



EMEA Knee Symposium



October 09-11, 2024



Radisson Blu St. Helen's Hotel,
Stillorgan Road
Dublin
Ireland

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Welcome to the EMEA Knee Symposium

This Knee Symposium is a large educational event designed to gather Health Care Professionals from across the region to learn, in further detail, from expert faculty, the latest findings and best practice in relation to Knee Arthroplasty. The sessions are intended to be highly interactive, comprehensive and applicable to the latest methods required for optimal patient outcomes.

This course will cover all aspects of the latest findings and best practice specifically relating to the ATTUNE Knee System as well as the VELYS Robotic Assisted Solution, Patient Specific Techniques and SIGMA Partial. Expert faculty will lead this interactive event, exploring in depth, the latest findings in relation to implant choice, optimal technique and technology considerations.

All faculty will be present and available for discussion and interaction throughout the duration of the symposium.

Yours sincerely,

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Faculty

Professor David Barrett

UK

Mr. Ben Bloch

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Mr. Phillip Walmsley

UK

Professor James Harty

Ireland

Professor Tobias Renkawitz

Germany

Dr. Pieter-Jan Vandekerckhove

Belgium

Professor Heiko Graichen

Switzerland

Dr. Kevin Perry

USA

Dr. Kathrin Sekyra

Austria

Professor Carsten Perka

Germany

Dr. Judith Bering

Switzerland

Professor Michael Hirschmann

Switzerland

Professor Rudiger von Eisenhart-Rothe

Germany

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Agenda

Day 1

October 09, 2024

15:00 Education & Innovation Suites open – Radisson Blu St Helen’s

15:00 Hotel check-in available (Radisson Blu & Talbot hotels)

17:30 Coffee and registration – Concourse

Meeting opens – Plenary

18:00 Welcome from Johnson & Johnson
Andrew Dalton

18:05 Guide to interactivity and housekeeping
Gary Smith

18:10 Clinical objectives
Professor Barrett

18:15 10 years of the ATTUNE Knee System
Professor Barrett

18:30 ATTUNE development experience
Professor Perka

18:45 Panel discussion
Moderator: Professor Perka
Faculty: Professor Hirschmann, Professor Barrett, Mr. Walmsley, Professor Renkawitz

- Clinical outcome
- Knee restoration - stability
- 3rd space – the anterior

19:15 Panel discussion
Moderator: Professor Harty
Faculty: Mr. Bloch, Dr. Sekyra, Dr. Perry, Professor von Eisenhart-Rothe

- Implant fixation
- Cemented vs cementless

19:45 Wrap-Up
Professor Harty

19:55 Session close

20:00 Dinner – Talavera Restaurant

22:30 Coach transfer departs Radisson Blu for Talbot Hotel

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Day 2

October 10, 2024

08:00 Education & Innovation Suites open – Radisson Blu St Helen’s

08:00 Coach transfer departs Talbot Hotel for Radisson Blu

08:00 Coffee available – Concourse

Meeting opens in Plenary – Radisson Blu

09:00 Welcome and reminders
Gary Smith

09:05 Day 1 recap
Professor Perka

09:10 Partial Knee Arthroplasty: UKA-TKA – what is evidence, what is marketing?
Moderator: Professor Renkawitz

09:15 Lecture Debate – Pros & Cons UKA-TKA
Presenting Faculty: Mr Bloch, Professor Barrett

09:35 Medial / lateral – same surgery? Tips on surgical technique
Professor Barrett

09:45 Panel discussion – Success strategies in UKA
Moderator: Professor Renkawitz
Faculty: Mr. Walmsley, Mr. Bloch, Professor Barrett

- Patient selection
- Surgical technique, is there a need for robotics?
- Rehabilitation

10:30 Coffee – Concourse

Education & Innovation Suites open

Meeting restarts in Plenary

11:15 Instability vs laxity – what do we think is the perfect stability for a TKA?
Moderator: Professor von Eisenhart-Rothe

11:30 Medial stabilized TKA – surgical technique
Dr. Perry

11:45 Role of the insert (CR/PS/Medial Stabilised) for kinematic restoration in TKA
Dr. Vandekerckhove

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11:55 Panel discussion
Moderator: Professor von Eisenhart-Rothe
Faculty: Dr. Vandekerckhove, Professor Harty, Dr. Perry, Professor Hirschmann,

- Kinematic restoration
- Medial constraint
- Balancing goals

12:40 **Session Close** and logistics for afternoon breakouts
Professor von Eisenhart-Rothe

12:45 **Lunch – Talavera Restaurant (dessert/coffee will be served on Concourse)**

Education Suite open

Meeting restarts in various locations

13:45 Workshop sessions

• VRAS	Pembroke
• ATTUNE Primary	Seamount
• ATTUNE Revision	Webley
• SIGMA Partial INTUITION	Sir John Nutting
• uVRAS	Innovation Suite
• Inclusive Design	Le Panto - Copper

Meeting restarts in Plenary

16:45 Avoiding complications in primary TKA
Professor Harty

16:50 Techniques for managing difficult exposure
Mr. Walmsley

17:02 The unstable knee – surgical manoeuvres
Professor Graichen

17:14 The challenging TKA – after osteotomy, extra-articular deformity
Professor Hirschmann

17:26 Avoiding infection – what is the evidence?
Dr. Sekyra

17:38 Managing the failed extensor mechanism
Professor von Eisenhart-Rothe

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- 17:50** Panel discussion and Q&A
Moderator: Professor Harty
Faculty: Mr. Walmsley, Professor Graichen, Dr. Sekyra, Professor Hirschmann, Professor von Eisenhart-Rothe
- 18:17** Session close & Dinner Logistics
Professor Harty
- 18:20** **Close of Day 2**
- 18:30** Transfer to Talbot Hotel
- 19:30** Transfer from Talbot to Restaurant
Transfer from Radisson Blu to Restaurant
- 20:00** **Group Dinner – Fade Street, Dublin**
- 22:30** Transfers from Fade Street to hotels

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Day 3

October 11, 2024

08:00 Education & Innovation Suites open – Radisson Blu St Helen’s

08:00 Coach transfer departs Talbot Hotel for Radisson Blu

08:00 Coffee Available – Concourse

Meeting opens in Plenary – Radisson Blu

09:00 Welcome Day 3
Mr. Walmsley

09:05 Introduction to Live Surgery
Dr. Perry in Dublin & Mr. Bloch in Cork

09:15 Live Surgery – TKA Patient Specific ATTUNE knee enabled with VRAS
Moderator: *Dr. Perry*
Faculty: *Dr. Sekyra, Dr. Bering, Professor Hirschmann, Professor Renkawitz, Professor Graichen, Professor von Eisenhart-Rothe, Dr. Vandekerckhove*

10:45 Coffee – Concourse

Education & Innovation Suites open

Meeting restarts in Plenary

Personalised alignment & future technology session
Moderator: *Professor Hirschmann*

11:30 Patient phenotypes and alignment strategies
Professor Hirschmann

11:40 My Patient Specific technique – VELYS
Professor Graichen

11:50 My Patient Specific technique - Conventional
Professor Harty

12:00 15 years of computer-assisted TKA – lessons learned
Professor Renkawitz

12:10 Robotics and outcome
Dr. Vandekerckhove

12:20 Can we produce better outcomes with robotics? Evidence from Vienna
Dr. Sekyra

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- 12:30** 1000 ATTUNE with VELYS – lessons learned
Dr. Perry
- 12:40** Future considerations – enabling technology & ergonomics
Dr. Bering
- 12:50** AI & future of TKA
Professor von Eisenhart-Rothe
- 13:00** Panel discussion – Robotics & future trends
Moderator: Professor Hirschmann
Faculty: Professor Graichen, Professor Harty, Professor Renkawitz, Dr. Sekyra, Dr. Perry, Professor von Eisenhart-Rothe, Dr. Bering, Dr. Vandekerckhove,
- 13:40** Final remarks
Professor Barrett
- 13:45** **Session close**
- Lunch Bags available prior to departure coach transfer to airport
- 14:00** Prepare for departures
- 14:15** Coaches depart for Dublin Airport

