



Feb 26-27th 2026

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Course overview

Our 17th London Live Endoscopy will be a 2 day virtual conference available to a global audience. The event will show case the best in endoscopic teaching, delivering clearly defined learning objectives related to clinically relevant diagnostic and therapeutic endoscopy. Demonstrating safe, clinically effective endoscopy will be a central component of the course. Prerecorded cases, demonstrating all relevant steps of decision-making and technical delivery will be presented, and discussed by a live expert faculty. Additional faculty within the 'classroom' will present the evidence, guidelines, and literature related to the clinical problems, and further faculty within the 'endoscopy workshop' will demonstrate endoscopic equipment and technique related to the case. Short didactic lectures will also be delivered. Delegate interaction will be available throughout, through a live message board, live polling, and quizzes.

Programme

Thurs Feb 26th:

0900-0910: Introduction + Streaming tour

0910-1315: Upper GI Endoscopy Symposium

09:10 – 10:10 – Oesophageal Resection and ablation

Case demonstrations

- Barrett's oesophagus assessment and AI detection of lesion
- Endoscopic mucosal resection in Barrett's
- Endoscopic submucosal dissection in Barrett's
- Oesophageal dilatation using Esoflip
- Cryoablation in Barrett's

Expert faculty: Dave Graham, Roos Pouw, Julia Gauci, Matthew Banks

10:10-1025 Topic update: Barrett's assessment in 2026. Dr Roos Pouw (Utrecht)

10:25 – 11:05 – Detection of gastric lesions and resection

Case demonstrations

- Chronic atrophic gastritis assessment
- Virtual reality training tool
- Gastric ESD with traction

Expert faculty: Matthew Banks, Roos Pouw, Alanna Ebigbo, Julia Gauci

11:05 – 12:05 – Oesophageal motility disorders

Case demonstrations

- Pan-manometry with Endoflip and dilatation with Esoflip
- POEM
- cTIF

Expert faculty: Rami Sweis, Vinay Seghal, Noor Mohammed, Dave Graham

1205 – 1220 Topic update: Oesophagogastric ESD – case selection and techniques. Dr Alanna Ebigo (Augsburg)**12:20 – 13:10 – Foreign bodies, fistulae, acute obstruction**

Case demonstrations

- Endoscopic removal of sharp foreign bodies
- Closing fistulae and tears

Expert faculty: Vinay Seghal, Alanna Ebigo, Rehan Haidry, Roos Pouw

1315-1700: HPB Endoscopy Symposium**1315-1400 Biliary Access**

Case demonstrations

- Selective biliary cannulation + sphincterotomy techniques
- The difficult diverticulum
- Precut/KNS
- EUS Rendez-vous/CDD

Expert panel: George Webster, Torsten Beyna, Bev Kok, Simon Philpotts

1400-1500 Complex Biliary, Gallbladder + Pancreatic Stone Disease

Case demonstrations

- Large balloon sphincteroplasty
- Cholangioscopy-assisted lithotripsy
- Pancreatic ductal stones
- EUS-gallbladder drainage
- Transpapillary gallbladder drainage

Expert panel: George Webster, Torsten Beyna, Simon Philpotts, Bev Kok

1500-1600 Biliary Stricture Management

Case demonstrations

- EUS-guided tissue acquisition
- Cholangioscopic assessment of indeterminate strictures
- Stenting malignant obstruction
- Managing benign biliary strictures/cholangiopathy

Expert panel: George Webster, Mike Chapman, Jon Potts, Taz El-Menabawey

1600-1615: Topic Update. Cholangioscopy in 2026 – innovation in technology + practice. Dr Torsten Beyna (Dusseldorf)

1615-1700. Management of malignant duodenal (+/- biliary) obstruction 2026

Case demonstrations

- EUS-gastrojejunostomy
- EUS- hepatico-gastrostomy (HGS).
- Duodenal stenting

Expert panel: Gavin Johnson, Steve Pereira, Torsten Beyna, Harry Martin

Friday Feb 27th

0850-0900: Introduction + recap of day 1

0900-1315 Colonoscopy Symposium

0900-1010 Polyp assessment + management

Case demonstrations

- Small polyps – characterization and resection techniques
- Large polyps – assessment, characterization, resection choices
- Post-polypectomy bleed

Expert panel: Ed Seward, Roser Vega, Noor Mohammed, Evelien Dekker.

1010-1025: Topic update. Lifting, leaving, learning – Optimal polypectomy techniques. Dr John Anderson (Cheltenham)

1025—1125: Non-invasive colonic assessment – approach in screening, symptomatic, and high risk groups.

Case demonstrations

- Non-endoscopic assessment + colon capsule
- qFiT and changing practice

Expert panel: Ed Seward, Ioanna Parisi, Evelien Dekker, John Anderson

1125-1140: Topic update: Understanding colonoscopic surveillance in high risk groups. Prof Evelien Dekker (Amsterdam)

1140-1245: Large lesion resection

Case demonstrations

- Underwater EMR
- Colonic ESD
- Endoscopic Intermuscular Dissection (EID) of rectal cancer
- Full thickness resection

Expert panel: Roser Vega, Noor Mohammed, Alanna Ebigbo, Pradeep Bhandari.

1245-1300: Topic update. Drowning or waving? – underwater EMR. Dr Alanna Ebigbo (Augsburg).

1315-1700: Clinical Practice Symposium: “Doing more. Doing less”

Endoscopic practice changes rapidly due to advances in clinical evidence, technological innovation and expert opinion. These developments lead not only to new clinical approaches but require us to reduce or even stop procedures or clinical pathways which may be long established. Our expert faculty will debate, discuss, argue and demonstrate innovations and approaches that will be incorporated into best endoscopic practice, and the practices they expect to see less of in the coming years. Will we (should we) be diagnostic gastroscopy and colonoscopy: small polyp histology; percutaneous biliary drainage; redo ERCP's; duodenal stenting for malignant obstruction; emergency surgery for colonic obstruction; Barretts surveillance. And will we (should we) be doing more EUS, tumour resection, motility-related endoscopy, cholangioscopy, non-invasive testing, AI-assisted endoscopy..?

1315-1415: Upper GI

Expert faculty: Dave Graham, Vinay Seghal, Alanna Ebigbo, Julia Gauci

1415-1515: Colon

Expert faculty: Roser Vega, John Anderson, Evelien Dekker, Noor Mohammed

1515-1600: Artificial Intelligence in Endoscopy

Expert faculty: Omer Ahmad, Alanna Ebigbo, Ed Seward, Pradeep Bhandari

1600-1700: HPB

Expert faculty George Webster, Gavin Johnson, Torsten Beyna, Steve Pereira

1700-1710. Closing remarks