



FSEM 19th Annual Scientific Conference
“Challenges in Contact and Collision Sports”
RCSI, Friday 15th September 2023 – 7.00-19.00 (ONSITE)

PROGRAMME OUTLINE

| Time | Title of Talk | Speaker |
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| 7.15 | Registration | |
| 8.00 | Life on the frontline in Professional Rugby | Prof John Ryan |
| 8.25 | Genitourinary Injury and Contact Sports | A/Prof Fardod O’Kelly |
| 8.50 | Loss of Consciousness in Contact Sports | Dr Nikos G Malliaropoulos |
| 9.15 | IRFU Charitable Trust Schools Study | Prof Helen French |
| 9.40 | Panel Discussion | Chair – Prof Mick Molloy |
| 10.00 | Coffee Break | |
| 10.35 | Cardiac Screening in Young Athletes | Dr Deirdre Ward |
| 11.00 | N-Pro Headgear Study | Mr Philip O’Halloran |
| 11.25 | Can Nutrition Play a Role in Recovery From Concussion | Prof Sharon Madigan |
| 11.50 | Panel Discussion | Chair – Dr Paul Kirwan |
| 12.10 | Lunch/Poster Exhibition (Poster Presentations start at 12.30 sharp) | |
| 13.00 | Moderated Oral Presentations (X6) | |
| 14.00 | The Patient’s Perspective - IRFU Charitable Trust - Spinal Injuries | Mr Ciaran McCarthy |
| 14.25 | Sportsground Management and Physician Indemnity | Prof Mick Molloy |
| 14.50 | Use of Augmented Reality and Innovative Surgical Techniques in Orthopaedic Surgery | Ms Ruth Delaney |
| 15.15 | The Patient’s Perspective – Concussion | Mr Joey Szpara |
| 15.40 | Panel Discussion | Chair – Mr Frank Devereux |
| 16.00 | Coffee Break | |
| 16.30 | Invited Guest Lecture – Goggle Protection | Mr Ian McKinley |
| 17.15 | Panel Discussion | Chair – A/Prof Fardod O’Kelly |
| 17.35 | Prizes & Dean’s Closing Address | |
| 18.15 | Conferring Ceremony (registration and gowning at 17.45) Presentation ICGP / FSEM MSK Diplomas Presentation FSEM Associate Membership Certificates | |
| 19.00 | Reception in RCSI (College Hall) | |



Registration, Coffee Breaks and Lunch will take place in Exam Hall. All lectures will take place in O’Flangan Lecture Theatre.

10 External CPD Credits awarded by FSEM

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