

Highlights of the three day course include:

Monday 2 November 2015

REGISTRATION, TEA & COFFEE

Introduction

Dr Nuala Lucas, Chair of Education Committee, OAA

SESSION 1 - Hot topics in obstetric anaesthesia

What's new in obstetric anaesthesia 2015: the key papers influencing practice

Prof Katherine Arendt, Minnesota, USA

What's new that will change practice? Panel Discussion

Dr Roshan Fernando, President, OAA; Prof Katherine Arendt, Minnesota, USA; Prof Alex Sia, Singapore; Prof Marc Van de Velde, Leuven, Belgium

Discussion

TEA & COFFEE

SESSION 2 - Labour analgesia

Highlights of this session include:

Recent developments in epidural analgesia for labour

Prof Alex Sia, Singapore

Managing labour pain without an epidural - are there acceptable alternatives?

Dr Chris Elton, Leicester

Discussion

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SESSION 3

Highlights of this session include:

Ultrasound and the anaesthetist - is it really any value?

Dr Matt Rucklidge, Perth, Australia

TEA & COFFEE

SESSION 4 - Complications in obstetric anaesthesia

Obstetric sepsis - new solutions to an old problem

Dr Ron Daniels, Birmingham

Maternal cardiac arrest - new insights to improve outcomes

Dr Paul Sharpe, Leicester

PDPH - still a headache for the anaesthetist!

Dr David Bogod, Nottingham

Discussion

COMPLIMENTARY DRINKS RECEPTION & TRAINEES FORUM

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SESSION 1 - Anaesthesia for caesarean delivery

Safe management of the obstetric airway	Dr Mary Mushambi, Leicester
General anaesthesia for caesarean section - delivering best practice	Dr Robin Russell, Oxford
Tools to manage the obstetric airway - essential kit for the airway trolley	Dr David Vaughan, London
Discussion	

TEA & COFFEE

SESSION 2 - Anaesthesia for caesarean delivery

New horizons for the management of maternal hypotension following spinal anaesthesia	Dr Adi Stewart, London
Uterotonic agents for caesarean section	Dr Thierry Girard, Basel, Switzerland
A multifactorial approach to improving patient care for planned caesarean section.	Dr Ian Wrench, Sheffield
Discussion	

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SESSION 3 - Obstetric haemorrhage

Obstetric haemorrhage - still a problem? Update from the MBRRACE report	Dr James Bamber, Cambridge
Massive obstetric haemorrhage - new strategies & solutions from the laboratory	Dr Peter Collins, Cardiff
Blood conservation strategies in obstetrics	Dr Matt Rucklidge, Perth, Australia
Discussion	

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SESSION 4 - Obstetric haemorrhage 2

Interventional radiology to manage PPH - pros and cons	Dr Ian Renfrew, London
Surgical strategies to stop the bleeding	Mr Kim Hinshaw, Sunderland
Discussion	

Wednesday 4 November 2015

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SESSION 1 – Labour ward problems

Medicine for the obstetric anaesthetist	Prof Cathy Nelson Piercy, London
Pre-eclampsia - new insights & developments	Dr Jenny Myers, Manchester
Critical care & the obstetric anaesthetist	Dr Andre Vercueil, London
Discussion	

TEA & COFFEE

SESSION 2 - Insights from the labour ward team

Keeping the neonatal brain safe; from Mg to Cooling - improving long term outcomes for the baby	Dr James Tooley, Bristol
Crash section, baby crying – why do obstetricians always get it wrong?	Mr Pat O'Brien, London

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SESSION 3 - 21st century obstetric anaesthesia

<i>Highlights of this session include:</i>	
The obese parturient	Dr Adam Paul, Edinburgh
Training anaesthetists to safely do epidurals	Dr Matt Rucklidge, Perth, Australia

KEYNOTE LECTURE

Delivered by Prof Peter Brocklehurst, London	
Final comments & close	Dr Nuala Lucas, Chair of Education Committee, OAA

Full programme will be available shortly