

**27-29 May 2026, Brno, Czechia**
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## Day 1 | 27 May 2026

Time	Topic	Speakers
08.30 – 09.00	<b>Welcome:</b> Introduction, aims and objectives, learning outcomes, assessment	Prof. Martin Repko (Dean FM MU) & Prof. Andrea Pokorná (CZ)
09:00 – 10.00	<b>Lecture:</b> Pressure ulcer aetiology & biomechanics	Prof. Amit Gefen (Israel)
10:00 – 10:15	Coffee break	
10.15 – 11:15	<b>Lecture:</b> Pressure ulcer risk assessment	Prof. Andrea Pokorná & Dr. Lenka Krupová (CZ)
11.15 – 12:15	<b>Lecture:</b> Pressure ulcer diagnosis and classification	Dr. Jan Kottner (Germany) & Alica Hokynková (CZ)
12:15 – 13.30	Lunch break	
13.30 – 14.30	<b>Lecture:</b> Support surfaces for prevention and treatment	Guido Ciprandi (Italy)
14.30 – 15:45	<b>Workshop:</b> Group 1 – Developing and implementing a risk assessment and prevention protocol	Prof. Dimitri Beeckman (Belgium)
	<b>Workshop:</b> Group 2 – Repositioning & Support surfaces	LOC team (A. Pokorná, L. Krupová, S. Šestáková) & Dr. Beáta Grešš Halász (Slovakia)
15:45 – 16:00	Coffee break	
16.00 – 17:15	<b>Workshop:</b> Group 2 – Developing and implementing a risk assessment and prevention protocol	Prof. Dimitri Beeckman (Belgium)
	<b>Workshop:</b> Group 1 – Repositioning & Support surfaces (Motion Capture Lab – simulation)	LOC team (A. Pokorná, L. Krupová, S. Šestáková) & Dr. Beáta Grešš Halász (Slovakia)
17:15 – 18:00	<b>Visit to the Anatomical Museum in the university Campus</b>	
18.00 – 19.00	<b>City Centre visit</b> Welcome drink at the city hall Brno	

## Day 2 | 28 May 2026

Time	Topic	Speakers
09:00 – 10:00	<b>Lecture:</b> Clinical pressure ulcer research: Challenges and opportunities	Prof. Tom O'Connor (Ireland)
10:00 – 10:15	Coffee break	
10:15 – 11:30	<b>Workshop:</b> Group 1 - IAD - Putting theory into practice	Prof. Dimitri Beeckman (Belgium)
	<b>Interactive session: Case discussions with clinical/basic science panel and attendees;</b> Group 2 – Prevention in specific populations: OR, ICU, Elderly, Pediatrics, Spinal Cord Injury's, Bariatric and Palliative care	Prof. Andrea Pokorná, Dr. Jan Stryja & Dr. Lenka Krupová (CZ)
11:30 – 12:45	<b>Workshop:</b> Group 2 - IAD - Putting theory into practice	Prof. Dimitri Beeckman (Belgium)
	<b>Interactive session: Case discussions with clinical/basic science panel and attendees;</b> Group 1 – Prevention in specific populations: OR, ICU, Elderly, Pediatrics, Spinal Cord Injury's, Bariatric and Palliative care	Prof. Andrea Pokorná, Dr. Jan Stryja & Dr. Lenka Krupová (CZ)
12:45 – 13:45	Lunch break	
13:45 – 14:45	<b>Lecture:</b> Pressure ulcer management: Assessment to local treatment – the use of VR in wound management	Prof. Andrea Pokorná & LOC



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14:45 – 15:00	Coffee break	
15:00 – 16:00	<b>Workshop:</b> Group 1 – MDRPIs and their prevention	Dr. Lenka Krupová & Soňa Šestáková (CZ)
	<b>Workshop:</b> Group 2 - Guideline implementation and using quality indicators	Prof. Tom O'Connor (Ireland) & Prof. Andrea Pokorná (CZ)
16:00 – 17:00	<b>Workshop:</b> Group 2 - Workshop: Group 1 – MDRPIs and their prevention...	Dr. Lenka Krupová & Soňa Šestáková (CZ)
	<b>Workshop:</b> Group 1 - Guideline implementation and quality indicators	Prof. Tom O'Connor (Ireland) & Prof. Andrea Pokorná (CZ)
17:00 – 18:00	Visit to the Simulation Centre	
19:00 – 23:00	<b>Networking dinner</b>	

## Day 3 | 29 May 2026

Time	Topic	Speakers
9:00 – 10:30	<b>Interactive session:</b> Pressure Ulcer Education and Simulation (Live Session patient treatment / augmented reality and AI)	Dr. Beáta Grešš Halász (Slovakia) & Prof. Andrea Pokorná (CZ)
10:30 – 10:45	Coffee break	
10:45 – 11:45	<b>Lecture:</b> Surgical options in pressure ulcer management	Dr. Alica Hokynková and Assoc. prof. Lenka Veverková (CZ)
11:45 – 12:45	<b>Lecture:</b> Economical aspects of PUs with special focus on prevention and treatment: Advantages, limitations and barriers – lessons learned from the Czech Republic	LOC
12:45 – 13:45	Lunch break	
13:45 – 14:45	<b>Interactive session:</b> Case discussions with clinical/basic science panel and discussion of cases delivered by the attendees: Pressure ulcer prevention and treatment – with special focus on participants cases and focus on new skin hygiene approaches and differential diagnostic of skin and mucosal injuries	Masterclass speakers
15:45 – 15:00	The official closing of the Masterclass 2026	
15:15 – 16:00	Examination	