

5th Transatlantic Wound Science & Podiatric Medicine / All Ireland Podiatry Conference

April 28th -30th April 2022

The Galmont Hotel, Galway

Thursday April 28th 2022

DFD PRIMO Diabetic Foot Disease – from PRevention to IMproved patient Outcomes

Alliance for Research and Innovation in Wounds and DFD PRIMO Seminar, NUI Galway

Theme: Diabetic Foot Disease		Chair: Prof. Georgina Gethin
17.00-17.10	Opening Address	Professor Martin O' Donnell, Dean of the College of Medicine, Nursing and Health Sciences and Professor of Translational Medicine, NUI Galway.
17.10-17.40	Diabetic Foot Complications: Morbidity and Mortality.	Professor Robert Frykberg, DPM, MPH, FFPM (Glasg), Former Chief of the Podiatry section at the Phoenix Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Phoenix, Arizona and Honorary Professor of Podiatric Medicine, NUI Galway.
17.40-18.10	Health Economics and the Diabetic Foot.	Professor Julian Guest, Catalyst Consultants, Poole, UK.
18.10-18.30	Changing paradigms of treatment in diabetic foot disease: let's focus on prevention.	Professor Caroline McIntosh, PhD, Established Professor of Podiatric Medicine, NUI Galway.
18.30-19.20	Preventing Diabetic Foot Disease: Lessons from Retinal Screening.	Ms. Jennifer Pallin, BSc, MPH. Postgraduate Research Student, SPHeRE and DFD PRIMO Scholar, School of Public Health, University College Cork.
	Looking into the Future: What can we take from the COVID-19 Pandemic into the Future of Diabetic Foot Care Provision?	Ms. Sinead Flynn, BSc. Postgraduate Research Student, Hardiman Research Scholar, DFD PRIMO programme, Discipline of Podiatric Medicine, NUI Galway.
	Manufacture of an Allogeneic Advanced Therapy Medicinal Product for Use in Diabetic Foot Ulcers.	Ms. Isha Sikri, B.Sc. MSc. Postgraduate Research Student, DFD PRIMO Scholar, REMEDI, NUI Galway.
	Understanding biofilms in the context of chronic wounds.	Mr. John Ivory Postgraduate Research Student, Irish Research Council Scholar, DFD PRIMO programme, School of Nursing & Midwifery, NUI Galway.

	Health Literacy and wound healing- what is the link?	Ms. Lauren Connell, B.Sc., MPhil. Postgraduate Research Student, Sphere and DFD PRIMO Scholar, Discipline of Health Promotion, NUI Galway.
19.20-19.40	Celebrating DFD PRIMO- the future of DFD research in Ireland.	Professor Georgina Gethin, PhD. Professor of Nursing, School of Nursing & Midwifery, NUI Galway.
19.40-19.45	Q & A	

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Friday April 29th 2022

ANATOMY WORKSHOP

EARLY BIRD WORKSHOP

8.00-10.00

Anatomy Workshop:
The workshop is an exciting opportunity to see, up close and personal, a range of surgical procedures on cadaver specimens. This is a golden opportunity to experience surgical anatomy, in a state of the art anatomy dissection laboratory, with highly respected international surgeons.

LOCATION

Gross Anatomy Laboratory, NUI Galway
(*Transport provided, the bus will leave the hotel at 07.45).

SPEAKERS

Dr. Mike Trepal, DPM.
Dr. Kevin Jules, DPM.
Dr. Reem Sheikh, DPM.

*By pre-booking only. Limited Places. Book early!

MAIN PROGRAMME- DAY 1

Friday 29th April Theme: WOUND SCIENCE

8.00-8.45

Conference Registration & Exhibition

INTRODUCTION

8.45-8.55

Opening Address

Chair: Ms. Emily Haworth

Chairs of SCPI, RCPod NI Branch and ICPO;
Mr. Joseph Egan, Ms. Roisin Connell, Mr. Paddy Kenny.

SESSION 1

08.55-9.15

Patient Centred-Care.

Professor Georgina Gethin, PhD., Professor of Nursing, School of Nursing & Midwifery, NUI Galway.

9.15-9.35	Atypical Wounds	Dr. Elena Conde Montero, M.D. PhD. Hospital Universitario Infanta Leonor, Department of Dermatology. Dermatologist, Madrid, Spain.
9.35-10.00	Patient Centred-Education in Wound Management.	Prof. Dr. Sebastian Probst, DCLinPrac, RN EWMA President, Full Professor of Tissue Viability and Wound Care at the University of Applied Sciences, Western Switzerland, Geneva, Switzerland.
10.00-10.15	Q & A	
SESSION 2		Chair: Ms. Roisin Connell
10.15-10.40	Management of the Diabetic Foot- IWGDF guidelines.	Professor Fran Game, Consultant Diabetologist and Director of R, D & I. University Hospitals of Derby and Burton NHS Foundation Trust, UK.
10.40-11.00	Amniotic Membranes: Do they help heal that wound?	Professor Anthony Iorio, DPM, MPH, Dean of Continuing Education, Professor, Department of Medicine, New York College of Podiatric Medicine. USA.
11.00-11.10	Q & A	
11.10-11.40	Coffee Break & Exhibition	
SESSION 3		Chair: Dr. Anthony Iorio
	PLATINUM SPONSOR SESSION- POLYNOVO	
11.40-12.10	Podiatric Surgical approach to healing the diabetic foot using a synthetic dermal matrix.	Mr. Ross Robinson, B.Sc. (Hons). Clinical Product Specialist UK, Europe, Middle East and Africa. Polynovo Ltd.
SESSION 4		Chair: Dr. Mike Trepal
12.10-12.30	Paediatric Wounds and Infections.	Dr. Reem Sheikh, DPM, Assistant Professor, Department of Surgery, Department of Surgery, New York College of Podiatric Medicine. USA.
12.30-12.50	Topical Oxygen for treating DFU.	Professor Robert Frykberg, DPM, MPH, FFPM (Glasg), Former Chief of the Podiatry section at the Phoenix Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Phoenix, Arizona and Honorary Professor of Podiatric Medicine, NUI Galway.
12.50-13.10	Staphylococcus aureus biofilms and the diabetic foot.	Professor James P. O'Gara BSc PhD DSc Professor of Infectious Disease Microbiology, Microbiology, School of Natural Sciences, National University of Ireland, Galway.
13.10-13.25	Community driven benefits of preventative interventions, patient centered care in the context of Slaintecare.	Ms. Anita Murray, National CPD Officer for Podiatry.
13.25-13.30	Q & A	
13.30-14.30	Lunch & Exhibition	

14.30-15.30	<p>Workshop A- PLATINUM SPONSORS AOTI Topical Oxygen Therapy: Utilizing cyclical-pressure Topical Wound Oxygen (TWO2) therapy to reduce Hospitalizations and Amputations in Chronic Wound patients.</p>	<p>Dr. Mike Griffiths, DProf, CEO and Medical Director of AOTI Inc., Oceanside, California, and Galway, Ireland.</p> <p>Dr. Matthew Garoufalos, DPM, President, International Federation of Podiatrists, President, Physicians Surgery Care Center Past President, American Podiatric Medical Association.</p>
	<p>Workshop B- Biomechanics of the Diabetic foot. Offloading the ulcerated and in remission: The session will incorporate TCC, offloading footwear, aircast boot. Gait analysis, ultrasound, TCO and footwear.</p>	<p>Ms. Emily Haworth, Clinical Specialist Podiatrist in Diabetes, Bantry General Hospital</p> <p>Mr. Sean Savage B Med Sci (Hons), Pg Dip, PGc, MRCPod, MFPM (Glas) Specialist in Podiatric Sports Medicine.</p>
	<p>Workshop C- SPONSORED WORKSHOP, Firefly</p>	
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Orthotic Labs and the Future of Orthoses For the at Risk Foot – Martin Mc Geough 2. Material Science & Objectives of Orthoses for the at Risk Foot – Sarah O’Connell 3. Keeping the In-remission foot stable - a case history – Yvonne Buckley 	<p>Mr. Martin J. McGeough, , Firefly Orthoses Founder & Medical Director, Ms. Sarah O’Connell, Podiatrist, Momentum Foot & Ankle and Lecturer in Podiatric Medicine, NUI Galway, Ms. Yvonne Buckley, Podiatrist, HSE Mid-West.</p>
15.30-16.00	Coffee Break & Exhibition	
SESSION 4		Chair: Ms. Noela Mullan
16.00-16.20	Diabetes and Depression	<p>Professor Cynthia Formosa, M.Sc. Pod. (UK), Ph.D., D.Pod, S.R.Pod., FFPM, RCPS (Glasg.) Associate Professor, Podiatry, Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Malta.</p>
16.20-16.40	<p>Embedding best evidence based vascular assessment into every podiatry service - where are we now, where do we need to be and what will it take?</p>	<p>Martin Fox BSc, FRCPodM, FFPM RCPS (Glasg), Vascular Specialist Podiatrist, Manchester University Foundation NHS Trust, Manchester, UK.</p>

16.40-17.00	Complex Case Presentations	Ms. Marion Cahill- Collins, Advanced Nurse Practitioner Vascular, University Hospital Galway, Saolta University Health Care Group.
17.00-17.25	Charcot Neuroarthropathy	Dr. Paul Chadwick, National Clinical Director, Royal College of Podiatry, London.
17.25-17.30	Q & A	
17.30-17.35	Close of Day	Prof. Caroline McIntosh, PhD, Professor of Podiatric Medicine and Head of School of Health Sciences, NUI Galway.

MAIN PROGRAMME- DAY 2

SATURDAY 30th April

THEME- PODIATRIC MEDICINE

8.00-9.00am

Conference Registration & Exhibition

8.00-8.55

Research/ Free Paper Early Bird Session.

Chair: Dr Eileen Chusid, PhD, Dean for Pre-Clinical Sciences, Associate Professor for Pre-Clinical Sciences and Director of Histology/Cell Biology, New York College of Podiatric Medicine.

MAIN PROGRAMME

Chair: Ms. Anita Murray

9.00-9.10

Opening Address

Professor Michael J. Trepal, DPM, FACFAS, Professor of Podiatric Surgery, Vice President for Academic Affairs and Dean, New York College of Podiatric Medicine.

SESSION 1

9.10-9.30

Renal Podiatry

Ms. Noela Mullan, Renal Podiatrist, Altnagelvin Area Hospital Renal Unit, Western Health and Social Care Trust, Londonderry.

9.30-9.50

Working with hard to reach populations and the homeless.

Ms. Amanda Walsh, Lecturer in Podiatric Medicine, Discipline of Podiatric Medicine, NUI Galway.

SESSION 2

Chair: Dr. Kevin Jules

09.50-10.20

PLATINUM SPONSOR SESSION- Pamex- Setting up a private practice.

Ms. Aoife O' Reilly, Podiatrist The Galway Podiatrist- Foot and Ankle Clinic.

SESSION 3

Chair: Ms. Amanda Walsh

10.20-10.40

Lesion recognition of the lower limb

Belinda Longhurst, BSc (Hons), PG. Cert, FHEA, FFPM RCPS(Glasg) Forgotten Feet Trustee and Volunteer Coordinator.

10.40-11.00

Distinctiveness of Pedal Melanoma: Different From the Rest

Prof. Michael J. Trepal, DPM, FACFAS, Professor of Podiatric Surgery, Vice President for Academic Affairs and Dean, New York College of Podiatric Medicine.

11.00-11.10

Q & A

11.10-11.40

Coffee Break

SESSION 4

Chair: Ms. Sarah O' Connell

11.40-12.10

PLATINUM SPONSOR SESSION-PPL Biomechanics Title- Preventing and Offloading Pressure – It's not just about Plantar Foot Wounds.

Christine Kiernan, MSc., BSc. (Hons) Podiatry, QI certified, Training and Education Manager PPL biomechanics.

12.10-12.30	Extra articular Features of Rheumatoid Arthritis & Cutaneous Manifestations	Mr. Christopher Joyce, MSc. BSc. MFPM RCPS (Glasg). Extended Scope Podiatrist in MSK and Rheumatology, Department of Podiatric Medicine and Surgery, Homerton University Hospital, NHS Foundation Trust, London, UK.
12.30-12.45	Staggered Steps: Determining the impact of Multiple Sclerosis (MS) on lower limb health through Scoping Review and Public and Patient Involvement	Ms. Ailsa Baumgartner, Podiatrist, BSc (Hons), MA (Hons), PGCE, Grad DipLaw, LLM (Wales), MRCPod Postgraduate Research Student, Discipline of Podiatric Medicine, NUI Galway.
12.45-13.05	Disorders of the Peroneal Tendons	Dr. Kevin Jules, DPM, FACFAS, New York College of Podiatric Medicine.
13.05-13.25	Osteochondral lesions of the talus: current concepts in diagnosis & treatment	Professor Stephen Kearns MD, FRCSI (Tr & Orth), Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon, Saolta University Hospital Group.
13.25-13.30	Q & A	
13.30-14.30	Lunch & Exhibition	
Workshops		
14.30-15.30	Workshop A- Complex MSK Case Presentations – expert discussion.	Mr. Adam McIlwaine, Lecturer in Podiatric Medicine, NUI Galway and Mr. Sean Savage B Med Sci (Hons), Pg Dip, PGc, MRCOP, MFPM (Glas). Specialist in Podiatric Sports Medicine.
	Workshop B- Podiatry Business Success Secrets for Private Practice.	Mr. Lorcan O’ Donaille, Podiatrist, Achilles Clinic, Cork.
	Workshop C - Working through the 3 Ps of PAD assessment to identify & manage PAD + chronic limb threatening ischaemia: Palpation - Foot to femoral, Phases - Doppler revisited, Pressures - Ankle & toe.	Mr. Martin Fox BSc, FRCPodM, FFPM RCPS (Glasg), Vascular Specialist Podiatrist, Manchester University Foundation NHS Trust, Manchester, UK.
SESSION 5		
15.50-16.10	The Future of Digital Health Technologies in a Changing World.	Chair: Ms. Olga Carey Mr. Michael Stephenson, Private Practitioner, Chair of the Glasgow Branch of The Royal College of Podiatry and Tomorrow’s Podiatry, Glasgow.

16.10-16.30

Wellbeing, Resilience and
Managing stress in others.

Mr. David James, Coach, Mentor, Speaker
and Podiatrist.

Close of Conference