

Name: **Univ.- Prof. Dr. med. Ewa Klara Stuermer, MD**

Academic career

1989 – 1994	University Duisburg/Essen, Human Medicine
1994 – 1995	Georg-August-University of Goettingen, Human Medicine
1996	Doctorate (PhD), Institute for Hygiene and Occupational Medicine at University Medicine Essen (Prof. Dr. med. J. Bruch)
2009	Habilitation (Venia legend) for "Orthopaedics and Trauma Surgery in the field of Surgery", Clinic for Trauma Surgery, Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery at the Georg-August University of Goettingen
2013	Associate professorship at the Georg-August University of Goettingen
2015	W2 professorship for "Translational Wound Research" at the University of Witten/Herdecke
2022 (ongoing)	W2 professorship for "Translational Wound Research" assigned to the Clinic of Vascular Medicine, Surgical Head of the Comprehensive Wound Centre UKE, University Heart Center (UHZ), University Medical Centre of Hamburg-Eppendorf

Professional career

1996 – 2011	Dpt. of Surgery University Medical Centre of Goettingen (Visceral, Orthopedic and Trauma Surgery)
2012 - 2015	Head of Experimental Surgery at the Institute for Research in Operative Medicine (IFOM) at Witten University.
2015 - 2020	Head of the Institute for "Translational Wound Research" at Witten/Herdecke University
since 2019	Head of Translational Wound Research at the University Medical Centre of Hamburg-Eppendorf (UKE)
since 2022	Surgical Head of the Comprehensive Wound Centre UKE, University Medical Centre Hamburg-Eppendorf

Additional training and Qualification

March 2001	Surgeon
April 2003	Trauma Surgeon
March 2006	Orthopaedic Surgeon
July 2007	Emergency Care

September 2009 Specialist for Radiology in Surgery
March 2013 Principal Investigator (clinical trials)
December 2013 Microbiological approval
November 2024 Hygiene officer

Important awards URGO Three-Countries-Wound Award 2018
URGO Three-Countries-Wound Award 2020
German Wound Prize 2022
German Hygiene Award of the Robert-Schuelke-Foundation 2022
JWC Award "Advances in Infection and Biofilm" 2024

Memberships EWMA Council 2023-2026
Advisory Board of the Initiative Chronic Wounds (ICW)
German Society of Surgery
German Society of Vascular Surgery
German Society of Surgery

Experience in Clinical trials (important; recent 5 years)

2020–2024: BIOME - Breakdown, Identification and Observation of the Microenvironment of acute and chronic Wounds (PI)

2021–2023: Post market clinical follow up study to examine clinical performance of the debridement pad Cutimed®DebriClean; (PI)

2021–2023: PRODIU I - Probiotics in the therapy of Diabetic ulcers and periodontitis; (PI)

2022–2024: Physical vascular therapy for the improvement of microcirculation and wound healing in peripheral arterial disease (PAD); (PI)

2024–2027: Identification and breakdown of wound odour to improve the quality of life of people with chronic wounds; (PI)

2025–2027 NAZARÉ: Concurrent optical and magnetic stimulation (COMS) for treatment of patients with chronic ulcers of vascular origin in a real-world setting; (local PI)

2025–2028: PRODIU II - Probiotic in the therapy of Diabetic ulcers and periodontitis; (PI)

2025-2027: A randomized, placebo-controlled, double-blind, first-in-human, phase 1B/2a study to evaluate safety and efficacy of single-dose TRI-001 in patients with chronic limb threatening ischemia (CLTI) due to peripheral arterial (PAD) (PI)

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