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12 JUNE 2024 WORKSHOP

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ATTENDANCE AT WORKSHOPS

The following workshops will be held on Wednesday 12 June, the day before FOPS24 opens.

The workshop day starts at 9am and ends at 4.30pm. Each workshop will last two hours with breaks for tea and coffee and lunch. Workshop delegates will be allocated to timed workshop slots for those they have selected, prior to the event, once final numbers are known for each workshop.

SESSION 1 09:00-11:00	BREAK	SESSION 2 11:30-13:30	LUNCH	SESSION 3 14:30-16.30	PRODUCT DEMOS AND DRINKS RECEPTION 16.45- 18.15
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08:00	REGISTRATION
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WORKSHOPS

<p>Sponsored by:</p>  	<p>Ultrasound</p> <p>This practical ultrasound workshop is supported by industry, who provide high specification machines and expertise. It is aimed at all levels of practitioner, from those new to scanning who want to learn the basics and gain hands-on experience, to more experienced scanners looking for hints and tips to optimise their scanning practice. This hands-on workshop is a fantastic CPD opportunity and will help to advance your scope of practice.</p> <p>Led by Stuart Wildman, The Ultrasound Site and Stuart Brown, Podiatrist, Shockwave demo</p>
<p>Sponsored by:</p> 	<p>Regional blocks and therapeutic injections</p> <p>This session will provide an excellent overview in the theory and practical undertaking of regional anaesthetic blocks and therapeutic injections, both of which are core skills in a wide range of podiatric practice. It is ideal for those who want to pursue a career in podiatric surgery (whether this be as a staff podiatrist or podiatric surgeon), or MSK.</p> <p>Led by Mr David Goyette, Podiatric Surgeon Assisted by Ms Lesley Posmyk, Podiatric Surgeon and Mr Richard Lang, SpR Podiatric Surgery</p>
<p>Sponsored by:</p> 	<p>Vascular assessments and specialist imaging with vascular surgical principles</p> <p>The involvement of podiatric surgery in the at-risk arena and the increasing working relations alongside vascular teams has led the way for an evolving and enhanced practice. This workshop will help enhance the application of theory and practical vascular clinical assessments, the rationale and interpretation of specialist imaging used in vascular assessment and the principles of vascular surgery. The workshop is ideal for all grades including surgical trainees, registrars and consultants, as well as non-surgical podiatrists working in this area.</p> <p>Led by: Martin Fox, Vascular Specialist, Mrs Rachel Sam, Consultant Vascular Surgeon and Mrs Anna Murray, Consultant Vascular Surgeon</p>
<p>Sponsored by:</p>  	<p>Minimal invasive surgery (MIS)</p> <p>The hugely popular Minimal Invasive Surgery workshop will be conducted by leaders in the field from the UK and USA and supported by industry. The session is a practical workshop which will introduce attendees to the principles and techniques used in a variety of MIS foot and ankle procedures, for elective and the 'at-risk' caseload.</p> <p>Led by Mr Antony Wilkinson, Consultant Podiatric Surgeon and Mr Tommy Chan, Consultant Podiatric Surgeon</p>



WORKSHOPS CONTINUED

<p>Sponsored by:</p> 	<p>Thinking pharmacology through surgical episodes</p> <p>The pharmacology workshop is delivered by one of the most inspirational podiatry pharmacologists. It is a fantastic opportunity for attendees to refresh current knowledge and consider practical pharmacology, clinically applied to the surgical patient and their medical regimes. Key areas and challenges around analgesia, antimicrobial management and anticoagulation will provide invaluable takeaway knowledge and is excellent evidence of CPD for independent prescribers. The workshop is beneficial for all grades including surgical trainees, registrars and consultants, as well as non-surgical podiatrists.</p> <p>Led by Dr Stephen Hughes, Consultant Antimicrobial Pharmacist</p>
<p>Sponsored by:</p> 	<p>External frames theory and practical</p> <p>This is a new workshop for 2024 and is being delivered by one of our DPM colleagues who uses external frames regularly in the management of the diabetic foot. As our involvement in this area of work increases, our arsenal needs to increase to optimally manage these patients.</p> <p>Led by Dr Coleman Clougherty DPM</p>
<p>Sponsored by:</p> 	<p>Structural and functional assessment of the foot and ankle</p> <p>This is a crucial ability required by all clinicians, irrespective of the area of practice in which they are involved. This hands-on workshop will provide a systematic approach to assessing the foot and ankle, including strength and neurological testing and most importantly, what the findings tell us. It would be of benefit to any level of clinician, whether student or newly graduated, all the way through to the experienced surgeons who want a refresher.</p> <p>Led by Dr Mark Razzante DPM, and Dr Christina Pratt DPM</p>
<p>Sponsored by:</p>   	<p>Sawbone</p> <p>This is an introductory workshop aimed at those wanting to move into surgical training, or perhaps those who want to try out the power equipment and bone fixation to see if it is for them. Even the newer surgical trainees will find benefit from this workshop. Hands-on experience under the guidance of some experienced surgeons in a session supported by industry to undertake bunion corrections, joint fusions and toe straightening.</p> <p>Led by Matt Rothwell, Podiatric Surgeon Assisted by Kerry Clark, Podiatric Surgeon, Chih-Kai Huang, Podiatric Surgeon and Aaron McCusker, SpR Podiatric Surgery</p>
<p>16:45-18:15</p>	<p>PRODUCT DEMO SESSION</p>
<p>Drinks reception/ snacks and sponsor product demos</p>	<p>LAVENDER MEDICAL</p> <p>LAVENDER MEDICAL LIVE PODCAST - PRESENTED BY MR ANTONY WILKINSON</p> <p>1)MIS</p> <p>2)THE AT-RISK FOOT</p> <p>BIOCOMPOSITES</p> <p>VENN HEALTHCARE</p>



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08:00-09:00	Registration
SESSION SPONSOR LAVENDER MEDICAL	
Chair: Mr Kaser Nazir, Consultant Podiatric Surgeon and immediate past Dean of the Faculty of Podiatric Surgery	
09:00	Welcome and conference opening Faculty of Podiatric Surgery Conference Co-Chairs 2024: Miss Jade Tang Specialist Registrar in Podiatric Surgery and Mr James Cowden Consultant Podiatric Surgeon
09:10	Welcome and conference opening Mr Lawrence Ambrose, Head of Policy and Public Affairs, The Royal College of Podiatry
09:15	Dean's address and faculty workstreams update Mr Ewan Kannegeiter, Consultant Podiatric Surgeon and Dean of the Faculty of Podiatric Surgery Supported by the Faculty of Podiatric Surgery, RCPod
09:50	Surgeon burnout: causes, consequences and control Professor Jonathan Houdmont, Professor of Occupational Psychology
10:20	Radicular and idiopathic pain in the foot and understanding the risk factors for post-operative chronic pain Narender Nalajala, Consultant Physiotherapist
10:45	BREAK - DRINKS AND TRADE STANDS
10:55	BREAK ROOM CAMPFIRE CASE WITH LAVENDER MEDICAL
SESSION SPONSOR BIOCOSMOS	
Chair: Mr Antony Maher, Consultant Podiatric Surgeon	
11:10	Unusual foot and ankle interventional procedures Dr Otto Chan, Consultant Radiologist
11:35	Surgical management of foot and ankle tumours Mr Guy Morris, Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon
12:00	The psychological impact of medical complexity and amputation on patients Dr Kate Bewsey, Consultant Psychologist
12:25	LUNCH AND TRADE STANDS
12.55	BREAK ROOM CAMPFIRE CASE WITH BIOCOSMOS
SESSION SPONSOR VENN HEALTHCARE	
Chair: Mr George Flanagan, Consultant Podiatric Surgeon	
13:20	Optimising optimisation - medical and physical prior to surgery Dr Raja Lakshmanan, Consultant and Lead Pre-Op Anaesthetist
13:45	Prehab and rehab - could and should we be doing more? Dr Bhaskar Basu, Consultant and Lead in Rehabilitation Medicine
14:10	Amputations: the good, the bad and the ugly - getting the best out of limb salvage cases Mr Ryan McCallum, Consultant Podiatric Surgeon
14:35	These shoes are made for walking Mr Nick Gallogly, Consultant Orthotist
15:00	BREAK - DRINKS AND TRADE STANDS



15:10	BREAK ROOM CAMPFIRE CASE WITH VENN HEALTHCARE
Chair: Mr Ewan Kannegeiter, Consultant Podiatric Surgeon and Dean of the Faculty of Podiatric Surgery	
15:25	Research group update Dr Jill Halstead-Rastrick, Clinical Lead for Podiatry and Research, Visiting Fellow, University of Leeds and Ms Helen Milnes, Consultant Podiatric Surgeon
ABSTRACTS SESSION - WITH VOTING	
15:45	Improving amputation inequality within the Greater Manchester region of England through innovative collaboration between podiatry/podiatric surgery and vascular surgery Ryan Ravenscroft
15:55	Factors that influence major amputation and mortality in the diabetic at risk limb Harrison Travis
16:05	Immediate weightbearing after modified lapidus arthrodesis using a medial plate: A retrospective descriptive cohort study Yang Kang
16:15	Podiatric surgery and the diabetic foot MDT: a retrospective cohort study of community-based diabetic foot surgery Maria Davies
16:25	Analysis of deformity progression in the chronic charcot foot using computer vision techniques Max Desancha
16:35	Venous thromboembolism- who is at risk? Lesley Posmyk
17:05	Questions for presenters

13 JUNE 2024 - EVENING

DINNER EVENT SPONSORED BY OUR GOLD SPONSORS



DINNER VENUE

The Old Library, Zellig, Gibb Street, Digbeth, Birmingham B9 4AT www.theoldlibrary.co

19:00	Arrival drinks
19:45	Take seats
23:00	Last orders
Midnight	Venue closes

BARS

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SESSION SPONSOR SOVEREIGN MEDICAL

Chair: Mr Tommy Chan, Consultant Podiatric Surgeon and Regional Chair for the North of England, Scotland and Northern Ireland

09:00 **Current concepts in optimal microbiological sampling and antibiotic management**
Dr Abid Hussain, Consultant Microbiologist

09:30 **The impact of diabetic neuropathy on the foot and ankle: surgical implications**
Professor Neil Reeves, Professor in Digital Health Technology and Security Science

10:00 **Getting ahead of the game with AI?**
Professor Mohammed Imam, Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon

10:25 **BREAK - DRINKS AND TRADE STANDS**

10:35 **BREAK ROOM CAMPFIRE CASE WITH SOVEREIGN MEDICAL**

MASTERCLASSES

10:55 **Research - crossing the finish line, getting research started and finished**
Dr Jill Halstead-Rastrick, Clinical Lead for Podiatry and Research, Visiting Fellow, University of Leeds

10:55 **Imaging interpretation - what can we, do we, should we be seeing, X-rays and MRI**
Dr Mark Razzante, DPM

10:55 **Walking through the flatfoot deformity**
Professor Mark Tagoe, Consultant Podiatric Surgeon and Mrs Alison Miller, Advanced Orthopaedic Physiotherapist

12:10 **LUNCH AND TRADE STANDS (BREAK ROOM CAMPFIRE CASE)**

12:30 **BREAK ROOM CAMPFIRE CASE WITH GAIT AND MOTION**

13:00 **MIS - is the world of MIS really your oyster?**
Mr Tony Wilkinson, Consultant Podiatric Surgeon and Dr Christina Pratt, DPM

At-risk foot - assessment, surgical workup and surgical approaches/principles
Dr Coleman Clougherty, DPM and Mr Ben Yates, Consultant Podiatric Surgeon

Principles of plastic surgery
Mr James Chan, Consultant Plastic Surgeon and Ms Rebecca Shirley, Consultant Plastic Surgeon

14:15 **BREAK - DRINKS AND TRADE STANDS**

MANAGEMENT OF COMPLEX CASES/COMPLICATIONS

SESSION SPONSOR ORTHO SOLUTIONS

Chair: Ms Helen Milnes, Consultant Podiatric Surgeon

14:45 **An interesting case**
Amirah Barwise

15:00 **Polydactyly case**
Kerry Clark

15:15 **Hallux valgus: revising revisions - 3rd time lucky?**
Aaron Mccusker

15:30 **Complex case: A staged approach**
Richard Lang



15:45	Diabetic dilemmas: Digital deformity with recurrent ulceration Mr Ian Beech
16:00	Lesser toes from St Elsewhere Mr Ewan Kannegeiter, Consultant Podiatric Surgeon and Dean of the Faculty of Podiatric Surgery
16:15	Conference round up Co-Chairs: Miss Jade Tang Specialist Registrar in Podiatric Surgery and Mr James Cowden Consultant Podiatric Surgeon Faculty of Podiatric Surgery Conference Co-Chairs 2024
16:20	CONFERENCE CLOSE

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