

Scottish Society of Anaesthetists

Annual Spring meeting

Peebles Hydro Hotel



Programme: Thursday 24 April 2025

09:00-09:25	Registration, coffee and trade exhibition	
09:25-09:30	Presidential Welcome	Dr Ewan Jack
Session 1	Perioperative medicine – a national forum	Chair: Dr Ewan Jack
09:30-09:55	Periop Medicine Network Scotland	Dr Miriam Stephens
09:55-10:20	Periop Medicine Network England and Wales	Dr Isra Hassan
10:20-10:45	Periop Medicine Network Ireland	Dr Kim Caulfield
10:45-11:00	Q+A	
11:00-11:30	REFRESHMENTS and trade exhibition	
Session 2	Getting it right for every patient	Chair: Dr Katie Lake
11:30 – 11:55	Perioperative care of transgender and gender diverse individuals	Dr Stewart Edwardson
11:55 – 12:20	Organ Donation, increasing ethnic diversity of the donor pool	Dr Radha Sundarum
12:20-12:35	Q+A	
12:35-13:45	LUNCH and trade exhibition	
13:15-13:45	AGM – all SSA members welcome	
Session 3	Anaesthesia Adventures	Chair: Dr Kathryn Hill
13:45-14:00	India Project, An RCOA Global partnership	Dr Anna Wilkinson
14:00-14:15	Obstetric Observership in Melbourne	Dr. Jill Keohone
14:15-14:30	SAFE anaesthesia in Uganda	Dr Clementina Calabria
14:30 – 14:50	“So you want to go on sabbatical”	Dr Suzie Farrell
14:50 – 15:05	Q+A	
15:05-15:30	REFRESHMENTS and trade exhibition	
Session 4	A Cornucopia of Clinicians	Chair: Dr Gavin Scott
15:30-16:00	Update from the College, RCOA President (Q+A)	Dr Claire Shannon
16:00-16.30	Interventional Radiology in a Nutshell	Dr Peter Douglas
16:30 – 17:00	A career in Sports Medicine	Dr James Robson MBE
17:00-17:30	DRINKS reception	
Session 5	President’s Session	
17:30-18:00	Presidential address	Dr Kenneth Barker

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Programme: Friday 25 April 2025

09:15-09:45	Registration, coffee and trade	
09:45-09:50	Presidential Welcome	Dr Kenneth Barker
Session 1	Around the Specialties	Chair: Dr Ken Barker
09:50-10:15	Day Surgery, Can We Push the Boundaries	Dr Lindsay Hudman
10:15-10:40	New National Guidance: Stabilisation of Cardiothoracic Patients for Transfer	Dr Matthew Stagg
10:40-11:05	Training for Paediatric Emergencies	Dr Lindsay Forbes
11:05-11:15	Q&A	
11:15-11:45	REFRESHMENTS and trade exhibition (poster judging)	
Session 2	Obstetric focus	Chair: TBC
11:45-12:15	Decision making whilst standing in a pool of CSF: What's right, what's wrong, what's reasonable?	Dr Malcolm Broom
12:15-12:45	Learning lessons from coroners reports	Dr Gavin Allen
12:45-13:00	Q+A	
13:00-13:45	LUNCH and trade exhibition (poster judging)	
Session 3	Residents Academic Session	Chair: TBC
13:45-14:15	Top ten papers that should change your practice	Dr David Griffith
14:15-15:15	Residents Oral Presentations	4 Top Abstracts
15:15-15:30	Leaving A Legacy in Ghana	Dr Anne Devine
15:15-15:30	Prizegiving	
	REFRESHMENTS and trade exhibition (trainee rep election)	
	CLOSE OF MEETING	



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