

## ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2005

CONTROVERSIES  
IN CARDIOLOGY

21–22 October 2005 • The Belfry Hotel • Warwickshire

## PROGRAMME

## FRIDAY 21 OCTOBER

- 10.00–10.45** Delegate arrival and registration
- 10.45–10.50** Welcome and introduction  
Saul Myerson, BJCA President
- 10.50–11.20** Training in cardiology  
Peter Mills, SAC President
- 11.20–12.00** Primary or facilitated PCI?  
Andrew Bishop, Consultant Cardiologist, North Hampshire Hospital, Basingstoke
- 12.00–12.20** *Coffee*
- 12.20–13.00** Multivessel vs culprit vessel PCI in unstable coronary syndromes?  
Martyn Thomas, BCIS President, Kings College Hospital, London
- 13.00–14.30** *Lunch*
- 14.30–15.10** CMR in cardiomyopathy – can you afford not to?  
Dudley Pennell, Professor of Cardiology, Imperial College, London
- 15.10–16.15** Workshop session 1
- 16.15–16.30** *Coffee break*
- 16.30–17.30** Workshop session 2  
Delegates will attend 2 of the 3 workshops below, and will have the opportunity to use the Guidant angioplasty simulators.
1. Preparing your CV for a consultant job  
Paul Kalra, Consultant Cardiologist, St Mary's Hospital, Portsmouth
  2. How to set up a private practice and make it work  
Mike van der Watt, Watford General Hospital
  3. Interpreting ECGs  
Campbell Cowan, BPEG Secretary, Leeds General Infirmary
- 17.30–17.45** Summary and close
- 19.30** Drinks reception
- 20.00** Dinner

## SATURDAY 22 OCTOBER

- 9.30–10.10** Should all young stroke patients receive an echo? TOE?  
John Chambers, BSE President, St Thomas' Hospital, London
- 10.10–10.50** Closure of defects of the atrial septum and the PFO frenzy  
Steven Brecker, Consultant Cardiologist, St George's Hospital, London
- 10.50–11.10** *Coffee*
- 11.10–11.50** Who should receive an implantable defibrillator in 2005?  
Campbell Cowan, BPEG Secretary, Leeds General Infirmary
- 11.50–12.30** Cardiac re-synchronisation – does it really work? and for whom?  
Vince Paul, St Peter's Hospital, Guildford
- 12.30–12.40** Meeting summary and close
- 12.45** *Buffet lunch*

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Dear SpR

The British Junior Cardiologists Association is growing all the time and we hope you will join us at this, our third annual conference on 21–22 October 2005.

Following an incredibly successful event last year we are pleased that sanofi-aventis and Bristol-Myers Squibb have again provided an unrestricted educational grant for this year's meeting.

We have an excellent faculty who will discuss and debate a wide range of controversial issues in cardiology. These will be interactive sessions, making use of voting keypads.

I look forward to seeing many of you in October. Places are limited so please register as soon as possible by emailing our meeting secretariat: [bjca@leapfrogmedical.com](mailto:bjca@leapfrogmedical.com) or calling James Bellew on 01293 827164

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Saul Myerson'.

Saul Myerson  
BJCA PRESIDENT

