

NEWSLETTER



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WELCOME

Welcome to the Summer edition of the St. John's DermAcademy newsletter.

DermAcademy's mission is to provide high quality educational opportunities to healthcare professionals and promote the evidence-based diagnosis and management of skin disease.

We are delighted to present you with a glimpse of the exciting dermatology educational events lined up for our 2023 programme in this newsletter.

Secure your spot today by visiting our website at www.stjohnsdermacademy.com.

Best wishes from all at DermAcademy.



Recent Events

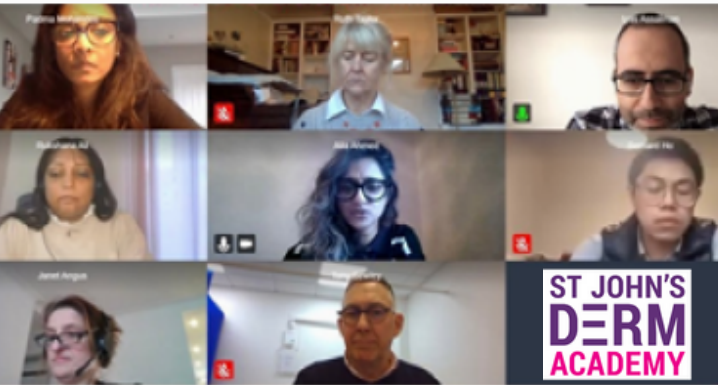
Psychodermatology Course

January 2023

This webinar, delivered in collaboration with Psychodermatology UK, was attended by > 130 clinicians. It covered key aspects of psychodermatology, including medically unexplained symptoms, safe prescribing of anti-psychotics in dermatology, skin picking and experiences from specialised Psychodermatology clinics.

"It was all excellent"

"All topics covered were very helpful."



Epidermolysis Bullosa (EB)

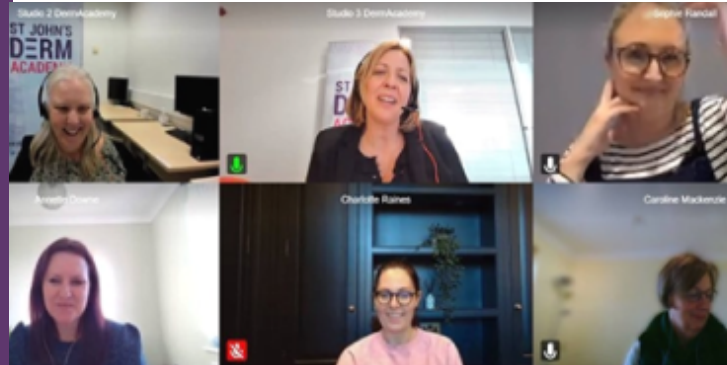
Course

February 2023

This unique two-day event provided a comprehensive overview of EB, delivered by multidisciplinary experts including clinical nurse specialists, consultant physicians and surgeons. It was attended by 114 clinicians including from Saudi Arabia, Australia, Brazil, Ukraine, and others.

"Very knowledgeable speakers."

"Great presentations from very experienced people."



Alopecia Masterclass

March 2023

This webinar, attended by >140 clinicians, focused on evidence-based and practical approaches to diagnosing and managing hair disorders.

"Excellent talks by all speakers with tips that I will take away for clinical practice"

"This course is one of a kind!"



Recent Events



Allergy and the Skin Course

April 2023

Leading experts presented challenges and recent clinical advances in food and drug allergy to >180 delegates. Delivered in collaboration with the King's College London Allergy Academy.

"World class presentations from experts with plenty of clinically applicable advice"

Oral & Anogenital Dermatology Course

May 2023

Our first hybrid event of 2023 was attended by >150 delegates.

This 2-day course, delivered by an expert international faculty, provided a comprehensive overview of oral and anogenital dermatology.

"Excellent, focused talks."

"Good quality and evidence based presentations."



Beacon

NATIONAL
ECZEMA
SOCIETY

Eczema Information Evening for Patients & the Public

May 2023

A free educational webinar on recent advances in eczema was delivered in collaboration with the National Eczema Society for >80 patients and members of the public. It focused on new treatments for more severe eczema and the research to assess how well they work (the BEACON trial; www.beacon.org).

Upcoming Events 2023

For more information and to book:

Please scan the QR code
or visit
www.stjohnsdermacademy.com



Skin Biopsy Course
15-16 June 2023
Guy's Campus, London



High Intensity Dermatology SCE Revision Course
10 August 2023
Live webinar



Clinical Dermatology Care Course for Nurses and Allied Healthcare Professionals
Sept-Dec 2023



Dermoscopy Course
17 November 2023
Live webinar



A Day @ St John's
14 December 2023
Governor's Hall,
London

For Patients & Public



Hidradenitis Suppurativa webinar for patients & the public
19 June 2023
Live webinar

www.stjohnsdermacademy.com

THE TEAM

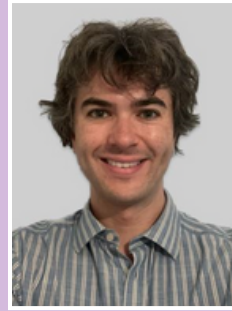
NEW MEMBERS



Dr Sarah Drummond

Senior Clinical Fellow in Medical Dermatology and Medical Education, St John's Institute of Dermatology

Dr Sarah Drummond graduated from the University of Edinburgh and completed her training in dermatology within the West of Scotland. Her areas of interest include medical dermatology, in particular, immune mediated inflammatory diseases. She also has an interest in medical education and is an Honorary Clinical Lecturer at the University of Glasgow. Sarah is the Senior Clinical Fellow in Medical Dermatology and Medical Education at St John's Institute of Dermatology.

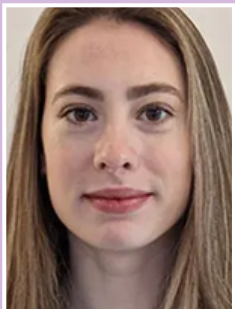


Dr Conn McGrath

Junior Clinical Fellow at St John's Institute of Dermatology, Trainee Representative at St John's DermAcademy

Dr Conn McGrath graduated from the University of Oxford and completed his internal medicine training in London. He is currently a junior clinical fellow at St John's Institute of Dermatology and the Trainee Representative for St John's DermAcademy.

He has a keen interest in medical education and facilitates social media engagement for St John's DermAcademy.



Sarah Mirkin

Operations Officer (CPD & Clinical Training)

Sarah Mirkin studied Podiatry at the University of Johannesburg, South Africa, graduating as the top student. She gained diverse experience in private and hospital settings in Gauteng. Transitioning to clinical training, she led the UK and EU Learning & Development department. Sarah has an interest in medical education and business development.



William Tan

Medical Student at King's College London, Medical Student Representative at St John's DermAcademy

William Tan is a 3rd year medical student at King's, where he was exposed to dermatology and was intrigued by how one organ can present with thousands of conditions.

He has a keen interest in bridging medical students with dermatologic contents.



ST. JOHN'S DERMACADEMY PODCASTS

Empowering Healthcare Professionals with
Dermatological Insights



In the dynamic world of healthcare, continuous professional development is paramount for delivering optimal care. At St. John's DermAcademy, we are proud to present our podcast series, created for healthcare professionals including dermatology consultants, trainees, GPs, and specialist nurses.

Our podcasts seek to update and share practical tips on how experts in their field diagnose and treat common dermatological conditions. Presented in concise, bite-sized segments, these episodes are designed to accompany you on the go, enabling you to conveniently integrate professional development into your busy schedule.

The podcasts have received >10,000 downloads worldwide to date.

You can listen to our podcast at:
www.stjohnsdermacademy.com/podcasts

Once you've listened to our podcast, we would love to hear your feedback and suggestions for future topics. Please submit your feedback via the following link:
<https://etd-gstt.typeform.com/to/ZcjayYUO>



New Episodes

Episode 10:
PART 1: VITILIGO -
INTRODUCTION

Episode 11:
PART 2: VITILIGO -
MANAGEMENT



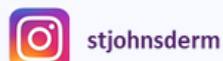
Episode 12:
PART 1: VULVAL SKIN
CONDITIONS -
HISTORY AND
EXAMINATION

Episode 13:
PART 2: VULVAL SKIN
CONDITIONS -
MANAGEMENT

Dr Justin Bui speaks with Dr John
Ferguson and Dr Fiona Lewis

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