

**Welcome** to the 37th Emergency Abdominal Surgery Course.

This course builds on previous EASC curriculum and brings together a dynamic international and national faculty who are at frontline of Emergency Surgery.

EASC focuses solely on the acute abdomen, in a multidisciplinary shared learning approach. It will bring you a level of discussion you have not heard before and enhance your ability on-duty as surgeon in training. This course is about decision making in patients with common emergencies. The course is endorsed by many societies and is the EGS course for the World Society of Emergency Surgery [www.wses.org.uk](http://www.wses.org.uk)

### **Course Goals**

- Natural history of the acute abdomen
  - Key management strategies
    - Key mistakes to avoid
    - Optimum surgical approach
    - Dealing with complications

### **Who should attend ?**

If you deal with acute abdominal pain patients, then this course is a must for you.

You will receive a bibliography of the current literature, lunch and refreshments during the day

Michael Sugrue Convenor

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# **Emergency Abdominal Surgery Course**

**Friday January 26th 2024**

**Royal College of Surgeons  
Ireland**

**Albert Lecture Theatre**



**CME 6 credits**

### **Provisional Faculty**

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**EASC**

## Emergency Abdominal EASC Course

- 08.00 Welcome
- 08.05 **Appendicitis**  
Matti Tolonen
- 08.25 Case Scenario  
Tolonen Tierney Bolster Gonzalez  
Johnston Velmahos Boermeester  
Keating
- 08.50 **Diverticulitis**  
Saquib Zeeshan
- 09.10 Case Scenario  
Zeeshan Bolster McCormick  
Gonzalez Neary C Waldron
- 09.35 **Large Bowel Obstruction**  
Peter Neary
- 09.50 Case Scenario  
Flanagan Lund Bolster Zeeshan  
Neary R Waldron McCormick
- 10.15 Morning Tea ☺**
- 10.45 **Pancreatitis**  
Matti Tolonen
- 11.00 Case Scenario  
Bolster Johnson Tolonen Hameed  
C Waldron Donnellan Macutkiewicz
- 11.20 **Cholecystitis**  
Sean Johnson
- 11.35 Case Scenario  
Gonzalez Varzagalis Velhamos  
Donnellan Macutkiewicz
- 12.15 **Perforated Duodenal Ulcer**  
Kevin Barry
- 12.25 Case Scenario  
Bolster Zeeshan Gonzalez  
Ridgway C Waldron Macutkiewicz

### Lunch 12.45

## Afternoon

- 13.30 **Management Upper GI Bleed**  
Fergal Donnellan
- 13.45 Case Scenario  
Flanagan Salati R Waldron  
Velmahos McShane Keating
- 14.10 **Management of Lower GI Bleed**  
George Velmahos
- 14.25 Case Scenario  
Lund Salati Connolly Waldron  
Donnellan
- 14.50 **Acute Mesenteric Ischaemia**  
Mary Connolly
- 15.05 Case Scenario  
Connolly Tolonen Salati DeWane
- 15.30 Afternoon Tea ☺**
- 15.50 **Small Bowel Obstruction**  
Paul McCormick
- 16.05 Panel Case Scenario  
Gonzalez Barry Zeeshan R Waldron  
DeWane Boermeester
- 16.30 **When to open/close abdomen**  
Michael Sugrue
- 16.45 Case Scenario  
Tolonen Zeeshan McCormick  
DeWane Varzagalis B Boermeester  
Connolly Hameed
- 17.15 **Summary of Key Learning Points**
- 17.30 Close
- Register and book on-line Fee 275 €  
Places limited**

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