



ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC MEETING 20-22 JUNE 2018 GALA THEATRE DURHAM

PRELIMINARY INFORMATION AND CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Online abstract submission opens October 2017



Introduction from Ian Martin, BAOMS President 2018

It is with the greatest of pleasure that I invite you to Durham, where our BAOMS conference will be held from Wednesday 20th to Friday 22nd June 2018.

The conference will be held in the Gala Theatre, right at the heart of the city centre. We will be using two lecture theatres, which will permit us to offer over 130 slots for oral presentations, in addition to the electronic posters. There is therefore ample opportunity for trainees, trainers and scientists from the UK and across the world to present their work covering the wide spectrum of our specialty.

Durham is a cathedral city, with one of the oldest and most prestigious collegiate universities in Britain. Situated on the banks of the meandering river Wear, the Gala Theatre is surrounded by numerous hotels in all price ranges, including the designated conference hotel, the Radisson Blu, which is five minutes' walk from the conference centre. Durham is easily accessible by train on the East Coast or Cross Country mainline services, by car just off the A1, or a 30 minute taxi ride from either Newcastle International or Durham Tees Valley Airports.

Durham cathedral is designated as a world heritage site, and will be the location for our opening reception on Wednesday 20th June. The black tie gala dinner and dance will be held in Durham on Thursday 21st June.

Durham is surrounded by beautiful countryside, close to Hadrian's Wall, and the beautiful unspoilt beaches and castles of the North East's coast line. Close by are the vibrant cities of Newcastle and Sunderland, a candidate for City of Culture.

The success of any conference is determined by the contribution of all who attend, so I hope you will submit your abstracts to share your work with your colleagues. Live up to our motto "*Scientia in Unitate*" and make your BAOMS conference a huge success.

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ONLINE SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS AND REGISTRATION

Poster and free paper abstract forms will be available from October 2017 and can only be submitted online via www.baoms.org.uk

Deadline for receipt of all abstracts: 12 noon GMT, Tuesday 16th January 2018

Online registration will be available via the BAOMS website in February 2018. There will be special rates for BAOMS members and also those members who are Fellows in Training, medical students, OMFS SHOs, IMPT members, OMFS Nurses and Foundation trainees. Contact office@baoms.org.uk to join BAOMS or visit the BAOMS website for online membership applications.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Social events

Wednesday 20th June 2018

President's Reception: 1830-2030 at Durham Cathedral. All registered delegates and exhibitors welcome – guest's tickets are available at £25.00 each.

Thursday 21st June 2018

Annual Black Tie Dinner and Dance in Durham – 1930 for 2000 to include pre-dinner drink, three course meal with wine/drinks. Tickets: £70 per person.

Medical Exhibition

The medical exhibition will run alongside the scientific programme. Please contact the BAOMS office for further details about the medical exhibition and sponsorship opportunities.

Accommodation

Booking instructions for the various hotels will be available on the BAOMS conference website. The conference hotel will be the Radisson Blu Hotel a five minute walk from the Gala Theatre.

