

ACPA 2015 LONDON: EVALUATION RESULTS

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 31
(out of 37)
= 84% RESPONSE RATE

Average Score (Total Respondents = 286)
 1 = Excellent, 2 = Good, 3 = Average, 4 = Poor

Meeting Venue - Lancaster London Hotel	<u>1.10</u>
Meeting Catering - Lancaster London Hotel	<u>1.23</u>
Audio Visual Facilities	<u>1.45</u>
Overall Meeting Organisation	<u>1.06</u>
DAY 1	
09.15 - Total Hip Replacement (UK variations in practice) Prof Tim Briggs	<u>1.30</u>
09.50 - When the Patient presents questions at the GP surgery with Hip pain - Investigations, Input & Referral - Dr Ian Gold GP	<u>1.36</u>
11.15 - Anatomy & Physiology of the hip related pathology. Mr Peter Smitham	<u>1.37</u>
12.00 - Overview of differential diagnosis: Masqueraders/Red flags/Spinal involvement - Andrew Manktelow	<u>1.37</u>
13.45 - 15.15 Topic in Focus I - The Infected THR: Changing Paradigms	<u>1.41</u>
15.20 - Material choices for hip implants - Prof Gordon Blunn	<u>1.43</u>
16.05 - London Implant Retrieval Centre - Harry Hothi	<u>1.62</u>
Gala Dinner	<u>1.91</u>
DAY 2	
08.45 - Role of the Surgical Care Practitioner The Torbay Experience - Cathy Millyard	<u>1.87</u>
09.15 - Leg Length Inequality after THA: Prevention and Management - Prof Fares Haddad	<u>1.20</u>
09.45 - Greater Trochanteric Pain Syndrome - Emma Stewart	<u>1.21</u>
10.15 - Microbiology assessment and treatment of infected hip replacements: late complications. Dr Simon Warren	<u>1.36</u>
11.15 - CT & MRI for dummies: pre & post op Classifications of hip Pseudotumours: late complications - Dr Michael Khoo	<u>1.31</u>
13.45 - 14.30 Presidential Guest Speaker: Dr David G Lewallen (MAYO Clinic, USA) - New Technologies in Hip Surgery: Cures, Casualties and Current Challenges	<u>1.33</u>
16.00 - 17.30 Topic in Focus III - Surgeon Level Outcome Data	<u>1.42</u>

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COMMENTS

Meeting Venue - Lancaster London Hotel

Best Venue i have attended

Easy to reach

Easy travelling, comfortable and well organised venue,pleasant staff, good food

Excellent space

Expensive venue

Fantastic venue, good location with capacity to sevre the large numbers of delegates. Also allowed space to hold the associated meeting (ACPA).

Great location and space but the distance from the main meeting limited the amount of cross-over between delegates

On the second day there was a period of a couple of hours where there was persistent banging from outside the function room making it terribly difficult to hear the speakers.

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Pleasant, helpful and interested staff

very attentive staff

Very helpful hotel staff

Very organised and helpful staff

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Meeting Catering - Lancaster London Hotel

Excellent choice of food

Lovely food

Only flaw was running out of glasses of water at lunch

REALLY tasty well presented food

the food was delicious

COMMENTS

Audio Visual Facilities

ACPA technician very helpful and good at setting up, etc

Excellent in upstairs rooms for ACPA meeting, more or larger screens downstairs might have been beneficial

One of the screens on the right hand side kept turning off.

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Screens in BHS meeting inadequate for back rows

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Overall Meeting Organisation

From an ACPA point of view the meeting ran really well with timings in the main hall well 'matched up'!

Good communications from booking to attending

One wasn't even aware of any organisational issues as it ran so smoothly

Really well coordinated

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09.15 - Total Hip Replacement (UK variations in practice) Prof Tim Briggs

A wake up call for all and I suspect Prof Briggs will undertake a similar (audit style) tour of our units in the next couple of years in order to ascertain if attitudes and practice have altered

Always so well presented

Excellent. Though provoking

Informative regarding wide variations in practice and prospects for the future

COMMENTS

09.50 - When the Patient presents questions at the GP surgery with Hip pain - Investigations, Input & Referral - Dr Ian Gold GP

Interesting to gain the GPs experience

interesting to know how referral criteria differs

Very informative and exactly what was required for the presentation.

Very well delivered

COMMENTS

11.15 - Anatomy & Physiology of the hip related pathology. Mr Peter Smitham

A lot of detail. I would like handout or file if possible

A&P is so crucial to our practice that any update in our knowledge is valuable

Difficult to make it interesting but he made it so!

Pitched at the right level for the audience and well received

COMMENTS

12.00 - Overview of differential diagnosis: Masqueraders/Red flags/Spinal involvement - Andrew Manktelow

As a practitioner who has a clinic-based workload this was truly valuable

Very useful

Well pitched and covered a broad subject well

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13.45 - 15.15 Topic in Focus I - The Infected THR: Changing Paradigms

Being closely involved in revision surgery again this was exactly relevant to my experience and understanding about diagnosis and treatment regimes

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15.20 - Material choices for hip implants - Prof Gordon Blunn

again relevant to practice and understanding

Excellent and engaging session

Really interesting with useful information.

Could listen to more of this!

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16.05 - London Implant Retrieval Centre - Harry Hothi

Difficult/dry information but presented really well.

With MoM being such a large issue locally and with the knowledge that 64000 MoM implants took place it is essential to understand the mechanisms of failure.

COMMENTS

Gala Dinner

Good food; plenty of wine and very nice waiters/waitresses!

It was lovely to join ACPA colleagues for our meal.

COMMENTS

08.45 - Role of the Surgical Care Practitioner The Torbay Experience - Cathy Millyard

Dry presentation with little information for future practice but well presented

we all have built our roles to encompass different elements of practice. it was quite inspiring to hear her journey.

COMMENTS

09.15 - Leg Length Inequality after THA: Prevention and Management - Prof Fares Haddad

Good information but a little fast at times!

LL inequality happens for many reasons. Prof Haddad talked with authority on true and apparent LL issues but more importantly stressed the importance of talking to patients about this issue pre-operatively

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09.45 - Greater Trochanteric Pain Syndrome - Emma Stewart

emma was a good speaker and happy to discuss this subject further after her presentation.

I see so many patients with GTPS. This was an excellent high quality presentation on this complex problem and underlines the importance of correct physiotherapy to strengthen hip abductors - thank you Emma

REALLY excellent presentation with useful and helpful information to help and guide practice and/or patient care management

Well paced and thorough presentation, engaging speaker with informative and manageable slides

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10.15 - Microbiology assessment and treatment of infected hip replacements: late complications. Dr Simon Warren

Often a minefield to understand, so this was trully relevant and helped me enormously

Probably not enough time for this broad subject.

Very usefull information - pitched at correct level. Good explanation of technical inormation

COMMENTS

11.15 - CT & MRI for dummies: pre & post op Classifications of hip Pseudotumours: late complications - Dr Michael Khoo

Again, really useful information to enhance knowledge and guide practice. Really enjoyed this.

Any additional education around MRI findings is always appreciated

Face paced well presented and enhanced with his slide presentation.

i dont review MRI/CT so this was a good introduction

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13.45 - 14.30 Presidential Guest Speaker: Dr David G Lewallen (MAYO Clinic, USA) - New Technologies in Hip Surgery: Cures, Casualties and Current Challenges

Good to listen to but not sure I gained anything

It's important to recocognise that issues in the UK are also experienced in the USA. The history of our practice was also very good indeed

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16.00 - 17.30 Topic in Focus III - Surgeon Level Outcome Data

Excellent conference delivered from a multidisciplinary team

Good, interesting material but same issues tend to be discussed each time

Overall, another fantastic symposium.

To be honest i found the whole conference completely relevant to my role and enjoyed all the sessions. these sessions will definately help me shape my role, and develop my professional practice. many thanks.