery: new concepts in treatments
- Management of nerve compression in musicians
- Outcome measures after carpal tunnel surgery
- Panel discussion: Carpal tunnel syndrome

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