

# 2021 REGISTRAR SYMPOSIUM

## 22 & 23 September 2021

Hosted by the Division of Surgery, Faculty of Medicine & Health Sciences,  
Stellenbosch University, to be held at the Stellenbosch Institute for Advanced  
Study (STIAS), Marais Road, Mostertsdrift, Stellenbosch

**Official Delegates:**

SU: Prof E Steyn, Dr P Snyders, Dr A Bekker, Dr C Augustyn, Dr K Saunderson, Dr D Gorry

UCT: Prof P Navsaria, Dr N Karimbocus, Dr N Kariem, Dr T Rensburg, Dr A Diab, Dr K Dookhony, Dr G Taynagesikayi

WITS: Dr J Devar, Dr E Van der Merwe, Dr C Nyatsambo

SMU: Prof Z Koto, Dr N Mkhwanazi, Dr B Pelser, Dr M Docrat

WSU: Prof S Molaoa, Dr S Odunze, Dr Y Sidoyi, Dr A Toma, Dr H Bezuidenhout

UFS: Dr A Malan, Dr A Shabalala, Dr S Sosibo, Dr U Maposa, Dr K Mathonsi

UP: Prof D Montwedi, Dr C Elsenbroek, Dr F Ndotora

UKZN: Dr S Mewa Kinoo, Dr T Makofane, Dr M Jali

U LIMPOPO: Prof S van As, Dr S Manganyi, Dr A Daswa

### 22 September 2021, Day 1

Time	Topic	Presenter	Time Allocation
0900	Registration and refreshments While awaiting arrivals from airport		
0930	Welcome and introductions	Prof E Steyn SU	10 mins
0940	Two years of living dangerously: The impact of Covid19 on surgical registrars and their training. Your recommendations to your teachers, your management, the CMSA and your junior colleagues.	Group discussion led by Dr P Snyders (SU),	20 mins
<b>Session 1: Breast Chair: Prof K Baatjes SU, Prof D Montwedi UP</b>			
10:00	Should screen detected DCIS be treated surgically?	UCT Dr N Karimbocus	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
10:20	MammaPrint vs Oncotype DX	UL Dr S Manganyi	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
<b>Session 2: Skin &amp; Haematology Chair: Prof K Baatjes SU, Prof D Montwedi UP</b>			
10:40	Systemic management of melanoma	SMU Dr B Pelser	(15min, 5 min for questions)
11:00	The role of the surgeon in management of Lymphoma	Wits Dr C Nyatsambo	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
11:20	Risk stratification & extent of surgery in well differentiated thyroid Ca	UP Dr C Elsenbroek	(15 min, 5 min for questions)

11:40	Debate:  Focused parathyroidectomy should be the default procedure for parathyroid adenomas	For: WSU Dr H Bezuidenhout Against: UFS Dr U Maposa	(10 min per side, 5min per side for rebuttal, 5min for questions and voting)
<b>Session 3: Paediatrics      Chair:    Prof S van As   U Limpopo</b>			
12:15	Approach to incarcerated paediatric inguinal hernias- neonates, infants, children & adolescents	UKZN Dr M Jali	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
12:35	How to manage Hirschsprung's	UFS Dr A Shabalala	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
13:00	LUNCH		
<b>Session 4: Upper GI      Chair:    Dr J Lubbe SU, Prof Z Koto SMU</b>			
14:00	The difficult duodenal stump	WSU	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
14:20	Current review of upper GI endoscopic interventions	UCT Dr K Dookhony	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
14:40	The role of the surgeon in Achalasia	UL Dr S Manganyi	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
<b>Session 5: Trauma      Chair:    Prof P Navsaria UCT, Prof E Steyn SU</b>			
15:00	Current controversies in SNOM of blunt abdominal Trauma	Wits Dr E Van der Merwe	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
15:20	Blunt carotid injuries	UL Dr K Daswa	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
15:40- 16:15	Debate: Reboa is needed in the South African setting	UCT For Dr G Teyangesikayi UFS against Dr K Mathonsi	(10 min each, 5min each for rebuttals, 5min for questions and voting)

**Course Dinner: Tokara Restaurant - Transport provided. Dress smart. Departure at 17H30**

## 23 September 2021, Day 2

Time	Topic	Presenter	Time Allocation
<b>Session 1: Bariatric surgery</b> <b>Chair: Prof Z Koto SMU, Dr J Lubbe SU</b>			
08:00-	Options and complications of metabolic surgery	SMU Dr M Docrat	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
<b>Session 2: Colorectal</b> <b>Chair: Dr S Mewa Kinoo UKZN, Prof D Montwedi UP</b>			
08:20	Current management of haemorrhoids	UCT Dr A Diab	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
08:40	Management of Hinchey 3 diverticulitis, laparoscopic lavage vs open surgery	Dr C Augustyn SU	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
09:00	Hereditary colorectal cancer- an overview of Lynch syndrome	UP Dr F Ndotoro	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
09:20	CME: going back to embryology	UKZN Dr T Makofane	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
09:40	Debate:  High vs low IMA ligation in Colon Ca	For: WSU Against High: SMU Dr N Mkhwanazi	(10 min per side, 5min per side for rebuttal, 5min for questions and voting)
10:15	Break		
<b>Session 3: Vascular</b> <b>Chair: Dr A Malan UFS, Prof S Molaoa WSU</b>			
10:40	Current management options of varicose veins	UCT Dr N Kariem	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
11:00	HIV in vascular surgery	UFS Dr S Sosibo	(15min, 5 min for questions)
11:20	Approach to diabetic foot	Wits Dr C Nyatsambo	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
11:40	Management of graft sepsis	UL Dr A Daswa	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
12:00	Review of College exam structure, tips for exam strategy, Q&A session	Prof Z Koto President, College of Surgeons of SA	
13:00	Lunch		
<b>Session 4: HPB</b> <b>Chair: Dr J Devar WITS, Prof S Molaoa WSU</b>			
13:50	Pancreas neuro endocrine tumours	Dr A Bekker SU	(15min, 5 min for questions)
14:10	Acute pancreatitis- timing and method of intervention for infected necrosis	UKZN Dr T Makofane	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
14:30	Ablation vs surgery for colorectal liver mets	WSU	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
14:50	Debate: HCC resection vs transplant	UP Dr C Elsenbroek for resection Dr D Gorry FOR transplant	(10 min each, 5 mins each for rebuttal, 5 minfor questions)

<b>Session 5: Hernias</b>		<b>Chair: Prof S Molaoa WSU, Dr J Devar WITS</b>	
15:25	Debate: Inguinal hernia repair: open vs laparoscopic	UKZN Open Dr T Makofane SU Dr K Saunderson Laparoscopic	(10 min each, 5 min each for rebuttal, 5mins for questions)
16:00	Choosing the right mesh & approach for your patient	UCT Dr T Rensburg	(15 min, 5 min for questions)
16:20-1630	Award ceremony & closure		

17:00 Transfers to airport

19:00 Return flights

Additional info:

All candidates to send their presentation by 17 September to [pccsnyders@gmail.com](mailto:pccsnyders@gmail.com) as a PDF Powerpoint presentation .

The aim of the topics is each candidate must summarize the latest literature and important aspects of the disease. This is to aid the candidates in preparation for the final exams. All the topics discussed with be available on an online platform for download after the symposium (please send this summary together with above)

The debates are self study in advance and a strong argument made for the topic allocation. No literature summary needed to be handed in, can use a slideshow to assist but the idea is to help with the oral examination technique for exam prep and debating controversial topics.