

WOC ANNUAL CONGRESS

Date: Saturday 7 June 2025

Venue: IC5 Building, Biocomposites Ltd, Keele Science Park, Stoke on Trent, ST5 5NL

Theme: Widening Perspectives

09:00- 10:00 Committee meeting

10:00- 10:10 Introduction/ Housekeeping

10:10- 10:30 Roy Miller- Anaesthetic guest lecture:

Setting up an anaesthetic service abroad

10:30- 10:50 Trish Gregori- ED guest lecture:

Meeting the unseen demands on an orthopaedic surgical camp

10:50- 11:15 Prof JC Allen Ingabire- Keynote Address:

Leading on research in Rwanda

11:15- 11:30 Break

11:30- 1:00 Partner updates:

11:30 BOFAS- Tim Williams

11:40 BSSH- Chrishan Mariathas

11:50 BOOS- Duncan Whitwell (virtual)

12:00 BSCOS- (TBC)

12:10- 12:30 Prof Jim Harrison

Mentorship programme and Malawi lower limb fracture programme

12:30- 13:30 Lunch/ networking

13:30- 14:00 AGM + WOC merit medal award

14:00- 14:45 BOTA roadshow- Alex Schade and Matthew Arnaouti

Presenters (TBC):

Kyung Hoon Moon- results of MedAidFx

Luke Render- chronic osteomyelitis in the Malawian district (video)

14:45- 15:30 Country updates:

14:45 Malawi – Steve Mannion

14:50 Ethiopia- Alwyn Abraham

14:55 Cambodia- James Shelton

15:00 Tanzania- Alwyn Abraham

15:05 Zimbabwe- Laurence Wicks (pre-recorded)

15:10 Zambia- Alberto Gregori

15:15 Ghana- Joe Sudhakar

15:20 Guyana- Deepa Bose

15:25- 15:40 Break

15:40- 16:00 Ana Jeelani: Experience of working in Gaza through the conflict

16:00- 16:15 Amirul Islam: Setting up a partnership with a place called “home”

16:15- 16:30 Harry Benjamin-Laing: Future Leaders Programme report

16:30- 16:45 Sri Ram Muthuraman: Evolving orthopaedic demands on a remote and rural service: a 40 year audit and lessons for the future.

16:45- 17:00 Closing remarks