

SPRING NEWSLETTER



Welcome BSOA Members,

As we look forward to spring with welcome arms, let us take a moment to enjoy the daffodils around us and concentrate on more enjoyable matters in life.

The BSOA has been busy!

A huge welcome to the board of trustees Dr Ramesh Vijayaraghavan (Chair), Dr Zehrin Nassa (Co-Chair), Dr Rita Gadelrab, Dr Geraldine Edge and Dr Mike Hetreed.

Trustee Training now is now complete and we aim to become a Charitable Incorporated Organisation in 2019.

We are looking forward to the excellent meeting organised by James Pattinson et al on Monday 29th April in the beautiful, historic city of Chester.

See you all in Chester this April!

Sincerely,

Bernadette Ratnayake



The BSOA President
Bernadette Ratnayake



B.S.O.A

British Society of Orthopaedic Anaesthetists



**The Robert Jones and Agnes Hunt
Orthopaedic Hospital**
NHS Foundation Trust

British Society of Orthopaedic Anaesthetists Spring Scientific Meeting
Crowne Plaza Chester, Trinity St, Chester CH1 2BD | Monday 29th April 2019
Join us in Chester for the 2019 Spring Scientific Meeting



Programme Includes

Intraoperative Neuromonitoring

Dr Sumeeta Conry, Oswestry

PQIP

Dr Ramani Moonesinghe, London

Human factors in Anaesthesia

Cpt Phil Higton, Surrey

Anaesthesia at the Roadside

Dr Matt O'Meara, North Midlands

Preoperative Anaemia and QIST

Dr Alwyn Kotze, Leeds

Patient Reported Outcome Measures in Anaesthesia

Dr James Maybin, Oswestry

Rates are as follows:

Consultant/SAS Member - £150.00, Consultant/SAS Non-Member - £190.00

Trainee Member - £95.00, Trainee Non-Member - £130.00

CPD Points Available

For more information, please visit:

bsoa.org.uk/conference/2019-spring-scientific-meeting

For more information contact: Lucy Parkinson **Telephone:** 0114 299 5922

Email: lucyparkinson@eventmanagementdirect.co.uk

SPRING SCIENTIFIC MEETING

Scientific Programme



Impact of Anaesthesia and Physiologic States on Intraoperative Neuromonitoring for Spinal Surgery

Dr Sumeeta Conry, Oswestry

Spinal Anaesthesia for Spinal Surgery

Dr John John, Oswestry

Neuroaxial Blockade in Spinal Stenosis: A Surgeon's Perspective

Mr Birender Balain, Oswestry

Medicine is a Battlefield

Dr Mark Stacey, Cardiff

Human Factors in Anaesthesia

Cpt Phil Higton, Surrey

Patient Reported Outcome Measures in Anaesthesia

Dr James Maybin, Oswestry

Preoperative Anaemia and QIST

Dr Alwyn Kotze, Leeds

PQIP

Dr Ramani Moonesinghe, London

Prehabilitation

Dr John Moore, Manchester

Anaesthesia at the Roadside

Dr Matt OMeara, North Midlands

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Dr Tal Heymann, London



Chester Meeting Registration open NOW

You can register your attendance to the meeting via

<https://eventmanagementdirect.com/bookings/create/1054>

The full scientific programme is now available on the website.

To view, please follow: <https://bsoa.org.uk/conference/2019-spring-scientific-meeting/programme/>



Charity Status

The BSOA is in the process of acquiring Charitable Incorporated Organisation status.

We will shortly be updating our constitution to reflect our changing status; rest assured any changes will better represent the interests of all our members.



Educational Newsletter Article/Audit Prize

Two prizes to the value of £75 each are intended to encourage the production of educational material on a range of topics, widely covering orthopaedic anaesthesia and perioperative medicine. Entries via email received by the editor by 28th February and 31st August biannually will be judged and winning entries published in either the Spring or Autumn BSOA Newsletter. For more details and entries, please email lucyparkinson@eventmanagementdirect.co.uk



Calling for Nominations



Nominations are now invited from members of the BSOA wishing to stand for election as Treasurer and President of the society. There are currently two executive board vacancies.

Any expressions of interest should be sent to the current President of the society Dr Bernadette Ratnayake by emailing lucyparkinson@eventmanagementdirect.co.uk.

Deadline for applications for the position of Treasurer Elect is 26th April 2019. The successful candidate will serve for a period of three years following the Spring Scientific Meeting in Chester on 29th April 2019.

Deadline for applications for the position of President Elect is the 1st November 2019. The successful candidate will serve for a period of three years following the Spring Scientific Meeting in Birmingham taking place 6th-7th November 2019.

Please also view the society website at www.bsoa.org.uk and consider attending the society's upcoming meetings

RCoA CPD Matrix

The BSOA is proud to announce their significant contribution to the next edition of RCoA CPD matrix in higher and advanced Orthopaedic Anaesthesia. "Watch this space".

Intrathecal Opiates: Survey

The BSOA are looking at the national variation in intrathecal opiate choice for elective hip and knee replacement surgeries. This aims to assess opioid use, dosages post-operative complications.

Please assist us by clicking on the link below and completing the survey with your views and experience.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/9MTSDBQ>



BSOA 24th ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC MEETING

The Macdonald Burlington, Birmingham | 6th – 7th November 2019



Scientific Programme

The BSOA are pleased to announce that the Annual Scientific Meeting 2019 will take place in Birmingham, UK on Wednesday 6th - Thursday 7th November 2019.

The meeting will take place over two days and will include a half day of specialist workshops, exciting lecture sessions from a national faculty and a conference dinner to help delegates unwind and network.

Please mark your calendars for the 2019 Annual Scientific Meeting and keep checking the following link for all up-to-date information: <https://bsoa.org.uk/conference/2019-annual-scientific-meeting/>

DRAFT PROGRAMME...

Wednesday 6th November

Workshops:

Pensions and the NHS Sandison Lang and Medical family finance
Emergency tracheostomy & Fiberoptic intubation
Upper Limb regional anaesthesia refresher
Lower Limb regional anaesthesia refresher
Cell salvage and Blood preservation techniques
Radiology for the anaesthetist refresher

Lectures:

Session 1 – Improving Practice

Anaesthesia and Cancer: The Association
What to do after a death on the operating table

Session 2 - Radiology and Regional

Advances in Percutaneous bone tumour intervention
Tips and tricks for regional anaesthesia in Orthopaedics

Thursday 7th November

Session 3 - Peri-operative Medicine

Future: Anaesthesia & Peri-operative Medicine
Postoperative morbidity: is it all about the heart?
Risk scores in pre-assessment, their validity and reliability

Session 4 - Critical care & Orthopaedics

Debate: Level 2 Critical Care Vs Surgical HDU;
level 2 or level 1.5

Session 5 - Extremes of Care

Spine Tumours – Palliative surgery (The Birmingham Experience)
Blood conservation in Orthopaedics and Orthopaedic Oncology
Extent of morbidity in patients with prosthetic joint infections

Session 6 - Registrar Prize presentation

Another exciting event in May 2019...



Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital **NHS**
NHS Trust



Intraoperative Neuromonitoring in Spinal Surgery

An opportunity for anaesthetists & neurophysiology teams to learn jointly

Welcome to
Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital Stanmore

Location: RNOH, Stanmore HA7 4LP
Date: Wednesday 22nd May 2019

Including lectures, discussion sessions and practical workshops

Contact RNOH Teaching Centre for more information:
rnoh.courses@nhs.net

MEMBER BENEFITS

Reduced registration fees for B.S.O.A meetings

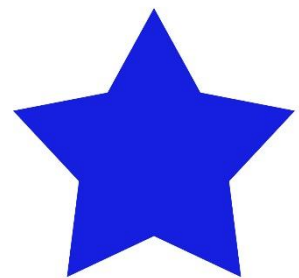
BSOA e-newsletters and the opportunity to publish articles in future issues

Participation and voting rights at upcoming Executive Committee elections as well as eligibility to nominate and be nominated to the Executive Committee

Participation and voting rights at the Annual General Meeting

Access to the members-only area on our website

- Documents Library to search documents and other inquiries from past meetings
- Member Forum to join discussions and/or search topics



WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

We are looking for more writers/articles for the quarterly newsletter and social media to share within BSOA.

Please email us at info@bsoa.org.uk if you are interested to share your content.

The BSOA gives many thanks to our Congress sponsors!



Questions? Comments? Suggestions?

Email us anytime: info@bsoa.org.uk

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