

THURSDAY **20 FEBRUARY 2020**

VENUE | **The River Club Conference Centre**

9:30 - 10:30

Registration

'MEET THE EXPERTS' SESSIONS

10:30 - 12:30 |

Concurrent Morning Workshops

RENAL MEDICINE

Electrolyte Workshop

Prof R Davids

Hypertension in Pregnancy

Dr B Davidson

Crash landing transplant patients

Dr Z Barday

RHEUMATOLOGY

Gout – new concepts in an old disease

Prof B Hodgkinson

Recognizing a connective tissue disease in the patient with lung disease

Dr R du Toit

PULMONOLOGY

TB diagnosis and treatment of tuberculosis

Prof K Dheda

Knowledge Translation Unit, University of Cape Town Lung Institute

Getting Practical about Evidence-Based Medicine – the Knowledge Translation Unit, the BMJ and PACK

Prof L Fairall, Dr R Cornick, Dr A Awotiwon, Dr C Wattus

13:30 - 15:30 |

Concurrent Afternoon Workshops

CARDIOLOGY

Who should I refer for Cardiac MR in 2020?

Prof N Ntusi

Does my patient with unexplained dyspnoea have HFpEF?

Prof M Ntsekhe

ENDOCRINOLOGY

How to interpret cortisol levels

Prof I Ross

Calcium in a nutshell

Dr B Toet

Interpretation of thyroid function tests

Dr M Conradie-Smit

Diabetes and Pregnancy a bittersweet symphony?

Dr A Coetzee

HEPATOLOGY

Clinical presentations of Hepatitis B

Prof W Spearman, Prof M Sonderup, Dr Gogela

HAEMATOLOGY

An interactive talk on iron metabolism and its clinical applications

Prof V Louw

PALLIATIVE CARE

Dr C Cupido

12:30 | **LUNCH**

16:00 - 17:30

PHYSICIANS LECTURE SERIES

Frank Forman Lecture

The Square Kilometre Array: Big Telescope, Big Science, Big Data

Prof R Taylor

Arthur Landau Lecture

A backpackers travel through the galaxy of diabetes epidemiology: a trilogy in four parts

Prof A Motala

17h30 - 18h30

Welcome Cocktail

2020 Physicians Conference **PROGRAMME**



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FRIDAY **21 FEBRUARY 2020**

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PLENARY SESSIONS

	Programme	Speaker
7:30 – 8:30	Registration	
8:30 – 8:35	Welcoming remarks	Prof N Ntusi
	LIPIDOLOGY	
8:35 – 9:00	Risky genes	Prof D Marais
	INFECTIOUS DISEASES	Chair: Prof G Meintjes
9:00 – 9:25	Bone and joint infections for the specialist physician	Dr H van der Plas
9:25 – 9:45	Advances in antiretroviral therapy	Prof G Meintjes
9:45 – 10:05	Tick-borne disease in South-Africa	Dr A Parker
10:05 – 10:30	Novel Coronavirus: Clinical aspects and infection control	Dr J Taljaard
10:30 – 11:00	TEA	
11:00 – 11:30	BMJ Knowledge Centre: Evidence in the workplace: supporting clinicians needs	Dr J Costello
	NEUROLOGY	Chair: Dr N Brey
11:30 – 12:00	Patterns of Weakness	Prof J Heckmann
12:00 – 12:30	Approach to the patient with myalgia or asymptomatic / minimally symptomatic raised serum creatine kinase	Dr F Henning
12:30 – 13:00	Reperfusion strategies in Stroke	Dr N Brey
13:00 – 14:00	LUNCH	
	NEPHROLOGY	Chair: Prof R Davids
14:00 – 14:30	Update of renal disease and diabetes	Prof N Wearne
14:30 – 15:00	Update in guidelines for hypertension	Dr E Jones
15:00 – 15:30	Hyperkalaemia	Dr Y Chothia
15:30 – 16:00	TEA	
	RHEUMATOLOGY	Chair: Prof B Hodkinson
16:00 – 16:30	Biologics - what the physician should know	Prof H Reuter
16:30 – 17:00	Treating Chronic Pain in the rheumatic diseases	Prof R Parker
17:00 – 17:30	BMJ Knowledge Centre : BMJ Best Practice (clinical decision support) and the BMJ Learning	Dr J Costello

SATURDAY **22 FEBRUARY 2020**

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PLENARY SESSIONS

	Programme	Speaker
	CARDIOLOGY	Chair: Prof M Ntsekhe
8:30 - 9:00	An evidence-based approach to ACS in the context of South Africa's reality	Dr J Hitzeroth
9:00 - 9:30	AAAn evidenced based approach to atrial fibrillation and heart failure	Dr J Moses
9:30 - 10:00	When to refer and treat your patient with coarctation of the Aorta-an evidence-based approach	Dr B Cupido
10:00 - 10:25	Cannabis: what the new regulations mean to you	Prof M Blockman
10:00 - 10:45	An approach to the patient with a Toxic Megacolon	Prof G Watermeyer
10:45 - 11:15	TEA	
11:15 - 12:00	ECG Quiz	Dr A Chin
	HAEMATOLOGY	Chair: Prof V Louw
12:00 - 12:30	Approach to Lymphadenopathy and Lymphoma	Dr E Verburgh
12:30 - 13:20	LUNCH	
	PULMONOLOGY	Chair: Prof K Dheda
13:20 - 13:45	Screening for lung cancer	Prof C Koegelenberg
13:45 - 14:10	Managing uncontrolled severe asthma	Prof K Dheda
14:10 - 14:35	Managing COPD in 2020: what's new?	Prof R van Zyl-Smit
14:35 - 15:00	Sleep disordered breathing	Dr G Symons
15:00 - 15:30	TEA	
15:30 - 16:30	Pharmacology Quiz	Prof M Blockman
	IMMUNOLOGY	
16:30 - 17:00	Diagnosing and managing antibody deficiency	Prof J Peter



SUNDAY **23 FEBRUARY 2020**

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	Programme	Speaker
	HEPATOLOGY & GASTROENTEROLOGY	Chair: Prof W Spearman
8:30 - 9:00	DILI	Prof M Sonderup
9:00 - 9:30	NSAIDs and the GIT	Prof M Setshedi
9:30 - 10:00	Chronic PPI use: are we placing our patients at risk?	Prof G Watermeyer
	ENDOCRINOLOGY	Chair: Dr M Conradie-Smit
10:00 - 10:20	Prevention of cardiovascular disease in patients with type 2 diabetes	Prof P Raubenheimer
10:20 - 10:40	Should we treat subclinical thyroid disease	Prof IL Ross
10:40 - 11:00	Managing obesity	Prof J Dave
11:00 - 11:15	Multifaceted Specialist Outreach	Dr R Caldwell
11:15 - 12:00	BRUNCH	
	ETHICS SESSION	Chair: M Blockman
12:00 - 13:00	Race, ethnicity and the ethics of "evidence"	Prof J Jansen
	Closing remarks	Prof G Watermeyer