Dear Participants of the EBM Symposium 2025,

We are excited to welcome you to the **International EBM Symposium** in Erlangen in just a few days! To make your arrival and stay as smooth as possible, we have compiled the key information you'll need:

Program & Abstracts

Book of Abstracts: https://go.fau.de/1caee
Current Program: https://go.fau.de/1cade
Further details: https://go.fau.de/1cadh

Registration

• Registration will be open on **September 30, from 8:30 a.m.** in the **foyer (ground floor)** of the conference venue.

Oral Presentations

For a smooth transition between talks:

- If you would like to use your own laptop, please check in advance (before your session) that it works properly with the conference setup.
- If you prefer to bring your presentation on a USB stick, you can upload it to our presentation laptop (Windows). Please contact the staff at the registration desk well before your session.

Poster Presentations

- Posters can be set up on **September 30, from 8:30–9:20 a.m.** in the foyer of the lecture hall (first floor).
- Please bring your poster in AO portrait format. Mounting materials will be available on site.
- We kindly ask that posters remain on display until the end of the afternoon coffee break on October 1, so that all participants have the opportunity to view them even outside the official poster session. Thank you!

Conference Dinner

- A **shuttle bus** will take all external guests directly from the conference venue to the dinner.
- **Departure:** September 30, 17:45, Max Planck Institute for the Science of Light, Staudtstraβe 2, 91058 Erlangen
- Dinner Venue:
 - Kulturforum Logenhaus, Universitätsstraße 25, 91054 Erlangen (in the heart of the city, only limited parking available)
- **Return:** After the dinner, please arrange your own transportation (e.g., on foot, by taxi, or by public transport), as no organized return service will be provided.

Meet The Mentor @ EBM2025

Alongside the scientific sessions, we are pleased to offer a special format for early-career researchers:

- When: during both lunch breaks
- **What:** An informal opportunity for young researchers to engage in discussions with experienced scientists.
- **How:** Several invited speakers will be available at clearly marked tables for open conversations and exchange of experiences—without a formal agenda.

We warmly encourage early-career researchers to take part in this initiative, and we thank our mentors for sharing their valuable insights with the next generation.

Catering

Coffee breaks and lunches will be provided.

Travel & Practical Information

- Travel information for the conference venue: https://go.fau.de/1cadg
- Additional organizational details will be provided at the registration desk.

We look forward to welcoming you to Erlangen and sharing a stimulating and memorable symposium together!

With warm regards,

EBM Symposium 2025 Organizing Team