AoMRC Associate Specialist, Specialty Doctors and Staff Grade Conference

21 February 2014
Overview
The Academy of Medical Royal Colleges, Associate Specialist, Specialty Doctors and Staff Grade (SAS) Conference provides a unique opportunity for all SAS Doctors as well as other Trust Grade Doctors to hear from national speakers and contribute to thinking on key NHS developments from an SAS perspective.

The conference also provides an excellent networking opportunity for SAS and Trust doctors to meet and interact with colleagues from all Royal Colleges.

It will be of interest to all stakeholder representatives such as MDs, ROs, Appraisers, CDs DMEs, HR managers etc, who are involved in revalidation, CPD and channelling the CPD budgets for this group of doctors to familiarise themselves with up-to-date information relevant to this group.

Why Attend?
• Hear from key opinion leaders on the following areas in particular
  • Appraisal and revalidation for SAS and Trust Grade Doctors
  • Education – ensuring CPD
  • Leadership and management – the role of SAS Doctors
  • Network and exchange views amongst peers as well as other stakeholder representatives
  • All specialities can claim the CPD points based on the inter college CPD system

Who Should Attend?
• Associate Specialists Specialty Doctors and Staff Grade
• Other Trust Grade Doctors

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Friday 21 February

9.00am   **REGISTRATION AND REFRESHMENTS**

9.30am   **Welcome and introduction**
Dr Naila Kamal, Associate Specialist O&G, Chair, ASAS Committee (AoMRC); RCOG National Lead for SAS Doctors in O&G, Northwest London Hospital Trust

**Session I: Education and development**  
Chair: Dr Neil Dewhurst, President, Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh

9.45am   **Revalidation – a year in what does it mean for SAS doctors?**
Mr Niall Dickson, Chief Executive, General Medical Council (GMC)

10.15am  **Education – ensuring continuing professional development for SAS Doctors**
Professor Wendy Reid, Medical Director; Health Education England

10.45am  **Panel discussion – Q&A**
Mr Niall Dickson
Professor Wendy Reid

11.00am  **REFRESHMENTS – NETWORKING AND POSTER SESSION**  
Led by: Dr Rajesh Rama Iyer, National Lead Royal College of Psychiatrists; Senior Specialty Doctor, St Andrew’s Hospital, Wickford  
Dr Fiona Robertson, Specialty Doctor in Palliative Medicine; Chair, SAS Subcommittee, Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh

**Session II: Workshops**  
Delegates can only attend two workshops. Each workshop will run for 30 minutes.

11.30am  **Workshop 1: Getting through CESR and the afterlife**
Mr Erman Melikyan, Hand and Orthopaedic Surgeon; Honorary Senior Clinical Lecturer, University Hospital Southampton  
Mr Steve Cunliffe, Head of Specialist Applications, General Medical Council, Manchester

**Workshop 2: Credentialing**  
Chair: Dr Caroline Shaw, College of Emergency Medicine  
Mr Richard Marchant, Assistant Director, Regulation Policy, General Medical Council

**Workshop 3: Future hospitals / safety and quality – clinicians in the driving seat**  
Dr Amer Jafar, Associate Specialist in Care of the Elderly Medicine; Aneurin Bevan Health Board, Gwent, Wales; Chair, Royal College Physicians London, SAS Steering Group  
Dr Naila Kamal, RCOG National Lead for SAS Doctors in Obstetrics and Gynaecology
12.30pm  **LUNCH (2 course standing fork lunch) – NETWORKING AND POSTER SESSION**  
Led by: Dr Richard Marks, Consultant Anaesthetist, Royal Free Hospital; Chair of RCoA SAS Committee, London  
Dr Malla Narasimhamurty, Associate Specialist in Community Child Health, Royal Cornwall Hospital

**Session III: Leadership – an issue for all**  
Chair: Dr David Kinshuck, Royal College of Ophthalmologists

1.30pm  **Women and medical leadership**  
Dr Penny Newman, GP, Consultant in Public Health and Director of Service Integration, Colchester Hospital University NHS Trust

2.00pm  **Role of employers in facilitating CPD**  
Mr Bill McMillan, Head of Medical Pay and Workforce, NHS Employers, Leeds

2.30pm  **Leadership and SAS doctors – the way forward**

3.15pm  **Leadership panel discussion**  
Dr David Kinshuck  
Mrs Scarlett McNally, Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon; Honorary Senior Clinical Lecturer, Brighton and Sussex Medical School  
Dr Penny Newman

3.45pm  **Summary of day**  
Dr Naila Kamal

4.10pm  **CLOSE**
Venue

Venue: RCOG, 27 Sussex Place, Regent’s Park, London NW1 4RG.
Tel: 020 7772 6200 Fax: 020 7772 6388
Train: Marylebone Station - 10 minute walk
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