



Programme: Monday 18 May

8-9am

Registration

9-10am

Opening ceremony

10.05-11am PARALLEL SESSIONS

Strabismus for exams (and life)

Getting it right first time
Best practice operational strategy for glaucoma services

Ocular toxicities secondary to systemic therapeutic agents

National Insights and Impact
Rare eye disease surveillance and future research through BOSU

Young vitreoretinal surgical rounds
Learning from other's mistakes 🍯

11.05-11.30am COFFEE AND POSTERS

11.30am-1pm PARALLEL SESSIONS

Rb-NET
The impact of the largest global health collaboration

Blame, blind spots and breakthroughs
Are we really using safety and audit data to improve?

Joint session with the College of Optometrists

Horizon Scanning: ocular diseases with systemic association
From bench to bedside

The dry eye patient journey
Pearls for navigating the options of care

1-2pm LUNCH

Breaking glass ceilings in ophthalmology 🍯

2-3.30pm PARALLEL SESSIONS

AI for automatic disease detection
A primer for ophthalmic clinicians

To look at the evolution in various aspects of ophthalmology

The African Ophthalmology Council (AOC) symposium
A showcase of pan-African excellence in research, training, and best practices

British Oculoplastic Surgery Society (BOPSS) satellite session
Just what is it that makes today's oculoplastics so different, so appealing?

Survive, grow, thrive
The years as a new ophthalmology consultant 🍯

3.30-4pm TEA AND POSTERS

4-5.30pm PARALLEL SESSIONS

Sickle retinopathy workshop
Screening, diagnostics and treatments

Demystifying UFOOs
A practical skills session for ophthalmology trainees 🍯

Automating the cataract care pathway
From community referral to post-operative outcomes

Rapid Fire

5.30pm END OF DAY ONE



Programme: Tuesday 19 May

8 - 9am

Poster presentations
SAS breakfast forum

9.05-10.35am MORNING SESSIONS

Reading the retina
Tips and tricks for interpreting images across pathologies.

Paediatric and infantile cataract in 2026?
How can we improve detection, diagnosis, surgical management, complication rates and visual outcomes.

Masters of vitreoretinal surgery
Innovations, strategies, and expert insight.

GLP-1 receptor agonists (GLP-1 RAs)
Mechanisms, systemic benefits, and ophthalmic safety – what every ophthalmologist should know.

10.35-11.35am

The Royal College of Ophthalmologists Annual General Meeting

11.05-11.30am COFFEE AND POSTERS

11.30am-12.30pm PARALLEL SESSIONS

The advanced clinical practitioner (ACP) in ophthalmology
A strategic response to workforce challenges

Emergencies of the orbit and adnexa
Recognition and multidisciplinary management 🧑‍⚕️

A roadmap for early recognition and efficient management of sight-threatening infectious uveitis
A case-based discussion

Cataract services
Who are they serving?

Rapid Fire

12.30-1.30pm LUNCH

1.30-2.25pm KEYNOTE LECTURE

Bowman Lecture – Professor Jugnoo Rahi

2.30-3.30pm PARALLEL SESSIONS

Using apps to bridge the gaps
Evaluating emerging technologies in the primary /secondary interface in eyecare

Paediatric certification of visual impairment
What every ophthalmologist needs to know

Building the future of clinical eye research
NIHR vision for success through digital interoperability

Management of ophthalmic trauma in conflict

2.30-5pm OTG symposium 🧑‍⚕️

3.30-4pm TEA AND POSTERS

4-5.30pm PARALLEL SESSIONS

State of the art management of diabetic macular oedema

Surgical strategies for the failing corneal graft
Innovations beyond repeat PK

Recreational drugs and the eye
From acute toxicity to long-term impact

The emerging value of SupraChoroidal therapies
Focus on glaucoma

Albinism
Best practice for ophthalmologists

5.30pm END OF DAY TWO



Programme: Wednesday 20 May

8- 9.30am

Poster presentations

9.05-10.35am

PARALLEL SESSIONS

Recognising and managing uncertainty in clinical practice

Vision for life
Harnessing lifestyle to prevent and manage eye disease.

Medico legal session

Cataract surgery in eyes with corneal pathology
From pre-assessment to surgical pearls

What I wish I knew
Early lessons from the vitreoretinal frontline 🍷

10.35-11am COFFEE AND POSTERS

11am-12.30pm MORNING SESSIONS

Managing diabetic retinopathy, uveitis and other chorioretinal conditions in pregnancy

Cataract surgery in patients living with dementia

Can I divorce my colleagues?
Managing breakdown in departmental relationships

Advances in proteomics and metabolomics
Transforming ophthalmology research

Angle closure glaucoma
Current treatment paradigms

12.30-1.30pm LUNCH

SAS forum 🍷

1.30-2.25pm KEYNOTE LECTURE

Edridge Green lecture – Professor Conor Murphy

2.30-3.30pm PARALLEL SESSIONS

Vision screening under review: need, equity, and evolution

Ophthalmic study design
Tips and pitfalls

Artificial intelligence in ophthalmology
Evidence from patient communication and education

Island ophthalmology
Delivering eye care in remote and isolated communities

Interactive ocular oncology cases quiz
(until 4pm) 🍷

3.30-4pm COFFEE AND POSTERS

4-5.30pm PARALLEL SESSIONS

Breaking barriers
Addressing diversity, ethnicity, and inequalities in ophthalmology

More than meets the bag
Everything you didn't know about the Zonule

AI is everywhere, but novices can be left behind
This session will give AI beginners the tools to understand, use, and critically assess AI in practice

Myopia
Evidence-based assessment and management of myopic children in 2026

Case conundrums retina and uveitis 🍷

5.30pm END OF DAY THREE



Programme: **Thursday 21 May**

SPECIALITY AND SUBSPECIALTY SESSIONS

9am-5pm

Retina day

9am-5pm

Glaucoma day

9am-5pm

Neuro ophthalmology

9am-12.30pm

Paediatric
subspecialty

1.30-5pm

Cornea
subspecialty