

**ASSOCIATION OF SURGEONS IN JAMAICA 67TH ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC SYMPOSIUM
UWI REGIONAL HEADQUARTER, MONA
May 16 -17, 2026**

| TIME | | SPEAKER |
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| SATURDAY 16-May-26 | | |
| 08:00:00 | Registration | |
| 08:30:00 | President's Message: 67 th Annual Clinical Symposium – Dr. L. Powell | |
| 08:35:00 | Greetings | |
| 08:45:00 | Sponsor's Message | |
| Session 1 | | |
| 08:55:00 | Optimising CT Use in Paediatric Patients with Blunt Head Trauma: A Closed Loop Audit | Dr. Lashaunie Lindo |
| 09:10:00 | The Utility of Ki67 in Pituitary NETs | Dr Annya Gordon-Whyte |
| 09:25:00 | Arteriovenous Fistulas Assessment at UHWI Fistula Clinic: 5-year Review Outcomes of Non-operative Management vs. Appendectomy for Uncomplicated | Dr. Lysandra Spence |
| 09:40:00 | Appendicitis | Dr Wrenae Samuels |
| 09:55:00 | Q & A | |
| Session 2 | | |
| 10:10:00 | Sponsor's Message - A.A LAQUIS | |
| 10:15:00 | The American College of Surgeons Lecture Introduction | Prof. Derek Mitchell |
| 10:15:00 | The American College of Surgeons Lecture: <i>Ramphal Simulator, Reflections on 20 years</i> | <i>Prof. Paul Ramphal</i> |
| 10:45:00 | Q & A | |
| 10:50:00 | Viewing of Exhibits /Coffee Break /Sponsors' Message | |

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| Session 3 | | |
| 11:20:00 | Sponsor's Message | |
| 11:25:00 | Estimating the Prevalence of AAA in Jamaica | Dr. Alyssa Graham |
| 11:40:00 | An evaluation of the risk factors associated with poor post operative outcomes in children treated for Hirschsprung's Disease in Jamaica – A Ten Year Review | Dr. Sashai Christian |
| 11:55:00 | The effect of Tranexamic acid compared to tourniquet on visual clarity in knee Arthroscopic Anterior Cruciate ligament (ACL) reconstruction | Dr. Courtney Berry |
| 12:10:00 | The Prevalence of HER2 Gastric Cancer in the Jamaican Population | Dr. Chantal Charles Nation |
| 12:25:00 | Q & A | |
| Session 4 | Mental Health | |
| 12:30:00 | Sponsor's Message | |
| 12:35:00 | <i>The Mental Health CME Mandate: The Gap Between Intended Goals Achievement</i> | <i>Dr. Earl Wright</i> |
| 13:35:00 | Viewing of Exhibits /Coffee Break /Sponsors' Message | |
| 14:05:00 | Panel Discussion - Mental Health | |
| 15:05:00 | Closing Remarks | |

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| 08:30:00 | Registration | |
| 08:40:00 | Opening Remarks | |
| Session 5 | | |
| 08:45:00 | Sponsor's Message - SERVIER | |
| 08:50:00 | Contemporary Management of Haemorrhoidal Disease | Dr. Wendy Villanueva |
| 09:05:00 | Barium Localisation for Lung Lesions | Dr. Patrice Pinkney |
| 09:20:00 | Skin Harvest of A Fasciocutaneous Flap (SHAFT) Technique | Dr. Rajeev Venugopal |
| 09:35:00 | The Use of Cellophane Wrap Dressings in the Management of Partial Thickness Thermal Burns. | Dr. Xenophon Kirby |
| 09:50:00 | Q & A | |
| Session 6 | | |
| 10:05:00 | Sponsor's Message - A.A LAQUIS | |
| 10:10:00 | 38th Annual Sir Harry Annamunthodo Memorial Lecture | |
| 10:10:00 | 50 Years of Surgical Training at UWI Mona | Professor Joseph Plummer |
| 10:40:00 | Q & A | |
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| Session 7 | | |
| 11:15:00 | Sponsor's Message - INDUS | |
| 11:20:00 | Multidisciplinary Management of Glomus Jugulare Tuomurs- Nuances of Embolization and Surgery | Dr. Kevin Wade |
| 11:35:00 | Novel Anaesthesia Techniques at the Bustamante Childrens' Hospital | Dr. Roxanne Johnson |
| 11:50:00 | Simulation in Surgical Resident Training: A Low Cost Porcine Stomach Model for TAPP Repair in a Resource-Limited Setting | Dr. O'rane Thomas |
| 12:05:00 | | Dr. Roxroy Haughton |
| 12:20:00 | Q & A | |
| Session 8 | | |
| | Ethics | |
| 12:25:00 | Sponsor's Message - MPS | |
| 12:30:00 | | <i>Dr. Rob Hendry</i> |
| 13:30:00 | Viewing of Exhibits /Coffee Break /Sponsors' Message | |
| 14:00:00 | Panel Discussion - Ethics | |
| 15:00:00 | | |