

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

Dr Nihal has been asked to give lectures both at local, regional, national and international level – followings are the few details:

1. Australian Doctors Forum: Musculoskeletal seminar 14th August 2010 at University of Queensland, Brisbane.
Topic: Management of Chronic Foot & Ankle pain

http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/pdf/Musculoskeletal_Medicine_2010_program.pdf

2. Invited Speaker : Physiotherapy Dept: Logan Hospital 31st January 2008-
topic “ Missed Ankle Sprain”

- **Invited Speaker** : Combine podiatry and Vascular meeting at the Gold Coast Hospital- Griffith Medical School lecture hall 19th February 2008–
Topic: Management of Diabetic Foot Ulcers
- **Invited Speaker** : Queensland University of Technology (QUT) Brisbane-
Lecture for final year podiatry students on Charcot Foot on 9th April 2008
- **Invited Speaker** : On the International Masterclass Foot & Ankle Surgery in
Leeds- UK 11-13 June 2008
Topics: Ankle Arthrodesis & Bunionette
- **Invited Speaker** : Logan Hospital Wednesday lunch time Grand ward round
Diabetic foot ulcers on 7th May 2008
- **Invited Speaker** : Logan Hospital for residents on Tuesday 22nd July 2008-
History & Examination of the Foot & Ankle
- **Invited guest speaker** : On Annual Queensland Physiotherapy Network
conference 22nd August 2008 at Bond University, Gold Coast Australia-
Topic: Management of chronic pain in foot & ankle after a trauma.
- **Invited guest speaker:** “The Role of Podiatry in Orthopaedics” Podiatry Day
Seminar- Logan Hospital 20th June 2008
- **Lecture** : “ Knee and Foot and Ankle” to final year Medical Students Griffith
Medical School, Gold Coast Campus, Southport- 22nd January 2009
- **Invited guest speaker** : Diabetic Ulcer- Orthopaedic Nurses Teaching Day
Logan Hospital 19th February 2009
- **Invited speaker** : “ Assessment of a painful elbow in children after an injury”
Residents Teaching at Logan Hospital, Tuesday 25th August 2009

In Europe

Invited speaker for Edinburgh International Symposium 21-23 August 2007, Edinburgh topic “ Role of Arthroscopy in Ankle and Hind foot Trauma”

Details of presentation before coming to Australia (before 18.6.07)

1. **Invited speaker** and organiser for the Royal College of Surgeons Masterclass in Foot & Ankle Surgery- Leeds (UK) 6-8 June 2007.
2. **Invited Speaker** on The Royal College of Surgeons, England Course (So, Do You want to be an Orthopaedic Surgeon) on 15th December, 2006. Lincoln Inn Field, London.
Topic: “The Future of the Foot Surgery in the UK”
3. **Invited Speaker** for “Society of Occupational Medicine (Yorkshire Group) – Study Day on 15th November 2006 at Cedar Court Hotel, Wakefield. (UK)
Topic: “Ankle Sprain and Chronic Foot Pain”
4. **Invited Speaker** (Arthrex Workshop) at [6th International Congress of the European Foot & Ankle Society](#)
EFAS 14th-16th September 2006.
5. Prague Convention Centre, Prague, **Czech Republic**
Subject: Arthrex Bio-tenodesis screw fixation for ankle ligament reconstruction- Practical workshop 15th September
6. I was approached by The Royal College of Surgeons of England to organize the first “Master Class in Foot & Ankle Surgery” course. I co-organised it, as well as taught on this course. It was held on 8-10 June 2006 in Leeds (UK). This course was attended by more than 20 consultant orthopaedic surgeons (Staff Specialists) from the UK and apart from giving two lectures on the course, I also taught them new advances in Foot & Ankle surgery during practical workshops on dry bones.
http://www.rcseng.ac.uk/education/courses/masterclass_foot_ankle.html
7. **Invited International Speaker** as a part of the workshop faculty for “The first Arthrex Foot & Ankle Cadaver Course” held on the 27th April 2006 at the School of Anatomy, **Düsseldorf University, Germany.**
8. **Invited International Workshop Speaker** at “12 Annual Meeting of the German Society for Foot & Ankle Surgery”, 17-18th March 2006 at **Heidelberg, Germany.** Presentation on “Arthrex Bio-Tenodesis Screw Fixation in Lateral Ligament Reconstruction using Split Peroneus Tendon”
9. “**Surgical and Non Surgical Treatment for Foot & Ankle Disorders**” Guest Lecture at Hull Nuffield Hospital, Hull Study Evening for Allied Health Care Professionals on 25th January 2006.
10. **Guest Speaker at British Orthopaedic Foot Surgery Society (BOFSS) Annual Scientific Meeting 17-18 November 2005 at Oxford, UK**
Title of lecture “Coping with forefoot disaster”

11. **Guest Speaker at General Practitioner Teaching Day** at Hull Nuffield Hospital Hull, UK, 13. 4 .05 - Title of lecture **“Recent Advances in Foot & Ankle Surgery”**
12. **Guest Speaker at Radiographer Training Day** at Hull Royal Infirmary, Hull Wednesday 10.11.04. topic of lecture “Radiology of the Foot and Ankle”
13. **Guest Speaker at Regional Orthopaedic Registrar Teaching Day** at Hull Friday 2.7.04 Title of lecture **“Biomechanics of Foot & Ankle and Adult Gait Cycle”**
14. **Guest Speaker at Northern Regional Training Day for Plastic Surgeons – Trauma–infection/soft tissue** Friday 18.6.04 at Hull Nuffield Hospital. Title of lecture **“Lower Limb Trauma”**
15. **Guest Speaker at Yorkshire Deanery Registrar Teaching Program at Leeds** General Infirmary. 20th Feb.2004, Leeds, UK
Title of lecture **“Why Did My Bunion Surgery Fail?”**
16. **Guest Speaker at Yorkshire Deanery Registrar Teaching Program** at St. James’s University Hospital. 25th November 2002. Leeds.,UK
Title of lecture **“Charcot Neuroarthropathy of Foot & Ankle”**
17. **Guest Speaker for West Hull General Practitioner Teaching Day at Hull, Nuffield Hospital**, 11 November 2002.
Title **“Foot & ankle Surgery”**
18. **Guest Speaker at A&E SHO Induction Day.** Hull & East Yorkshire Hospitals, Hull ERMEC on 10th August 2002. Hull, UK
Title of lecture **“Lower Limb Trauma”**
19. **Guest Speaker at Hull & East Yorkshire Hospitals Orthopaedics & Neurologic Study Day**, at Hull on 11th May 2002, Title **“Radiology of Foot & Ankle”**
20. Lecture on **“Application of Toe Spica for forefoot surgery”**. at Hull Nuffield Hospital, Hull. 28th Feb. 2002.
21. **“Ankle sprain that won’t heal!”** Guest lecture at East Hull General Practitioner Meeting, Hull, 22nd Feb. 2002
22. **“Arthroscopic Treatment of Anterior Ankle Impingement Syndrome in Dancers”**
A retrospective study of 11 elite professional Ballet dancers at the Hospital for Joint Diseases, New York, USA. Presented BOA Annual Congress, 11-14th September 2001. Birmingham, UK.
23. **“Current Concepts in Foot & Ankle Surgery”**: Guest lecture at General Practitioner meeting, 12th July 2001, The Mill House, Skidby, East Yorkshire, UK.
24. **“Radiology of Foot & Ankle”**: Guest lecture at Hull Radiology Conference, 21st May 2001, Postgraduate Centre, Hull.

25. **“Diabetic Foot”**: Guest lecture at Diabetic Centre, Hull Royal Infirmary Diabetic centre monthly conference, 17th May 2001.
26. **“Charcot Foot”**: Guest lecture at Hull Royal Infirmary Post Graduate Centre for orthopaedic regional SpR teaching program 27th October 2000.
27. **“History of Ankle Arthrodesis and Current Concepts”**: Presented for the annual fellow presentation at the New York Medical University- Hospital for Joint Diseases, on 27th April 2000. New York, USA
28. **“Arthroscopic treatment of anterior ankle impingement syndrome in dancers”**
A retrospective study of 11 elite professional Ballet dancers at the Hospital for Joint Diseases, New York, USA. Presented at the Fitton conference in Leeds on 6th December 1999.
29. **“The use of post-operative autologous blood transfusion in total hip & knee replacement surgery”**- a prospective study- presented for the John Fitton prize at St.James's University Hospital annual conference, Leeds. Dec.1997
30. **“Should trochanteric osteotomy be performed in primary total hip replacement?”**
A retrospective study of 280 hip arthroplasties at Joint Replacement Unit of East Surrey Hospital, Redhill, Surrey presented at annual South West Thames Orthopaedic Conference on 31st May 1996.
31. **“Re-manipulation of forearm fractures in children”**. Presented for the Raine Prize on 8.12.95 at St George's Hospital, London.
32. **“Frimley discectomy a modified microdiscectomy”**. Presented at South West Thames Annual Orthopaedic Conference at Sandown Park on 19.5.95.
33. **“Avulsion fractures around the knee”** at St George's Hospital Registrar Training Scheme, November 1994.
34. **“Frimley Discectomy”** a modified form of microdiscectomy, presented at South West Thames Annual Meeting for the Raine Prize on 9.12.94.
35. **“Urological injury and assessment in patients with pelvic fractures”**, presented at the South West Thames Annual Orthopaedic Conference on 10.6.94. **Awarded 1st Prize, the Gerard Golden Prize.**
36. **“The pattern of referral and cost implications of a developing regional service”**
(Fixation of complex pelvic and acetabular fractures) presented at the South West Thames Annual Conference for the Raine Prize on 26.11.93. **Awarded 2nd prize.**