

Haem Icon 2018 program

Day 1- 28/09/2018 - Friday

8.30 am Inauguration

Session 1 - General Haematology

9.00 am Changes in the understanding of the pathogenesis and management of ITP (30 min)

Dr Nichola Cooper

9.30 am The dark side of eosinophilia (30 min)

Prof M B Agarwal

10.00 am Management of chest infections in Haematology patients (30 min)

Dr Andres Floto

10.30 am Sponsor presentation

10.40 am Tea

Session 2 - Haemato oncology

11.05 am Therapeutic approach to MDS (30 min)

Prof Amer Zeidan

11.35 am Multiple Myeloma; Current approach to the management (30 min)

Prof M B Agarwal

12.05 pm Novel therapeutic agents in AML (30 min)

Prof Amer Zeidan

12.35 pm Management of low grade NHL (25 min)

Dr Senani Williams

1.00 pm Flowcytometry analysis in Haematology (20 min)

Dr Neelam Varma

1.20 pm Sponsor presentation

1.30 pm Lunch

Session 3 - General Haematology

2.15 pm Update on the diagnosis of thalassaemia (30 min)

Prof Suthat Fuchareon

2.45 pm Splenomegaly ; splenectomy revisited (30 min)

Prof M B Agarwal

3.15 pm Antiphospholipid syndrome (30 min)

Dr Deepa Jayakody Arachchilage

3.45 pm Understanding HLH in adults (30 min)

Dr Nichola Cooper

4.15 pm Meet the expert session (30 min)

4.45pm Tea

Day 2 - 29/09/2018 - Saturday

Session 4- Paediatric Haematology

- 8.00 am Bone marrow transplantation in thalassaemia Sri Lankan experience (30 min)
Dr Lallindra Goonaratne
- 8.30 am Symposium on neonatal Haematology (60 min)
Dr Yasintha Costa, Dr Nipunika Senadheera, Dr Chandima Thewarapperuma
- 9.30 am Free paper session (30 min)
- 10.00 am *Sponsor presentation*
- 10.10 am *Meet the expert session (30 min)*

10.40 am *Tea*

Session 5- Coagulation and transfusion

- 11.10 am Role of Point of Care Testing [ROTEM] in the management of bleeding (30 min)
Dr Deepa Jayakody Arachchilage
- 11.40 am Transfusion management of autoimmune haemolytic anaemia (25 min)
Prof Rajendra Chaudry
- 12.05 am New therapeutic studies in ITP and AIHA (30 min)
Dr Nichola Cooper
- 12.35 am Direct oral anticoagulants in present day Haematology (30 min)
Dr Deepa Jayakody Arachchilage

1.05 pm *Sponsor presentation*

1.15pm *Lunch*

Session 6- Obstetric Haematology

- 2.00 pm Anaemia in pregnancy (30 min)
Prof Sue Pavord
- 2.30 pm Symposium on VTE in pregnancy (45 min)
Prof Sue Pavord, Dr Deepa Jayakody Arachchilage, Dr Anoma Weerawardena, Dr Sewwandi Mendis
- 3.15 pm Inherited bleeding disorders in pregnancy (30 min)
Prof Sue Pavord
- 3.45 pm Case discussion in Obstetric Haematology (30 min)
Prof Sue Pavord, Dr Nichola Cooper
- 4.15 pm *Closing Remarks and Tea*