



Association of Laparoscopic Surgeons &
Association of Laparoscopic Theatre
Staff of Great Britain & Ireland

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UPCOMING EVENTS

ALSGBI Laparoscopic Surgery Training Day

Practical Techniques for Laparoscopic Suturing, Stapling & Haemostasis
Wednesday 9 November

CLINICAL SKILLS LABORATORY | ST MARY'S HOSPITAL | LONDON W2 1BL

**RED
NOVEMBER**

**THE HUNT FOR
HAEMOSTASIS**

ALSGBI Annual Scientific Meeting

Red November | The Hunt for Haemostasis

Thursday 10 & Friday 11 November

ILEC CONFERENCE CENTRE | LONDON SW6 1UD

Association of Laparoscopic Theatre Staff Meeting (ALTS)

Friday 11 November

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The UK & Ireland's No. 1 Professional Association in the field of Laparoscopic Surgery

A LEADING-EDGE SURGICAL & ACADEMIC CONFERENCE

Featuring live HD upper gastrointestinal, colorectal and gynaecological laparoscopic surgery.

OPERATING DIRECT FROM THE ROYAL SURREY COUNTY HOSPITAL, GUILDFORD

Join us for our symposium on the management of haemostasis when a panel of leading national and international experts will debate the latest findings including tips and tricks in haemostasis – is there a limit to laparoscopic surgery?

See inside for full details on this exciting programme

AWARDS & BURSARIES

- **2016 Travelling Scholarships** | £2,000–£4,000
(please see advert inside for full details)
- **2016 David Dunn Medal Prize** | £600 generously sponsored by the British Journal of Surgery (BJS)
- **2016 ALSGBI Best Laparoscopic DVD** | £250
- **2016 ALSGBI Best Laparoscopic Poster** | £150
- **2016 Industry Partners' Awards** | £200 to each Trainee Presenter
- **Training Day Bursaries** Contact jtreglohan@alsgbi.org for full details and an application form. Places are limited and early applications with strong evidence of a commitment to laparoscopic surgery will be an advantage in a competitive application process.
- **ALTS Bursaries** Contact swilliams@alsgbi.org for full details.
- **Procurement Bursaries**
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Visit www.alsgbi.org/london2016 for full information on the above and for details on:

- Abstracts, Poster & DVD Submissions
- Hotels & Travel Information
- Registration & Fee Information

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Submit now at www.alsgbi.org/london2016 where full guidelines are available on the Abstract/Poster and DVD submission process. Previously presented laparoscopic abstracts also welcomed.



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WORKING TOGETHER FOR EXCELLENCE IN LAPAROSCOPIC SURGERY

What we offer:

- Live HD Laparoscopic Operating transmitted from The Royal Surrey County Hospital, Guildford to ILEC
- A meeting and mini-symposium with a special emphasis on Haemostasis:
 - *The Role of ICG in Reducing Complications in Laparoscopic Surgery*
 - *Tips & Tricks in Haemostasis – Is there a Limit to Laparoscopic Surgery?*
 - *Questions & Answers Session*
- Mini-Symposium: The Business of Laparoscopy – Succeeding in a Market Driven NHS
- World Class Speakers & Operators
- Laparoscopic Surgery Training Day & Bursaries
- Association of Laparoscopic Theatre Staff (ALTS) Meeting & Bursaries
- LapPass Training & Assessment
- Camera Holding Training
- Prestigious Awards
- CPD Points
- Procurement Bursaries
- Short Paper & DVD Sessions
- Poster Exhibition

- State of the Art Industry Exhibition
- President's Drinks Reception
- Conference Dinner & After Dinner Speaker

Who should attend this Meeting?

- Consultant Surgeons with a passion for Laparoscopic Surgery
- Surgeons in Training
- Theatre Staff
- Procurement Specialists
- Industry

Reasons to Attend in Person

- Widen your horizons by sharing information about the cutting edge of technology and best practice in laparoscopic surgery
- Learn from world-renowned surgeons
- Develop your professional skills and knowledge – 8 CPD points awarded per day
- We invite you to submit an Abstract/DVD/Poster – prizes to be won, be the best of an elite group
- Discounts for Members of SAGES, EAES, ALSGBI & ALTS

CONFIRMED SPEAKERS & OPERATORS

Professor Luigi Boni, Director of the Minimally Invasive Surgery Research Centre of the Department of Surgical and Morphological Sciences of the University of Insubria, Varese, Italy, who will discuss the exciting potential of ICG (Indocyanine Green) in laparoscopic surgery.

Professor Michael Kendrick from the Mayo Clinic, Minnesota, USA, who will deliver the BJS Lecture on Laparoscopic Pancreatic Surgery and contribute to the theme of the meeting by discussing the Management of Haemostasis.

Mr Adam Howard from Colchester Hospital University NHS Foundation Trust will present an 'as live' laparoscopic endoleak repair, cyclist's groin and coeliac trunk surgery.

Live Surgery Operators

- **Mr Donald Menzies** (Colchester)

Guildford Team

- **Professor Tim Rockall**
- **Mr Andrew Kent**
- **Mr Iain Jourdan**
- **Mr Shaun Preston**
- **Mr Tim Worthington**

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

Wednesday 9 November

Clinical Skills Laboratory | St Mary's Hospital | London W2 1BL

08:30-17:00

ALSGBI Laparoscopic Surgery Training Day

- Practical Techniques for Laparoscopic Suturing, Stapling & Haemostasis

Thursday 10 November

ILEC Conference Centre | London SW6 1UD

The Auditorium | London Suite

09:00-18:00

- Presidential Welcome • Industry Presentations
- **Live HD Surgery includes:**
Combined Gynaecological/Colorectal Resection for Stage IV Endometriosis
Laparoscopic TME with ICG • Right Hemicolectomy
Heller Myotomy • Splenectomy
Cholecystectomy and CBD exploration with ICG • Liver Resection
- Announcement of Top 2 Posters for Presentation
- Mini-Symposium The Business of Laparoscopy –
Succeeding in a Market Driven NHS

London Suite

08:30-17:00

- Registration
- Industry Exhibition
- Poster Exhibition
- LapPass Training
& Assessment
- Refreshments & Lunch

18:00-19:00

President's Drinks Reception

19:20-22:30 ALSGBI Conference Dinner | The Queen's Club | Palliser Road | London W14 9EQ

Friday 11 November

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09:00-16:00

- Presidential Introduction
- Industry Presentations
- DVD Sessions
- Poster Presentations
- Free Papers
- The Role of ICG in Reducing
Complications in Laparoscopic Surgery
- Management of Haemostasis
- Tips & Tricks in Haemostasis
- Annual General Meeting
- BJS Lecture -
Laparoscopic Pancreatic Surgery
- Travelling Scholarship Presentations
- ALSGBI Awards Ceremony
- Closing Remarks

London Suite

08:30-14:00

- Registration
- Industry Exhibition
- Poster Exhibition
- LapPass Training &
Assessment
- Refreshments &
Lunch

Hyde Park Syndicate Room

09:00-16:00

- ALTS Welcome & Introduction
- How to get the Best out of
Camera Systems
- Introduction to Camera
Holding: The Active Role of the
Assistant in Minimal Access
Surgery



LapPass–THE LAPAROSCOPIC PASSPORT FOR SURGICAL TRAINEES

THE ALSGBI CERTIFICATE OF TECHNICAL SKILL PROFICIENCY IN LAPAROSCOPIC SURGERY

There will be dedicated training areas at the Annual Scientific Meeting within the Industry Exhibition area, please contact **Mrs Jennifer Treglohan** at jtreglohan@alsgbi.org to book your training session and examination.

This recently introduced gratis certificate can be added to one's portfolio when a series of timed laparoscopic skills tests are successfully passed.

The 5 defined laparoscopic skills assessing a high standard in core competencies are:

- Camera Holding (assessed intra-operatively)
- Grasping & Manipulation
- Creation & Accurate Deployment of Secure Endo-Loops (e.g. Roeder Knots)
- Cutting & Dissection
- Intra-Corporeal Suturing

Resources for the instructions on the tasks are available on the ALSGBI website <http://www.alsgbi.org/trainees/passport> from where assessment forms can also be downloaded.

The acquisition of the LapPass is a nationally recognised standard and evidences a high level of skill in laparoscopic tasks relevant to advanced surgery. All trainees are encouraged to achieve this standard and to demonstrate this by obtaining the LapPass certificate.

DETAILS OF THE TRAVELLING SCHOLARSHIPS 2016

The **ALSGBI** is funding a scholarship in memory of the late David Dunn. This scholarship is to the value of £4,000 and it is anticipated that this would enable a surgeon at the end of his/her training, or a consultant within 5 years of appointment, to make a substantial visit to a unit abroad to learn new skills in laparoscopic surgery, with a view to introducing these skills into his/her practice for the benefit of patients.

B. Braun Medical Ltd in partnership with the ALSGBI is also awarding two Aesculap Endoscopy Travelling Scholarships of £2,000 each. The purpose of these scholarships is to enable surgeons in training, or young consultants within 5 years of appointment, to extend their experience in minimal access surgery by short visits to one or more centres.

The successful applicants will be expected to give a report on their visit at an ALSGBI Annual Scientific Meeting and also write an article for the ALSGBI Newsletter.

Candidates for these scholarships should request an application form from Mrs Jennifer Treglohan, Executive Director, ALSGBI at The Royal College of Surgeons of England, 35-43 Lincoln's Inn Fields, London WC2A 3PE or email: jtreglohan@alsgbi.org and be a current member of ALSGBI. The deadline for receipt of applications is Friday 14 October 2016. The names of successful applicants will be announced at the 2016 ASGBI Annual Scientific Meeting on Friday 11 November.

DATES & DEADLINES

Monday 13 June Online abstract submission opens

Monday 1 August Online registration opens

Sunday 25 September Deadline for Abstracts, Posters & DVDs to be submitted

Sunday 25 September Deadline for applications for Training Day Bursaries

Monday 10 October 'Early Bird' Conference Rates ends

Friday 14 October Deadline for applications for Travelling Scholarships 2016

ALTS & Procurement Bursaries allocated on a first come, first served basis

FUTURE MEETINGS

Wednesday 8 November 2017 ALSGBI Laparoscopic Surgery Training Day WIMAT (The Welsh Institute for Minimal Access Therapy) | Cardiff

Thursday 9 & Friday 10 November 2017 ALSGBI Annual Scientific Meeting | City Hall | Cardiff

Friday 10 November 2017 Association of Laparoscopic Theatre Staff Meeting (ALTS) City Hall | Cardiff

VENUE DETAILS

Wednesday 9 November

Clinical Skills Laboratory | St. Mary's Hospital
2nd Floor | Paterson Centre | South Wharf Road
Paddington | London W2 1BL

For map and directions visit <http://www.imperial.ac.uk/medicine/london-general-surgical-skills-programme/contact/>

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ACCOMMODATION

The designated conference hotel is Ibis London Earl's Court. To book a room at the ILEC simply visit www.ileconferencecentre.co.uk/alsgbi/ Click **ALSGBI 2016 Booking Form** to download and return to **H5623-SB@ACCOR.COM** We strongly recommend that accommodation is booked as far in advance as possible to secure the negotiated rates.

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