

MONDAY, 16TH SEPTEMBER 2024

06h00 – 08h00	REGISTRATION				
07h00 – 08h00	TRADE SPONSORED BREAKFAST SYMPOSIA				
Venue	BALLROOM 2, 3 & 4				
08h00 – 10h00	Plenary: Global Surgery and Mentorship 08h00 - 08h20 African Research Collaborations and Mentorship - Bruce Biccard 08h20 - 08h40 Surgery team missions - do they equate to mentorship and skills development? 08h40 - 09h00 Pediatric Neuroanaesthesia Global surgery 09h00 - 09h20 African Maternal Mortality - Salome Maswime 09h20 - 09h40 Mentorship in cardiac anaesthesia - Stanton Shernan 09h40 - 10h00 Q & A				Chair:
10h00 – 10h30	REFRESHMENT BREAK				
Venue	Ballroom 2	Ballroom 3	Ballroom 4	Boardroom	Bill Gallagher
10h30 – 12h30	Obstetric Anaesthesia and Outcomes Dorinka Nel & Nondwe Mgoqo	Paediatric Anaesthesia Sadé Hendricks & Palesa Mogane	Global surgery intervention strategies Hyla Kluyts & Moses Kebalepile	Training/Other	General assembly
10h30 - 10h50	The use of THRIVE during obstetric airway management Ellen O'Sullivan	Paediatric trauma update	African Outcome Studies and what they mean for research Bruce Biccard	Highlights of obstetric point of care workshop	
10h50 - 11h10	The "smart fridge" approach to patient blood management in obstetrics Petro-Lize Wessels	Safe surgery: Implementation of paediatric anaesthesia training in Nigeria Ibironke Desalu	Authorship in Academic Global Health		
11h10 - 11h30	Enhanced Recovery After Caesarean Section (ERACS) Mehdat Shalabi	Foreign body retrieval and airway management - anaesthesia pearls Ellen O'Sullivan	Short-term surgical missions - are we getting the best value for LMICs? Zipporah Gathuya		
11h30 - 11h50	The use of processed EEG in pregnancy Anneme Breedt	Perioperative anxiety in children Clover-Ann Lee	Out of Africa subspecialist training, is this sustainable? Wayne Morriss		
11h50 - 12h10	Is ketamine an acceptable alternative in obstetric anaesthesia? Theresa Shivera	Safely treating post-operative pain in a resource constrained environment Anisa Bhettay	Safe Surgery in cardiothoracic surgery - Where to with no resources? Simukai Machawira		
12h10 - 12h30	GA or neuraxial for an obese patient with a difficult airway Willem De Villiers	Periop blood management in neonates Kushal Govender	NSOAP for safe surgery Zane Farina		

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13h30 – 15h30	Paediatric anaesthesia Martin Chobli & Tebogo Monchwe	Training innovations in Africa Busisiwe Mrara & Gontse Leballo	Wellness Chris Ngaka	Training Stanton Shernan	General assembly
13h30 – 13h50	The paediatric anaesthetist and palliative care Phillipa Penfold	Use of AI and social media in training and research Richard Cooke	Is it the sick canary or the coal mine - interrogating the causes of burnout in 2024 Bertille Ki	CASSA	
13h50 – 14h10	Sickle Cell and other forms of perioperative anaemia in children Victoria Simiyu	ECHO as a training tool: Lessons from the Gastro Foundation of Sub-Saharan Africa Chris Kassianides	Empathy in an academic department Philip Anderson		
14h10 – 14h30	To block or not to block in paediatric major surgery	Training innovations through CANECSA David Polepole	Aging practitioners - harnessing experience Christina Lundgren	Porcine Heart Dissection with Echo Correlation	
14h30 – 14h50	Paediatric presenting conditions, techniques and outcomes in Sub-Saharan Africa Martin Chobli	Use of simulation in training platforms Cornelius Sendiguere	Bullying on the clinical platform Mantoa Mokhachane		
14h50 – 15h10	OSA, the airway and anaesthesia Tsitsi Chimhundu-Sithole	The role of the WFSA in training support Wayne Morris	Human Factors in Anaesthesia Nuala Lucas	Basic TEE & Dissection	
15h10 – 15h30	Innovations in paediatric sedation Ibironke Desalu		Reintegration of impaired practitioners Arthur Rantloane		

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15h45 – 17h45	Global surgery research Palesa Motshabi	Theatre Efficiency/Governance Tshegofatso Maimela & Brian Gardner	Chronic PAIN Raphael Maja	Training	General assembly
15h45 – 16h05	ASOS Report Bruce Biccard	Electricity and water supply issues Imtiaz Sooliman	New definitions in chronic pain Sean Chetty	CASSA	
16h05 – 16h25	ASOS Paeds Report Bruce Biccard	ERAS and theatre efficiency Brian Gardner	The role of traditional medicine in pain management		
16h25 – 16h45	Obstetric Global Health Systems Theresia Shivera	Reusable theatre equipment Dorinka Nel	Pain interventions Raphael Maja	Advanced TEE	
16h45 – 17h05	Data needed for research outcome studies Hyla Kluyts	Indices of theatre Efficiency/Governance Tshegofatso Maimela	Interdisciplinary pain management Saweda Cuthbert	Workshop	
17h05 – 17h25	Global and African Cardiac Workforce Data Palesa Motshabi & Stanton Shernan	Use of AI in enhancing theatre efficiency	Ketamine: Old drug, new applications and controversies Pauline du Plessis		
17h25 – 17h45	Pain services around the globe: Lessons from limited resource environment Mamadou Mour Traore	Green anaesthesia	Implantable pain management devices and their impact in Anaesthesia Sudha Bechan		

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07h00 – 08h00	TRADE SPONSORED BREAKFAST SYMPOSIA				
Venue	BALLROOM 2, 3 & 4				
08h00 – 10h00	Plenary: Education 08h00 - 08h20 Subspecialty Training in Africa - Wayne Morriss 08h20 - 08h40 Paediatric Sub-specialty - Ibironke Desalu 08h40 - 09h00 African Regional Anaesthesia and Pain 09h00 - 09h20 Cardiac Anaesthesiology - Angela Muhozya 09h20 - 09h40 African Education innovations - Mary Nabukenya 09h40 - 10h00 Q & A				Chair: Dean Gopalan & Angela Muhozya
10h00 – 10h30	REFRESHMENT BREAK				
Venue	Ballroom 2	Ballroom 3	Ballroom 4	Boardroom	Bill Gallagher
10h30 – 12h30	Diversity, Equity and Inclusivity Busisiwe Mrara	Regional Anaesthesia Saweda Cuthbert & Hiram Abrahams	Obstetric Anaesthesia Thomas Kleyenstuber	Poster presentations	Global Anaesthesia workforce and TRAINING SESSION
10h30 - 10h50	Does diversity affect patient outcomes? Sadé Hendricks	RA in Africa: Challenges and the way forward Musa Kallamu Suleiman	Maternal mortality in Africa: how are we doing? Taishi Shivolo		Mind the Gap! Transitioning from registrar to consultant in paediatric anaesthesia. What my training didn't teach me Thembekile Gumede
10h50 - 11h10	The need for empowering African solutions for African issues on our continent	Research into USGRA, what does the future hold?	Obesity and peripartum haemorrhage - an update Gladness Nethathe		Training experience through CANECSA Doreen Mashava
11h10 - 11h30	The importance and responsibility of producing transparent health journalism	Safety in regional anaesthesia	Intrapartum maternal cardiac arrest Nuala Lucas		The Benefit of Public Private Partnerships in Training Kirsten Morley-Jepson
11h30 - 11h50	WFSA DEI perspective Wayne Morriss	Regional anaesthesia for abdominal surgery Celeste Quan	WHA76.2 - Integrated emergency, critical, and operative care for universal health coverage and protection from health emergencies Bisola Onajin-Obembe		Social media and medical training Viantha Pather
11h50 - 12h10	Diversity, Equity and Inclusivity: the African Perspective Ruben Naidoo	Dural puncture epidural vs CSE in Labour Analgesia Francois Retief	Obstetric pain management: what's new? Philip Anderson		WFSA programmes in Africa Amal Paonaskar
12h10 - 12h30	Politics and healthcare, setting boundaries and owning responsibilities Aslam Dasoo	Early labour epidural in obese patients Dorinka Nel	Obstetric patient blood management Motselisi Mbeki		WFSA - Opportunities for Africa Jayandiran Pillai

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12h30 – 13h30 LUNCH BREAK [INNOVATIONS IN ANAESTHESIA NEUROMONITORING HARDWARE - MINDRAY SPONSORED GUEST]					
Venue	Ballroom 2	Ballroom 3	Ballroom 4	Boardroom	Bill Gallagher
13h30 – 15h30	Major Surgery Liam Brannigan	Cardiac Anaesthesia Amanda Nkuna	Procedural Sedation Updates Caroline Corbett	Poster presentations	SARFA AGM
13h30 – 13h50	POCUS pearls for major surgery Bojan Korda	Prehabilitation of the cardiovascular patient - The role of the cardiologist Nqoba Tsabedze	Non-operating room sedation in paediatric patients (NORA) Rebecca Gray		
13h50 – 14h10	Sedation for major GI / radiology procedures in NORA environment Charlè Steyl	Robotic heart lung surgery, a first for Africa	Ethics of drug mixing in sedation Johan Diedericks		
14h10 – 14h30	Haemodynamic monitoring - What's hot and what's not for resource constrained settings? Nkosinathi Mdladla	Echo Decision-making Cases Stanton Shernan	Qualification as a sedationist, does it improve the outcome? Reinhardt de Wet		
14h30 – 14h50	Anaesthetic Management for Enhanced Recovery After Trauma Surgery (ERAS) Metogo Junette	Challenges of grown up congenital cardiac patients	Medicolegal liability, Privilege, and M&M's Graham Craig		
14h50 – 15h10	Preoperative assessment of a patient with end stage liver disease presenting for surgery Howard Radford	Transcatheter Valves Replacements, Minimally Invasive Procedures, and New Technologies for African Patients Itumeleng Taunyane	Dental Chair Sedation - Have we made progress? Faizal Bham & Thomas Tarlton		
15h10 – 15h30	Outcomes of post intervention intra-abdominal sepsis in ICU Sithandiwe Dingezweni	The grown-up single ventricle patient Carol Bulelwa Bodlani	Paediatric procedural sedation in African clinical settings		

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Venue	Ballroom 2	Ballroom 3	Ballroom 4	Boardroom		Bill Gallagher
15h45 – 17h45	Leadership Round Table Arthur Rantloane	Vascular Anaesthesia Christella Alphonsus	Congenital Cardiac Anaesthesia Stephanie Fischer	Poster presentations		Workshop synopsis
15h45 – 16h05	Crisis Communication Thenjiwe Hlongwane	Cardiac patient for non-cardiac surgery in Africa Christella Alphonsus	The plight of paediatric cardiac patients in Africa Antoinette Cilliers		15h45 – 16h09	Cost awareness in health care Gladness Nethathe
16h05 – 16h25	The benefit of Huddles in theatre Dame Julia Slingo (Virtual)	HIV and Aortic disease in the African population Moleboheng Mokotjo	AKS (Acute Kidney Stress) in paediatric cardiac surgery Gontse Leballo		16h09 – 16h33	Personalised ventilation Malcolm Miller
16h25 – 16h45	The WHO Safety Surgical Checklist Leadership in the Operating Room Bisola Onajin-Obembe	Organ protection measures in vascular surgery Tinus Dippenaar	Rheumatic heart disease in paediatric patients, is this still a problem in Africa? Annette Schure		16h33 – 16h57	Personalised nutrition
16h45 – 17h05	Informed Consent Tsakani Mhlari	Biomarkers for outcome prediction in non-cardiac surgery - Are we there yet? Ismail Cassimjee	Paediatric heart transplantation: Update on outcomes and anaesthetic implications Annette Schure		16h57 – 17h21	Personalised management of AKI Liam Brannigan
17h05 – 17h25	Operating Room Errors Anthony Reed	ERAS and Prehabilitation for Vascular Surgery Hendrick Maakamedi	Robotics - Is there a role in paed cardiothoracics? Carol Bulelwa Bodlani		17h21 – 17h45	Personalised dosing of antibiotics Guy Richards
17h25 – 17h45	Flattening the Hierarchy in the Operating Theatre Gareth Davies	Robot-assisted endovascular surgery Jayandiran Pillai	Outcomes of Congenital Cardiac Surgery in Africa Palesa Mogane			

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07h00 – 08h00	TRADE SPONSORED BREAKFAST SYMPOSIA				
Venue	BALLROOM 2, 3 & 4				
08h00 – 10h00	Plenary: Artificial Intelligence 08h00 - 08h20 Robotics in health care - Is Africa ready? - Jayandiran Pillai 08h20 - 08h40 Smart Paperless Hospitals, are they attainable in Africa? - Ayomide Owoyemi 08h40 - 09h00 Deep Learning and prediction modelling - Moses Kebalepile & Palesa Motshabi 09h00 - 09h20 Machine Learning in cardiac diagnostics - Stanton Shernan 09h20 - 09h40 AI in Anaesthesia and Drug delivery - Sizwe Zungu 09h40 - 10h00 Q & A				Chair: Caroline Corbett
10h00 – 10h30	REFRESHMENT BREAK				
Venue	Ballroom 2	Ballroom 3	Ballroom 4	Boardroom	Bill Gallagher
10h30 – 12h30	Perioperative Medicine Sithandiwe Dingezweni	Ethics Christina Lundgren	Innovations in the Face of Resource Limitations Angela Muhozya	Abstract presentations	Highlights of paediatric pain workshop
10h30 - 10h50	BP in neonates: what is the target? Carol Bulelwa Bodlani	Perimortem laparotomy in NEC totalis (ethical dilemma/surgical futility) Raymond Ndikontar	Approach to new medical devices: Technology Adoption in 2024 Caroline Corbett		
10h50 - 11h10	Climate change and Acute Cardiovascular Disease Moses Kebalepile	Dual loyalty in medicine: State versus Self Sasha Stevenson	Critical resource sharing - mobile ECMO units Joseph Lelo		
11h10 - 11h30	Fluid stewardship in theatre Busisiwe Mrara	Ubuntu, Research and AI ethics in Africa Monyelele Sethusa	Health information systems Tshegofatso Maimela		
11h30 - 11h50	Perioperative multidisciplinary multimodal patient-specific PBM approach Freddy Kabambi	End of life decisions Dean Gopalan	Robotics in healthcare systems Shafeeqa Mayet		
11h50 - 12h10	The single ventricle patient in developing countries - What are the options? Andre Brooks	Is the use of Social Media in patient care ethical? Dean Nolte	Innovative African drug delivery designs Pradeep Kumar		
12h10 - 12h30	Contrast nephropathy Cara Redelinghuys	The legality of Off Label Drug Use Blesset Nkambule	Utilising drones in medicine - 'Project blood wing'		

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13h30 – 15h30	Trauma Anaesthesia Lizil Gilliland	Transplants in Africa Mithasha Gayaparsad & Moleboheng Mokotjo	Neuro Anaesthesia Leslie Fombad & Lapale Moipolai	Abstract presentations	General assembly
13h30 – 13h50	Point of care coagulation monitoring and procoagulant interventions in major and trauma surgery Anthony Beeton	Transplant and organ donation, how is it different in children? Francisca van der Schyff	Paediatric neuroanaesthesia in resource stricken countries Anteneh Yifru		
13h50 – 14h10	Impact of trauma - Gabor Mate theories on "Myth of Normal" Ellen Kemp	Bone marrow transplants and anaesthesia Mike Morford	Decoding consciousness and Artificial Intelligence Bhiken Naik		
14h10 – 14h30	Anaesthesia in war zones Sablin Patrice Assouakon	Solid organ transplants in resource constraint environments	Paediatric traumatic brain injury - Monitoring and management strategies		
14h30 – 14h50	Update on lactate as an indicator in trauma resuscitation Bronwyn Roopnarain	Update on Liver Transplantation: What is New Recently? Liam Brannigan	Africa's neurosurgeons deficit: what could the problem be?		
14h50 – 15h10	Pediatric trauma in sub-Saharan Africa: challenges in overcoming the scourge	The ethics of availability and affordability for organ transplant Martin Sussman	Autoregulation measurement and its uses Blaise Bayingana		
15h10 – 15h30	Major trauma: Does the anaesthetist make any difference in the outcome? Stephens Moeng		Awake neurosurgery Makhosazana Dlamini		

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15h45 – 16h05	What are the options for labour analgesia LMIC? Sonia Lalla	Ventilation - What are your options now? Tonny Stone Luggya	Improving Anaesthesia outcomes using machine learning and AI Stanton Sherman		
16h05 – 16h25	Managing Pain when confronted with resource constraints	Evolving bugs, limited drugs: Challenges in Africa Guy Richards	Facial recognition and machine learning in airway management Ellen O'Sullivan		
16h25 – 16h45	Non-pharmacological vs pharmacological approaches to managing preoperative anxiety Larissa Cronje	Paediatric sepsis Kuban Naidoo	Role of virtual reality in the future of anaesthesia education in both LMIC and UMICs Kashmira Purbhoo		
16h45 – 17h05	Old drugs in new formulations for acute pain Motsamai Khumalo	Burden of sepsis in LMICs Mervyn Mer	WHO Acute Care Action Network (ACAN): The role of Anaesthesiologists Bisola Onajin-Obembe		
17h05 – 17h25	Abuse deterrent opioids in 2024, have they made a difference? Bhiken Naik	Antibiotics stewardship Zainub Jooma	Robotic surgery - intrauterine surgery in foetuses Nuala Lucas		
17h25 – 17h45	Nitric Oxide - A bad choice of labour analgesia Theresia Shivera	Fludrocortisone in septic shock Gladness Nethathe	Prediction modelling - Are the current prediction models fit for the African Population? Palesa Mogane		
19h30 – 23h30	VIP DINNER (by invite)				

THURSDAY, 19TH SEPTEMBER 2024

06h00 – 08h00		REGISTRATION					
07h00 – 08h00		TRADE SPONSORED BREAKFAST SYMPOSIA					
Venue		BALLROOM 2, 3 & 4					
08h00 – 10h00		Plenary: Innovations 08h00 - 08h20 Digital Innovations in healthcare 08h20 - 08h40 Innovations in improving health systems - Ayomide Owoyemi 08h40 - 09h00 Innovations in subspecialty training - Angela Muhozya 09h00 - 09h20 Health Systems, Hardware, Processes 09h20 - 09h40 Recent Anaesthesia Drug Innovations - Erni Welch 09h40 - 10h00 Q & A				Chair: Edwin Turton	
10h00 – 10h30		REFRESHMENT BREAK					
Venue	Ballroom 2	Ballroom 3	Ballroom 4	Bill Gallagher		Boardroom	
10h30 – 12h30	Adverse Event Reporting & Medicolegal Cases (ETHICS) Arthur Rantloane	Thoracic Anaesthesia David Nekyon	Geriatric Anaesthesia Brian Gardener	Nursing workshop highlights		Master Class: Anaemia - The greatest global health scourge	
10h30 - 10h50	Opioid induced respiratory depression medication - A human and medicolegal catastrophe Ryan Davids	Non-Intubated VATS anaesthesia - What are the options? Ntombiyethu Biyase	Consent and shared decision-making in geriatric patients India Butler		10h30 - 11h30	Understanding iron and iron deficiency Vernon Louw	
10h50 - 11h10	Airway Never Events Ross Hofmeyr	Anaesthetising a Patient with Pulmonary Tuberculous Disease Stella Chikumbanje	Analgesia in geriatric patients Brent Tipping		11h30 - 12h00	Anaemia: peri-operative risks Elzanne Jansen van Rensburg	
11h10 - 11h30	Post anoxic brain-dead patient and organ donation - Cultural aspects Bertille Ki	Thoracic Outlet Obstruction Syndrome and Anaesthesia Antony Keene	Decision-making and communication in anaesthesia for geriatric patients Erni Welch		12h00 - 12h30	Patient Blood Management - Solutions for emerging economies Freddy Kabambi	
11h30 - 11h50	Is the opioid pandemic a problem in Africa? Mary Nabukenya	Regional anaesthesia for Paeds thoracic surgery Carol Bulelwa Bodlani	Depth of anaesthesia monitoring in geriatric patients - Is it the same? Zanine Moyce				
11h50 - 12h10	Medicolegal Financial Liability Versus Duty of Care - Is it working? Shamal Ramesar	ERAS for thoracic surgery Thenjiwe Hlongwane	Role of preoperative MDT in geriatric patients Fathima Paruk				
12h10 - 12h30	Litigation, arbitration and mediation Shamal Ramesar	Hydatid lung disease Justiaan Swanevelder	Frailty phenotype and postoperative ICU course: Impact and Implications Fathima Paruk				
12h30 – 13h30	LUNCH BREAK & CLOSING						