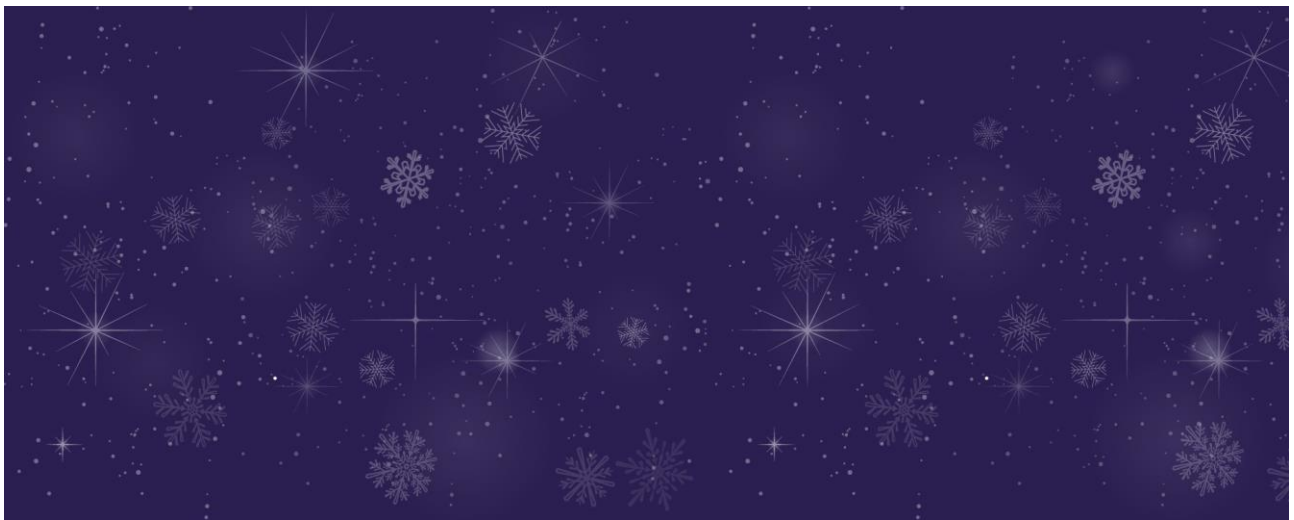




# Winter Symposium

## 21 - 22 November 2024



**Venue:** Royal College of Anaesthetists, London and Online

**Clinical Content Leads:** Dr Sri Gummaraju & Dr Felicity Plaat

The Clinical Content Leads for this year's symposium, Dr Sri Gummaraju and Dr Felicity Plaat, look forward to welcoming you to our winter symposium where you can learn and challenge your views as well as discuss and debate a wide range of clinical topics.

Join us for one day or two at the 2024 Winter Symposium. This year's symposium will be a hybrid event with its usual lively mix of lectures, debates and interactive sessions.

*Highlights include:*

- Management of patients with morbid obesity
- Medico-legal
- Advances in Bariatric Surgery
- Quick-fire clinical updates
- The poster competition

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## Day 1 – Thursday 21 November 2024

### 08.30 – 09.00 REGISTRATION & REFRESHMENTS / NETWORK CHECKS

09.00 – 09.05 **Welcome and opening remarks**

Dr Claire Shannon, President, RCoA

09.05 – 09.45 **Keynote Lecture: NAP7 & BMI: epidemiology, anaesthetic practices & perioperative cardiac arrest**

Prof Tim Cook, Consultant in Anaesthesia and ICM, Bath

### Session 1: Management of patients with morbid obesity (Chair: Dr Fiona Donald, Bristol)

09.45 – 10.05 Pathophysiology and management of Obesity  
Metabolic Syndrome

**Professor Ketan Dhatariya, Norfolk**

10.05 – 10.25 Management of the parturient with morbid obesity

**Dr Sarah Armstrong, London**

10.25 – 10.35 Q&A SESSION

### 10.35 – 11.00 REFRESHMENTS

#### Awards and posters session

#### 11.00 – 11.52 Shortlisted posters – rapid-fire talks (Chair: Dr Jon Chambers)

The top four poster entrants have 8 minutes to present their work (including Q&A 5 mins)

**- An Initiative to Improve Pentrox Documentation and Facilitate Anaesthetic Planning**

Presented by: Dr Laura Medhurst

**- On the day trauma cancellations at Royal Bolton Hospital; a retrospective review**

Presented by: Dr Natasha French-Constant

**- Life in every drop: Quality blood management for quality care**

Presented by: Dr David Ou

**- Don't Cancel It: Reduce Same Day Cancellations**

Presented by: Dr Claire Cushley

#### 11.52 – 12.05 College Medal

*Presented to Prof William Harrop Griffiths*

*Citation written and read by Dr Claire Shannon*

#### College Medal

*Presented to Dr Neil McGuire*

*Citation written and read by Prof Jaideep Pandit*

#### Dudley Buxton Prize

*Presented to Dr Bernie Liban*

*Citation written and read by Prof William Harrop-Griffiths and Dr Carl Waldmann*

## Presidents Commendation

*Presented to Dr Hafiz Rehman*

*Citation written and read by Dr Sarah Thornton*

## 12.05 – 13.05 LUNCH

## 13.05 – 13.20 Fellow ad eundem

*Presented to Chima Alexander Oti*

*Presented to Baber Zaheer*

## Session 2: Care of patients with morbid obesity (Chair: Dr Sarah Thornton, Bolton) (20 mins each)

13.20 – 13.40 Managing the critically ill patient with obesity

**Dr Claire Nightingale**

13.40 – 14.00 Management of the patient with morbid obesity for  
Day Case Surgery

**Dr Mike Swart, Devon**

14.00 – 14.15 Q&A SESSION

## Session 3: Bariatric Surgery (Chair: Dr Felicity Platt, London) (20 mins each)

14.15 – 14.55 Debate: Should bariatric surgery be undertaken in only  
specialised centres?

**Mr Omer Al-Taani, Luton**  
**Dr Helgi Johannsson, London**

14.55 – 15.10 Q&A SESSION

## 15.10 – 15.15 Poster Winner Announcement

## 15.15 – 15.40 REFRESHMENTS

## Session 4: Organ transplants (Chair: Dr Elisa Bertoja, London)

15.40 – 16.00 Legal and ethical issues around organ donation

**Dr Ian Thomas**

16.00 – 16.30 Anaesthesia for major organ transplant surgery

**Dr Tim Baker**

16.30 – 16.45 Q&A SESSION

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## Day 2 – Friday 22 November 2024

### 08.30 – 09.15 REGISTRATION / NETWORK CHECKS

09.15 – 09.20	Welcome	Dr Sri Gummaraju, Council Member, RCoA
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### Session 1: Medico-legal (Chair: Dr Sri Gummaraju, Oswestry)

09.20 – 09.40	Major claims related to Anaesthesia	Dr Clare Stapleton, MPS, London
09.40 – 10.00	How may anaesthetists avoid litigation?	Sevim Ahmet, Fieldfisher, London
10.00 – 10.20	Support to anaesthetists when complained against	Dr Latifa Patel, BMA, London
10.20 – 10.40	Q&A SESSION	

### 10.40 – 11.10 REFRESHMENTS

### Session 2: Looking ahead (Chair: Dr Ramai Santhiparala, London)

11.10 – 12.10	Looking ahead (15 minutes per topic) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SALG</li> <li>SNAP3</li> <li>CPOC</li> <li>CR&amp;I</li> </ul>	Dr Felicity Plaat, Co-chair SALG, London Dr Claire Swarbrick, Nottingham Prof Daniel Conway Prof Andrew Smith
12.10 – 12.30	Q&A SESSION	

### 12.30 – 13.30 LUNCH

### Session 3: Macintosh Professor Lecture (Chair: Dr Claire Shannon, President, RCoA)

13.30 – 14.20	<b>Macintosh Professor Lecture:</b> "From data to insights via analytics – getting ready for the future of artificial intelligence in and around the ICU" <b>Delivered by Dr Ari Ercole</b> <i>Citation written and read by Prof Iain Moppett</i>	
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### 14.20 – 14.50 REFRESHMENTS

### Session 4: From the front line lived experiences (Chair: Dr Felicity Plaat, London)

14.50 – 15.10	Challenges posed by patients with autism and learning difficulties	Prof Andrew Smith
15.10 – 15.30	My transition from an ICU nurse to ICM trainee	Dr Tamsin Lane
15.30 – 15.50	Best publications in Anaesthesia, Pain and Critical Care during 2024	Dr Matt Wiles
15.50 – 16.20	Q&A SESSION	

