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16th Gastro Foundation Weekend for Fellows

Friday 4 - Sunday 6 April 2025
Lord Charles Hotel, Somerset West

Supporting gastroenterology for the future

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PROGRAMME

The Gastroenterology Foundation

Welcome to the 16th annual Gastrofoundation Fellows post graduate course which we once again host at the Lord Charles hotel in Somerset West.

The Foundation has hosted this meeting consecutively every year since 2010 and is dedicated to all Gastroenterology and Hepatology fellows and Paediatric fellows in-training,

This year we have 34 fellows and 21 faculty members attending.

I am most grateful to Bini Seale who continues to coordinate and organize all aspects of the post graduate Fellows program with such commitment – thank you Bini!

To the Faculty – grateful thanks for your continued interest and commitment in making the annual Fellows post graduate program the success it is.

And finally to the sponsors who continue to support the Foundation and all its activities year in and year out – my gratitude to you.

My best to you all for a productive, successful and enjoyable weekend.



Chris Kassianides
Chairman

Mission Statement

The Gastroenterology Foundation of South Africa was established in 2006. The aim of the Foundation is to contribute towards the continuing medical education of Gastroenterologists and Hepatologists in South Africa.

It is autonomous, directed by a group of trustees chosen from a broad spectrum of academic experience.

In addition, the Foundation has successfully contributed to the postgraduate education of Gastroenterologists by assisting in the financing of fellowships abroad. Recently a major focus has been the post graduate education of GI trainees locally by hosting workshops in South Africa.

Our aim is to fund a number of conferences annually updating all those interested in Gastroenterology and Hepatology in South Africa on recent advances in these specialties.

THANK YOU

The Gastro Foundation recognises and is grateful for the contribution of an educational grant from the following to fund this meeting.



NOTES**SATURDAY 5 April 2025**

08:15 Endoscopy Quiz Prof Galya Chinnery
 09:10 Introduction to Bases Prof Eduard Jonas

Medical	Colorectal	HPB	Paediatrics
9:15 Session 1 Base 1 Gastroenterology cases Prof Reid Ally Prof Mashiko Setshedi Base 2 IBD Prof Gill Watermeyer Dr Thania Kahn Base 3 Liver and other cases Dr Bilal Bobat Prof Wendy Spearman Base 4 Endoscopy station Dr Vikash Lala Prof Galya Chinnery Base 5 Ph manometry Dr Neo Seabi Dr Matt Scriba	Base 6 Prof Adam Boutall Dr Emile Coetzee Dr Dion Levin	Base 7 Prof Eduard Jonas Prof Marc Bernon Prof Jose Ramos Prof Jake Krige Prof John Devar	Base 8 Dr Tim de Maayer Dr Marisa Beretta Prof Etienne Nel

10:10 **Session 2**

11:05 Tea

11:30 **Session 3**

12:25 **Session 4**

13:20 **Lunch**

14:15 **Session 5**

15:10 **Session 6**

16:05 **Session 7**

17:00 **Session 8**

18:00 **End**

18:00 **Group Photo**

19:00 **Dinner in the Courtyard**

FELLOWS BASE ROTATION

MEDICAL

09:00 - 10:10 SESSION 1

Base 1	Gastroenterology cases Prof Reid Ally, Prof Mashiko Setshedi
Base 2	IBD Prof Gill Watermeyer, Dr Thania Kahn
Base 3	Liver & other cases Prof Wendy Spearman, Dr Bilal Bobat
Base 4	Endoscopy Station Prof Vikash Lala, Prof Galya Chinnery
Base 5	PH Manometry Dr Neo Seabi, Dr Matt Scriba

10:10 - 11:05 SESSION 2

Base 1	Gastroenterology cases Prof Reid Ally, Prof Mashiko Setshedi
Base 2	IBD Prof Gill Watermeyer, Dr Thania Kahn
Base 3	Liver & other cases Prof Wendy Spearman, Dr Bilal Bobat
Base 4	Endoscopy Station Prof Vikash Lala, Prof Galya Chinnery
Base 5	PH Manometry Dr Neo Seabi, Dr Matt Scriba

11:05 - 11:30 TEA / COFFEE BREAK

11:30 - 12:25 SESSION 3

Base 1	Gastroenterology cases Prof Reid Ally, Prof Mashiko Setshedi
Base 2	IBD Prof Gill Watermeyer, Dr Thania Kahn
Base 3	Liver & other cases Prof Wendy Spearman, Dr Bilal Bobat
Base 4	Endoscopy Station Prof Vikash Lala, Prof Galya Chinnery
Base 5	PH Manometry Dr Neo Seabi, Dr Matt Scriba

12:25 - 13:20 SESSION 4

Base 1	Gastroenterology cases Prof Reid Ally, Prof Mashiko Setshedi
Base 2	IBD Prof Gill Watermeyer, Dr Thania Kahn
Base 3	Liver & other cases Prof Wendy Spearman, Dr Bilal Bobat
Base 4	Endoscopy Station Prof Vikash Lala, Prof Galya Chinnery
Base 5	PH Manometry Dr Neo Seabi, Dr Matt Scriba

13:20 - 14:15 LUNCH

14:15 - 15:10 SESSION 5

Base 1	Gastroenterology cases Prof Reid Ally, Prof Mashiko Setshedi
Base 2	IBD Prof Gill Watermeyer, Dr Thania Kahn
Base 3	Liver & other cases Prof Wendy Spearman, Dr Bilal Bobat
Base 4	Endoscopy Station Prof Vikash Lala, Prof Galya Chinnery
Base 5	PH Manometry Dr Neo Seabi, Dr Matt Scriba

15:10 - 16:05 SESSION 6

Base 1	Gastroenterology cases Prof Reid Ally, Prof Mashiko Setshedi
Base 2	IBD Prof Gill Watermeyer, Dr Thania Kahn
Base 3	Liver & other cases Prof Wendy Spearman, Dr Bilal Bobat
Base 4	Endoscopy Station Prof Vikash Lala, Prof Galya Chinnery
Base 5	PH Manometry Dr Neo Seabi, Dr Matt Scriba

FELLOWS BASE ROTATION

MEDICAL

16:05 - 17:00 SESSION 7

Base 1	Gastroenterology cases Prof Reid Ally, Prof Mashiko Setshedi
Base 2	IBD Prof Gill Watermeyer, Dr Thania Kahn
Base 3	Liver & other cases Prof Wendy Spearman, Dr Bilal Bobat
Base 4	Endoscopy Station Prof Vikash Lala, Prof Galya Chinnery
Base 5	PH Manometry Dr Neo Seabi, Dr Matt Scriba

17:00 - 17:55 SESSION 8

Base 1	Gastroenterology cases Prof Reid Ally, Prof Mashiko Setshedi
Base 2	IBD Prof Gill Watermeyer, Dr Thania Kahn
Base 3	Liver & other cases Prof Wendy Spearman, Dr Bilal Bobat
Base 4	Endoscopy Station Prof Vikash Lala, Prof Galya Chinnery
Base 5	PH Manometry Dr Neo Seabi, Dr Matt Scriba

HPB

Prof Jose Ramos, Prof Jake Krige
Prof Eduard Jonas
Prof Marc Bernon, Prof John Devar

PAEDIATRICS

Dr Tim De Maayer
Dr Marisa Beretta
Prof Etienne Nel

COLORECTAL

Prof Adam Boutall
Dr Dion Levin
Dr Emile Coetzee