



British Orthopaedic Foot & Ankle Society

Annual Scientific Meeting Brighton  
Medical Student Programme  
Ambassador Suite  
Friday 31 January 2025

08:30-09:00 Registration

09:00-09:10 Introduction / Housekeeping

Matt Welck

**Session 1**

09:10-09:20 Life as an orthopaedic surgeon – Why choose orthopaedics

Shelain Patel

09:20-09:30 The training pathway: from medical school to orthopaedics

Xander Beer (ST6 Orth)

09:30-09:40 How to build your portfolio towards a surgical career

Rajesh Kakwani

09:40-09:50 Non-technical skills for surgeons

Matt Welck

09:50-10:00 Interesting case

Amit Patel

10:00-10:10 Discussion

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**Session 2**

10:10-11:10 Workshop: SCARF Osteotomy ~sawbone workshop with competition

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11:10-11:30 Medical Student presentations

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11:30-12:00 Brunch (in main exhibition room)

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**Session 3**

12:00-13:00 How I do it/Why do I do it this way?...

Main plenary

*Chairs: Graham Chuter / Krishna Vemulapalli*

12.50 – 13.35 Golden paper from 50 golden years 4 & 5

*Chair: Nick Cullen*

12.50 – 13.05 "The structure and function of the foot in relation to injury" 2005

Peter Briggs

13.05 – 13.20 "The first tarsometatarsal joint and its association with hallux valgus" 2012

Lyndon Mason

13.25 - 13.40 **Keynote Lecture 7**

"BOFAS simulation vision for the future"

Togay Koç

*Chair: Nick Cullen*

13.40 - 14.00 Presidential Handover

14.00 Meeting end