



British Fertility Society

Pelvic Ultrasound Study Day

15-16 June 2009, Copthorne Tara Hotel, London Kensington

Meeting Information

Date and Place of Meeting

The Pelvic Ultrasound Study Day will take place on 15-16 June 2009 at the Copthorne Tara Hotel, London Kensington.

Registration Fees

Registration Rates are:

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BFS Members @ £425

Non-Members @ £595

This fee includes the sessions, morning and afternoon coffee breaks and lunch.

To register, please visit: www.fertility.org.uk/meetings/forthcoming.html and register online

BFS Pelvic Ultrasound Certification

A certificate of attendance will be issued at the end of the meeting. Please note that attendance at this one-day theoretical course forms only part of the training, and completion of your logbook and appraisal records are required for sign-off. Full instructions can be found at www.fertility.org.uk

Badges

Name badges will be provided at the registration desk and must be worn at all times.

Accommodation

Accommodation can be sought from the British Hotel Reservation Centre:

Tel: +44 (0) 207 8281075. All B&B requirements may be booked through agencies specialising in reasonably priced private accommodation for medical professionals:

Housecalls Tel: +44 (0) 208 7427057

Doctor in the House Tel: + 44 (0) 208 705949

Please note that the BFS is not responsible for accommodation.

Cancellations

Cancellations must be confirmed in writing and accompanied by your confirmation and receipt. An administrative charge of £15 will be made on all cancellations received on or before 11 May 2009. Fees after this date cannot be refunded for any reason, including ill health. Cancellations and refunds will be processed after the conference.



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Programme & Registration Information

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Programme – Monday 15 June 2009

Time	Topic	Speaker
09.00 – 09.30	Registration	
09.30 – 09.45	Welcome, Introduction and Chair	Alison McTavish
09.45 – 10.25	Image optimisation and machine controls.	Neil Pugh
10.25 – 11.10	Normal anatomy and physiology	Nazar Amso
11.10 – 11.30	Coffee	
11.30 – 12.10	Diagnostic Ultrasound	Geeta Nargund
12.10 – 12.40	Patient care and report writing	Ann Minton
12.40 – 12.45	Close of morning session	
12.45 – 13.30	Lunch	
13.30 – 14:15	WORKSHOP ONE SESSION Image optimisation	Neil Pugh
14:15 – 15:00	WORKSHOP TWO SESSION Who wants to be a sonographer?	Ann Minton & Alison McTavish
15:00 – 15:15	Coffee	
15:15 – 16:00	WORKSHOP THREE SESSION Orientation and measurements	Nazar Amso & Karen Woodcock
16:00	Close	



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Programme – Tuesday 16 June 2009

Time	Topic	Speaker
09.00 – 09.15	Welcome and Chair	Alison McTavish
09.15 – 10.00	Ultrasound guided procedures in fertility treatments	Stephen Killick
10.00 – 10.45	Pelvic Pathology	Nick Raine-Fenning
10.45 – 11.15	Coffee	
11.15 – 12.00	Early pregnancy scanning	Jane Stewart
12.00 – 12.30	Follicle Tracking/Endometrium measuring	Shilpa Deb
12.30 – 12.40	Close of morning session	
12.40 – 13.30	Lunch	
13.30 – 14.15	WORKSHOP ONE SESSION Abdominal scanning	Nick Raine-Fenning & Shilpa Deb
14.15 – 15.00	WORKSHOP TWO SESSION Early pregnancy	Jane Stewart
15.00 – 15.45	WORKSHOP THREE SESSION Practical Scanning for Pelvic Pathology	Steve Killick
15.45 – 16.00	Close of meeting	



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Pelvic Ultrasound Training Module

This course only forms the theoretical part of the BFS Pelvic Ultrasound Certification.

Application for Training

Potential trainees should register with the Training Subcommittee of the BFS when they decide to start the training. Application forms are available at: <http://www.fertility.org.uk/education/index.html>

Candidates seeking to register for Certification in Pelvic Ultrasound should:

1. Be a member of the BFS
2. Undertake training over an agreed period of time (normally a minimum of 6 months, and a maximum of 12 months) in a Centre recognised as a "Training Centre" by the BFS, under the guidance of designated trainer(s).
3. Have a basic medical qualification e.g. MB ChB or be a fertility nurse and must be a member of the BFS.
4. Provide payment of £120 payable to the British Fertility Society
5. Attend the Pelvic Ultrasound Study Day approved by the BFS.
6. Keep a logbook detailing experience in pelvic ultrasound examinations.
7. Keep a record of monthly appraisals with their trainer.
8. At the end of training apply for accreditation by:
 - i. Submission of a Certificate of attendance at the Study Day
 - ii. Submission of the Logbook and Appraisal Record.
 - iii. Submission of letter of support from their trainer.

For further details please visit the <http://www.fertility.org.uk/education/index.html> or contact the BFS Secretariat on the details below:

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