

BARS Conference 2017

Marriott City Centre Hotel, Leeds

Thursday, 21st September 2017 – Registration from 10:00

10:30 – 12:00	Programme Management Meeting Slit Lamp Workshops
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch provided
	First Session Chairs: Phil Gardner (BARS Chairman) & Richard Bell (BARS Webmaster)
13:00 – 13:05	Chairman's Welcome
13:05 – 13:15	BARS Education Project Dr Andrew Brown / Phil Gardner (BARS Council)
13:15 – 13:35	NDESP Update Patrick Rankin (NDESP Manager)
13:35 – 13:55	Grading Quality in Your Programme Shelley Widdowson (National Grading Lead)
13:55 – 14:10	ROG and Roll Stars Charlotte Wallis (Dorset DESP)
14:10 – 14:40	Losing Sight Léonie Watson
14:40 – 15:05	BARS AGM - New Website Launch
15:05 – 15:30	Tea/Coffee & Trade
	Second Session Chairs: Prof Tunde Peto (BARS President) & Alyson Jaycock (BARS Treasurer)
15:30 – 15:45	C Peptide and Exercise in Type 1 Diabetes Guy Taylor (Newcastle University)
15:45 – 16:05	A Brief History of Diabetes Richard Cragg (Derbyshire DESP)
16:05 – 16:30	Imaging Technology in Eye Care Bill Harvey (Optician Journal)
16:30 – 16:55	Techniques to Help Anxious Patients Adam Heritage (Imperial College, London)
16:55 – 17:20	Early Vascular Changes in Diabetes (TBC) Professor Tunde Peto (BARS President)
17:20	Close
19:30	Drinks Reception and Evening Gala Dinner

Friday, 22nd September 2017

First Session Chairs: Grant Duncan (BARS Council) & Zoe Tobin (BARS Secretary)

- 09:00 – 09:30 Is it Worse, Doctor?
David Sculfor (Buckinghamshire Healthcare NHS Trust)
- 09:30 – 09:55 Intraocular Tumours
Professor Ian Rennie (Sheffield Teaching Hospitals)
- 09:55 – 10:20 Diabetic Macular Oedema
Dr Martin Harris (Royal Free Hospital, London)
- 10:20 – 10:40 Diabetes, Dinosaurs, Decoration
Celia Ward & Marilyn Watts (East London Textile Arts)
- 10:40 – 11:10 Tea/Coffee & Trade – Poster Judging

Second Session Chairs: Richard Cragg & Cheryl Boulton (BARS Council)

- 11:10 – 11:25 SLB: Learning the Art
Angela Dale (Gloucestershire DESP)
- 11:25 – 11:40 Assessment of Diabetic Retinopathy in Australia: An Emphasis on the Aboriginal Population
Dr Laima Brazionis (Department of Medicine, University of Melbourne)
- 11:40 – 12:00 The History of Laser Treatment
Mr Robin Hamilton (Moorfields Eye Hospital)
- 12:00 – 12:25 Metabolic Effects of Bariatric Surgery
Mr Sherif Awad (Derby Royal Hospital)
- 12:25 – 12:50 Diabetic Retinopathy – Potential New Treatments
Professor David Bates (Professor of Oncology and Head of Cancer Biology, University of Nottingham)
- 12:50 – 12:55 Prize Giving
- 12:55 – 13:25 OCT Angiography
Dr Dawn Sim (Moorfields Eye Hospital)
- 13:25 Conference Close

Please note that lunch on the Friday is only provided for those delegates who have registered for the Failsafe Forum at an additional cost of £15.

- 14:00 – 16:30 Failsafe Forum

The 2017 BARS Conference has been awarded 9.5 CPD points by the Royal College of Ophthalmologists (Thursday 5.5pts, Friday 4pts, Category B)