

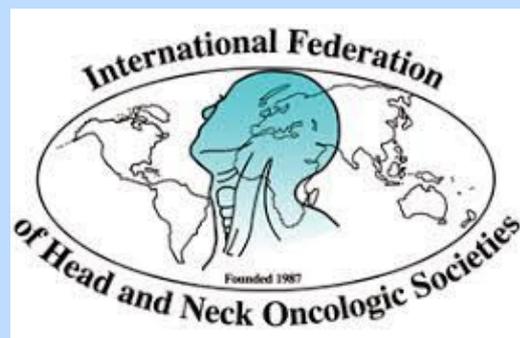


**IFHNOS**  
Head and Neck Cancer Summit  
**Dublin 2025**

# **International Federation of Head & Neck Oncologic Societies Meeting 2025**

**12 - 13 September 2025**

**Royal College of Surgeons Ireland (RCSI), Dublin, Ireland**



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Dear Colleagues,

Welcome to the International Federation of Head and Neck Oncologic Societies Meeting 2025. We are delighted to host this IFHNOS conference at The Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland on St Stephens Green in Dublin!

This is the most prestigious Head and Neck Multidisciplinary Cancer conference to be held in Ireland with a Global oncology audience offering state of the art opinion and insight into the exceptional scientific and clinical developments we have collectively achieved in recent years.

Our program consists of 8 clinical sessions over 2 full days on Oral Cavity, HPV Oropharynx, Larynx/Hypopharynx, Skin, Thyroid, Salivary, Skull Base and Medical Oncology targeted therapies. We have International lecturers from USA, Australia, India, Belgium, Italy, Netherlands, England and Scotland. Each session contains 3 lectures followed by a 3 case conference series with an emphasis on active audience participation and debate.

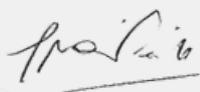
There will be a breakaway session for trainees on career progression, in which leaders in the fields of medical, radiation and surgical oncology will give career guidance on research and clinical settings, as well as discussing fellowship and further education opportunities.

We will also welcome all of our Global colleagues from Industry exhibiting the cutting edge technologies and therapies that mould our daily and future clinical interactions.

The Irish are famed for warm welcomes, music, poetry and the craic ! We have a busy social schedule to entertain you during your stay and can promise outstanding food, drink, Irish music and dancing in the historical halls of The Royal College dating back to 1784.

See you September 2025 for an unforgettable Irish IFHNOS meeting!

Best Wishes & Slán go Fóill!



James Paul O'Neill

**Jatin Shah**



**CEO of The International Federation  
of Head and Neck Oncologic  
Societies**

**Jennifer Carroll MacNeill**



**Honoured Special Guest: Minister  
for Health**

**James Paul O'Neill**



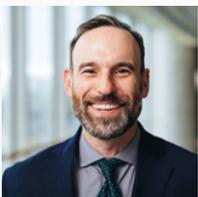
**Professor of Otolaryngology,  
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**Deborah McNamara**



**President of The Royal College of  
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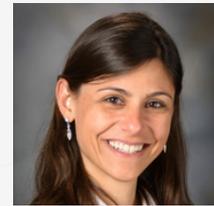
**Luc Morris**  
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**Babak Givi**  
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**Rajendra Toprani**  
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Ireland

## PROGRAMME IN BRIEF

### DAY 1

|                  |                                                                                                                                                       |
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| 8:30-09:00       | <b>Opening Ceremony</b>                                                                                                                               |
| <b>SESSION 1</b> | <b>Larynx cancer &amp; hypopharynx: Chair: Mr Paul Lennon, St James Hospital</b>                                                                      |
| 09:00-09:20      | <b>Management of Dysplastic Lesions of the Larynx</b><br>Dr Barbara Wollenberg, University of Saarland                                                |
| 09:20-09:40      | <b>Role of Total Laryngectomy in 2025</b><br>Dr Ian Ganly, Memorial Sloan Kettering                                                                   |
| 09:40-10:00      | <b>Hypopharynx Cancer- Complex disease Complex care</b><br>Dr Pankaj Chaturvedi, Tata Memorial Hospital                                               |
| 10:00-10:30      | <b>Panel discussion: Mr Lennon</b>                                                                                                                    |
| 10:30-11:00      | <b>Coffee break</b>                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>Session 2</b> | <b>HPV oropharyngeal cancer: Chair: Prof Patrick Sheahan, UCC</b>                                                                                     |
| 11:00-11:20      | <b>HPV Associated Cancers: Introduction to cover biology, epidemiology, vaccination</b><br>Dr Babak Givi, Memorial Sloan Kettering                    |
| 11:20-11:40      | <b>Surgical Oropharyngeal Strategies in Oropharyngeal Cancer</b><br>Dr Noortje Schwandt, Medisch Centrum Leeuwarden                                   |
| 11:40-12:00      | <b>Advances in Non-Surgical Management of Oropharyngeal Cancer</b><br>Dr Renata Ferrarotto, MD Anderson Hospital                                      |
| 12:00-12:30      | <b>Panel discussion: Prof Sheahan</b>                                                                                                                 |
| 12:30-13:30      | <b>Lunch &amp; Breakaway Sessions</b>                                                                                                                 |
| <b>SESSION 3</b> | <b>Oral cancer: Chair: Prof Conor Barry, UCC</b>                                                                                                      |
| 13:20 – 13:40    | <b>Surgical Management of Oral Cancer Principles &amp; Controversies (incorporate management of the mandible)</b><br>Mr Conor Bowe, St James Hospital |
| 13:40-14:00      | <b>Functional Restoration of the Oral Cavity When to reconstruct?</b><br>Mr Eamon Francis, St. James's Hospital                                       |
| 14:00-14:20      | <b>Reconstruction of Upper Alveolus and Maxilla</b><br>Dr Matthew Hanasono, MD Anderson, Texas                                                        |
| 14:20-14:50      | <b>Panel discussion: Prof Barry</b>                                                                                                                   |
| 14:50-15:20      | <b>Coffee break</b>                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>SESSION 4</b> | <b>Skin : Chair : Mr Neville Shine, Beaumont Hospital and RCSI</b>                                                                                    |
| 15:20 – 15:40    | <b>Merkel Cell Carcinoma 'Down Under'</b><br>Ms Sarah Prunty, Fiona Stanley, Perth                                                                    |
| 15:40-16:00      | <b>Immunotherapy for Cutaneous SCC</b><br>Dr Michael McCarthy, University College Galway                                                              |
| 16:00-16:20      | <b>Melanoma. The 2025 treatment paradigm</b><br>Dr Luc Morris, MSKCC                                                                                  |
| 16:20-17:00      | <b>Panel discussion: Mr Shine</b>                                                                                                                     |

## PROGRAMME IN BRIEF

### DAY 2

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| <b>SESSION 5</b>     | <b>Thyroid cancer: Chair: Mr Conall Fitzgerald, St James Hospital</b>                                         |
| <b>09:00 – 09:20</b> | <b>Precision surgery for Differentiated Thyroid Cancer</b><br>Prof Jatin Shah, MSKCC                          |
| <b>09:20-09:40</b>   | <b>Continued 'Overdiagnosis and Overtreatment' of WDTC?</b><br>Mr Iain Nixon, University of Edinburgh         |
| <b>09:40 – 10:00</b> | <b>Adjuvant therapies for Thyroid cancer</b><br>Dr Kate Newbold, Royal Marsden London                         |
| <b>10:00 – 10:30</b> | <b>Panel discussion: Mr Fitzgerald</b>                                                                        |
| <b>10:30-11:00</b>   | <b>Coffee break</b>                                                                                           |
| <b>SESSION 6</b>     | <b>Salivary gland tumours: Chair: Prof Fergal O'Duffy, University College Dublin</b>                          |
| <b>11:00-11:20</b>   | <b>Surgical Management of Benign Salivary Gland Tumours</b><br>Mr Liam Skinner, University Hospital Waterford |
| <b>11:20-11:40</b>   | <b>Minor Salivary Glands Cancers</b><br>Dr Daniel Price, Mayo Clinic                                          |
| <b>11:40-12:00</b>   | <b>Major Salivary Glands Cancer</b><br>Dr Vincent Vander Poorten, University Hospital Leuven                  |
| <b>12:00-12:30</b>   | <b>Panel discussion: Prof O'Duffy</b>                                                                         |
| <b>12:30-13:20</b>   | <b>Lunch</b>                                                                                                  |
| <b>SESSION 7</b>     | <b>Paranasal sinuses &amp; skull base : Chair : Mr Robbie Woods, Beaumont Hospital &amp; RCSI</b>             |
| <b>13:20 – 13:40</b> | <b>Proton Vs IMRT for Skull Base Cancer</b><br>Prof Sandro Porceddu, Princess Alexandra, Brisbane             |
| <b>13:40-14:00</b>   | <b>Outcomes of Skull Base surgery -The 2nd Int'l Collaborative Study</b><br>Dr Jatin Shah, MSKCC              |
| <b>14:00-14:20</b>   | <b>New Frontiers in Endoscopic Surgery</b><br>Dr Piero Nicolai, Padua, Italy                                  |
| <b>14:20-14:50</b>   | <b>Panel discussion: Mr Woods</b>                                                                             |
| <b>14:50-15:20</b>   | <b>Coffee break</b>                                                                                           |
| <b>SESSION 8</b>     | <b>Medical Oncology: Chair: Professor Patrick Morris, Beaumont Hospital</b>                                   |
| <b>15:20 – 15:40</b> | <b>Targeted therapy for p16+ Oropharyngeal SCC</b><br>Dr Cliona Grant, St James Hospital                      |
| <b>15:40-16:00</b>   | <b>Adenoid Cystic Carcinoma insights in 2025</b><br>Dr Renata Ferrarotto, MD Anderson                         |
| <b>16:00-16:20</b>   | <b>Clinical applications for Cemiplimab in Head and Neck Cancer</b><br>Dr Matthew Fury, Regeneron             |
| <b>16:20-16:50</b>   | <b>Panel discussion: Prof Morris</b>                                                                          |
| <b>17:00</b>         | <b>Conference Close</b>                                                                                       |

# REGISTRATION FEES

## EARLY BIRDS REGISTRATION

11 March 2025 - 31 July 2025

**Consultant Early Bird €350**

**Surgical/Physician Trainee €200**

**Allied Colleagues  
(Nursing/Physio/SALT/PA/Retired Physicians) &  
Medical Student €125\***

## REGULAR REGISTRATION

1 August 2025 - 11 September 2025

**Consultant Regular €450**

**Surgical/Physician Trainee €250**

**Allied Colleagues  
(Nursing/Physio/SALT/PA/Retired Physicians) &  
Medical Student €175\***

**\*Proof needed to qualify for any of the above**

# REGISTRATION INFORMATION

**Registration fees entitles participants to attend all sessions, entrance to exhibition, networking breaks, and CME certificates**



Registrations are confirmed only upon payment receipt



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