

Dr Helen New

Dr Helen New is a Consultant in Paediatric Haematology and Transfusion Medicine at Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust, and a Consultant with NHS Blood and Transplant. She is Chair of the UK Standing Advisory Committee on Blood Components, leads on national audits and guidelines, and a member of the national haemovigilance scheme 'Serious Hazards of Transfusion' working expert group.

Dr Russell Perkins

Having trained in Leicester, Coventry and the north west region Russell took up a post as a Consultant at Manchester Children's Hospital in 1998 working initially in both ICU and theatres but latterly solely in theatres. He has a number of areas of interest including paediatric resuscitation, cleft palate surgery and emergency paediatric anaesthesia. He has been a college tutor, developed fellowship training in paediatric anaesthesia in Manchester and examined for both the primary and final FRCA. He is a member of the Royal College of Anaesthetists college council. He is the regional advisor for the North West region. Russell has a strong research background publishing in the areas of resuscitation, muscle relaxants and emergency management of paediatric tracheostomy. He has also swum the channel (twice!) for the spinal injuries charity Aspire.

Professor Philip M Hopkins

Professor Hopkins graduated Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery, University of London in 1984. In 1996 he was awarded an MD by thesis by the University of Leeds. He is a Fellow of the Royal College of Anaesthetists. Professor Hopkins holds the post of Professor of Anaesthesia at the University of Leeds, is an Honorary Consultant Anaesthetist to the Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust and is Director of the UK National Malignant Hyperthermia Investigation Unit based at St James's University Hospital, Leeds. Professor Hopkins' major clinical and research interest is malignant hyperthermia (MH) and this includes its relationship with exertional heat stroke. The UK Malignant Hyperthermia Investigation Unit has investigated more than 6800 patients at risk of MH, making it the largest of its kind in the world. Over the past 30 years Professor Hopkins has published more than 280 papers, abstracts, articles and book chapters, and four books – most recently the Oxford Textbook of Anaesthesia. He has given invited lectures in the United States, Europe, Asia and South Africa. He is a Director of the British Journal of Anaesthesia and Chairperson of the European Malignant Hyperthermia Group.

Dr Alistair Baxter

Dr Alastair Baxter is a Consultant Paediatric Anaesthetist at the Royal Hospital for Sick Children in Edinburgh, with an interest in paediatric airways and total intravenous anaesthesia. He has been a core member of the Society for Intravenous Anaesthesia's 'TIVA for Tots' study days since their inception in 2012.

NEPAN is a clinical network of anaesthetists and intensivists with an interest in paediatric anaesthesia. All acute trusts in the Northern Region are represented. Our aims include:

- To promote collaboration between anaesthetists in specialist and non-specialist hospitals.
- To support the acquisition of knowledge for anaesthetists at all stages of their careers.
- To promote the highest standards of perioperative care for children throughout the region.

The committee meet regularly (approximately every two months). We aim to organise a one-day educational meeting each year and to complete at least one regional clinical audit annually.

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North of England Paediatric Anaesthesia Network

REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL MEETING 2017

XCEL Centre, Newton Aycliffe
Thursday 7TH December 2017

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REGISTRATION AND REFRESHMENTS FROM 0845**SESSION 1 – Chair: Dr Lisa Daniels
PAEDIATRIC ANAESTHESIA AND PAIN**

0905	Minimising iatrogenic discomfort – to drink or not to drink? [2D02, 2D04] <i>Dr Chris Perry – The Great North Children’s Hospital.</i>
0950	Chronic pain in children. [2D05, 3E00] <i>Dr Ewan Wallace – Royal Hospital for Children, Glasgow.</i>
1025	Managing the paediatric airway - what's new? [2A01] <i>Dr Stephanie Bew – Leeds Children’s Hospital.</i>

COFFEE AND INDUSTRY EXHIBITION 1100-1130**SESSION 2 - Chair: Dr Martin Millar
MANAGEMENT OF THE RELUCTANT CHILD**

1130	NEPAN regional survey 2017 – premedication in children. [2A03,1A02] <i>Dr Gordon Boyle – The Northern School of Anaesthesia</i>
1200	From car to theatre – non-pharmacological management of the difficult child. [2A03] <i>Dr Simon Courtman – Plymouth Hospital NHS Trust.</i>

LUNCH AND INDUSTRY EXHIBITION 1240-1330

1330	RCOA Silver Jubilee <i>Dr Ramana Alladi, Educational Programme Advisor, RCOA</i>
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**SESSION 3 – Chair: Dr Sarah Bell
TRAUMA IN CHILDREN**

1340	Blood transfusion in children. [2D01,1E04] <i>Dr Helen New – NHS Blood and Transplant.</i>
1415	Lessons from Manchester – paediatric major incident management. [2D01, 1I02] <i>Dr Russell Perkins – Manchester Children’s Hospital</i>

COFFEE AND INDUSTRY EXHIBITION 1500-1530**SESSION 4 – Chair: Dr James Limb
MALIGNANT HYPERTHERMIA AND TOTAL INTRAVENOUS ANAESTHESIA**

1530	Malignant Hyperthermia in children. [3D00,1A01, 1A02] <i>Professor Phil Hopkins – University of Leeds.</i>
1615	Total Intravenous Anaesthesia (TIVA) in children. [1A02, 2D02] <i>Dr Alistair Baxter – The Royal Hospital for Sick Children, Edinburgh</i>

SUMMARY AND CLOSE OF MEETING 1700**Dr Chris Perry**

Chris is a Consultant Paediatric Anaesthetist from the Great North Children’s Hospital in Newcastle. He trained in the north east before completing his fellowship in Adelaide. He enthusiastically promotes quality improvement projects which directly impact patient experience and is also keen to bore anyone who will listen about anaesthesia and the environment and TIVA. He also likes the odd bike ride!

Dr Ewan Wallace

Ewan is part of the select group of Glasgow University graduates that did not move to the Gosforth area of Newcastle after graduation. He started anaesthetics 17 years ago and now works as a Consultant in Paediatric Anaesthesia and Pain Management in the Royal Hospital for Children in Glasgow. His job is mixed between paediatric anaesthetics and a paediatric chronic pain service that covers the whole of the West of Scotland area.

Dr Stephanie Bew

Dr Stephanie Bew is a paediatric anaesthetist who has worked at the Leeds Children's Hospital since 1998. She has a specialist interest in paediatric airway surgery, is a member of the APA council and APA lead for peer review.

Dr Gordon Boyle

Dr Gordon Boyle graduated from Newcastle in 2006 before completing his foundation and anaesthetic training in north east England. He has sat as the trainee representative on the NEPAN committee since February 2017. He completed advanced paediatric training at the Great North Children’s Hospital and is due to undertake a paediatric anaesthesia fellowship in Glasgow before returning to Newcastle to take up a Consultant post in paediatric anaesthesia.

Dr Simon Courtman

Dr Simon Courtman is a Consultant Paediatric Anaesthetist in Plymouth. He is the Clinical Director for Children’s Services. He has a particular interest in working with children with learning disabilities, anxiety issues and behavioral problems. He is president of the regional Network SWACA and involved in the regional STP review of children’s services. He has recently been elected to APA Council and currently holds the post of webmaster. He is involved in developing the ASCA process for children within the RCOA and more recently the NHS England national review of Children’s surgery and critical care. The rest of the time, he surfs!

Dr Ramana Alladi

Dr Venkata Ramana Alladi is the Educational Programme Advisor for the Royal College of Anaesthetists. He has served in the NHS since 1975 initially as a surgeon and later as an anaesthetist for forty two years. He trained in anaesthesia in Manchester and worked as an associate specialist at Tameside General Hospital, Ashton under Lyne and retired from the NHS in 2016. He was a member of the Council of the AAGBI for thirteen years and was awarded the honorary membership of the Association, Anniversary Medal and the Council medal for his services to the art and science of anaesthesia and the Council. He was a member of the PMETB (Postgraduate Medical Education and Training Board). He has been an elected member of the Council of the RCoA between 2012-2016. He has represented the SAS members of the Association and the College. His main interests are education, standards and organising educational meetings for all grades of anaesthetists.