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<td>16.30 Nail Pigmentation: A marker of HIV progression in antiretroviral naive sero-positive patients in Africa &lt;br&gt;M Scarborough, SB Gordon, C Phiri, EE Zijlstra</td>
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<td>16.45 What is the clinical relevance of laboratory reported antibiotic resistance to Trimethoprim in primary care urinary tract infections? &lt;br&gt;CAM McNulty, J Richards, D Livermore, P Little, A Charlett, E Freeman, I Harvey, M Thomas</td>
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**DAY 2 – Tuesday 8 November**

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| 08.15 | **The last year in . . .**  
Chair: Dr Beryl Oppenheim, Birmingham  
08.15 HIV medicine  
Dr Anna Maria Geretti, London  
08.30 Mycology  
Dr Peter Donnelly, Nijmegen, The Netherlands |
| 08.45 | **Infection control**  
Dr Robert Spencer, Bristol  
09.00 Diagnostic microbiology  
Dr Rod Warren, Shrewsbury  
09.15 Discussion |
| 09.30 | **THE LOWBURY LECTURE 2005 (HIS) – Infection control in a global perspective**  
Chair: Professor Mike Emmerson, London  
Speaker: Professor Anna Hambraeus, Vaxholm, Sweden |
| 10.15 | COFFEE, POSTER WALK, EXHIBITION  
10.30 **Hospital acquired pneumonia – a story from evidence-base to practice?**  
Chair: Dr Robert Masterton, Ayrshire  
S05 10.30 Prevention of infection  
Dr Angela Galloway, Newcastle  
10.45 Diagnosis of pneumonia  
Professor Gary French, London  
11.00 Treatment  
Dr Martin Street, Brighton  
11.30 Discussion |
| 11.45 | **THE J D WILLIAMS LECTURE 2005 (AMM) – Enemy at the Gate: How akin is H5N1 to 1918 Influenza?**  
Chair: Dr Tony Howard, Cardiff  
Speaker: Professor John Oxford, London  
12.45 LUNCH, POSTERS, EXHIBITION  
13.45 **FREE PAPERS**  
Chair: Professor Alasdair MacGowan, Bristol  
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| 15.00 | TEA, POSTER WALK, EXHIBITION  
15.30 **PARALLEL SYMPOSIA**  
1 Discussion: Government targets for MRSA bacteraemia in England will benefit infection control and patients: National and local issues  
Chair: Dr Eliri Davies, Cardiff  
2 Round table discussion: Be an active infection specialist?  
Chair: Dr Robert Masterton, Ayrshire  
3 Workshop: Bioterrorism  
Chair: Dr Tim Brooks, Salisbury  
4 Treatment of Acute Malaria  
Chair: Dr David Lalloo, Liverpool |
| 17.00 | CLOSE  
19.00 **MSD SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM**  
Riverside Suite, Millennium Stadium  
RESISTANT GRAM-NEGATIVE BACILLI - What are the appropriate treatment and prevention options?  
20.00 Conference Dinner  
Millennium Suite, Millennium Stadium |
PROGRAMME

DAY 3 – Wednesday 9 November

08.15  Oh no, not that . . . topics you really need to face but just haven’t got round to
Chair:  Dr Adam Fraise, Birmingham
S06 08.15  Toll receptors
Professor Robert Read, Sheffield
S07 08.30  Cefoxitin testing of beta-lactam resistance Staphylococcus aureus
Dr Derek Brown, Cambridge
08.45  Advances in Clostridium difficile treatment and prevention
Dr Mark Wilcox, Leeds
09.00  Combination antibiotic therapy for cystic fibrosis
Dr Juliet Foweraker, Cambridge
09.15  Modernising medical careers – foundation years
Professor Davinder Sandhu, Bristol
S08 09.30  H. pylori, NICE test & treat guidance for dyspepsia
Dr Cliodna McNulty, Gloucester
09.45  COFFEE, POSTER WALK, EXHIBITION
10.30  New drug therapies
Chair:  Dr Nick Brown, Cambridge
10.30  Caspofungin
Dr Rosemary Barnes, Cardiff
S09 10.40  Daptomycin
Dr Ian Morrissey, London
S10 10.50  Tigecycline
Dr Robert Masterton, Ayrshire
S11 11.00  Voriconazole
Dr David Denning, Manchester
11.10  Antiretroviral agents
Dr Anna Maria Geretti, London
11.20  Ertapenem
Professor Peter Hawkey, Birmingham
11.30  THE BARNETT CHRISTIE LECTURE 2005 (BIS) – Innate immunity & the acute phase response
Chair: Dr Nick Beeching, Liverpool
Speaker: Dr Mahdad Noursadeghi, London
12.15  LUNCH, POSTERS, EXHIBITION
13.00  Relating antibiotic consumption & resistance
Chair:  Professor Alasdair MacGowan, Bristol
13.00  In Europe
Dr Dominique Monnet, Copenhagen, Denmark
13.15  In the UK: community
Professor Peter Davey, Dundee
13.30  In the UK: hospitals
Dr Jonathan Cooke, Manchester
S12 13.45  Resistance surveillance headlines
Dr Rosy Reynolds, Bristol
14.00  Joint BSAC/UKCPA: Antibiotic stewardship
Chair:  Professor Mark Hastings, Cardiff
S13 14.00  Antibiotic use and control across Europe
Dr Ian Gould, Aberdeen
14.20  Antibiotic management – review of evidence and proposals for the British Isles
Dr Erwin Brown, Bristol
14.40  Implementation of antibiotic management at local level
Dr Hayley Wickens, London
15.00  Discussion
15.30  CLOSE
PARALLEL SYMPOSIA

14.30 – 16.00 Monday 7 November

SYMPOSIA 1 DEBATE: MICROBIOLOGY TEACHING
Council Chamber
“‘This house believes that problem orientated teaching creates better doctors’”
Chair: Professor Dlawer Ala’Aldeen, Nottingham
For: Dr Emyr Benbow, Manchester
Against: Professor Mike Barer, Leicester
Professor Will Irving, Nottingham

SYMPOSIA 2 DISCUSSION: ISOLATION IN INFECTION CONTROL
Function Room D
Chair: Dr Robert Spencer, Bristol
Discussants: Dr Mark Farrington, Cambridge
Mr Malcolm Thomas, Leeds
Dr Peter Wilson, London

SYMPOSIA 3 FREE PAPERS
Assembly Room
Chair: Dr Katie Jeffery, Oxford

O03 14.30 – 14.45 Systematic Analysis of Alkaline Adaptation in Saccharomyces cerevisiae
D Armstrong-James, M Canedo-Solar, H Ho, L Pirttimaki, E Bignell, M Stumpf (1), T Rogers (1), H Arst (1), K Haynes (1)

O04 14.45 – 15.00 A new pneumococcal virulence determinant – distribution and function and movement between strains
CJ Hemsley, A Brueggemann, D Crook, A Camilli, DH Holden

O05 15.00 – 15.15 Seven years of urinary CMV DEAFF testing in a maternity hospital – What happened next?
F Fitzpatrick, T Savage, S Christian, P O’Reilly, M Sheridan

O06 15.15 – 15.30 JC Virus in the Irish population: Significant increase of Genotype 2 in immunocompromised individuals
K Schaffer, N Sheehy, S Coughlan, C Bergin, WW Hall

O07 15.30 – 15.45 Indigenously acquired Hepatitis E infections in Wales
M Valappil, D Westmoreland

O08 15.45 – 16.00 Evaluation of childhood Haemophilus influenzae serotype b (Hib) vaccine failure in Europe
S Ladhani, PT Heath, M Slack, ME Ramsay

CLINICAL LESSONS

07.00 – 08.00 Tuesday 8 November

07.00 CLINICAL LESSONS see page 8
Chair: Dr Nick Beeching, Liverpool

CL01 07.00 - 07.10 The Malayan panther’s eyebrow
JAT Dunbar, PH McGann, FO Agada, H Schuster

CL02 07.10 - 07.20 You NEED some Epoxy Hardener!
GF Franklin, VS Gudi, R MacEwan, J Sacco, WD Thomson, RBS Laing

CL03 07.20 - 07.30 A sticky problem
J Minton, B Stoddart

CL04 07.30 - 07.40 Pneumonia in a 16 year-old: Thinking across the BorD
R Sharma, J Folb, RPD Cooke, T Jagoe, TG Harrison

CL05 07.40 - 07.50 A pathological surprise
T de Silva, M Poulton, S Connor

CL06 07.50 - 08.00 Blind faith
M Pareek, J Dhar, M Wiselka
**FREE PAPERS**

13.45 – 15.00  **Tuesday 8 November**

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| **O11**       | 14.15 – 14.30 | Point prevalence survey of antibiotic use in 10 Scottish hospitals: The Glasgow antimicrobial audit tool  
|               |              | RA Seaton, D Nathwani, P Burton, CM McLaughlin, AR McKenzie, S Dundas, H Ziglam, D Reynolds, Y Gourlay, E Lamont, K Beard, E Douglas |
| **O12**       | 14.30 – 14.45 | Inappropriate initial management of bacteraemia in a hospital setting  
|               |              | J Minton, J Clayton, D Mawer, J Sandoe, J Dunbar, H McGann, M Wilcox |
| **O13**       | 14.45 – 15.00 | Reduction in the incidence of nosocomial *Clostridium Difficile* associated diarrhoea by introduction of dedicated domestic task teams  
|               |              | CM Jukka, MA Kiernan, JA Bowley, J Baines, CE Carter, SJ Taylor |

**PARALLEL SYMPOSIA**

15.30 – 17.00  **Tuesday 8 November**

| SYMPOSIA 1  | ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION: Government targets for MRSA bacteraemia in England will benefit infection control and patients – National and local issues  
| Council Chamber | Chair: Dr Eleri Davies, Cardiff  
|               | Local issues: Dr Nicholas Brown, Cambridge  
|               | National Issues: Dr Andrew Pearson, London |
| SYMPOSIA 2  | ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION: Be an active infection specialist?  
| Function Room L | Chair: Dr Robert Masterton, Ayrshire  
|               | Why engage with  
|               | • your local Trust? Dr Robert Masterton, Ayrshire  
|               | • the NHS nationally and at SHA level? tbc  
|               | • a Royal College Dr Helen Williams, Norwich |
| SYMPOSIA 3  | WORKSHOP: Bioterrorism  
| Assembly Room | Discussion and interactive scenarios  
|               | Convenors: Dr Nick Beeching, Liverpool & Dr Tim Brooks |
| SYMPOSIA 4  | WORKSHOP: Controversy and advances in management of imported malaria  
| Function Room C | Discussion and cases  
|               | Convenor: Dr David Lalloo, Liverpool |