

A portrait of Joseph Lister, an elderly man with white hair, wearing a dark suit and a white cravat, resting his chin on his hand.

# Lister

## Centenary Celebrations

Thursday 9 February to Saturday 11 February 2012

A Series of Symposia and Lectures (9-10th)

Plenary Short Papers and Poster Presentations (9-10th)

Conference Dinner at Mansfield Traquair (9th)

Surgical Skills Competition (11th)

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## 9<sup>th</sup> February 2012

- 0800 Registration
- 0900 Welcome and introduction  
Mr David Tolley PRCSed
- 0910 ***The Historical Lecture: Chips Off the Old Block? Lister's Life and his Students***  
**Professor Marguerite Dupree, Professor of Social and Medical History at the University of Glasgow**
- 0930 Plenary short papers and prize presentations for "Surgeons in Training" medal
- 1030 ***RCSEd Sir Gordon Gordon-Taylor Lecture: War Wound: From Flanders Fields to the Helmand River Valley***  
**Colonel Mike Stewart, Honorary Surgeon to Her Majesty The Queen**
- 1100 Coffee
- 1130 Short papers (3 simultaneous sessions)
- 1300 Lunch
- 1400 Symposia 1 and 2 (simultaneous)

### *Symposium 1: Gut Barrier Function, Sepsis and the Surgeon in association with ASGBI*

#### **Current concepts in the aetiology of sepsis in surgical patients**

Professor Edwin Deitch, Chairman of Department of Surgery at New Jersey Medical School

#### **Intestinal barrier function; theoretical concepts and clinical evidence**

Professor Gordon Carlson, Honorary Professor of Surgery at Salford Royal Infirmary

#### **Barrier function and implications for nutritional support**

Professor Ken Fearon, Consultant Surgeon at the Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh

#### **Maintaining gut function and preventing ileus**

Mr Marcel Gatt, Consultant Surgeon at Scarborough General Hospital

### *Symposium 2: Orthopaedic Infections and Management in association with the BOA*

#### **The rights and wrongs of Orthopaedic Sample Processing**

Mr Steven Davies, Microbiology Department Manager at Sheffield Teaching Hospital

#### **Microbiological Diagnosis and Management**

Dr Robert Townsend, Consultant Microbiologist at Sheffield Teaching Hospital

#### **Infections of the spine**

Mr Antony Michael, Honorary Senior Clinical Lecturer at Sheffield Teaching Hospital

#### **The Orthopaedic Management of Lower Limb Prosthetic Joint Infections**

Professor Ian Stockley, Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon at Sheffield Teaching Hospital

- 1530 Coffee
- 1600 ***RCSPG keynote lecture: Intestinal failure and intra-abdominal sepsis – medical or surgical disease?***  
**Dr Ruth McKee, Consultant Colorectal Surgeon at Glasgow Royal Infirmary and Honorary Senior Lecturer**
- 1630 Presentation of Awards
- 1700 ***RCSI keynote lecture: Staphylococcus aureus, the enduring pathogen***  
**Professor Hilary Humphreys, Professor of Clinical Microbiology at the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland**
- 1930 Conference Dinner at Mansfield Traquair

## 10<sup>th</sup> February 2012

- 0900 Short papers (3 simultaneous sessions)
- 1030 Coffee
- 1100 ***RSM/RCSEd Stuart Lecture: Advancing Patient Safety***  
**Professor Sir Graham Teasdale, Emeritus Professor in Neurosurgery, University of Glasgow**
- 1130 Symposia 3 & 4 (simultaneous)

### *Symposium 3: Can ERAS Protocols Reduce Septic Morbidity?*

#### **ERAS and Sepsis**

Mr Alan Horgan, Clinical Director of Newcastle Surgical Training Centre at Freeman Hospital

#### **Glycaemic control and avoiding infections**

Professor Olle Ljungqvist, Professor of Surgery at Örebro University, Sweden

#### **Nutritional and Metabolic Preconditioning**

Mr Dileep Lobo, Clinical Associate Professor and Reader in Gastrointestinal Surgery at University of Nottingham

### *Symposium 4: BJS Symposium*

#### **Antisepsis in the 21st Century**

Professor David Leaper, Professor of Surgery at University Hospital of North Tees

#### **Septic Complications in Oesophago-Gastric Surgery**

Professor Derek Alderson, Barling Chair of Surgery and Head of Department at University of Birmingham

#### **Sepsis in Benign Intestinal Disease**

Professor Des Winter, Consultant in General Surgery at St. Vincent's University Hospital, Dublin

### **Sepsis in Acute Pancreatitis**

Mrs Marja Boermeester, Consultant Gastrointestinal Surgeon and Clinical Epidemiologist at the Department of Surgery Academic Medical Centre, Amsterdam

1300 Lunch

1400 Symposia 5 & 6 (simultaneous)

#### *Symposium 5: Specialty Specific Aspects of Surgical Sepsis*

### **Complex Vascular Infections: Still Deadly, but Still Preventable**

Professor Ross Naylor, President of the Vascular Society

### **Life Threatening Infections of the Head and Neck**

Professor Iain Hutchison, Vice President of BAOMS

### **Revisiting the pre-antibiotic era: Harnessing natural antimicrobials for simple urinary infection**

Professor Rob Pickard, Professor of Urology at Newcastle University

### **Sepsis in Burns Patients**

Professor Peter Dziwulski, Consultant Plastic Surgeon at St Andrew's Centre for Plastic Surgery and Burns

### **Prions in ENT Surgery**

Mr Adam Frosh, Consultant ENT Surgeon at the Lister Hospital in Stevenage

#### *Symposium 6: Sepsis and Surgery in the NHS*

### **HAIs – An Overview**

Professor John MacFie, President of ASGBI

### **Can Health Policy Reduce Infection?**

Professor Anthony Kessel, Director of Public Health Strategy and Medical Director at the Health Protection Agency

### **Has the 'Bare Below the Elbows' Policy Changed the Culture of the NHS?**

Mr Iain Anderson, Director of Emergency Surgery at ASGBI

### **A Glimpse into the Future: How Will Evolving Micro-Organisms Change Our Practice?**

Professor Kate Gould, Honorary Clinical Professor, Newcastle University

1530 Coffee

1600 ***RCSEng keynote lecture: Infection, Immunity and Cancer***  
Professor John Primrose, Professor of Surgery at Southampton General Hospital

1630 ***RCSEd McKeown Lecture and Medal: Economics and Expectations in Healthcare: opportunities for clinical leadership***  
Professor Sir Bruce Keogh, Medical Director of the NHS in England

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