

Time	Location	Event	Speaker	Chairpersons
08:30 - 09:00	Exhibition Foyer	Registration		
09:00 - 09:10	The Grand Ballroom	BOMSS President Opening Address	Mr Shaw Somers	
09:10 - 10:35	The Grand Ballroom	SESSION 1 20,000 NHS PROCEDURES A YEAR - AN IMPOSSIBLE DREAM?		
		How do we improve access to bariatric surgery in the UK? Obstacles and Solutions	Mr Shaw Somers and Rachel Batterham	
		The Nordic Perspective		
		The Swiss Perspective	Dr Ralph Peterli, Basel, Switzerland	
		The Legal Perspective		
		Is it Affordable? - New Bariatric Coding and NHS Tariff for 2019	Professor David Kerrigan	
10:35 - 11:00	The Exhibition Centre	Tea and coffee break		
11:00 - 11:15	The Grand Ballroom	NBSR Update + discussion	Mr Peter Small	
11:15 - 12:15	The Grand Ballroom	SESSION 2 NEW DEVELOPMENTS		
		The Role of Endoscopic Bariatric Therapy		
		The Role of Endoscopy in Bariatric Patients: who, why and when?	Mr Dimitri Pournaras	
12:15 - 12:45	The Grand Ballroom	GORE SPONSORED LECTURE		
		Hiatal Surgery in Patients with Severe Obesity		
12:45 - 13:30	The Exhibition Centre	Lunch		
13:30 - 14:10	The Grand Ballroom	SESSION 3 DEBATE Only bariatric procedures with RCT data should be offered outside of the research setting		
		For: Dr Ralph Peterli; Against Ahmed Ahmed	Dr Ralph Peterli, Basel, Switzerland and Mr Ahmed Ahmed, London	
14:10 - 14:50	The Grand Ballroom	APOLLO SPONSORED LECTURE		
		Sleeve vs Gastric Bypass - What can we learn from the largest RCT to date?		
		Sleeve vs Bypass RCT Nordic Data		
		Sleeve vs Bypass RCT Swiss Data	Dr Ralph Peterli, Basel, Switzerland	
14:50 - 15:35	The Grand Ballroom	SESSION 4 DIFFICULT CASES - AN MDT DISCUSSION		
15:45 - 16:10	The Exhibition Centre	Tea and coffee break	Mary O'Kane	
16:10 - 17:20	The Grand Ballroom	SESSION 5 JOINT AHP/SURGICAL FREE PAPER SESSION		
17:20 - 17:40	The Grand Ballroom	SESSION 6 VIDEO SESSION		
		Video Gems - Three Top Tips from the Experts	Dr Ralph Peterli, Basel, Switzerland	
17:40 - 18:10	The Grand Ballroom	AGM		
19:30	The Grand Ballroom	BOMSS Drinks Reception		
20:00	The Grand Ballroom	BOMSS Annual Dinner		

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08:00 - 08:30	Exhibition Foyer	Registration		
08:30 - 10:45	The Grand Ballroom	SESSION 7 JOINT BOMSS/SOBA SESSION MYTHS AND SACRED COWS IN BARIATRIC PRACTICE - WHERE'S THE EVIDENCE?		
08:30 - 09:10		ETHICON SPONSORED SESSION		
		Debate: Time to abandon BMI as a Selection Criterion for Bariatric Surgery		
		For: Dr Thomas Barber, University of Warwick Against: David Kerrigan	Dr Thomas Barber, University of Warwick Professor David Kerrigan	
09:10 - 09:30		The Ten Things I Think Bariatric Anaesthetists Should Stop Doing		
09:30 - 09:50		Fast Tract Surgery Just Got Faster - but is this a good thing? The Dutch Experience	Dr Ronald Liem, Amsterdam	
09:50 - 10:00		Patients who do not lose weight in Tier 3 should not be allowed to have bariatric surgery		
10:00 - 10:10		Patients should stop antihypertensive drugs before bariatric surgery		
10:10 - 10:20		Patients who want bariatric surgery should give up alcohol		
10:20 - 10:30		Patient with newly diagnosed sleep apnoea must be on CPAP for at least 6 weeks before surgery		
10:30 - 10:45		PANEL DISCUSSION		
10:45 - 11:05	The Exhibition Centre	Tea and coffee break		
11:05 - 12:05	The Penthouse	SESSION 8 PARALLEL AHP FREE PAPER SESSION		
11:05 - 12:05	The Grand Ballroom	SESSION 8 PARALLEL SURGICAL FREE PAPER SESSION		
12:05 - 12:15	The Grand Ballroom	Psychology update		
12:15 - 12:25	The Grand Ballroom	Trainee update	Corinne Owers, BOMSS Trainee Representative	
12:25 - 12:35	The Grand Ballroom	Research update	Yitka Graham, BOMSS Research Lead	
12:35 - 12:45	The Grand Ballroom	ByBandSleeve update		
12:45 - 13:30	The Exhibition Centre	Lunch		
13:30 - 14:30	The Grand Ballroom	SESSION 9 BOMSS PRIZE PAPER SESSION		
14:30	The Grand Ballroom	Award of Best Poster Prize and Close of Meeting		Mr Shaw Somers

BOMSS 10th Annual Scientific Meeting concludes

Awarded 10 CPD/CME Points by the Association of Surgeons of Great Britain and Ireland