



General Practice: What's the Prognosis?

RCGP South West Student GPSoc Conference- hosted by Bristol GPSoc

Saturday 18th March 2017
The Wills Memorial Building
The University of Bristol, Queens Road, Bristol, BS8 1RJ
Level 3, Rooms 3.23, 3.30, 3.31, 3.32, 3.33

9:30-9:45: Delegate Registration

9:45-09:55: Welcome:

Professor Helen Stokes-Lampard— *Chair of the Royal College of General Practitioners (RCGP), general practitioner in Lichfield and medical academic. Will be providing a video presentation, welcoming delegates to the conference.*

09:55-10:55: Plenary 1: Portfolio Careers in *Coutt's Lecture Theatre 3.31*. 10 minutes each, followed by Q&A

- **Dr Jon Morris**— *Portfolio GP, Director Year 2 GEM Swansea University Medical School. "Students, Stadium & STEMI. Being a portfolio GP" GP with Specialist Interest in medical education and additional roles as a crowd doctor and GP in A&E*
- **Dr Jodie Blackadder-Weinstein**— *RAF GP, Defence First5 Rep. "The veritable feast of being an Armed Forces/Sexual Health/Sports Med/Academic GP!"*
- **Dr Jonathan Williams**— *former GP, currently a GP with Specialist Interest in Musculoskeletal Medicine, GP Appraisal and is a team doctor to Bristol Rugby and Bristol City FC. "Who in their right mind would want to be a GP?!"*
- **Dr Gerwyn Owen**— *GP with Specialist Interest in substance misuse*

10:55-11:10: Plenary 2 in *Coutt's Lecture Theatre 3:31*

Dr Anna Harrison— *GP, Co-founder of the GP Careers Champion Scheme. Will be talking about how to get involved in the scheme.*

11:10- 11:40: Coffee break in 3.23

11:40- 12:00: Plenary 3 in *Coutt's Lecture Theatre 3.31*

Dr Trevor Thompson— *FRCGP PhD, Head of Teaching, Centre for Academic Primary Care, University of Bristol. "Nature works- why don't we? How living systems can inform the design of effective Primary Care." Nature has evolved over 4 billion years*



to produce systems of exquisite efficiency, effectiveness and beauty. What can we learn from nature when it comes to designing similarly effective Primary Care services? Winner of the Tamar RCGP Kieran Sweeney essay prize.

12:00- 12:30: Workshop 1: 3 workshops will be running simultaneously in 3 separate rooms (3.30, 3.32, 3.33). Delegates will choose 2 workshops prior to attending the conference.

- **Dr Knut Schroeder**— GP in Bristol and Creator of the Expert Self Care (ESC) student self-help health app. "**Becoming a GP entrepreneur - how to unleash your innovative self (even if you think you don't have the time, money or experience)**"
- **Dr Tharsha Sivayokan**—GP Partner in South Gloucestershire, RCGP Regional Ambassador for Forward View, Director of One Care Ltd. "**The evolving role of technology in primary care**"
- **Chris Bull**— Student Engagement Manager at the Royal College of General Practitioners. "**Exploring student perceptions of general practice**"

12:30-13:00: Workshop 2: Repeat of above. Delegates will rotate.

13:00- 14:00: Lunch break in 3.23: Poster presentation will take place during this time and will be judged by speakers at the conference, including the Vice Chair of the RCGP, Professor Kamila Hawthorne MBE, Associate Dean of Medicine at the University of Surrey

14:00- 15:00: Plenary 4: Steps into General Practice. In Coutt's Lecture Theatre 3.31. 15 minute presentations from:

- **Dr Zoe Bush**—Foundation Doctor at Gloucestershire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust, University of Bristol GPSOC Foundation Rep "**Life as a Junior Doctor.**"
- **Dr Alex Gates**— "**Life as a GP Trainee.**" GPST2, Bath, Lead Representative of the Severn Deanery RCGP AiT (Associates in Training) Committee
- **Dr Will Mackintosh**— "**Life as a GP partner.**" GP Partner, Chair of South West Wales RCGP Faculty

**** Any spare time after these presentations will be used for Q & A ****

15:00- 15:15: Plenary 5 in Coutt's Lecture Theatre 3.31

Professor Sir Denis Pereira Gray— "**Giving general practice its fair share in the curriculum.**" Previous Chairman of the Academy of Royal Colleges and former Chairman and President of the RCGP. Founder of the Exeter University Postgraduate general practice department. Professor, author, GP of 38 years at St. Leonard's Research Practice in Exeter. Presenting his research and proposal for a new medical school curriculum.



15:15- 16:00: Keynote Address in *Coutt's Lecture Theatre 3.31*

Dr Jennifer Bute – ***"A Patient's Perspective"***. Inspiring account of how Dr Bute, a former GP, lives with dementia and how she has made positive adaptations to her life to accommodate its challenges.

16:00-16:15: Poster Presentation Results & Close in *Coutt's Lecture Theatre 3.31*

Professor Kamila Hawthorne MBE— *Vice Chair of the RCGP, Associate Dean for Medicine at the University of Surrey. Presentation of awards for poster presentation and close of conference.*