

Seminar

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Title	Organ specific lymphatic vessels – structures and functions.
Abstract	For decades, lymphatic vessels were viewed primarily as conduits for tissue drainage. However, the field underwent a paradigm shift with the development of specific identifying antibodies and transgenic reporter models. Since then, the contribution of the lymphatic vasculature to organ function and the progression of systemic diseases has become increasingly recognized. Central to these roles is the organ-specific architecture of the lymphatic vessel bed. Using multiscale imaging, this talk will analyze lymphatic vessel function within the peritoneum and the anterior eye.
When	Wednesday, September 2, 2026, 17.00 – 18.00
Where	Theodor Kocher Institute, University of Bern, Freiestrasse 1, 3012 Bern, Clubroom (2 nd floor)
Invited by	Britta Engelhardt , Dr. rer. physiol., Director and Professor for Immunobiology, Theodor Kocher Institute, University of Bern

Guests are most welcome!