ABS
ASSOCIATION OF
BREAST SURGERY

ABS Breast Specialty Courses Portfolio

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

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**	
08:30 to 09:00	**Advances in radiotherapy in breast cancer**	Dr Mukesh Mukesh
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.

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