

# Obstetric Anaesthesia 2018

Promoting the health & safety of mothers and babies throughout Europe



Belfast

24-25 May 2018

## Thursday 24 May 2018

**08:00** Registration (Concourse) / tea & coffee / exhibition (Gallery 1, Bar 1)

**09:00** Opening remarks (Auditorium) Drs Nuala Lucas & Richard Laird

**SESSION 1 – Clinical updates** Chair: Dr Richard Laird

**09:10** Update on labour analgesia **2B01, 3B00** Dr Neil Muchatuta

**09:30** Update on anaesthesia for operative delivery **2B02, 2B03, 3B00** Dr Niamh Hayes

**09:50** Update on high risk pregnancy **2B05, 2B06, 3B00** Dr Rupert Gauntlett

**10:10** Discussion

**10:30** Tea & coffee / exhibition (Gallery 1, Bar 1) / ePoster viewing (Gallery 2)

**SESSION 2 – Maternal mortality and morbidity** Chair: Dr Dominic McAtamney

**11:00** MBRRACE – an update from the latest report **2B06, 3B00, 1I05** Dr Jim Bamber

**11:20** Each baby counts – the role of anaesthesia in poor neonatal outcomes **2B05, 2B07, 3B00** Prof Marian Knight

**11:40** Communication on the labour ward – little words BIG impact! **1I03, 2B05, 3B00** Dr Allan Cyna

**12:10** Discussion

**SESSION 3 – Felicity Reynolds Free Papers (1<sup>st</sup> session)** Chairs: Drs Robin Russell & Andrew Eggleton

**12:20** Oral abstract presentations **3B00**

**13:20** Lunch / exhibition (Gallery 1, Bar 1) / ePoster viewing (Gallery 2) / GOATs meeting **3B00** (Bar 2)

**SESSION 4 – Obstetric haemorrhage** Chair: Dr Sinead McGuirk

**14:10** Oxytocin and beyond: an evidence based approach to pharmacological treatment of uterine atony **1A02, 2B04, 3B00** Prof Brendan Carvalho

**14:35** PPH management: research into practice **1A02, 2B04, 3B00** Prof Rachel Collis

**15:00** Clotting disorders in pregnancy **1A02, 2B04, 3B00** Dr Gary Benson

**15:25** Discussion

**15:40** Tea & coffee / exhibition (Gallery 1, Bar 1) / ePoster viewing (Gallery 2)

**SESSION 5 – ePosters**

**16:00** ePoster presentations (1<sup>st</sup> session) **3B00** (Gallery 2)

**17:15** Free networking drinks reception (Gallery 1 & 2)

**18:15** Close of day 1

**19.30** Annual Dinner

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**08:00** Registration (Concourse) / tea & coffee / exhibition (Gallery 1, Bar 1)

### SESSION 6 – ePosters (Gallery 2)

**08:30** ePoster presentations (2<sup>nd</sup> session) **3B00**

### SESSION 7 – Felicity Reynolds Free Papers (2<sup>nd</sup> session)

Chair: Prof Marc Van de Velde  
& Dr Chris Elton

**09:30** Oral abstract presentations **3B00**

**10:30** Tea & coffee / exhibition (Gallery 1, Bar 1) / ePoster viewing (Gallery 2)

### SESSION 8 – Crises on the labour ward

Chair: Dr Kathryn Spence

**11:00** Diabetic ketoacidosis in pregnancy **1A01, 1A02, 3B00**

Dr Neil Black

**11:25** Anaesthetic management of the obese parturient **3A13, 3B00**

Dr Terry Tan

**11:50** Cardiac disease in the parturient **3B00**

Dr Chris Lockhart

**12:15** Discussion

### SESSION 9 – ePoster highlights

**12:30** Pick of the posters **3B00**

Drs Robin Russell & Nuala Lucas

**13:15** Lunch / exhibition (Gallery 1, Bar 1) / ePoster viewing (Gallery 2) /  
Annual Members Meeting (Auditorium)

### Session 10 – The Bruce Scott Lecture

Chair: Dr Felicity Plaat

**14:15** Prize giving

Dr Felicity Plaat

**14:30** Lateral thinking by obstetric anaesthetists

Dr Mike Kinsella

### Session 11 – Debate

Chair: Dr Nuala Lucas

**15:00** Debate: This house believes that remifentanyl PCA should be  
removed from the labour ward **2B01, 3B00**

Pro: Dr Aditi Modi  
Con: Dr Damien Hughes

**15:40** Discussion

**16:00** Closing remarks