



First Ever Joint National Vascular Anaesthetic and Surgical Conference

VASGBI Scientific Meeting Programme



Thursday 26th & Friday 27th November 2026



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Conference Dinner 2026



Date: **Thursday 26th November 2026**
Time: **19:30**
Venue: **Everton Stadium (Hill Dickinson)**
Fee: **£85**

Book as part of your registration!

Join fellow delegates for a memorable Conference Dinner at Everton Stadium.

Drinks reception is at 19:30, with dinner at 20:00.

Ticket price will include a welcome drink, full three course dinner followed by an awards ceremony.

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Scientific Meeting: Day One, Thursday 26th November 2026

08:15 – 09:00	REGISTRATION AND REFRESHMENTS
09:00 – 09:15	Chair's Welcome and Introduction
09:15 – 10:30	SESSION ONE: PRE-OP OPTIMISATION <i>Chairs: Dr Louisa Shovel, London & Dr Caroline Curry, Belfast</i>
09:15 – 09:35	Peri-operative Management of Diabetes Mellitus: A Multidisciplinary Consensus Statement from the Association of Anaesthetists and the Joint British Diabetes Societies for Inpatient Care Group <i>Dr Nicholas Levy, Bury St Edmunds</i>
09:35 – 09:55	The Other Vascular Intervention: Treating Tobacco Dependence <i>Professor Ronelle Mouton, Bristol</i>
09:55 – 10:15	Assessment and Implications of Antiplatelet Resistance <i>Mr Badri Vijaynagar, Leicester</i>
10:15 – 10:30	Discussion
10:30 – 11:00	REFRESHMENTS AND TRADE

Scientific Meeting: Day One (continued), Thursday 26th November 2026

11:00 – 13:00	SESSION TWO (JOINT SESSION): PRE-OP RISK ASSESSMENT AND STRATIFICATION <i>Chairs: Professor Sadasivam Selvakumar, Dr Maria Safar, Liverpool & Dr Vanessa Fludder, Brighton</i>
11:00 – 11:15	Preoperative Evaluation of People with Aortic Aneurysm <i>Dr Adam Pichel, Manchester</i>
11:15 – 11:30	Risk Assessment and Modification, the Role of CPET and Exercise Therapy <i>Mr Adam Haque, Manchester</i>
11:30 – 11:45	The Role of Cardiology in the Pre-operative Preparation for Major Vascular Surgery <i>Professor Jay Wright, Liverpool</i>
11:45 – 12:00	Discussion
12:00 – 12:30	Aortic MDT <i>Dr Louisa Shovel, London</i>
12:30 – 13:00	Kinmonth Lecture <i>Professor Rob Sayers, Leicester</i>
13:00 – 14:00	LUNCH, TRADE AND POSTER JUDGING
14:00 – 15:00	SESSION THREE: PAIN <i>Chairs: Dr Rajiv Malhotra, Liverpool & Dr Hooke Tsang, Liverpool</i>
14:00 – 14:15	Interventional Therapies for Phantom Limb Pain <i>Dr David Pang, London</i>
14:15 – 14:30	Psychology and Acute Vascular Pain <i>Dr Zoey Malpus, Manchester</i>
14:30 – 14:45	Management of Amputation Pain (PLACEMENT Trial) <i>Mr David Bosanquet, Cardiff</i>
14:45 – 15:00	Discussion
15:00 – 15:30	REFRESHMENTS AND TRADE
15:30 – 16:20	SESSION FOUR: EMERGENCY THORACIC AORTIC INTERVENTION <i>Chairs: Dr Paul Warman, Leeds & Dr Leonie Murphy, Brighton</i>
15:30 – 15:50	Endovascular Treatment of Vascular Trauma <i>Professor Robert Fisher, Liverpool</i>
15:50 – 16:10	Management of Aortic Dissection <i>Mr Simon Neequaye, Liverpool</i>
16:10 – 16:20	Discussion
16:20 – 17:30	SESSION FIVE: FREE PAPERS <i>Chairs: Dr Caroline Wai, Lancashire & Dr Michael McCann, Belfast</i>
19:30 – 00:00	VASGBI & VS ASM DINNER AND AWARDS PRESENTATION – EVERTON STADIUM (HILL DICKINSON)

Scientific Meeting: Day Two, Friday 27th November 2026

08:15 – 09:00	REGISTRATION AND REFRESHMENTS
09:00 – 11:45	WORKSHOPS – REGIONAL ANAESTHESIA FOR VASCULAR PROCEDURES - ANKLE BLOCKS - POPLITEAL SCIATIC NERVE BLOCKS - CERVICAL PLEXUS BLOCKS
09:00 – 09:45	First Session
10:00 – 10:45	Second Session
11:00 – 11:45	Third Session
09:00 – 10:45	SESSION SIX: ISCHAEMIA & TXA <i>Chairs: Dr Dan Taylor, London & Dr Rhys Rhidian, Bristol</i>
09:00 – 09:20	Management of Mesenteric Ischaemia <i>Dr Flavius Parvulescu, Liverpool</i>
09:20 – 09:40	Hypoxia at the top of Everest, Applicability to ICU <i>Dr Ned Gilbert-Kawai, Liverpool</i>
09:40 – 09:50	Discussion
09:50 – 10:10	Tranexamic Acid to Stem the Flow in Vascular Surgery (Including NICE Draft Guidance) <i>Dr Akshay Shay, London</i>
10:10 – 10:30	Blood Pressure Management in Carotid Surgery: Evidence, Myths & Current Practice <i>Dr Amy Dodd, Bristol</i>
10:30 – 10:45	Discussion
10:45 – 11:00	VASGBI ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
10:45 – 11:30	REFRESHMENTS AND TRADE
11:30 – 13:30	SESSION SEVEN: LEGAL & GIRFT <i>Chairs: Dr Rajiv Malhotra, Liverpool & Dr Caroline Curry, Belfast</i>
11:30 – 11:55	Insights from Vascular GIRFT <i>Ms Rachel Bell, Newcastle</i>
11:55 – 12:20	<i>Navigating Coroner’s Court</i> <i>Mr Richard Brittain, MDDUS</i>
12:20 – 12:45	What Anaesthetists Need to Know about Medicolegal Matters <i>Dr Megan Smith, London</i>
12:45 – 13:10	Preventable Deaths in the NHS <i>Dr Georgia Richards, London</i>
13:10 – 13:30	Discussion