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#BGCS2026

WELCOME



Claire Newton and Jo Morrison
Co-chairs, Local Organising Committee
BGCS 2026

It is our great pleasure and privilege, on behalf of the Local Organising Committee, to welcome all of you to the 2026 Annual Scientific Meeting of the British Gynaecological Cancer Society (BGCS), in Bristol for the first time.

The theme of this year's meeting is **Delivering excellence in an imperfect world**, which is reflected throughout the programme. We are also putting collaboration and trainees front-and-centre in our meeting. For the former, we are delighted to announce two new sessions: the BGCS Clinical Oncology Forum; and an international investigator meeting for a new study to encourage global clinical trial collaboration. In terms of trainees and collaboration, we have prioritised trainee presenters within the BGCS shorts session, delivered immediately before the first poster session in a prime position within the programme.

This acts as a taster to encourage you to visit some of the best posters. There is more dedicated time for posters this year. We are encouraging delegates to stand by their posters during the poster sessions, and there will be a prize, with more chances to win the more posters you view, to promote connection with presenters. We have also dispersed the proffered papers throughout the programme, to encourage trainees to share the stage with international invited speakers.

A pre-meeting surgical video workshop day includes international and national speakers. Given our overall theme, there will be an emphasis on managing complications with a wide range of specialties presenting.

We are extremely grateful to our colleagues on the Local Organising Committee, the BGCS Officers, the In Conference team, as well as all colleagues and stakeholders who have worked so diligently, and in challenging circumstances, to support the organisation and delivery of this meeting. This has been a real collaborative effort, between centres in Bristol, Taunton and Bath, and we are sincerely thankful to everyone for their commitment and contributions – truly a real-world example of our ambition to deliver excellence in an imperfect world.

We would also like to thank our industry partners, whose generous support has helped make this meeting possible. Please do take the opportunity to engage with our exhibitors during the breaks.

We hope that this meeting offers something different and of value for everyone, with interesting and informative sessions, plenty of chances to catch up and network with colleagues and time to enjoy the social programme.

WELCOME TO BGCS 2026 IN BRISTOL!

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GENERAL INFORMATION

CONFERENCE VENUE

BRISTOL BEACON, TRENCHARD STREET, BRISTOL BS1 5AR

REGISTRATION



All delegates should visit the registration desk upon arrival at the venue, where they will receive their badge and other relevant conference information.

The registration desk will be located at the Trenchard Street entrance to the building, on the ground floor.

The desk will be staffed throughout the duration of the conference.

Surgical Video Workshop

If you have registered to attend the Surgical Video Workshop, registration will take place between 08:15-09:00 on the Wednesday morning.

Annual Scientific Meeting

Registration for the Annual Scientific Meeting on Thursday-Friday will open at 07:30 on the Thursday morning.

SECURITY



Your name badge must be worn at all times, otherwise you will not be allowed entry to the meeting.

Please note that exhibitor passes do not grant access to the scientific sessions.

CLOAKROOM



The cloakroom is located on the ground floor, next to the registration desks, and will be staffed for the duration of the meeting.

WI-FI ACCESS



Complimentary Wi-Fi is available throughout the venue.

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SPEAKER PREVIEW



Speaker preview will be located in Simon's Bar on the ground floor and will be open at the following times:

Wednesday 24th 08:15-16:00

Thursday 25th 07:30-18:00

Friday 26th 07:45-16:00

All surgical video, oral and short oral presenters are asked to ensure their presentation is loaded at least 60 minutes prior to their session start time and to check in with the session chairs 10 minutes before the start of the session.

CATERING



Wednesday

During the Surgical Video Workshop, all refreshments will be served on the Ground Floor, alongside registration.

Thursday and Friday

Catering points will be located across the ground floor, level 1 and level 3 of the venue, with easy access to the exhibition stands and posters.

If you indicated a special dietary requirement at the point of registration, please make yourself known to the catering staff within the venue.



EXHIBITION



The exhibition will be open at the following times:

Surgical Video Workshop

Wednesday 24th 10:40-15:50

Annual Scientific Meeting

Thursday 25th 10:40-18:00

Friday 26th 07:45-16:00

POSTERS



Posters will be located in the Terrace Bar on Level 3, with each poster displayed for one day only – on either the Thursday or Friday (*confirmed within the mobile app*).

The refreshment and lunch breaks on each day will provide presenting authors with an opportunity for discussion with other delegates.

Thursday posters can be displayed from 08:00 and should be in position by 09:00. They must be removed by 17:45 that day.

Friday posters can be displayed from 07:45 and should be in position by 09:00. They must be removed by 17:45 that day.

Any posters not removed by the specified times on either day will be recycled.

MOBILE APP



The conference app is an easy way to view abstracts, plan your event schedule and network with other delegates and presenters.

In the Apple App store or Google Play Store, search for 'The Event App by EventsAir' and download. You will be asked for the Event App Code, which is: bgcs2026 (all lower case).

Alternatively, please scan the appropriate QR code:



Enter the email address you registered onto the conference with, along with the pin code which was emailed to you as part of your joining instructions.

Please ask at the conference registration desk if you require any assistance.

CONFERENCE DINNER



If you have registered to attend the dinner, this will be indicated on your name badge (dinner plate icon on the front).

VENUE

Bristol Museum & Art Gallery, Queens Road, Bristol BS8 1RL

Drinks will be served from 19:15, with guests being seated for dinner at 20:00. The event is expected to come to a close at midnight.

Please note, no transport will be provided and delegates are expected to make their own way to the venue.

Please ensure you bring your conference name badge in order to guarantee entry.

The dress code for the dinner is business casual.

SUMMARY CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

WEDNESDAY 24TH JUNE

SURGICAL VIDEO WORKSHOP

08:15 – 09:00	Registration Refreshments	Ground Floor Level 1
09:00 – 09:10	WELCOME & INTRODUCTIONS	Lantern Hall (Level 1)
09:10 – 10:40	VIDEO SESSION 1	Lantern Hall (Level 1)
10:40 – 11:10	Refreshments & Exhibition	Level 1
11:10 – 12:50	VIDEO SESSION 2	Lantern Hall (Level 1)
12:50 – 13:50	Lunch & Exhibition	Level 1
	13:00 – 13:45 Stryker Sponsored Symposium	Lantern Hall (Level 1)
13:50 – 15:30	VIDEO SESSION 3	Lantern Hall (Level 1)
15:30 – 15:50	Refreshments & Exhibition	Level 1
15:50 – 17:00	MDT CASE DISCUSSION	Lantern Hall (Level 1)

THURSDAY 25TH JUNE

07:30 – 09:00	Registration & Refreshments		Ground Floor, Level 1 and Level 2
	08:15 – 08:45	Genmab Sponsored Symposium	Lantern Hall (Level 1)
09:00 – 09:10	WELCOME & INTRODUCTIONS		Beacon Hall (Level 1)
09:10 – 10:40	DECISION MAKING IN OVARIAN CANCER Beacon Hall (Level 1)	UNIT LEADS SESSION Lantern Hall (Level 1)	
10:40 – 11:10	Refreshments & Exhibition Charity exhibition stands Posters		Ground Floor, Level 1 and Level 2 Lower Ground Terrace Bar (Level 3)
11:10 – 12:30	PPI SESSION & BGCS SHORTS Beacon Hall (Level 1)	UNIT LEADS SESSION CONTD. Lantern Hall (Level 1)	
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch & Exhibition Charity exhibition stands Posters		Ground Floor, Level 1 and Level 2 Lower Ground Terrace Bar (Level 3)
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17:30 – 18:15	BGCS AGM <i>Only open to BGCS members</i>		Beacon Hall (Level 1)
	17:45 – 18:15	MSD/AstraZeneca Sponsored Symposium	Lantern Hall (Level 1)

FRIDAY 26TH JUNE

07:45 – 09:00	Registration & Refreshments		Ground Floor, Level 1 and Level 2
	08:15 – 08:45	AbbVie Sponsored Symposium	Lantern Hall (Level 1)
09:00 – 10:30	HPV RELATED CANCERS Beacon Hall (Level 1)	CNS FORUM Lantern Hall (Level 1)	
10:30 – 11:00	Refreshments & Exhibition Charity exhibition stands Posters		Ground Floor, Level 1 and Level 2 Lower Ground Terrace Bar (Level 3)
11:00 – 12:30	NEW FRONTIERS IN SURGERY Beacon Hall (Level 1)	CNS FORUM CONTD. Lantern Hall (Level 1)	
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch & Exhibition Charity exhibition stands Posters		Ground Floor, Level 1 and Level 2 Lower Ground Terrace Bar (Level 3)
	12:45 – 13:30	GSK Sponsored Symposium	Lantern Hall (Level 1)
	13:15 – 14:00	Poster Viewing Session	Terrace Bar (Level 3)
14:00 – 15:30	UNANSWERED QUESTIONS Beacon Hall (Level 1)	BGCS CLINICAL ONCOLOGY FORUM: Complex Gynaecology Oncology Radiotherapy and Brachytherapy Cases Lantern Hall (Level 1)	
15:30 – 16:00	Refreshments & Exhibition Charity exhibition stands Posters		Ground Floor, Level 1 and Level 2 Lower Ground Terrace Bar (Level 3)
16:00 – 17:00	ENDOMETRIAL CANCER		Beacon Hall (Level 1)
17:00 – 17:15	Prizes & Close		



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SURGICAL VIDEO WORKSHOP

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09:00 – 09:10	WELCOME & INTRODUCTIONS <i>Miss Claire Newton, University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust</i> <i>Dr Jo Morrison, Somerset NHS Foundation Trust</i>	Lantern Hall (Level 1)
09:10 – 10:40	VIDEO SESSION 1	Lantern Hall (Level 1)
09:10 – 09:30	Insertion of ureteric catheters and use of ICG <i>Mr Jonathan Frost, University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust</i>	
09:30 – 09:50	Robotic assisted interval debulking surgery <i>Prof Anna Fagotti, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore</i>	
09:50 – 10:10	PIPAC/PICOS <i>Dr Sadie Burdett, Cardiff and Vale University Health Board</i>	
10:10 – 10:30	Ureters and screw ups <i>Mr Anthony Koupparis, Bristol Urological Institute</i>	
10:30 – 10:40	Proffered video: Stepwise Surgical Dissection of Porta Hepatis Disease and Suprarenal Lymph Nodes During Cytoreductive Surgery for Ovarian Cancer <i>Dr Andrei Corha, University College London Hospital</i>	

10:40 – 11:10	Refreshments & Exhibition		Level 1
11:10 – 12:50	VIDEO SESSION 2		Lantern Hall (Level 1)
11:10 – 11:30	Complications <i>Mr Owen Heath, The Royal Marsden NHS Foundation Trust</i>		
11:30 – 11:50	Abdominal wall reconstruction of midline incisional hernia: What is this and how is it done? <i>Mr Davd Messenger, University Hospitals Bristol NHS Foundation Trust</i>		
11:50 – 12:10	Surgical management of vascular injuries/complications <i>Prof Christophe Pomel, Centre Jean PERRIN</i>		
12:10 – 12:30	Ultrasound-guided placement of rectus sheath catheters <i>Dr Jo Morrison, Somerset NHS Foundation Trust</i>		
12:30 – 12:40	Proffered video: Robotic total vaginectomy following multiple vaginal laser ablations <i>Ms Melin Dökmeci, UCLH</i>		
12:40 – 13:50	Lunch & Exhibition		Level 1
	13:00 – 13:45	Stryker Sponsored Symposium: New Frontiers in NIR imaging <i>Mr John Butler, Royal Marsden Hospital, London</i>	Lantern Hall (Level 1)
13:50 – 15:30	VIDEO SESSION 3		Lantern Hall (Level 1)
13:50 – 14:10	Setting up HIPEC – open and closed <i>Mr Nikos Burbos, Norfolk & Norwich University Hospital</i>		
14:10 – 14:30	Keeping control when the blood loss isn't <i>Miss Tracy-Louise Appleyard, North Bristol NHS Trust</i>		
14:30 – 14:50	Colpocleisis for Gynae-oncological surgery (Open and MIS approach) <i>Prof Jay Chatterjee, Royal Surrey County Hospital Foundation Trust</i>		
14:50 – 15:10	Surgery in the upper abdomen and surgical complications <i>Mr Janos Balega, Pan-Birmingham Gynaecological Cancer Centre, Midland Metropolitan University Hospital</i>		
15:10 – 15:30	ICG retrograde mapping to protect leg lymphatics <i>Mr John Butler, The Royal Marsden</i>		

15:30 – 15:50	Refreshments & Exhibition	Level 1
15:50 – 17:00	MDT CASE DISCUSSION	Lantern Hall (Level 1)
15:50 – 16:00	Welcome <i>Mr Raj Naik, BSGOG</i>	
16:00 – 17:00	Case presentation with panel members and audience participation <i>Mr Raj Naik, BSGOG</i> <i>Prof Christophe Pomel, Centre Jean PERRIN</i> <i>Prof Anna Fagotti, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore</i> <i>Mr Nikos Burbos, Norfolk & Norwich University Hospital</i> <i>Dr Axel Walther, Bristol Cancer Institute</i>	

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- Long-term metrics including readmissions and mortality
- Pseudonymised patient records including diagnoses and procedures
- Consultant and provider-level data

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- Medical directors
- Responsible officers

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What specialties are included?

We've worked with our clinical leads, other consultants and specialty associations to create dashboards that are accurate and meaningful for each featured specialty.

- Breast surgery
- Ear, nose and throat (ENT)
- General surgery
- Gynaecology
- Neurosurgery
- Oral and maxillofacial surgery (OMFS) and oral surgery
- Orthopaedic surgery
- Paediatric surgery
- Spinal surgery
- Surgical dermatology and skin surgery
- Thoracic surgery
- Urology
- Vascular surgery

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07:30 – 09:00	Registration & Refreshments					
	08:15 – 08:45	Genmab Sponsored Symposium: Evolving the treatment landscape in 2L+ R/M Cervical Cancer <i>Prof Susana Banerjee, Royal Marsden Hospital, London</i> <i>Dr Rebecca Bowen, Royal United Hospital, Bath</i>				Lantern Hall (<i>Level 1</i>)
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09:10 – 09:30	Difficult decision making in ovarian cancer <i>Prof Anna Fagotti, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore</i>			09:10 – 09:30	Multifocal preinvasive disease management <i>Miss Jenni Byrom, Birmingham Women’s Hospital</i>	
09:30 – 09:50	HIPEC and the OVHIPEC-2 trial <i>Mrs Willemien van Driel, Netherlands Cancer Institute</i>			09:30 – 09:50	How to differentiate sarcomas from fibroids on imaging <i>Dr Susan Freeman, Cambridge University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust</i>	
09:50 – 10:10	IMPRESS study – when not to operate <i>Dr Richard Edmondson, University of Manchester</i>			09:50 – 10:20	Radiology session debate: IOTA ADNEX versus O-RADS lexicon for risk stratification of adnexal masses <i>Dr Nina Cooper, Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust</i> <i>Dr Naomi Fenton, University Hospitals Bristol NHS Foundation Trust</i>	
10:10 – 10:30	Systemic therapy in older women; assessment and management of frailty <i>Dr Lucy Dumas, Royal United Hospitals Bath NHS Foundation Trust</i>			10:20 – 10:40	WID-easy test <i>Mr John Butler, The Royal Marsden</i> <i>Dr Suraiya Abdi, Chelsea and Westminster Foundation Trust</i>	
10:30 – 10:40	Proffered Paper: Mocertatug-rezetecan (Mo-Rez;GSK5733584), a B7-H4-targeted antibody-drug conjugate (ADC), in platinum-resistant ovarian cancer (PROC) and endometrial cancer (EC): First results from BEHOLD-1 study <i>Dr Rowan Miller, University College London Hospital</i>					
10:40 – 11:10	Refreshments & Exhibition Charity exhibition stands Posters					Ground Floor, Level 1 and Level 2 Lower Ground Terrace Bar (<i>Level 3</i>)

11:10 – 12:30	PPI SESSION & BGCS SHORTS	Beacon Hall (Level 1)	11:10 – 12:30	UNIT LEADS SESSION CONTD.	Lantern Hall (Level 1)
11:10 – 11:20	The other end of the speculum: Reflections on ovarian cancer from both sides of the consultation room <i>Gemma Cass</i>		11:10 – 11:30	Understanding morular metaplasia in endometrial biopsies and endometrial cancer FIGO staging <i>Dr Rupali Arora, University College London NHS Trust</i>	
11:20 – 11:30	Patient experience and campaign <i>Mrs Fay Peace, Patient Campaigner/Advocate</i>				
11:30 – 11:35	Session Introduction <i>Dr Jo Morrison, Somerset NHS Foundation Trust</i>		11:30 – 11:50	Vulval dermatoses <i>Miss Kathryn Hillaby, Gloucestershire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust</i>	
11:35 – 11:40	Proffered paper: The levonorgestrel-releasing intrauterine system and endometrial cancer risk in high-risk individuals: a retrospective cohort study <i>Dr Eleanor Richards, University of Manchester</i>				
11:40 – 11:45	Proffered paper: MarvelD1 protein in clinical ovarian cancer and in drug response of ovarian cancers <i>Dr Anli Xu, Cardiff University School of Medicine</i>				
11:45 – 11:50	Proffered paper: Molecular classification of patients undergoing fertility sparing management of endometrial cancer: a systematic review and meta-analysis <i>Dr Isabella Busa, Imperial College London</i>				
11:50 – 11:55	Proffered paper: Same Treatment, Difference Outcomes: Persistent Ethnic Disparities in Endometrial Cancer Outcomes <i>Dr Andrei Corha, University College London Hospital</i>		11:50 – 12:30	Debate: One stop hysteroscopy for all versus triage/pipelle <i>Dr Perunkulam Jothilakshmi, Manchester Foundation Trust</i> <i>Prof Justin Clark, Birmingham Women's and Children's Hospital</i>	
11:55 – 12:00	Proffered paper: Tubal ligation and risk of uterine and ovarian cancer histological types: Evidence for different origins of serous carcinomas between sites <i>Dr Kezia Gaitskell, University of Oxford</i>				
12:00 – 12:05	Proffered paper: MEWS: A Prospective Proof-of-Concept Study of Urine Microsatellite Instability Testing for Non-Invasive Detection of Mismatch Repair Deficient Endometrial Cancer <i>Dr Neil Ryan, University of Edinburgh</i>				
12:05 – 12:10	Proffered paper: A PESTLE Analysis of Barriers to Early Endometrial Cancer Detection Among Ethnic Minority and Economically Deprived Women in the UK <i>Miss Jinda Sancar, University College London</i>				
12:10 – 12:15	Proffered paper: Investigating Attitudes to Gynaecological Rapid Access, Cancer Exclusion and Follow Up Location (GRACEFUL study) <i>Miss Jo Moffat, Somerset NHS Foundation Trust</i>				
12:15 – 12:20	Proffered paper: Using Wearable Devices to Predict Surgical Outcomes in Ovarian Cancer <i>Dr Emma Mullen, St Mary's Hospital</i>				
12:20 – 12:30	Summary and close <i>Dr Jo Morrison, Somerset NHS Foundation Trust</i>				

12:30 – 14:00	Lunch & Exhibition Charity exhibition stands Posters				Ground Floor, Level 1 and Level 2 Lower Ground Terrace Bar (Level 3)		
	12:45 – 13:30	MSD Sponsored Symposium: Closing gaps in gynaecological cancer care: Perspectives from clinical practice <i>Dr John McGrane, Consultant Clinical Oncologist, Royal Cornwall Hospital NHS Trust</i> <i>Dr Gemma Eminowicz, Consultant Clinical Oncologist and Brachytherapy Lead, University College London Hospitals</i> <i>This promotional meeting is fully funded, sponsored and organised by MSD. This meeting is for UK healthcare professionals only. MSD products will be discussed.</i>			Lantern Hall (Level 1)		
	13:15 – 14:00	Poster Viewing Session			Terrace Bar (Level 3)		
14:00 – 15:35	CHALLENGING SITUATIONS		Beacon Hall (Level 1)		14:00 – 15:35	DELIVERING EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL TRIALS	Lantern Hall (Level 1)
14:00 – 14:20	Making culture change happen in gynaeoncology: we know the why, now for the how <i>Miss Hannah Pierce, Royal College of Obstetricians & Gynaecologists</i>				14:00 – 14:20	Recruitment strategies for Surgical Trials <i>Prof Jane Blazeby, Bristol Medical School</i>	
14:20 – 14:40	Management of groin nodes in early vulval cancer <i>Prof Andreas Obermair, The University of Queensland</i>				14:20 – 14:40	Clinical trials in clear cell cancers <i>Dr Rebecca Kristeleit, Guy’s Cancer Centre and King’s College London</i>	
14:40 – 15:00	Palliative care – management of difficult symptoms and end of life care in gynae oncology <i>Dr Charlie Davis, Somerset NHS Foundation Trust</i>				14:40 – 15:00	Systemic therapy clinical trials: setting new standards of care <i>Prof Susana Banerjee, The Royal Marsden NHS Foundation Trust</i>	
15:00 – 15:25	The psychological and physiological impact of grief <i>Prof Mary-Frances O’Connor, University of Arizona</i> <i>Introduction by Lucy Selman</i>				15:00 – 15:20	GTG UK overview and update <i>Dr Shibani Nicum, University College London</i>	
15:25 – 15:35	Proffered paper: Paired-sample cervical screening feasibility study of clinician-taken and urine self-sample test accuracy at 6 versus 12 weeks postnatal <i>Dr Victoria Cullimore, Somerset NHS Foundation Trust</i>				15:20 – 15:35	From scalpel to sequence: A surgeon’s struggle to deliver multi-omic clinical trials in an imperfect world <i>Dr Neil Ryan, University of Edinburgh</i>	



15:35 – 16:00	Refreshments & Exhibition Charity exhibition stands Posters					Ground Floor, Level 1 and Level 2 Lower Ground Terrace Bar (Level 3)	
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16:00 – 16:20	Do micrometastases and isolated tumour cells change adjuvant treatment in vulval, cervical and endometrial cancers? <i>Dr Alexandra Taylor, Royal Marsden Hospital</i>				16:00 – 16:15	Introduction to ANVU trial, justification and trial design <i>Prof Andreas Obermair, The University of Queensland</i>	
16:20 – 16:40	Medical management of uterine sarcoma update <i>Dr Alex Lee, The Christie NHS Foundation Trust</i>				16:15 – 16:30	Trial setup, activities and governance <i>Ms Sara Baniahmadi, The University of Queensland</i>	
16:40 – 17:00	Immunotherapy and beyond in uterine cancer <i>Dr Axel Walther, Bristol Cancer Institute</i>				16:30 – 16:45	Groin ultrasound methodology <i>Dr Shohreh Rezai, Royal Brisbane and Women’s Hospital</i>	
17:00 – 17:20	Incisional hernias – what gynaecological cancer surgeons need to know <i>Prof John Findlay, Royal Devon University Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust</i>				16:45 – 17:00	UK-specific aspects <i>Dr Neil Ryan, University of Edinburgh</i> <i>Dr Christina Uwins, University Hospital Southampton NHS Foundation Trust</i>	
17:20 – 17:30	Proffered Paper: Prospective multicentre development and validation of deep learning for ultrasound-based risk stratification of adnexal masses <i>Mr Axel Geysels, KU Leuven</i>				17:00 – 17:30	Q & A Session	
17:30 – 18:15	BGCS AGM <i>Only open to BGCS members</i>					Beacon Hall (Level 1)	
	17:45 – 18:15	MSD/AstraZeneca Sponsored Symposium: The Evolving Landscape of Advanced Ovarian Cancer: Exploring the Role of HIPEC and First-Line Maintenance in Modern Care <i>Dr Rebecca Bowen, Royal United Hospital, Bath</i> <i>Mr David Constable Phelps, Consultant Gynaecologist, University Hospital Southampton</i>					Lantern Hall (Level 1)

07:45 – 09:00	Refreshments					Ground Floor, Level 1 and Level 2
	08:15 – 08:45	AbbVie sponsored symposium: Integrating a new treatment in ovarian cancer into clinical practice: translating evidence into clinical application <i>Chair: Dr Rowan Miller, University College London Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust</i> <i>Dr James Stewart, The Royal Marsden NHS Foundation Trust</i> <i>Gemma Roth, Newcastle Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust</i> <i>This promotional symposium has been organised and funded by AbbVie UK Ltd, which provided funding for the logistics of BGCS 2026 and had no input into the overall agenda or scientific content. AbbVie products will be discussed.</i> <i>Prescribing information will be available at the meeting.</i>				Lantern Hall <i>(Level 1)</i>
09:00 – 10:30	HPV RELATED CANCERS	Beacon Hall <i>(Level 1)</i>		09:00 – 10:30	CNS FORUM	Lantern Hall <i>(Level 1)</i>
09:00 – 09:20	How has SHAPE changed clinical practice? <i>Mrs Willemien van Driel, Netherlands Cancer Institute</i>			09:00 – 09:20	Digital innovation <i>Ms Helen Hyndman MBE, The Eve Appeal</i>	
09:20 – 09:40	HPV vaccination delivering evidence in a post-truth era <i>Dr Jo Morrison, Somerset NHS Foundation Trust</i>			09:20 – 09:40	Advanced Practice with HIPEC <i>Mrs Rebecca Palmer, Royal United Hospitals Bath NHS Foundation Trust</i>	
09:40 – 10:00	Is self-sampling the future of cervical screening? <i>Prof Emma Davidson, University of Manchester</i>			09:40 – 10:00	Cancer and domestic abuse <i>Ms Lucy Angell John, SWAG Cancer Alliance</i>	
10:00 – 10:20	Controversies in treatment for locally advanced cervix cancer <i>Prof Primoz Petric, Cantonal Hospital Lucerne</i>			10:00 – 10:15	Radiotherapy reviews <i>Mrs Fran Bamisaye, Bristol Haematology and Oncology Centre</i>	
10:20 – 10:30	Proffered paper: Urine and vaginal self-sampling to encourage participation in cervical screening in current non-attenders <i>Ms Jiexin Cao, St Mary’s Hospital</i>			10:15 – 10:30	Pelvic late effects following radiotherapy treatment for gynaecological cancers <i>Mrs Zoe Walker, University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust</i>	
10:30 – 11:00	Refreshments & Exhibition Charity exhibition stands Posters					Ground Floor, Level 1 and Level 2 Lower Ground Terrace Bar <i>(Level 3)</i>

11:00 – 12:30	NEW FRONTIERS IN SURGERY		Beacon Hall (Level 1)	11:00 – 12:30	CNS FORUM CONTD.	Lantern Hall (Level 1)
11:00 – 11:20	Surgical performance <i>Prof Andreas Obermair, The University of Queensland</i>			11:00 – 11:20	Psychosexual impact/management following gynaecological cancer <i>Dr Angela Wright, Miss Claire Mellon & Associates & Spiced Pear Health</i>	
11:20 – 11:40	Role of PIPAC <i>Dr Sadie Burdett, Cardiff and Vale University Health Board</i>			11:20 – 11:40	Genomics – nurse led/mainstreaming/going digital <i>Dr Neil Ryan, University of Edinburgh Miss Grace Hannington, University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust</i>	
11:40 – 12:00	Patient-reported outcomes in peritoneal malignancies <i>Prof Jane Blazeby, Bristol Medical School</i>			11:40 – 12:00	Streamlining the PMB/unscheduled bleeding on HRT pathway <i>Mrs Vikki Jones, University Hospitals Coventry & Warwickshire</i>	
12:00 – 12:20	Evidence for extra abdominal surgery in ovarian cancer <i>Prof Christophe Pomel, Centre Jean PERRIN</i>			12:00 – 12:30	Wellbeing presentation <i>Dr Amanda Laffan, Royal United Hospital</i>	
12:20 – 12:30	Proffered paper: Liposuction for Secondary Lymphoedema Improves Quality of Life and Limb Volume in Gynaecological Cancer Treatment Survivors: A Single-Centre Case Series <i>Mr Alex Ramsden, Oxford Lymphoedema Practice</i>					
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch & Exhibition Charity exhibition stands Posters					Ground Floor, Level 1 and Level 2 Lower Ground Terrace Bar (Level 3)
	12:45 – 13:30	GSK Sponsored Symposium: Endometrial Cancer Tumour Board: The role of the surgeon in decision making when selecting appropriate patients for immunotherapy Chair: Dr Jo Bailey, Consultant Gynaecologist/Oncologist, St Michael's Hospital <i>Dr Emma Hudson, Clinical Oncologist, Velindre NHS Trust, Cardif</i> <i>Dr Gemma Eminowicz: Consultant Clinical Oncologist and Brachytherapy Lead, University College London Hospitals</i>				Lantern Hall (Level 1)
	13:15 – 14:00	Poster Viewing Session				Terrace Bar (Level 3)

14:00 – 15:30	UNANSWERED QUESTIONS	Beacon Hall (Level 1)	14:00 – 15:30	BGCS CLINICAL ONCOLOGY FORUM: Complex Gynaecology Oncology Radiotherapy and Brachytherapy Cases	Lantern Hall (Level 1)
14:00 – 14:20	SLN in endometrial cancer <i>Prof Andreas Obermair, The University of Queensland</i>		14:00 – 14:10	Introduction and review on BGCS Clinical Oncology Complex case meetings <i>Dr Hoda Al-Booz, University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust</i>	
14:20 – 14:40	Dietetic management of malignant bowel obstruction <i>Mrs Lindsey Allan, Royal Surrey NHS Foundation Trust</i>		14:10 – 14:30	Vaginal cancer case 1 and discussion <i>Presenter: Dr Susie Masson, Bristol Cancer Institute</i> Panel <i>Dr Asma Sarwar, University College London Hospitals Dr Shaymaa Hosni, Nottingham University Hospital NHS Trust</i>	
14:40 – 15:00	Menopause and cancer <i>Dr Kristyn Manley, University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust</i>		14:30 – 14:50	Vaginal cancer case 2 and discussion <i>Presenter: Dr Anu Gore, University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust</i> Panel <i>Dr Hoda Al-Booz, University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust Dr Louise Hanna, Velindre University NHS Trust</i>	
15:00 – 15:20	Diagnosis and management of STIC <i>Prof Ranjit Manchanda, Wolfson Institute of Population Health, Queen Mary University of London</i>		14:50 – 15:10	EMBRAVE clinical trials <i>Dr Henrike Westerveld, Erasmus MC</i>	
15:20 – 15:30	Proffered paper: Intentional weight loss before endometrial cancer surgery to support postoperative recovery: the ENDO-CARE feasibility randomised controlled trial <i>Dr Dimitrios Koutoukidis, University of Oxford</i>		15:10 – 15:30	Update on EMBRACE III <i>Prof Primoz Petric, Cantonal Hospital Lucerne</i>	
15:30 – 16:00	Refreshments & Exhibition Charity exhibition stands Posters				Ground Floor, Level 1 and Level 2 Lower Ground Terrace Bar (Level 3)
16:00 – 17:00	ENDOMETRIAL CANCER				Beacon Hall (Level 1)
16:00 – 16:20	Endometrial Cancer Audit Pilot <i>Dr Melissa Gannon, Health Data Insight CIC</i>				
16:20 – 16:40	ESGO/ESTRO/ESP guidelines: update on endometrial cancer 2025 (Pre-recorded presentation) <i>Prof Remi Nout, Erasmus MC</i>				
16:40 – 17:00	Vulva melanoma and a strategy for treatment <i>Mr Ewan Wilson, North Bristol NHS Trust</i>				
17:00 – 17:15	Prizes & Close <i>Miss Claire Newton, University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust Mr Tom Ind, BGCS President</i>				

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