



## Dr. med. Stephen Altrichter

Specialist in radiology, specialising in diagnostic neuroradiology,  
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### Education

2008	FMH specialist in diagnostic neuroradiology
2006	FMH specialist in radiology
2005	Doctorate in medicine
1999	Federal diploma in medicine
1992–1998	University of Geneva, Faculty of Medicine

### Work Experience

since 2013	Consultant to the neurodiagnostic and neurointerventional service at the HUG. (Prof. K.-O. Lövblad)
since 2011	FMH Specialist in Radiology and Diagnostic Neuroradiology, Clinique Générale-Beaulieu
since 2011	First reader for the Geneva Breast Cancer Screening Foundation
2011–2012	Associate doctor in the neurodiagnostic and neurointerventional service at the HUG. (Prof. K.-O. Lövblad)
2009–2011	Senior Consultant, Department of Radiology, eHnv
2009	Senior Consultant, Department of Neuroradiology, University Hospitals of Geneva, Acting Head of Department: PD Dr K.-O. Lövblad
2006–2008	Senior Registrar, Radiology Department, University Hospitals of Geneva, Department Head: Prof C. Becker
2005–2006	Assistant Doctor, Radiology Department, Hôpital Cantonal Fribourg, Department Head: PD Dr. H.-M. Hoogewoud
2001–2005	Internal Medicine, Department of Radiodiagnosis and Interventional Radiology, University Hospitals of Geneva, Department Head: Prof. F. Terrier until 2004, Acting Department Head: Prof. C. Becker from 2004
2000–2001	Assistant Physician, HOGER, Geneva, Department Head: Prof. J.-P. Michel
1999–2000	Assistant Physician, Centre Valaisan de Pneumologie, Montana, Managing Physician: PD Dr J.-M. Tschopp
1999	Temporary assistant physician, Clinique de Médecine I, Département de Médecine Interne, Hôpitaux Universitaires de Genève, Head of Department: Prof. A. Junod

### Apprenticeship

2007–2008	Pre-graduate teaching: Nutrition, Digestion, Metabolism, Clinical skills for 2nd year students, HEDS, Radiological Technician Training Course
2007–2008	Postgraduate teaching: Radiology department, teaching interns
2006–2007	Pre-graduate teaching: Seminars on radiology in AMCs (HOGER) for 4th year students, HEDS, Radiology technician training course

2003–2006 Pre-graduate teaching: Radiology seminars in AMCs (HOGER) for 4th year students.

## Memberships

Swiss Society of Radiology  
European Society of Gastrointestinal and Abdominal Radiology  
European Society of Radiology  
Swiss Society of Neuroradiology  
SONGe, Geneva Seno Oncology Network

## Publications

### Posters

J.-M. Tschopp, M. Licker, S. Altrichter, J.-G. Frey, E. Aymon, M. de Perrot, L. Höhn, S. Grandin, Ph. Morel, T. Rochat, A. Spiliopoulos  
Outcome of thoracic surgery in a 2 sites partnership: prospective cost-benefit analysis of such an intercantonal collaboration  
Meeting of the Swiss Respiratory Society, Lausanne, Switzerland  
15th-16th June 2000

S. Altrichter, P.-A. Poletti, S. Terraz, P.-A. Schneider, C.D. Becker  
Percutaneous treatment with metallic endoprosthesis in malignant biliary obstruction  
<sup>90th</sup> Annual SGR-SSR Congress, Lucerne, Switzerland  
26th-28th June 2003

S. Altrichter, M. Copercini, P. Loubeyre  
CD-ROM: Demonstration on computer-normal CT anatomy of the nose and paranasal sinuses: an interactive teaching file in French, German, Italian and English  
<sup>91st</sup> SGR-SSR Annual Congress, Interlaken, Switzerland  
13-15 May 2004

M. Viallon, A. Federspiel, S. Altrichter, A. Syrogiannopoulou, R. Sztajzel, M. Vargas, J. Delavelle, KO. Lövblad  
Added combined value of Pulse Arterial Spin Labelling and Susceptibility Weighted Imaging in cerebral vascular occlusion, stroke and recovery  
ISMRM, Toronto  
May 2008

S. Altrichter, M. Viallon, A. Federspiel, A. Syrogiannopoulou, M. Vargas, J. Delavelle, KO. Lövblad  
Arterial Spin labelling (PASL) and Susceptibility Weighted Imaging in Stroke  
95th SGR-SSR Annual Congress, St. Gallen, Switzerland  
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Knoepfli AS, Sekoranja L, Bonvin C, Delavelle J, Kulcsar Z, Rüfenacht D, Yilmaz H, Sztajzel R, Altrichter S, Lövblad KO.  
Evaluation of perfusion CT and TIBI grade in acute stroke for predicting thrombolysis benefit and clinical outcome.  
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Altrichter S, Kulcsar Z, Sekoranja L, Rüfenacht D, Viallon M, Lovblad KO.  
Arterial spin labeling demonstrates early recanalization after stroke.  
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Altrichter S, Pendse N, Wissmeyer M, Jägersberg M, Federspiel A, Viallon M, Seeck M, Lövblad KO.

Arterial spin-labeling demonstrates ictal cortical hyperperfusion in epilepsy secondary to hemimegalencephaly.  
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Wissmeyer M, Altrichter S, Pereira VM, Viallon M, Federspiel A, Seeck M, Schaller K, Lövblad KO.

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Imaging of acute stroke: CT and/or MRI.

J Neuroradiol. 2015 Feb;42(1):55-64

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Strokes in the anterior circulation: comparison between bridging and intravenous thrombolysis.

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## Media

# Dr Stephen Altrichter talks to Laurie Selli for [RadioLac.ch](#).

"Additional safety measures have been put in place in the radiology department", Dr Stephen Altrichter, Specialist in Radiology at the Clinique Générale Beaulieu and the Centre Médical Eaux-Vives, talks to Radio Lac about the "Safe Clinic" concept.

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## Specialties

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