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**10th British Hypertension Society
HYPERTENSION MASTERCLASS**

Tuesday, 26 May 2009

**BHF Glasgow Clinical Research Centre,
University of Glasgow**



Welcome Invitation

The British Hypertension Society is pleased to invite you to attend the tenth in its series of *Hypertension Masterclasses*. This CPD-accredited educational programme is designed to cover specialist topics in the field of hypertension, and is designed for both clinical and basic science members of the BHS, as well as non-members. It is the intention of the Society that the Masterclasses will support future hypertension specialist accreditation by providing continual professional development, and for this reason the Masterclasses are particularly relevant for SpRs.

6 hours External credit for the CPD Scheme of the Federation of Royal Colleges of Physicians of the UK have been approved (code 48600).

A travel grant will be available for registrars and junior doctors attending the meeting. Please see below for further details on this and also how to register to attend the meeting. As the intention of these Masterclasses is to provide a small interactive forum for discussion, places at the meeting are **limited to 40**. You are therefore encouraged to *register as soon as possible*.

We look forward to seeing you in Glasgow for the tenth BHS Masterclass.

Dr James McLay

Chairman, Educational Programmes Working Party

Dr Christian Delles
Masterclass Local Organiser

Dr Sandosh Padmanabhan
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PROGRAMME

08.30 – 09.15 *Registration and Tea/Coffee*

SESSION 1: Chair: Dr Christian Delles

09.15 – 09.50 Hypertension and Heart Failure

Professor John McMurray
University of Glasgow

09.50 – 10.25 Primary Aldosteronism

Professor John Connell
University of Glasgow

10.25 – 10.40 Hot Topics in Basic Research: microRNA

Dr Martin McBride
University of Glasgow

10.40 – 10.55 *Tea/Coffee*

10.55 – 11.30 Hypertension and Stroke

Dr Matthew Walters
University of Glasgow

11.30 – 12.05 Hypertension and Pregnancy

Professor Anna Dominiczak
University of Glasgow

12.05-12.20 Hot Topics in Clinical Research: Pharmacogenetics

Dr Sandosh Padmanabhan
University of Glasgow

12.20 – 13.20 *Lunch*

SESSION 2: Chair: Dr Sandosh Padmanabhan

13.20 – 13.55 Hypertension and Diabetes

Dr Robert Lindsay
University of Glasgow

13.55 – 14.30 Hypertension and the Kidney

Dr Colin Geddes
NHS Greater Glasgow & Clyde

14.30 – 14.45 Hot Topics in Clinical Research: Biomarkers

Dr Christian Delles
University of Glasgow

14.45-15.00 *Tea/Coffee*

15.00 – 15.15 Hot Topics in Basic Research: Gene Transfer

Dr Lorraine Work
University of Glasgow

15.15 – 15.50 Antihypertensive Therapy: Evidence from Recent Clinical Trials

Professor Gordon McInnes
University of Glasgow

15.50 – 16.25 Metabolic Dysregulations in Hypertensive Patients: Mechanisms and Clinical Implications

Professor Naveed Sattar
University of Glasgow

16.25 – 16.30 *Summary and Close of Meeting*

The Programme is correct at the time of printing, and the Secretariat accepts no liability for any changes made at a later date.

MEETING INFORMATION

VENUE

The meeting will be held in the BHF Glasgow Clinical Research Centre, Rooms C222/223, Glasgow University <http://www.gla.ac.uk/bhfgcrc/> Directions and a map will be sent to delegates prior to the event.

ACCREDITATION

6 hours external accreditation for the CPD Scheme of the Federation of Royal Colleges of Physicians of the UK have been approved (code 48600).

REGISTRATION

The Registration Fee to attend the Masterclass is **£50.00** for Consultants and **£35.00** for Registrars (this includes lunch, conference materials and VAT). Payment should be made by cheque (payable to *British Hypertension Society*) or by credit card. Please complete the attached registration form and return to the address given together with payment by cheque if applicable. Please note that provisional places cannot be reserved

Acknowledgement – Upon receipt of registration forms, delegates will be sent confirmation of their place by email. Further meeting information, including directional maps, will be sent to delegates two weeks before the meeting. Receipts for payment will be available on the day unless required beforehand.

CANCELLATIONS & REFUNDS

If you are no longer able to attend the meeting please advise the Secretariat in writing as soon as possible. Registration fees will only be refunded for written cancellations received prior to or on 11 May 2009. Refunds will not be made for cancellations received after this date, but named substitutions will be allowed at any time. Please note that any refunds due will be paid after the conference has taken place.

TRAVEL GRANT

The British Hypertension Society is pleased to be able to provide a grant towards the travel expenses of registrars and junior doctors from outside Glasgow. The amount of the travel grants will be determined after the meeting and will be linked to the distance travelled by delegates. Application forms will be available at the meeting if you wish to be considered for a travel grant.

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