**Instructional Course** 

Inflammatory and Degenerative Arthritis

6-7 June 2025



## PROGRAMME

FRIDAY 6 JUNE					
TIME	TITLE	PRESENTER			
08:10	Registration				
08:40	Welcome	Mr Mike Lamyman Mr Nick Riley			
Session 1: The Arthritic Wrist		Chair: Mr Mike Lamyman			
08:45	How do I know when to operate?	Mr Carlos Heras-Palou			
08:55	Is there a role for denervation?	Mr Dan Armstrong			
09:05	Where does arthroscopy fit in?	Mr Matt Brown			
09:15	Fusion or replacement in RA	Mr Soham Gangopadhyay			
09:25	Fusion or replacement in OA	Mr Oliver Stone			
09:35	Panel discussion/questions				
Session 2: Base of thumb OA		Chair: Mr Jonathan Hobby			
09:55	Natural history and non-surgical treatment	Mr Dan Thornton			
10:05	Is trapeziectomy still the gold standard?	Mr Soham Gangopadhyay			
10:15	Is trapeziometacarpal replacement the present or the future?	Dr Joris Duerinckx			
10:25	When should the CMC joint be fused?	Mr Sumedh Talwalkar			
10:35	What are the options for isolated STT joint pain?	Mr Dan Armstrong			
10:45	Panel discussion/questions				
10:55	Refreshment break				

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Session	3: The Rheumatoid Hand	Chair: Mr Sumedh Talwalkar			
11:25	Assessment of the rheumatoid patient?	Mr Carlos Heras-Palou			
11:35	Management of Swan Neck Posture	Miss Lauren Uppal			
11:45	Management of Boutonniere Posture	Mr Hywel Dafydd			
11:55	MCPJ Deformities - centralisation	Mr James Bedford			
12:05	MCPJ fuse or replace?	Mr Ian McNab			
12:15	Managing the thumb	Dr Joris Duerinckx			
12:25	Which operations are winners?	Mr Jonathan Hobby			
12:35	Panel discussion/questions				
12:45	Lunch				
Session 4: Other Inflammatory arthropathies Chair: Mr Matt Brow					
13:45	How to manage the red hot swollen joint	Mr Nick Riley			
13:55	Gout	Ms Jessica Steele			
14:05	Other crystal arthropathies	Mr James Bedford			
14:15	Psoriatic arthropathy	Mr Dan Thornton			
14:25	Panel discussion/questions				
14:35	Saturday instructions				
14:40	Refreshment break				
Small g	roup tutorials 1 - 40 mins each with 5 mins turnaround	I			
15:00	Rotation 1				
15:45	Rotation 2				
16:30	Rotation 3				
17:15	Rotation 4				
18:00 -19:00	Welcome reception hosted by Medartis				

## SATURDAY 7 JUNE

SATORDAT / JONE						
TIME	TITLE	PRESENTER				
08:00	Registration					
Small group tutorials 2 - 40 mins each with 5 mins turnaround						
08:30	Rotation 5					
09:15	Rotation 6					
10:00	Rotation 7					
10:45	Rotation 8					
11:25	Refreshment break					
Session 5: PIPJ		Chair: Mr Carlos Heras-Palou				
11:45	Natural History/nonsurgical treatment	Mr Ian McNab				
11:55	Should I fuse or replace?	Miss Lauren Uppal				
12:05	Silastic Replacement	Mr Sumedh Talwalkar				
12:15	Unconstrained replacement	Mr Jonathan Hobby				
12:25	Fusion of the PIPJ	Mr Oliver Stone				
12:45	Panel discussion/questions					
13:00	Lunch					
Session	6: The Presidential Panel	Chair: Mr Nick Riley				
13:50	Case 1:	Mr Jonathan Hobby				
14:10	Case 2:	Mr Carlos Heras-Palou				
14:30	Case 3:	Mr Sumedh Talwalkar				
14:50	Closing remarks and presentations	Mr Nick Riley Mr Mike Lamyman				

SMALL GROUP TOPICS					
1	Practical - osteomed fusion plates - Acumed	Mr Oliver Stone	Mr Nick Riley Mr Dan Armstrong		
2	OA and RA DRUJ	Mr Ian McNab	Mr Carlos Heras- Palou		
3	Ultrasound for the hand surgeon - a taster - Sovereign Medical	Mr Hywel Dafydd	Dr Meilyr Dafydd		
4	Managing post-trapeziectomy pain	Dr Joris Duerinckx - Friday	Mr Soham Gangopadhyay		
5	Practical - internal brace trapeziectomy - Arthrex	Mr Sumedh Talwalkar	Mr Matt Brown		
6	PIPJ cases and surgical tips and tricks	Miss Lauren Uppal	Mr Jonathan Hobby		
7	Therapy - self management - OA v RA	Ms Christy Fowler	Mr James Bedford		
8	Tendon complications in rheumatoid arthritis	Mr Dan Thornton	Ms Jessica Steele		



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