

Scottish Society of Anaesthetists

Annual Spring meeting

Peebles Hydro Hotel



Programme: Thursday 25 April 2024

09:00-09:25	Registration, coffee and trade exhibition	
09:25-09:30	Presidential Welcome	Dr Kerry Litchfield
Session 1	Protecting Patients and Doctors	Chair: Dr Kerry Litchfield
09:30-09:55	View from the RCOA	Dr Fiona Donald (TBC)
09:55-10:35	View from the GMC	Prof Dame Carrie MacEwan
10:35-10:50	Q&A	
10:50- 11:30	REFRESHMENTS and trade exhibition	
Session 2	Prehabilitation, leading the way for safer surgery	Chair: Dr Katie Lake
11:30-11:55	Prehabilitation – the Anaesthetic Perspective	Dr Myra Mcadam
11:55-12:20	Prehabilitation – the Surgical Perspective	Prof Susan Moug
12:20-12:35	Prehabilitation – Practical Aspects	TBC
12:35-12:45	Q&A	
12:45-13:45	LUNCH and trade exhibition	
13:15-13:45	AGM – all SSA members welcome	
Session 3*	Focus on Trauma	Chair: Dr Kathryn Hill
13:45-14:25	Scottish Trauma Network – then and now	Dr Martin McKechnie
14:25-14:50	Frailty and trauma	Dr Eileen Capek
14:50-15:00	The Nottingham Experience	Dr Fiona Watson*
15:00-15:10	Q&A	
15:10-15:30	REFRESHMENTS and trade exhibition	
Session 4*	The Past, The Present and the Future	Chair: Dr Niels Weidenhammer
15:30-15:55	Ether / Or: a brief history of anaesthesia	Dr Matthew Heron
15:55-16:20	Anaesthesia and Artificial Intelligence	Dr Matthew Aldridge
16:20-16:45	How to Focus in a Distracting World	TBC
16:45-17:00	Q&A	
17:00-17:30	DRINKS reception	
Session 5	President's Session	
17:30-18:00	Presidential address	Dr Ewan Jack

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Programme: Friday 26 April 2024

09:00-09:30	Registration, coffee and trade	
09:30-09:35	Presidential Welcome	Dr Ewan Jack
Session 1	Around the Specialties	Chair: Dr Jade Liew
09:35- 10:00	Paediatric Regional Anaesthesia	Dr Su Ying Ong
10:00-10:25	Severe Maternal Morbidity	Dr Arlene Wise
10:25-10:50	Update on Rib Fracture Management	Dr Colin Patterson
10:50-11:00	Q&A	
11:00-11:25	REFRESHMENTS and trade exhibition (poster judging)	
Session 2	QI and Training matters	Chair: Dr Anne Devine
11:25-11:55	Trainee Presentations	Top 4 Abstracts
11:55-12:05	Global Teaching Fellowship (Ethiopia)	Dr Amy Brown*
12:05-12:30	Demystifying the CESR	Dr Drew Smith
12:30-12:40	Q&A	
12:40-13:40	LUNCH and trade exhibition (poster judging)	
Session 3	Clinical Topics	Chair: Dr Kirsty Morrison
13:40-14:05	Anaesthesia for Liver Surgery	Dr Ned Gilbert Kawai
14:05-14:30	Major Burns	Dr Marie Davidson
14:30-14:40	Q&A	
14:40-15:00	REFRESHMENTS and trade exhibition (trainee rep election)	
Session 4	Supporting Anaesthetists in Training	Chair: Dr Roslyn Carnie
15:00-15:20	The new Primary FRCA	Dr Emily Simpson
15:20-15:40	Psychological Safety at Work: Lessons from Simulation	Dr Prashant Kumar
15:40-16:00	Inequalities in Procedural Training: A national Survey	Dr Naomi Freeman
16:00-16:10	Q&A	Dr Ewan Jack
16:10-16:20	Prizegiving	
CLOSE OF MEETING		

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