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**Techniques and
Technologies in
Knee Arthroplasty**

Surgeon Educational
Symposium

Featuring the Advance®
Medial Pivot

Date

Thursday 5th &
Friday 6th November 2009

In conjunction with

Guy's Hospital
University of London

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London, UK,
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Course Hosts:

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Day 1: Thursday 5th November 09

Morning arrivals

09,00	Registration	
09,20	Welcome and introduction	Peter Earnshaw

Session 1: Innovation

09,30	The use of MRI in biomechanical research	Peter Hill
09,50	Biomechanics of the knee & Medial Pivot theory	Vera Pinskerova
10,10	Functional requirements of TKA	Richie Gill
10,30	Design characteristics of the Advance® Medial Pivot: How it started and how it evolved	David Blaha

10,50 Discussion 1: Moderator Mike Gross

11,00 Coffee Break

Session 2: Patient considerations and kinematic analysis

11,30	Alignment perpendicular to the mechanical axis and stability benefits	David Blaha
11,50	Medial pivoting kinematics	Richie Gill
12,10	Cementless tibial fixation	Mike Gross
12,30	Stature sizing	Marc Goossens

12,45 Discussion 2: Moderator Peter Earnshaw

12,55 Lunch

Session 3: Stability & results

14,15	Advance® Medial Pivot: The first concerns and objections	David Blaha
14,30	Objective and subjective patient measurement: A consideration in study methodology	David Beard
14,45	Clinical results: 7 to 10 Years	Marc Goossens

15,00 Discussion 3: Moderator James Bliss

Session 4: From primary to revision

15,10	The difficult primary	David Blaha
15,30	Hardware and software options in TKA	James Bliss
15,45	The use of constrained TKA: Case studies, surgical hints and tips	Mike Gross

16,00 Discussion 4: Moderator Peter Hill

16,10 Coffee & workshops

16,45 Close

20,00 Course Dinner



Day 2: Friday 6th November 09

08,30	Arrivals & coffee	
09,00	Welcome and introduction	James Bliss

Session 5: TKA instrument referencing

09,10	Surgical Technique: Anterior Referencing (Anterior Rough Cut)	Speaker to be confirmed
09,30	Surgical Technique: Posterior Referencing (Distal Cut First)	James Bliss

09,50 Discussion 5: Moderator David Blaha

Session 6: Surgical considerations

10,00	Patella alignment and tracking: Implant design considerations	Theo Karachalios
10,15	Femoral Component Rotation in the TKA	Karel Koudela
10,30	Midvastus approach	Stephen Mannion
10,45	Key surgical tips for the orthopaedic surgeon	Mike Gross

11,00 Discussion 6: Moderator Peter Earnshaw

11,10 Coffee Break

Session 7: Surgical Challenges

11,40	The Varus knee	Peter Earnshaw
12,00	The Valgus knee	James Bliss

12,20 Discussion 7: Moderator Mike Gross

Session 8: Results

12,30	Tibial insert retrieval analysis: Observations and conclusions	Theo Karachalios
12,45	Clinical results: UK experience	Rohit Rambani
12,55	Clinical results: Mid term outcome study	Theo Karachalios

13,15 Discussion 8: Moderator David Blaha

13,25	Closing remarks	Peter Earnshaw
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Wright Medical Advance® Medial Pivot Surgeon events 2009

2009 Overview

Wright Medical will be supporting several Advance® Medial Pivot events in 2009 designed for orthopaedic surgeons with a specialty in total knee arthroplasty to attend. These educational events have a surgeon-led faculty and consist of short presentations, workshops and course dinner with discussion. Some events also feature surgical observation.

5th-6th November 09: Guy's University Hospital Overview:

Guy's University teaching hospital is situated in the heart of London on the South Bank of the River Thames. This event runs over 2 days with a focus on the Advance® Medial Pivot knee in primary and revision use. The faculty will cover many aspects relating to knee arthroplasty. This includes balancing & alignment of the knee, varus & valgus deformities, surgical hints and tips and clinical results. Day 1 starts in the morning and after the lectures, concludes with workshops. The evening has a course dinner and discussion opportunity. Day 2 will discuss surgical techniques and clinical results. This event finishes at lunchtime, allowing for afternoon departures.



Faculty

Dr David Beard	UK
Prof. David Blaha	USA
Mr James Bliss	UK
Mr Peter Earnshaw	UK
Dr Richie Gill	UK
Dr Marc Goossens	Belgium
Dr Michael Gross	Canada
Col. Peter Hill	UK
Prof. Theo Karachalios	Greece
Prof. Karel Koudela	Czech Republic
Mr Stephen Mannion	UK
Mr Rohit Rambani	UK
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