



Annual Scientific Meeting

Friday 14 November 2025
Macdonald Botley Park Hotel & Spa

08:15 Registration and refreshments

08:50 Welcome

SESSION 1

09:00 From outer space to the epidural space

Mr James Tomlinson, Consultant Spinal Surgeon, Sheffield Teaching Hospitals
Associate Medical Director (Education) and Chair of the Faculty of Surgical Trainers

09:45 Mechanisms of obstetric coagulopathy and management of postpartum haemorrhage

Prof Rachel Collis, Consultant Obstetric Anaesthetist & Prof Peter Collins, Consultant Haematologist
University Hospital Wales

10:30 Tea/Coffee and sponsors

SESSION 2

11:00 "Clinical decisions, emotional consequences: birth trauma and the anaesthetist"

From risk factors to trauma-informed care.

Dr Michelle Walters, Consultant Obstetric Anaesthetist, East Kent Hospitals &
Dr Kelly Asagba, Principal Clinical Psychologist, HIOW Maternity Mental Health Service

11:50 Medicolegal considerations in obstetric anaesthesia

Dr Heidi Mounsey, Medicolegal Consultant at Medical Protection Society

12:20 Abstract presentation session I

13:00 Lunch

SESSION 3

13:45 Iron-deficiency anaemia in pregnancy: what we think we know and what we actually know

Prof David Churchill, Consultant Obstetrician, Royal Wolverhampton Hospitals & Co-Chair UKOSS

14:30 Heart failure in pregnancy

Dr Alice Zheng, Consultant Cardiologist, University Hospital Southampton

15:10 Tea/Coffee and sponsors

SESSION 4

15:20 Abstract presentation session II

16:00 The stuff we do for no reason

Mr James Hounslow, Consultant Obstetrician & Gynaecologist, University Hospital Southampton

16:45 Presentation of prizes

16:50 Meeting close, followed by drinks

Accredited by the RCoA for 5 CPD credits

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