

Airway Leads Day A joint RCoA and DAS event Friday 3 March 2023



Venue: Royal College of Anaesthetists, London

Clinical Content Lead: Dr Alistair McNarry

Registration: Free – [click here to book](#)

The Royal College of Anaesthetists (RCOA) and Difficult Airway Society (DAS) are delighted to announce the sixth Airway Leads Day.

Join fellow airway leads from across the country to share best practice and address key topics in airway management.

Four quick-fire presentations complement the programme and uncover best practice nationally.

Plus, there will be an opportunity to unwind and chat with friends, colleagues and acquaintances at the post-event drinks reception.

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5 CPD credits anticipated



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09:00–09:50	REGISTRATION AND REFRESHMENTS	
09:50–10:00	Welcome and introduction	Dr Fiona Donald, President, Royal College of Anaesthetists
Session 1 Chair: TBC		
10:00–10:20	Decision making in airway management	Professor Tim Cook, Bath
10:20–10:40	2021 airway curriculum: A critical appraisal	Dr Sneh Shah, London
10:40–11:00	Implementing human factors in anaesthesia	Dr Fiona Kelly, Bath
11:00–11:15	DISCUSSION / Q&A SESSION	
11:15–11:40	BREAK	
Session 2 Chair: TBC		
11:40–12:05	Implementing human factors in anaesthesia – over to you	Professor Chris Frerk, Northampton
12:05–13:00	<div>Examples of best practice:<ul style="list-style-type: none">'SAS' a new meaning in East Kent University HospitalsImplementation of ongoing quality improvement measures to improve the safety and success of intubation in a tertiary obstetric unit: data from the past three yearseFONA training boxManagement of haematoma following thyroid surgery – local implementation of national guidelines</div>	<div>Dr Louise Gent, East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust</div> <div>Dr Kate Theodosiou, NHS Lothian</div> <div>Dr Elizabeth Cervi, Dr Kirstie McPherson, University College London Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (UCLH)</div> <div>Dr Joanna Makepeace, Royal Free London NHS Foundation Trust</div>
13:00–14:00	LUNCH BREAK	

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Session 3 | Research, registries and improving clinical practice - the same but different?

Chair: TBC

14:00–14:10	eFONA Registry	Dr Alistair McNarry, Edinburgh
14:10–14:20	Next steps for the DAS Difficult Airway Database	Dr Achuthan Sajayan, Birmingham
14:20–14:40	Using simulation effectively in airway training	Dr Claire Woods, Newcastle
14:40–15:00	Turning clinical questions into research projects	Dr Anita Sugavanam, Brighton
15:00–15:15	DISCUSSION / Q&A SESSION	

15:15–15:40 BREAK

Session 4 | Airway Leads soapbox and panel discussion – have your say!

Chair: TBC

15:40–16:25	<p>Soapbox</p> <p>Airway Leads are invited to submit topics that they are passionate about, topics that you think Airway Leads should be addressing.</p> <p>Topics should be submitted to awl@rcoa.ac.uk by 09:00 on 20 February 2023.</p> <p>Topics will be pre-selected, you may be notified and asked to speak on your chosen subject on the day for 3 minutes, before we open the floor for discussion.</p>
16:25–16:55	<p>Panel discussion, Q&A</p> <p>Questions may be submitted in advance to awl@rcoa.ac.uk</p> <p>The Q&A may be compressed if the Soapbox is generating useful discussion.</p>
16:55–17:00	CLOSE
17:00–18:00	Networking and drinks reception

Please note that this programme may be subject to change.

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