

**SCOTTISH SOCIETY OF GASTROENTEROLOGY
WINTER MEETING 2024
6 DECEMBER 2024**

Doubletree by Hilton Dunblane Hydro Hotel

**Host(s): Professor Ali S Taha
NHS Ayrshire & Arran**

Time	Topic	Speaker
07:00 – 07:25	Registration NRS Breakfast Meetings	
07:30 – 09:15	NRS Breakfast Meetings <i>Hepatology – Glenallen Room</i> <i>Gastroenterology – Glenside Room</i>	
08:45 – 09:10	Registration SSG Meeting	
09:15 – 09:30	Opening and Welcoming Comments	Professor Ali S Taha and Professor Adrian Stanley
Session 1 – IBD & General GI		
Chair(s): Ms Laura Douglas & Ms Susan Kishore		
09:30 – 10:00	Keynote Speaker: IBD Surgery in the Era of Biologics	Ms Elaine Yeap FRCS Consultant Colorectal Surgeon University Hospital Crosshouse
10:00 – 10:15	Free paper #1 PET-based fibrosis scanning in Crohn’s disease: A novel imaging human experimental approach to detect and quantify fibrosis activity burden in stricturing Crohn’s disease (FATE-CD)	Dr Solomon Ong
10:15 – 10:30	Free paper #2 Snapshot Audit of Polypectomy Practice in NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde to determine possible gains of implementing AI enhanced 'Resect and Discard' and 'Diagnose and Leave' strategies on Histopathology Resource	Dr Anne Milligan
10:30 – 11:00	Keynote Speaker: New Biomarkers in GI and HPB Oncology	Professor Jeff Evans Honorary Consultant in Medical Oncology University of Glasgow & Beatson West of Scotland Cancer Centre, Glasgow
11:00 – 11:30	Coffee and Pharmaceutical Exhibition	
Session 2 – Endoscopy		
Chair(s): Ms Caroline McCloskey		
11:30 – 12:00	Keynote Speaker: Endoscopy or Surgery for Pancreatic Disease?	Mr Euan Dickson FRCS Consultant Surgeon West of Scotland Pancreatic Centre, Glasgow
12:00 – 12:15	Green Endoscopy update	Dr Rosie Haddock
12:15 – 12:30	Free paper #3 What not to biopsy - gastrointestinal biopsies of	Dr Rosie Haddock

	low clinical value	
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch Poster Viewing and Pharmaceutical Exhibition (13:05 – 13:25 – SSG Business Meeting)	
Session 3 – Liver		
Chair(s): Professor Ali S Taha		
13:30 – 14:00	Keynote Speaker: Monitoring of Genetic Metabolic Liver Diseases in Adults	Dr Ashis Mukhopadhy Consultant Physician & Gastroenterologist Aberdeen Royal Infirmary
14:00 – 14:15	Free paper #4 NHS Tayside Experience of Obeticholic Acid in Primary Biliary Cholangitis	Dr Eilidh Clark
14:15 – 14:30	Free paper #5 Is BRAVO capsule endoscopy a valuable investigation for gastro-oesophageal reflux disease? The experience of a single centre	Dr Jack Miller and Dr Sairah Amjad
14:30 – 14:45	Free paper #6 Chemopreventive Effects of 5-Aminosalicylates, Immunomodulators, and Biologic Therapies Against Colorectal Cancer and Dysplasia in Inflammatory Bowel Disease: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis	Dr Amirhosein Kefayat
14:45 – 15:15	Coffee and Pharmaceutical Exhibition	
Session 4 – General GI & Liver		
Chair: Professor Ewan Forrest, Glasgow		
15:15 – 15:45	Keynote Speaker: Aspirin, NSAIDs & the Gut: where are we now?	Professor Ali S Taha, Consultant Gastroenterologist & Honorary Professor in Medicine & Therapeutics University Hospital Crosshouse
15:45 – 16:00	SSG Travel Bursary Feedback	Dr Aiden Cahill
16:00 – 16:30	Keynote Speaker: Therapeutic paracentesis: evidence, when, and how?	Professor Peter Hayes Professor of Hepatology University of Edinburgh
16:30	Announcement of the Ann Ferguson (Best Oral) and Derek Gillen (Best Poster) prize awards	SSG President
	Closing remarks	Professor Ali S Taha
16:40	Close	

CPD accreditation will be available for this meeting.

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