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BORS 2026 Annual Meeting

8–9th September 2026

Technology and Innovation Centre
University of Strathclyde, Glasgow

PROGRAMME

BORS 2026 Local Organising Committee

Dr Philip Riches, Dr Jonathan Williams (University of Strathclyde)

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Day 1 – Tuesday 8th September 2026

Time	Programme
08:30–09:00	Registration Opens
09:00–09:10	Welcome
09:10–10:50	Session 1: Clinical Orthopaedics Session chair: Ian Kennedy 
09:10–09:40	Keynote 1: Translational orthopaedics ...are we there yet ?? Neal Millar, Professor of Orthopaedics, University of Glasgow. Academic Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon, Queen Elizabeth University Hospital
09:40–09:50	Inequalities in the use of total hip replacement to treat hip fracture: a population-based study James Webster
09:50–10:00	The gut microbiome as a reservoir of pathogens and antimicrobial resistance in orthopaedic infection Christopher Deacon
10:00–10:10	Patient-Specific Periprosthetic Fracture Risk Calculator in Total Hip Arthroplasty: A Multicenter Update Milos Brkljac
10:10–10:20	Population-level associations of BMI and physical activity with chronic pain, osteoarthritis, and joint replacement of the hip and knee: a standardisation analysis of UK Biobank Marcus Beasley
10:20–10:30	The effects of tourniquet use on postoperative complications after ankle fracture fixation: a multicentre comparative cohort study using propensity score weighting Muhammed Alanie
10:30–10:40	Antidepressants, Frailty, and Perioperative Opioid Consumption in Primary Total Hip Arthroplasty: A Single-Centre Cohort Study Christopher Gee
10:40–10:50	Synovial fluid biomarkers and proteomic signatures associated with clinical response to Arthrosamid® in knee osteoarthritis Karina Wright
10:50–10:55	Sponsor presentation – A New Paradigm in Knee OA Treatment: Synovial Mechano-Modulation with Arthrosamid® Philip Kusk PhD, Senior Project Manager, Contura
10:55–11:05	Poster flash presentations
11:05–11:45	Coffee & Posters
11:45–13:25	Session 2: Engineering / Biomechanics Session chair: Phil Riches 
11:45–12:15	Keynote 2: Shape Matters in Orthopaedics: Understanding Osteoarthritis Risk and Outcomes Dr Jenny S. Gregory, Senior Lecturer, School of Medicine, Medical Sciences and Nutrition, University of Aberdeen
12:15–12:25	Improving trabecular microarchitecture representation in a structural whole-bone adaptation framework using a Voronoi network Muhammad Yusril Sulaiman
12:25–12:35	Comparison of markerless and marker-based motion capture accuracy benchmarked against biplane videoradiography Lauren Swain
12:35–12:45	Multimodal imaging provides structural evidence for biomechanical alterations in decellularised tendon scaffolds Anthony Herbert

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12:45–12:55	Gait analysis following Anterior Cruciate Ligament primary repair with Internal Bracing versus reconstruction Phil Riches
12:55–13:05	Ceramic Hip Resurfacing Maintains Physiological Femoral Bone Strain Compared with a Cemented Stem: A Biomechanical Study Milos Brkljac
13:05–13:15	Patient-specific finite element analysis of osteochondral autograft: press-fit stability and contact restoration under in vivo derived kinematics Roberto Leonardo
13:15–13:25	Characterising in-vivo lumbar disc mechanics using MRI and biplanar videoradiography David Williams
13:25–14:30	Lunch & Posters
14:30–15:20	BORS Presidential Lecture: ‘Futurescoping’ Translational Research in Orthopaedics (from BORS Boomers to BORS Gen Z to BORS Gen Alpha) Professor Hamish Simpson
15:20–16:00	Coffee & Posters
16:00–17:40	Session 3: Clinical Technology Session chairs: Prof Jon Clarke and Prof Christopher Gee
16:00–16:30	Keynote 3: Robotic TKA: Evolution or Revolution? Mr Akash Sharma, Consultant Knee Surgeon, Royal Orthopaedic Hospital, Birmingham; President, CAOS UK
16:30–16:40	Predicting Early Aseptic Loosening in Total Knee Arthroplasty Using Longitudinal Deep Learning Rory Ormiston
16:40–16:50	Evaluating a 3D freehand ultrasound and motion capture fusion technique for patellofemoral kinematic assessment Caterina Vanelli Coralli
16:50–17:00	Evaluation of ankle joint structure in chronic ankle instability using ultrasound imaging and shear wave elastography. Kimia Rezaei Fard
17:00–17:10	Real-Time Tibial Force Sensing for Intraoperative Characterisation of Posterior Cruciate Ligament Tension in Cruciate-Retaining Total Knee Arthroplasty Alistair Lawley
17:10–17:20	Functional pelvic orientation affects acetabular assessment and clinical interpretation in structural hip disorders Mingke You
17:20–17:30	Geometric Analysis of Surface Changes in Total Ankle Replacement Polyethylene Inserts Claire Brockett
17:30–17:40	TET2 Clonal Haematopoiesis may be linked to impaired recovery following Total Hip Replacement, a multimodal analysis Ines Reichert
19:00	BORS Bash - Conference Dinner and Welcome Drink <i>University of Strathclyde Students' Union</i> Dinner served from 19:30



Day 2 – Wednesday 9th September 2026

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08:30–09:00	Registration Opens
09:00–10:40	Session 4: Biology Session chair: Prof Matt Dalby and Monica Tsimbouri 
09:00–09:30	Keynote 4: Biofilms at the Interface: Understanding and Tackling Infection in Orthopaedic Implants Prof Gordon Ramage, Professor of Infection Prevention & Control, ReaCH, Glasgow Caledonian University
09:30–09:40	Sex Based Differences in IPSC Derived Nociceptor Responses to Osteoarthritic Synovial Fluid Ryan Jones
09:40–09:50	Type I Interferon Signalling Drives Stromal-Immune Crosstalk and Dendritic Cell Activation in Tendinopathy Clara Burgy
09:50–10:00	Unlocking the origin of Benninghoff arcades: is strain-directed alignment the architect of the stratified organisation of mature articular cartilage? Ilyas Khan
10:00–10:10	Beyond Hormonal Changes: Bone Mineral Nanostructure as a Critical Determinant of Osteogenic Impairment in Postmenopausal Osteoporosis Mostafa Khabooshani
10:10–10:20	Sex and hormonal status regulation of joint pathology, pain behaviour and DRG neuroimmune responses in early osteoarthritis Carmen Huesa
10:20–10:30	Integrated Lipidomic and Metabolomic Profiling Reveals Stage Dependent Changes and Metabolic Signatures Associated with Clinical Response Following Autologous Chondrocyte Implantation Yumna Ladha
10:30–10:40	Tissue of Origin Defines Transcriptional States in Osteoarthritis-Derived Mesenchymal Stem Cells Antonia Vogt
10:40–10:50	Poster flash presentations
10:50–11:35	Coffee & Posters
11:35–11:50	BORS-BJR Travelling Fellowship 2027 Update David Williams + Chloe Scott (Editor-in-Chief, Bone & Joint Research)
11:50–13:05	Orthopaedic Cell Therapies: From GMP Manufacturing to NHS Delivery Session chair: Jonathan Williams Sponsored by MAINSTREAM 
11:50–12:05	Navigating GMP Manufacturing in Advanced Cell Therapy Development Dr Diana Martínez Redondo, Senior Scientist, Process Development and GMP Translation, Histocell S.L. CDMO
12:05–12:20	Value by design in advanced therapy development Thomas Strakosch, Health Economics and Market Access Lead, Cell and Gene Therapy Catapult
12:20–12:35	From Vein to Vein: The NHS Cellular Therapy Pathway Dr Samantha Carmichael MRCPharm, Lead Pharmacist, Clinical Trials / Research & Innovation / Advanced Therapy Medicinal Products Research & Innovation, NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde
12:35–13:05	Panel discussion and audience Q&A

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13:05–14:35	Lunch & Posters BORS AGM: 13:45

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14:35–16:05	Session 5: Bioengineering and Translational Session chair: David Hamilton 
14:35–15:05	Keynote 5: Clinical Confidence from Biomechanical Modelling Prof Chloe Scott, Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon, Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh, Honorary Professor, Imperial College London
15:05–15:15	Proteomic Profiling of Osseointegration in an Ovine Femoral Condyle Model Sasza Nabilla
15:15–15:25	Impact of International Transport on Clinical Osteochondral Allograft Viability and Integrity: A Controlled Comparison Tomas Link
15:25–15:35	Cellular Response to Implant-Delivered Ultrasound Cosmo Prince
15:35–15:45	Assessing the bioactive profile of antifungal-loaded calcium sulphate against fungal biofilms Mark Craig Butcher
15:45–15:55	Cam Deformity Cartilage as a Regenerative Cell Source: Biological Characterisation and Evaluation of Arthroscopic Harvest Techniques Ben Woodhouse
15:55–16:05	Healikick: Translational development of acellular and cellular approaches to bone grafting for non-union bone repair Peter Childs
16:05–16:20	Awards & Closing Ceremony