SWISS MEDICAL NETWORK



Dr. med. Daniel Christen

Surgeon, member of FMH,
specialising in abdominal surgery

Languages

DE,FR,IT,EN

Work Experience

since 2001	Clinical lead, Privatklinik Bethanien Head of surgery, Privatklinik Bethanien
1993–2001	Senior physician, Abdominal surgery and laparoscopic surgery, Stadtspital Waid, Zürich (Prof. Dr. med. P. Buchmann)
1991–1993	Senior physician, Surgical department, Stadtspital Triemli, Zürich, under Prof. Dr. U. Metzger
1990–1991	Surgical assistant, Universitätsspital Zürich, under Prof. Dr. F. Largiadèr
1988–1990	Senior surgeon, Kantonsspital Obwalden, Sarnen, under Dr. med. C. Müller
1985–1988	Surgical department, Universitätsspital Zürich, under Prof. Dr. F. Largiadèr
1985	Surgical department, Spital Zollikerberg, under Dr. med. A. Widmer
1984–1985	Surgical department, Mendrisio Regional Hospital - Beata Vergine, under Dr. med. S. Arma
1982–1984	Neurosurgical department, Universitätsspital Zürich, under Prof. Dr. M. G. Yasargil

Education

2015–2024	Consultant for abdominal surgery, Department of abdominal and transplant surgery, Universitätsspital Zürich
1998–2020	Lecturer, University of Geneva
2003	Focus on abdominal surgery
1996–2001	Lecturer, University of Zürich
1991	FHM for surgery
1983	Dissertation, Pathology institute, University of Zürich, under Prof. Dr. med. J. Rüttner
1981	State examinations

Memberships

- Swiss Medical Association, FMH
- Schweizerische Gesellschaft für Chirurgie
- Schweizerische Arbeitsgemeinschaft für laparoskopische und thorakoskopische Chirurgie (member of the board), SALTC

- European Association for Endoscopic Surgery, EAES
- Schweizerische Gesellschaft für Viszeralchirurgie
- Schweizerische Gesellschaft für Gastroenterologie und Hepatologie
- Deutschsprachige Arbeitsgemeinschaft Arthroskopie, AGA
- Swiss Society for Research in Surgery, SSRS
- German Society of Surgery
- Deutsche Gesellschaft für Endoskopie und bildgebende Verfahren e.V.
- ÄrzteGesellschaft des Kantons Zürich AGZ
- Chefärzte-Gesellschaft des Kantons Zürich
- Gesellschaft der Chirurgen des Kantons Zürich
- Gesellschaft der Chirurgen des Kantons Zürich, member of the board

Competences

- DaVinci surgery
- High-end laparoscopic surgery
- Colorectal surgery (over 1400 laparoscopic colon resections performed): Tumour/cancer, inflammatory disease (diverticulitis, ulcerative colitis)
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- Proctology, in particular outlet problems
- Adhesions (in the abdominal region)
- Bile duct and gallbladder surgery
- Stomach surgery (tumours, reflux diseases)
- Pancreas surgery
- Abdominal wall surgery
- Hernias
- Incisional hernias (minimally invasive)

Accreditation

Privatklinik Bethanien

Medizinisches Zentrum Haus zur Pyramide

Specialties

Visceral surgery

General surgery

Da Vinci

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