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# CHARTER DAY

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> - Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> February 2019

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## Charter Day Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2019

### 18.00 – 18.45 Registration

Front Hall, St Stephen's Green

18.45 – 19.45

### IN CONVERSATION WITH...

#### HEDY FRY

*followed by a Drinks Reception*

**Dr Hedy Madeleine Fry PC MP is a Trinidadian-Canadian politician and physician.**

**She is currently the longest-serving female Member of Parliament, winning eight consecutive elections in the constituency of Vancouver Centre since the 1993 election, when she defeated incumbent Prime Minister Kim Campbell.**

Dr Hedy Fry was born in Trinidad and Tobago where she graduated as class Valedictorian, winning a full scholarship for a MD in English Literature at Oxford, England. She had completed her undergraduate in French, English and Spanish literature, though her passion turned to medicine and she relinquished the scholarship to study medicine in RCSI. Accepted into the programme, she had one year to fulfil the academic requirements, which meant an intensive immersion in science from high school level to the equivalent of a Bachelor of Science in a single academic year. She completed her degree in Medicine with Honours in 1968.

Following her internship, Dr Fry immigrated to Canada in 1970. She practiced family medicine at St. Paul's Hospital in the West End of Vancouver for two decades and was a local, provincial and national leader in medical politics. She served as president of the Vancouver Medical Association (VMA), BC Medical Association (BCMA), and the Federation of Medical Women, during which time she was hailed as a powerful and successful negotiator. She hammered out a deal with then-premier Bill Vander Zalm that ended with a ground-breaking agreement that included Canada's first retirement plan for doctors. Further, Dr Fry led the CMA to recognize self-governance of aboriginals as crucial determinants of Aboriginal health. She was a spokesman for the CMA on issues of health, health financing and reforms, frequently speaking to US audiences about Medicare. Prior to being elected to Parliament, Dr Fry was well-known to Canadian audiences as a panellist on the long-running national CBC television program Doctor, Doctor.

Dr Fry began in 1993 as Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Health. She spent 6 years from 1996-2002 in Cabinet serving as Secretary of State for Multiculturalism and the Minister for the Status of Women. She was on a number of Cabinet Committees regarding health, social policy, volunteerism, homelessness and same-sex benefits. She was also the Minister responsible for the Vancouver agreement.

As a Minister, Dr Fry represented the Canadian government as Head of delegation at many high-profile, multilateral Conventions of the United Nations, Francophonie, Commonwealth, Organization of American States and Council of Europe, most notably Canada's 4th Report to the UN Commission on Human Rights, UN's Beijing Plus 2000 and the World Conference Against Racism (WCAR) in Durban. There, Canada played the key role in expunging the Teheran document of all anti-Semitic language and hate speech against Israel. In preparation for the WCAR, Dr Fry initiated the first UN Youth Against Racism Secretariat, culminating in a youth NGO convention at Durban.

In 2006, Dr Fry ran for the Leadership of the Liberal Party as the first immigrant woman to do so with her True Grit campaign. While in Opposition, she served as Critic for Sport and the 2010 Olympics, Canadian Heritage, and Health. In Justin Trudeau's Liberal government, she Chairs the Standing Committee on Canadian Heritage, and represents Canada at the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe's Parliamentary Assembly in her role as Special Representative for Gender Issues.

Dr Fry lives in Vancouver and has three sons. She continues working hard representing her constituents and fighting for issues such as health care, gender equality, human rights, animal cruelty, environmental health, and a multiplicity of others.

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### **NATIONAL OFFICE OF CLINICAL AUDIT (NOCA)**

NOCA - Excellent healthcare for Ireland shaped by good information

NOCA was established in 2012 to create sustainable clinical audit programmes at national level. NOCA is funded by the Health Service Executive (HSE) Quality Improvement Division, governed by an independent voluntary board and operationally supported by the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland. Working with the HSE and the Department of Health (DoH), through its National Clinical Effectiveness Committee (NCEC), NOCA designs, establishes and supports a portfolio of national clinical audits based on national priorities that include burden of care, variation of care, availability of clinical standards and economic benefit.

NOCA enables the Irish healthcare system to continually improve by maintaining a portfolio of prioritised national clinical audits, measuring care against national and international standards. By making reliable data available to those who use, manage and deliver healthcare, clinical audits help to refine Irish healthcare, improve patient outcomes, and achieve change at local and national level.

NOCA advocates for change at a national level, arising from key findings in our audits. We do this by working with senior decision makers at both policy and operational levels within the Irish healthcare system. NOCA promotes transparent reporting and publishes national annual reports for each of its audits as well as providing regular reports to hospitals. National clinical audit, while still relatively new in Ireland, is recognised by those who deliver and manage healthcare as a key component to improve healthcare through the systematic collection and analysis of data that assesses if the level of care provided meets the required standards.

NOCA's current audit portfolio includes:

- Irish Hip Fracture Database (IHFD)
- Irish National ICU Audit
- Irish National Orthopaedic Register (INOR)
- Major Trauma Audit (MTA)
- National Audit of Hospital Mortality (NAHM)
- The National Perinatal Epidemiology Centre (NPEC)
  - Perinatal mortality in Ireland
  - Severe maternal morbidity in Ireland
  - Very Low Birth Weight Infants in the Republic of Ireland

## NOCA CONFERENCE

### Connected Healthcare

**08.15 – 09.00 Registration & Tea / Coffee**  
Front Hall York Street, RCSI

## CONNECTED HEALTHCARE

The theme focuses on the importance of working collaboratively within multidisciplinary teams to enhance the patient journey, ensuring we deliver truly patient-centred care.

### SESSION I 09.00 – 11.00

Chair Professor Conor O'Keane  
Chair, NOCA Governance Board

#### Welcome Address

#### LAUNCH: Irish National ICU Audit Preliminary Report 2017

Mr Rory Dwyer  
Clinical Lead, Irish National ICU Audit

#### KEYNOTE

Mr Dom Raban  
Managing Director, Corporation Pop

#### Panel Discussion

**11.00 – 11.30 Refreshments**

### SESSION II 11.30 – 13.00

Chair TBC

#### KEYNOTE

Ms Laura Magahy  
Executive Director, Sláintecare  
Mr Eric Hans Eddes  
Director, Dutch Institute for Clinical Auditing (DICA)

#### KEYNOTE

Mr Hugh McCaughey  
Chief Executive of the South Eastern Health & Social Care Trust

#### Panel Discussion

#### Quality Improvement Champions

3 x Top submissions

**13.00 – 14.00 Lunch**

**SESSION III      14:00 – 16:00**

Chair            TBC

**LAUNCH**

**Major Trauma Audit National Report 2017**

Mr Conor Deasy

Clinical Lead, Major Trauma Audit

**KEYNOTE**

Professor Belinda Gabbe

Head of Pre-hospital Emergency and Trauma Research Unit, Monash University

Professor Richard Greene

Director, National Perinatal Epidemiology Centre (NPEC)

**Panel Discussion**

**Close & Presentation of the 'NOCA Quality Improvement Champion' Award**

Ms Collette Tully

Executive Director, NOCA

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18.00 – 19.30

## EMILY WINIFRED DICKSON AWARD PRESENTATION

Award recipient

**Mary Robinson**

President, Mary Robinson Foundation – Climate Justice

Former President of Ireland, Former United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights

Lecture entitled 'Climate Justice and a Healthy Environment'

*Reception to follow*

The award, which recognises women who have made an outstanding contribution to their field, has been established in honour of Emily Winifred Dickson (FRCSI) who broke boundaries when she became the first female Fellow of RCSI in 1893, which made her the first female Fellow of any of the Surgical Royal Colleges in Britain and Ireland.

19.00 – 22.00

## 13<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL INTERCOLLEGIATE CASE PRESENTATIONS

The Intercollegiate Case Competition is an annual event which sees an individual student from each of the 6 Irish Medical Schools compete against one another through presentation of a surgical case, to a 3 person judging panel of well-respected surgeons. The winning student, as selected by the judges, takes home not only the bragging rights for their Medical School, but is also awarded the Bouchier-Hayes Medal. The Bouchier-Hayes Medal is named in honour of Professor David Bouchier-Hayes who performed Ireland's first laparoscopic cholecystectomy.

### 19.00 – 22.00 **13<sup>th</sup> Annual Intercollegiate Case Presentations**

Hosted by the RCSI Surgical Society

Including the presentation of the Professor David Bouchier-Hayes Medal

## **NATIONAL CLINICAL PROGRAMME IN SURGERY**

The National Clinical Programmes represent a strategic initiative between the Health Service Executive's (HSE) Quality and Clinical Care Directorate and the various post-graduate training bodies. The programmes aim to design and implement change initiatives to improve and standardise the quality of care and access for all patients in a cost effective manner. The Programmes are structured with broad cross functional input and with clinical leadership being provided by the training bodies to ensure that the patient remains at the centre of any change recommendation.

The National Clinical programmes all share three core objectives:

- To improve the quality of patient care delivered to all HSE patients
- To improve access to appropriate services
- To improve cost effectiveness

The aim of the National Clinical Programme in Surgery is to provide a framework for the delivery of safer, more timely and accessible, more cost effective and efficient care for the surgical patient. The NCPS works closely with the other Clinical Programmes, notably the Programmes in Anaesthesia, Acute and Emergency Medicine, Older Persons and Critical Care. It also works with other Clinical Programmes, when appropriate, as well as the Special Delivery Unit (SDU), patient advocacy groups and all relevant stakeholders across the health system.

The National Surgery Programme reports directly into the RCSI Committee for Surgical Affairs (CSA). It also reports to the Director of Clinical Strategy and Programmes Directorate in the HSE. While the National Programme sets out to be generic at the outset it now includes other surgical programmes such as Trauma and Orthopaedics and includes sub-specialty programmes namely, General Surgery, Urology and Otolaryngology, other subspecialties will, in time have their own programme co-ordinated through the National Office.

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# NATIONAL CLINICAL PROGRAMME IN SURGERY

## Improving Surgery In Ireland

### 08.15 – 09.00 Registration

Front Hall York Street, RCSI

### 09.00 – 09.10 Welcome to RCSI & Introduction to Charter Day

TBC

### 09.10 – 09.15 National Launch of Specialty Models of Care

Professor Deborah McNamara & Professor John Hyland  
NCPS Co-Leads

## SESSION I

### 09.15 – 09.20 Welcome to Session I Speakers

Professor Deborah McNamara & Professor John Hyland  
NCPS Co-Leads

### 09.20 – 09.40 National ENT Model of Care Launch

Professor Michael Walsh  
NCPS Clinical Advisor for ENT

### 09.40 – 10.00 Debate: “E-referral: Decades away - 2019 or 2029?”

Co-Chairs TBC  
2029: Deirdre Nally  
2019: TBC

### 10.00 – 10.20 Discussion

### 10.20 – 11.00 Refreshments & Networking

## SESSION II

### 11.00 – 11.05 Welcome to Session II Speakers

Professor Deborah McNamara

### 11.05 – 11.25 National Vascular Model of Care Launch

Mr Martin Feeley  
NCPS Clinical Advisor for Vascular Surgery

### 11.25 – 11.45 Debate: “Rationalisation of Vascular Surgery – next stop Dublin and Cork?”

Co-Chairs TBC  
Pro: TBC  
Con: TBC

### 11.45 – 12.05 Discussion

**12.05 – 13.00 ASAU on the acute floor**

Co-Chairs TBC

**12.05 – 12.10 Acute floor a primer for surgeons**

Paul Ridgway, NCPS Clinical Advisor for General Surgery

**12.11 – 12.16 ED is still the main stream**

Gerry McCarthy, ED Programme Clinical Lead

**12.17 – 12.22 Seeing the medical patient in the right place first time**

TBC

**12.23 – 12.28 Where is the acute floor in HSE thinking?**

Ciaran Brown, Acute Floor Lead

**12.29 – 13.00 Discussion**

**13.00 – 14.00 Lunch & Networking**

**13.00 – 14.00 ASAU Nurses Networking Lunch**

**SESSION III**

**14.00 – 14.05 Welcome to Session III Speakers**

Professor John Hyland

**14.05 – 14.45 Key Note Speaker**

TBC

**14.45 – 15.05 National Urology Model of Care Launch**

Mr Eamonn Rogers

**15.05 – 15.25 Debate: Non-surgeon role – “Surgeons are just technicians”**

Co-Chairs TBC

Pro: TBC

Con: TBC

**15.25 – 15.45 Discussion**

**15.45 – 16.05 Defining standards for effective Multi-disciplinary Team Meetings**

Professor John Monson

Executive Director Colorectal Surgery, Florida Hospital System

**16.05 – 16.25 Discussion**

**16.25 – 16.30 Closing remarks**

## **29<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL VIDEOSURGERY**

Connolly Hospital Blanchardstown presents Videosurgery in conjunction with RCSI

### **15.30 – 16.00 Registration**

Front Hall York Street, RCSI

### **16.00 – 19.00 Videosurgery Meeting**

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**WHEN THINGS GO WRONG**  
Supporting Surgeons

**07.45 – 08.50 Registration**

Front Hall York Street, RCSI

**08.50 – 09.00 Presidents Welcome**

Mr Kenneth Mealy, President RCSI

Co-Chairs

Professor Deborah McNamara

Council Member RCSI; Consultant General / Colorectal Surgeon, Beaumont Hospital, Dublin

Professor Paul Burke

Council Member RCSI; Consultant Vascular Surgeon, University Hospital Limerick & St John's Hospital

**09.00 – 09.10 Title TBC**

Professor Hilary Sanfey

Professor of Surgery, Southern Illinois University

**09.10 – 09.20 Title TBC**

Professor Tim Rockall

Colorectal Surgeon, Royal Surrey Country Hospital, Surrey

**09.20 – 09.30 Title TBC**

Professor Sean Tierney

Dean of Professional Development & Practice, Surgical Affairs, RCSI

**09.30-09.50 Discussion**

**09.50 – 10.00 Breakout for Parallel Sessions**

**10.00 – 11.00 Parallel Sessions**

**11.00 – 11.30 Exhibition and Refreshments**

**11.30 – 13.00 Parallel Sessions Continued**

**13.00 – 14.15 Exhibition and Lunch**

**JOHNSON & JOHNSON LECTURE****It Should Be Possible To Get The List Right; A View Of Clinical Governance From The Middle East**

Delivered by;

**Professor Martin Corbally**

Professor and Head of the Dept. of Surgery at RCSI Bahrain, Chief of Staff and Consultant Paediatric Surgeon at King Hamad University Hospital, Bahrain

Introduction &amp; Chair: Professor Ronan O'Connell, Vice-President, RCSI

**PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS,**

Mr Kenneth Mealy

Introduction &amp; Chair: Professor Ronan O'Connell, Vice-President, RCSI

**The announcement of the Colles Travelling Fellowship in Surgery Award 2019 recipient**

Ms Danielle Collins

**RCSI Surgical Travel Grant 2019 recipient**

Mr Kieran Breen

Dr Andrew Coveney

Mr Ali Abdul Karim

Mr Adrian McArdle

Mr Gregory Nason

Dr Philip J. O'Halloran

Ms Elaine Redmond

**WHEN THINGS GO WRONG**

## Supporting Patients

Co-Chairs     Mr David Moore  
 Council Member RCSI; Consultant Trauma & Orthopaedic Surgeon, Our Lady's Children's  
 Hospital Crumlin  
 Ms Bridget Egan  
 Council Member RCSI; Consultant Vascular Surgeon, Tallaght University Hospital

**15.15 – 15.30 Title TBC**

Professor Des Winter  
 General Surgery, Blackrock Clinic, Dublin

**15.30 – 15.45 Title TBC**

Professor David Healy  
 Council Member RCSI; Consultant Cardiothoracic & Transplant Surgeon, St Vincent's  
 University Hospital

**15.45 – 16.00 Title TBC**

Professor John M. O'Byrne  
 Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon, Cappagh National Orthopaedic Hospital & Mater Private  
 Hospital

**16.00 – 16.15** Ms Margaret O'Donnell  
 Council Member RCSI; Consultant in Plastic, Reconstructive & Aesthetic Surgery, Blackrock  
 Clinic & St Vincent's Hospital

**16.15 – 17.00 Discussion****17.30 – 17.45 Honorary Fellowship Conferring**

Professor J. Jan B. van Lanschot, MD, PhD  
 Professor of Surgery at the Erasmus University Rotterdam, Netherlands

**95<sup>th</sup> ABRAHAM COLLES LECTURE****Major Developments In The Treatment Of Patients With Oesophageal Cancer**

**Professor J. Jan B. van Lanschot, MD, PhD**  
 Professor of Surgery at the Erasmus University Rotterdam, Netherlands

**18.30 – 19.00** Reception



## 10.00 – 13.00 **PARALLEL SESSIONS**

- Cardiothoracic Surgery
- Emergency Medicine
- General Surgery
- Neurosurgery
- Ophthalmic Surgery
- Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery
- Otolaryngology Head & Neck Surgery
- Paediatric Surgery
- Plastic Surgery
- Trauma & Orthopaedic Surgery
- Urology
- Vascular Surgery

### **PARALLEL SESSION: GENERAL SURGERY**

#### **Hernia Repairs Including Complex Abdominal Wall Hernia Repair**

Co-Chairs: Professor Dermot Hehir  
Consultant Surgeon, Tullamore Regional Hospital

Professor Kevin Barry  
Consultant Surgeon, Programme Director, General Surgery, RCSI

#### **10.00 – 10.15 Novel Techniques for Pain Management in Day Case Laparoscopic Inguinal Hernia Repair**

Mr Iqbal Khan  
Consultant Surgeon, Mayo University Hospital, Castlebar, Mayo

#### **10.15 – 10.30 Open Inguinal Hernia Repair / Athletic Pubalgia**

Mr Gerry McEntee  
Consultant Surgeon, Mater Misericordiae Hospital, Dublin

#### **10.30 – 10.45 Complex Abdominal Wall Reconstruction**

Professor Dermot Hehir  
Consultant Surgeon, Tullamore Regional Hospital

#### **10.45 – 11.00 Discussion**

#### **11.00 – 11.30 Exhibition & Refreshments**

#### **11.30 – 11.50 Training and Skills Acquisition in Hernia Surgery**

Professor Kevin Barry  
Consultant Surgeon, Programme Director, General Surgery, RCSI

#### **11.50 – 12.10 Medico-Legal Aspects of Hernia Surgery / Need for Audit and National Registry**

Professor Thomas Walsh  
Consultant Surgeon, Bon Secours Hospital, Dublin

#### **12.10 – 12.30 Role of Minimally Invasive Surgery in Inguinal Hernia Repair**

Mr Liam Horgan  
Consultant Surgeon, Northumbria Healthcare, NHS Foundation Trust

#### **12.30 – 13.00 Discussion**

## **PARALLEL SESSION: NEUROSURGERY**

### **Emerging Strategies in Epilepsy Surgery**

#### **10.00 – 11.00 Session 1**

Co-Chairs: Mr Donncha O'Brien  
Consultant Neurosurgeon, Beaumont

Dr Michael Farrell  
Consultant Neuropathologist, Beaumont

#### **10.00 – 10.20 MEG in Seizure Onset Localisation**

Mr Kieron Sweeney, MD  
Queens Square, London

#### **10.20 – 10.40 Neuro-modulation for epilepsy, an under-valued treatment?**

Mr Jonathan Poots, FRCS (SN)  
Beaumont, Dublin

#### **10.40 – 11.00 Temporo-parieto-occipital disconnection for drug resistant epilepsy**

Prof Amre Shahwan MD  
Temple Street, Dublin

#### **11.00 – 11.30 Exhibition & Refreshments**

#### **11.30 – 13.00 Session 2**

Co-Chairs: Prof Jack Phillips  
Consultant Neurosurgeon, Beaumont

Dr Jane Cryan  
Consultant Neuropathologist, Beaumont and Temple Street

#### **11.30 – 11.50 Results of the SANTE trial**

Ms Catherine Moran, MD  
Kings College, London

#### **11.50 – 12.10 Selection of Stereo-EEG/Resection cases**

Mr Jibril Farah, FRCS (SN)  
Walton Centre, Liverpool

#### **12.10 – 12.30 Tumour related Epilepsy Surgery**

Mr Phil O'Halloran PhD  
Beaumont, Dublin

#### **12.30 – 12.50 Laser ablation and thermo-coagulation for seizure onset areas**

Dr Ronan Kilbride, MD  
Beaumont, Dublin

#### **12.50 – 13.00 Discussion**

#### **13.00 – 14.15 Exhibition and Lunch**

## PARALLEL SESSION: ORAL & MAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY

**10.00 – 10.40 Talk 1 (Title TBC)**

Professor Richard J Shaw  
Professor of Head and Neck Surgery, Department of Molecular and Clinical Cancer  
Medicine, North West Cancer Research Centre, The University of Liverpool Cancer  
Research Centre

**10.40-10.50 Talk 2 (Title TBC)**

Mr Akinsola Ogunbowale

**10.50-11.00 Talk 3 (Title TBC)**

Mr Paul Sexton

**11.00-11.30** Exhibition and Refreshments

**11.30-12.10 Talk 4 (Title TBC)**

Professor John J. Carey  
Consultant Physician in Rheumatology and Medicine, Galway University Hospitals

**12.10-12.50 Talk 5 (Title TBC)**

Dr Simon Killough  
Clinical Lecturer / Consultant in Restorative Dentistry and Implantology, Royal School of  
Dentistry Queens University Belfast

**13.00-14.15** Exhibition and Lunch

**PARALLEL SESSION: OTOLARYNGOLOGY HEAD & NECK SURGERY**  
Collaboration – How Can We Help?

**09.55 – 10.00 Introduction**

Professor Laura Viani  
Beaumont Hospital / RCSI Dublin & Council Member, RCSI

**Session I: Contemporary Management of Complications of Sinusitis and Otological Infections**

Chair: Ms Paula Casserley  
Royal Victoria Eye and Ear Hospital Dublin

**10.00 – 10.10 Otological Infections**

Mr Fergal Glynn  
Beaumont Hospital, Dublin

**10.10 – 10.20 Sinus Disease**

Mr David Smyth  
University Hospital Waterford, Waterford

**10.20 – 10.30 Brain Abscess**

Mr Darach Crimmins  
Temple Street Children's University Hospital, Dublin

**Session II: HPV – What can we do? What should we do?**

Chair: Professor Ivan Keogh  
University Hospital Galway, Galway

**10.30 – 10.40 HPV and Otolaryngology**

Professor James Paul O'Neill  
Beaumont Hospital/RCSI Dublin

**10.40 – 10.50 View from Liverpool**

Professor Terry Jones  
Royal Liverpool University Hospital, Liverpool

**10.50 – 11.00 Radiotherapy and HPV**

Dr Sinead Brennan  
St Luke's & St James's Hospital, Dublin

**11.00 – 11.30 Exhibition & Refreshments**

**Session III: Innovations in Thyroid / Parathyroid Surgery and Voice Problems**

Chair: Professor Helena Rowley  
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital, Dublin

**11.30 – 11.40 Successful Parathyroid Surgery**

Mr Enda McDermott  
St Vincent's University Hospital, Dublin

**11.40 – 11.50 Recurrent Laryngeal Nerve Monitoring in Thyroid Surgery**

Professor Patrick Sheahan

South Infirmarv Victoria University Hospital & University College Cork, Cork

**11.50 – 12.00 New Discoveries in Iatrogenic Recurrent Laryngeal Nerve Injury**

Mr Mark Rafferty

St Vincent's University Hospital, Dublin

**Session IV: Collaboration in Head and Neck Oncological Surgery**

Chair:

Professor John Fenton

University Hospital Limerick, Limerick

**12.00 – 12.30 KEYNOTE LECTURE**

**Team Science**

Professor Terry Jones

Royal Liverpool University Hospital, Liverpool

**12.30 – 13.00 Panel Discussion Collaboration**

Mr Barry O'Sullivan, Beaumont Hospital, Dublin

Mr Conor Barry, St James's University Hospital, Dublin

Professor Terry Jones, Royal Liverpool University Hospital, Liverpool

Professor James Paul O'Neill, Beaumont Hospital/RCSI Dublin

Professor Conrad Timon, St James's University Hospital, Dublin

**13.00 – 14.15 Exhibition & Lunch**

## PARALLEL SESSION: PAEDIATRIC SURGERY

**10.00 - 11.00 Complex Cloacal Malformations**

Mr Balgopal Eradi  
Consultant Paediatric Surgeon, Leicester Royal

**11.00 – 11.30** Exhibition & Refreshments

**11.30 – 12.15 The Management of Bladder Exstrophy/Epispadias complex in the Republic of Ireland**

Mr Salvatore Cascio  
Consultant Paediatric Urologist, OLHC and TSCUH

**12.15 – 13.00 Pancreatic Tumours in Children**

Professor Sri Paran

**13.00 – 14.15** Exhibition & Lunch

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## PARALLEL SESSION: UROLOGY

**10.00 – 10.30 Salvage interventions in Urology**

Arun Thomas  
Consultant Urological Surgeon  
Tallaght University Hospital, Dublin

**10.30 – 11.00 Mini PCNL – Is less really more?**

Mark Quinlan  
Consultant Urological Surgeon  
Mater Private Hospital, Cork

**11.00 – 11.30** Exhibition & Refreshments

**11.30 – 12.10 Simulation training in Urology**

Kamran Ahmed  
Consultant Urological Surgeon  
Kings College Hospital and Kings College, London

**12.10 – 12.35 A Vision for Development of Urology Services - 2030**

Eamonn Rogers  
National Clinical Advisor (Urology) to HSE  
Consultant Urological Surgeon, University College Hospital, Galway

**12.35 – 13.00 The Irish Contribution to Urology – A Historical Perspective**

Mark Broe  
SpR Urology

## PARALLEL SESSION: VASCULAR SURGERY

### 10.00 – 10.05 Welcome

Professor Martin O'Donohoe  
Chair IVS

### Session I

Co-Chairs Professor Simon Cross  
Waterford University Hospital,  
  
G Fulton  
CUH

### 10.05 – 10.20 Screening for AAA – Evidence, Organisation, Pitfalls

Paul Blair  
Belfast

### 10.20 – 10.30 AAA Surveillance Optimal Interval

Emily Bole AMNCH

### 10.30 – 10.40 Secondary Prevention in AAA

Professor Stewart Walsh  
University Hospital Galway

### 10.30 – 10.40 Pre-operative assessment for Open AAA and EVAR

Dr Michael McKenny  
Mater Hospital

### 10.50 – 11.00 Discussion

### 11.00 – 11.30 Exhibition & Refreshments

### Session II

Co-chairs E Kavanagh  
University Hospital Limerick  
  
D Moneley  
Beaumont Hospital, Dublin

### 11.30 – 11.37 Implication of Proposed Nice Guidelines for Open AAA Repair

J Dowdall  
St Vincent's University Hospital

### 11.37 – 11.44 Implication of Proposed Nice Guidelines for EVAR

B Manning  
Cork University Hospital

### 11.44 – 11.54 Discussion

### 11.55 – 12.10 Setting up a Complex EVAR Programme

Mr Donald Adam  
Birmingham Heartlands Hospital



### **Session III: Techniques**

Co-Chairs P Madhavan  
St James's Hospital

B Egan  
AMNCH

**12.10 – 12.15 Optimal Exposure for Open AAA – Vertical or Transverse**

E Mulkern  
Mater Misericordiae

**12.15 – 12.25 Open Surgery for Juxta-renal AAA / Aorto Duodenal Fistula**

Martin O'Donohoe  
Mater Misericordiae

**12.25 – 12.30 The Difficult EVAR Hostile Neck**

Z Martin  
St James's Hospital

**12.30 – 12.35 The Difficult EVAR – Negotiating Hostile Iliacs**

P Naughton  
Beaumont Hospital

**12.35 – 12.40 EVAR with CIAA – Branched or Embolise**

T Moloney  
Limerick University Hospital

**12.40 – 12.45 Management of Type II Endoleaks / Endotension**

G McGreal  
Mercy University Hospital

**12.45 – 12.50 EVAR Explant**

S O'Neill  
St James's Hospital

**12.50 – 13.00 Discussion**

## Charter Day Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> February 2019

09.00 – 13.00

### IRISH SURGICAL TRAINING GROUP MEETING (ISTG)

ISTG (formally known as the Irish Higher Surgical Training Group) is an independent entity run by surgical trainees. In addition to organising and running specific events, ISTG represents trainees from all subspecialties and levels of surgical training at a variety of committees influencing training.

#### 08.15 – 09.00 Registration

Front Hall York Street, RCSI

#### 09.00 – 13.00 Programme TBC

### THE BOSCO O'MAHONY LECTURE

SPEAKER TBC

#### JOHN BOSCO O'MAHONY (1948 – 2008)

Mr John Bosco O'Mahony FRCSI MRCP (UK) was one of the longest serving members of the Council of RCSI, being elected by his peers for almost twenty years consecutively. His untimely death on the 29th July 2008 left a void for the College, where he served on Council since 1989, and for the people of Wexford, where he was Consultant Surgeon since July 1984 in Wexford General Hospital. Bosco was a man of exceptionally high intelligence as proved by his many personal and academic achievements. He was Head-boy and Gold medallist at Rockwell College and won a scholarship to study medicine in University College Dublin, graduating in 1972. He completed his internship at St Vincent's University Hospital and was awarded his MRCP (UK) before concentrating on his career in surgery. His post graduate training took him to St Thomas's Hospital in London and subsequently to Brigham and Women's Hospital and Harvard University in Boston USA, where he completed his research training. His greatest legacy will be his human touch. He understood people and their needs and worked extremely hard over the years in his profession. He was a great teacher and mentor of his junior colleagues and developed many long standing relationships with his trainees. He was awarded the Silver Scalpel in 2007 by the Higher Surgical Trainees in recognition of his talents.

#### 18.45

##### Honorary Fellowship Conferring

Professor John Monson MD, FRCS (Ire, Eng, Ed (Hon), Glas (Hon)), FASCRS, FACS  
Professor Hilary Sanfey MCh, MHPE, FRCSI, FRCS, FACS, FRCSEd

##### Charter Day Dinner

Dress Code: Black Tie, Orders & Decorations