



## Advanced Skills in Breast Disease Management

27th to 29th March 2019 • Selwyn College, Cambridge

**The Association of Breast Surgery will be running the Advanced Skills in Breast Disease Management Course for the first time in 2019.**

Having taken over the breast specialty portfolio from the Royal College of Surgeons of England, this course is a revised version of the Advanced Breast Disease Management Course. The programme (see overleaf) has been updated and the course will run over three days at the new location of Selwyn College, Cambridge. This provides excellent facilities and reasonably priced accommodation options for delegates staying for the course. Overall the course represents excellent value for money for those attending.

The course is aimed at senior breast trainees (ST6-8), newly appointed consultants, SAS grade doctors, advanced care practitioners and specialist nurses with a background in either breast or plastic surgery.

Registration is now open on the ABS website:

**[www.associationofbreastsurgery.org.uk](http://www.associationofbreastsurgery.org.uk)**

# PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

## Day 1: Screening, Diagnosis and Benign Breast Conditions

09:15 to 09:50	Registration and refreshments	
09:50 to 10:00	Introduction	Prof John Benson & Prof Ramsey Cutress
10:00 to 11:00	Breast Screening	Dr Nisha Sharma
11:00 to 11:30	Breast imaging update	Speaker tbc
11:30 to 12:00	Tea & Coffee Break	
12:00 to 12:30	Breast Pathology	Dr Charlie Tilley
12:30 to 13:00	Symptomatic (triple) assessment	Mr Giles Cunnick
13:00 to 14:00	Lunch	
14:00 to 14:30	Breast Pain	Dr Elizabeth Cox
14:30 to 15:00	Nipple Discharge	Ms Karina Cox
15:00 to 15:30	Breast Sepsis	Mr James Harvey
15:30 to 16:00	Gynaecomastia	Mr Vassilis Pitsinis
16:00 to 16:30	Tea & Coffee Break	
16:30 to 19:00	Diagnostic and Screening MDT	All Faculty
19:00	Dinner for delegates and faculty in Cambridge	

## Day 2: Breast Cancer: Cancer Biology, Surgery and Risk

08:00 to 08:30	Refreshments	
08:30 to 09:15	Breast cancer tumour biology - molecular stratification	Dr Sanjeev Kumar
09:15 to 10:15	Risk: Lifestyle and modifiable risk factors	Prof Ramsey Cutress
10:15 to 10:45	Familial and genetic risk assessment	Dr Marc Tischkowitz
10:45 to 11:15	Tea & Coffee Break	
11:15 to 11:45	Risk reducing surgery in those at high familial risk	Prof Ramsey Cutress
11:45 to 12:15	DCIS	Prof John Benson
12:15 to 12:45	Local recurrence	Mr Giles Cunnick
12:45 to 13:45	Lunch	
13:45 to 14:15	Breast conservation: Oncological considerations and oncoplastic techniques	Ms Karina Cox
14:15 to 14:45	Mastectomy: Oncological considerations, skin and nipple sparing mastectomy	Mr James Harvey
14:45 to 15:15	The contralateral breast in those with breast cancer	Prof John Benson

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15:15 to 15:45	Tea & Coffee Break	
15:45 to 16:15	Management of the axilla	Prof John Benson
16:15 to 16:45	Surgical considerations of neoadjuvant therapy	Mr Henry Cain
16:45 to 18:00	Pre-operative surgical MDT	All Faculty
19:00	Course Dinner at Selwyn College	

## Day 3: Adjuvant and Systemic Treatment

08:00 to 08:30	Refreshments	
09:00 to 09:30	Radiotherapy breast reconstruction and implants	Speaker tbc
09:30 to 10:00	Adjuvant chemotherapy and biological therapies	Dr Ellen Copson
10:00 to 10:30	Adjuvant endocrine therapy: Pre and post menopausal patients	Mr Amit Agrawal
10:30 to 11:00	Tea & Coffee Break	
11:00 to 11:30	Bone protection and bisphosphonates	Dr Ellen Copson
11:30 to 12:00	Neoadjuvant Chemotherapy	Dr Karen McAdam
12:00 to 13:00	Lunch	
13:00 to 13:30	Risk assessment tools in the MDT	Prof Gordon Wishart
13:30 to 14:30	Pregnancy and fertility	Miss Sarah Downey
14:30 to 15:00	San Antonio update	Prof John Benson
15:00 to 16:00	Post operative adjuvant MDT	All Faculty
16:00 to 16:30	Feedback and Close	

### Fees:

ABS Members: £635  
Non Members: £735

Course fees include dinner on both nights of the course.

Accommodation can be booked at Selwyn College at an additional cost of £69.12 per night. The booking link is available on the ABS website for delegates registering for the course.

### CPD:

This three day course has been awarded 20 CPD points by the Association of Surgeons of Great Britain and Ireland.

### Further information:

For further information see the ABS website or contact 020 7869 6853 or 6855

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

### **Cancellations and substitutions**

Cancellations must be received in writing by Monday 25th February 2019 to receive a refund of the fee, less a 10% administration charge. After this date no refunds can be made. Substitutions can be made at any time, but the course organiser must be notified in writing at least seven days prior to the event.

### **Programme and speaker changes**

The organisers reserve the right to change the course sessions or speakers in case of illness or circumstances beyond their control.

### **Insurance**

The organisers do not accept responsibility for loss or damage to delegates' own property and/ or personal effects whilst at the course. The organisers do not accept responsibility for loss or damage to personal effects caused by events beyond their control, including (but without limitation) fire, flood, strikes, civil disturbances, or for consequential loss or damage of any kind whatsoever.

### **Data protection**

The Association of Breast Surgery is GDPR compliant and will not release members' or delegates' addresses to any organisation, person or external body. The ABS will only contact non members with details of future events if they consent to receive this information when registering.

