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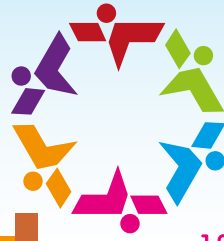
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DEAN OF THE FACULTY OF PODIATRIC SURGERY

I am delighted to welcome you to the Royal College of Podiatry's Podiatric Surgery Conference, held here in Birmingham from the 12 to 14 June. This gathering brings together leading experts, dedicated practitioners and innovative researchers in the field of podiatry. Over the next three days, we will delve into the latest advancements, share groundbreaking research and discuss the future directions of podiatric surgery.

I would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to our conference organisers, James Cowden and Jade Tang, whose hard work and dedication have made this event possible. Additionally, my sincere thanks go to the staff of the Royal College of Podiatry for their unwavering support and effort in coordinating this conference.

Your presence and participation are invaluable, as we aim to enhance our collective knowledge and improve patient care. I encourage you to engage actively, network with colleagues, and take full advantage of the opportunities this conference provides. Thank you for being here, and I look forward to a productive and inspiring conference.

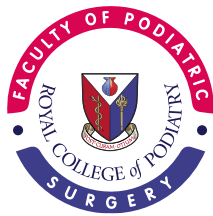
Welcome!

Mr Ewan Kannegieter MSc FRCPodS FFPM RCPS (Glasg)
Dean of Faculty of Podiatric Surgery, UK

ABOUT



FACULTY OF PODIATRIC SURGERY



The Faculty of Podiatric Surgery is a specialist division within the Royal College of Podiatry in the United Kingdom. The Faculty focuses specifically on the advancement of podiatric surgery, a specialised field within podiatry that involves surgical interventions for foot and ankle conditions.

Podiatric surgery is the surgical management of the bones, joints and soft tissues of the foot and associated structures. A podiatric surgeon is a highly skilled clinician who, in addition to a first degree in podiatric medicine, continues to study at Master's degree level in podiatric surgery.

Podiatric surgeons work with vascular consultants, diabetologists, orthopaedic surgeons, interventional radiologists and other members of multidisciplinary teams to ensure each patient receives the highest quality care and the best clinical outcomes.

Becoming a podiatric surgeon begins by gaining experience working as a podiatrist alongside developing your interest in podiatric surgery by reading, networking and obtaining membership support by joining your local Royal College of Podiatry Regional Deanery group.



The Royal College of Podiatry is the premier podiatry organisation in the United Kingdom. It is a learned society, incorporated on 17 November 1945, and an independent trade union affiliated to the TUC. It provides a range of membership services to podiatrists throughout the United Kingdom and overseas, including education, professional practice guidance, employment support, and malpractice insurance (UK only).

It publishes a bi-monthly professional magazine, *The Podiatrist*, and holds a scientific conference each year. The College has a number of branches, all over the United Kingdom and overseas, which provide an opportunity to meet fellow podiatrists and discuss matters of mutual interest, and promote continuing professional development for members.

All the College's members in professional practice are registered with the Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC).

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WELCOME FROM THE CONFERENCE CO-CHAIRS



Welcome to the Faculty of Podiatric Surgery Annual Conference 2024. I hope the event being held in the summer month of June is a welcome change, along with the many transformations that we, as this year's Chairs, have implemented. We aim for this to be a regular place in the calendar moving forward, with the intent to allow stability and ease of planning.

We are genuinely excited for all attendees to experience the workshops and two-day conference we have curated with the vision to deliver an event that is relevant, educational, high-quality, thought-provoking and with a good opportunity to network and mingle with old friends and new.

A big push this year has been to expand the delegate interest beyond Podiatric Surgeons and further afield. This will continue for the Faculty's conference in 2025. We believe we must garner relationships with our colleagues in MSK and private practice and develop relationships with our podiatry and medical colleagues involved with the at-risk foot. We will continue to try to develop interest with the undergraduate students by working with the 13 schools of podiatry, and we have extended invitations to our peers overseas to attend.

We cannot stress enough how important the support we receive through sponsorship from industry is. Their contribution to our profession during the Faculty's Conference and during training and educational events is hugely appreciated. We, as a profession, need to develop industry links and this was a big "to do" on our long list of "wants" this year. The exhibition hall design, and the way in which we have integrated sponsors throughout this conference is intentional. It allows all of us to spend time throughout the conference with our sponsors seamlessly and easily and in a way that is interconnected with the programme. Please dedicate some time with those that have very generously supported our profession and event.

Thank you to all the speakers presenting, and those who have contributed to this Conference. They have given up much of their free time so we can benefit from their expertise and improve the care we can offer to patients. We are extremely grateful for the input from Claire Angus, Natasha Smith, Martin O'Connor, Amy Skudder and Gillian Wooten from the Royal College for all their hard work, help and efforts. This Conference has been the first "in-house" organised conference without any external event organisation input. As always, feedback is appreciated and we have tried to make this as efficient and effortless as possible, so please let us know your experiences.

Best wishes and enjoy the Faculty of Podiatric Surgery Conference 2024.

Miss Jade Tang, Specialist Registrar in Podiatric Surgery, and Mr James Cowden, Consultant Podiatric Surgeon, Faculty of Podiatric Surgery Conference Co-Chairs 2024

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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>

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<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 Mr Matt Rothwell, Podiatric Surgeon Assisted by Ms Kerry Clark, Podiatric Surgeon, Mr Chih-Kai Huang, Podiatric Surgeon and Mr 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 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

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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 Desancho
16:35	Venous thromboembolism- who is at risk? Lesley Posmyk
17:05	Questions for presenters

13 JUNE 2024 - EVENING

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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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- www.designmynight.com/birmingham/bars/bars-nearbirmingham-new-street-station

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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

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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

SPEAKER LISTINGS

To see who is speaking at this year's conference, a full list is available to view at www.rcpod.org.uk/ps24/speakers

SOCIAL MEDIA

Delegates are strongly encouraged to Tweet ideas, debate and chat or to send comments at **#FoPS2024** during the conference.

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Leonardo Royal Hotel, 245 Broad St
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- **Newcastle to Birmingham:** 3 hours 40 minutes via the A1(M) or 3 and a half hours by train
- **Leeds to Birmingham:** 2 hours 20 minutes via the M1 or 2 hours by train
- **London to Birmingham:** 3 hours via the M40 or 1 and a half hours by train.
- If you're planning on arriving into the city by rail, the hotel is situated 15 minutes by foot from Birmingham New Street station.

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There is a cloakroom for general use on the ground floor of the Leonardo Royal Hotel Birmingham. Please note, however, that items are left at your own risk.

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Presentations from the conference will be available to download from rcpod.org.uk/ps24 after the conference (subject to agreement by the speakers).

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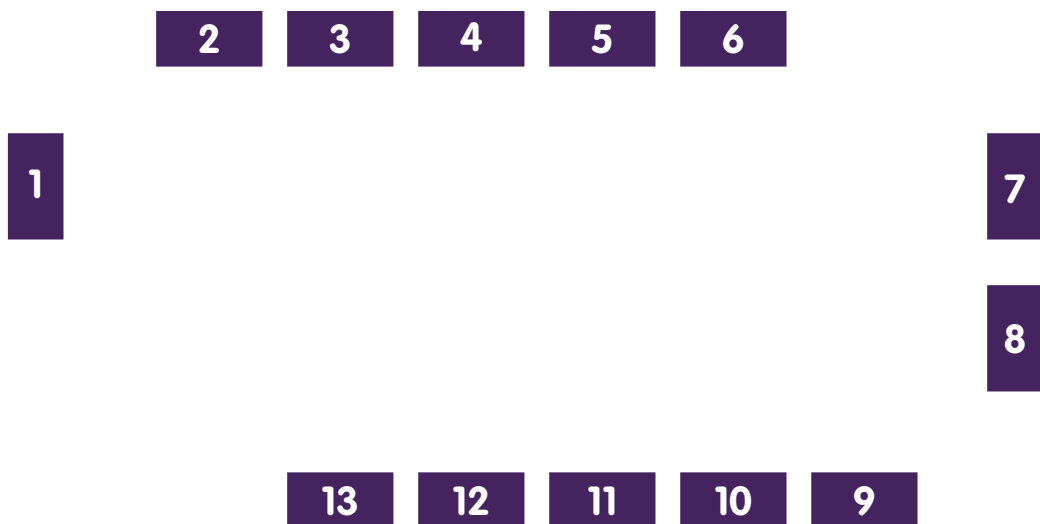
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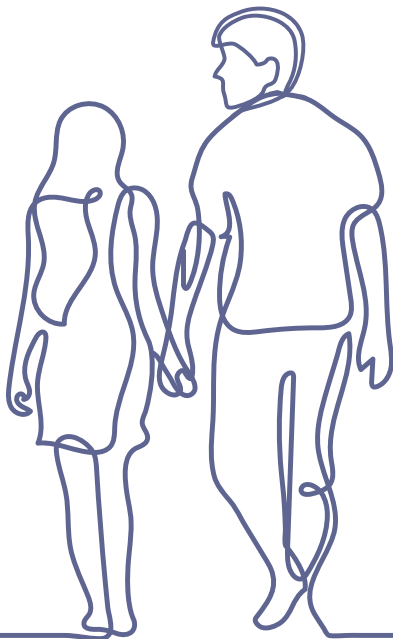
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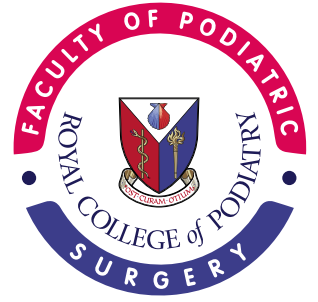
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