



British Society for SpondyloArthritis

**BRITSpA - 5th Annual Scientific Meeting**  
**14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> September 2022 – Park Regis Hotel, Birmingham**

<b>14<sup>th</sup> September 15:30 - 16:00 REGISTRATION</b>		
15:30	REGISTRATION AND POSTER SET-UP	
<b>Chairs: Dr Aisling Coy and Mr Chris Martey</b>		
16:00 - 16:10	Welcome to members / Introduction	
16:10- 16:30	NASS update: Together we will drive down diagnosis times and catalyse improvements in care	Dr Dale Webb, CEO NASS
16:30 17:30	<b>Research Update</b>	
16:30 -16:50	BASiC	Dr Helena Marzo Ortega
16:50 -17:10	BSR Guidelines	Dr Steven Zhao
17:10 -17:30	DyNAMISM	Prof Gareth Jones
17:30 -18:30	<b>Prize-winning abstracts and presentation of prizes</b> Service delivery and improvement Basic science Clinical science	TBA TBA TBA
18:30- 19:15	Misdiagnosis in AxSpA	Prof Lianne Gensler, San Francisco
19:30 for 20:00	<b>Drinks reception and dinner in the hotel</b>	
<b>15<sup>th</sup> September 08:30 - 09:30 REGISTRATION &amp; POSTERS</b>		
09:30 - 11:00	<b>Mini symposium – Bone health</b>	
09:30 -10:00	Advances in fracture risk assessment and osteoporosis management	Prof Nick Harvey, Southampton (virtually)
10:00 – 10:30	Bone health in AxSpA	Dr Gavin Clunie, Addenbrooke's
10:30 - 11:00	Role of physiotherapy in maintaining bone health in AxSpA	Ms Sarah Legg, Bath
11:00 - 11:30	<b>BREAK</b>	
11:30 - 12:25	<b>Therapeutics- state of the art lecture</b>	Prof Denis Poddubnyy, Berlin
12:25-13:00	<b>Andrew Keat lecture</b> What causes Axial Spondyloarthritis?	Prof Paul Bowness , NDORMS Oxford University
13:00-14:00	<b>LUNCH</b>	
14:00 - 14:30	<b>IT/Digital update:</b> The role of digital resources to help optimise the diagnosis and treatment for patients with axial spondyloarthritis.	Dr Raj Sengupta, Bath
14:30 -15:10	<b>Year in Review</b>	Prof Bruce Kirkham, Guy's & St Thomas Dr Ben Thompson, Newcastle
15:10	<b>Summary and close</b>	

Sponsors have had no input into the programme.