

Gastroenterology

RCPE Symposium Edinburgh

Date: Friday, 2nd November, 2012

Venue: Classroom A&B,

Shaukat Khanum Memorial Cancer Hospital & Research Centre Lahore

The Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh (RCPE) is organizing a symposium on **Gastroenterology** on Friday, November 2, 2012. Shaukat Khanum Memorial Cancer Hospital and Research Centre (SKMCH&RC) will telecast this event live. There is no fee for attendance at the SKMCH venue but pre-registration is required, especially for outside participants. There will be an opportunity to ask questions of the speakers in Edinburgh in real time.

Message from the Organizers

This is an exciting time for gastroenterology, with new understandings and/or treatments emerging for common gastrointestinal and liver diseases.

This symposium – the first on gastroenterology from the RCPE for 2 years – provides a comprehensive update from an expert international faculty on these developments and will appeal to established consultants and trainees, both gastroenterologists and non-specialists, wishing to keep abreast of these rapidly moving fields.

Friday 2nd November 2012 (all times listed are Lahore times)

14.00 REGISTRATION

14.25 WELCOME & INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

by President, Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh

SESSION 1 - GASTROINTESTINAL MOTILITY - SCIENCE & PRACTICE

Chair: Dr Nigel Reynolds, Consultant Gastroenterologist, Ninewells Hospital, Dundee

Local Chair: Prof. Ghias-un-Nabi Tayyab, Professor of Medicine, Postgraduate Medical Institute, Lahore

14:30 IRRITABLE BOWEL SYNDROME: DO WE KNOW YET WHAT IT IS?

Professor Robin Spiller, Lead Director of NIHR Biomedical Research Unit in Gastrointestinal Diseases, Nottingham University

* psychological stress * gastrointestinal infection * serotonin

15:00 IRRITABLE BOWEL SYNDROME: DO WE KNOW YET HOW TO MANAGE IT?

Dr Anton Emmanuel, Consultant Gastroenterologist, University College Hospital, London

* doctor-patient interaction in a real life consultation * drug therapies: what to use and

when * non-drug therapies: placebo or unavailable panacea

15:30 WHAT CAUSES RIGHT UPPER QUADRANT PAIN AND WHAT IF THE ULTRASOUND IS NEGATIVE?

Professor Owen Epstein, Professor of Gastroenterology and Consultant Gastroenterologist, Royal Free Hospital, London

*imaging *differential *treatment

16:00 COFFEE /TEA BREAK

Session 2 - ENDOSCOPY - BEST USE OF NEW MODALITIES

Chair: Dr Nick Church, Consultant Gastroenterologist, Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh

16:30 UPPER GASTROINTESTINAL BLEEDING: THE FIRST 24 HOURS

Dr Adrian Stanley, Consultant Gastroenterologist, Glasgow Royal Infirmary

*early risk assessment * optimal use of drugs * endoscopic therapies

17:00 CYSTIC LESIONS OF THE PANCREAS: MODERN DIAGNOSIS AND MANAGEMENT

Dr Ian Penman, National Endoscopy Lead for Scotland and Consultant Gastroenterologist, Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh

*different cyst types * how to evaluate *resection, surveillance or discharge?

17:30 MANAGEMENT OF DIFFICULT COLONIC POLYPS

Mr Mark Potter, Consultant Colorectal Surgeon, Western General Hospital, Edinburgh

18:00 HI TEA

SESSION 3 - LIVER DISEASE - CHANGING AND CHALLENGING TIMES

Chair: Dr Alastair MacGilchrist, Consultant Gastroenterologist, Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh

18:45 SYDNEY WATSON SMITH LECTURE

Chair: Dr Neil Dewhurst, President, Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh

HEPATITIS B: NEW UNDERSTANDING, NEW TREATMENTS

Professor Harry Janssen, Professor of Hepatology and Chief of Liver Diseases and Transplantation, Erasmus MC University Hospital, Rotterdam, The Netherlands

*when to give nucleoside analogues or immunomodulation by Peg-IFN *can we prevent liver failure and liver cancer by treatment * how to use HBsAg quantification

19:30 NEW THERAPIES FOR HEPATITIS C

Professor Matthew Cramp, Consultant and Honorary Professor of Hepatology, South West Liver Unit and Peninsula College of Medicine and Dentistry

*when and when not to use the new oral anti-virals * what about non-1 genotypes * will all HCV be curable in the future?

20:00 LIVER DISEASE: A NATIONAL CONCERN

Dr Martin Lombard, Director of the National Liver Strategy for England and Consultant

Hepatologist, Royal Liverpool Hospital

*what are the issues? *how can they be addressed? *what outcomes can we expect?

20:30 SYMPOSIUM FEEDBACK/TEA

SESSION 4 - INFLAMMATORY BOWEL DISEASE - MANAGEMENT DILEMMAS

Chair: Professor Jack Satsangi, Professor of Gastroenterology, Western General Hospital, Edinburgh

20:55 RATIONAL USE OF BIOLOGICAL THERAPIES IN INFLAMMATORY BOWEL DISEASE

Dr Charlie Lees, Consultant Gastroenterologist, and Honorary Senior Lecturer, Western General Hospital, Edinburgh

*patient selection for use of anti-TNFs early in disease course *optimisation and monitoring of anti-TNF therapy *withdrawal of anti-TNF therapy in selected patients

21:25 MEETING THE CHALLENGES OF INFLAMMATORY BOWEL DISEASE IN ADOLESCENTS

Dr Richard Russell, Consultant Paediatric Gastroenterologist, Yorkhill Hospital, Glasgow

*specific treatment and disease differences in adolescents with IBD * transition and transfer * how to deal and not to deal with your next teenage IBD patient

22:55 CLOSE



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