



**British Pain Society**  
**Neuropathic Pain Special Interest Group Education Day**  
**Royal College of Physicians, London**

Thursday 26 February		Location
09:00 - 10:00	Registration Open	
09:00 – 09:45	Welcome and Arrival Refreshments	Linacre and Sloane
09:45 – 10:00	Update from the International Society for the Study of Pain (IASP) President, Andrew Rice	Council chamber
10:00 - 11:15	Session One: Where are we now? <i>Moderator: Neil O'Connell</i>	Council chamber
10:00 – 10:20	<b>The new neuropathic pain guidelines: what do they actually mean?</b> Dr Nadia Soliman, <i>Imperial College London, UK</i>  <b>Do cannabinoids have a role to play in neuropathic pain treatment?</b> Dr Harry Hebert, <i>University of Dundee, UK</i>  <b>Gabepentinoids through a safety lens in society</b> Dr Mahindra Chincholkar, <i>Salford Royal, UK</i>  <b>Q&amp;A</b>	
10:20 – 10:40		
10:40 – 11:00		
11:00 – 11:15		
11:15 – 11:45	Networking/Exhibition/Refreshments	Linacre and Sloane
11:45 – 13:30	Session Two: Treatment and diagnosis <i>Moderator: Alan Fayaz</i>	Council chamber
11:45 – 12:05	<b>Quantitative Sensory Testing: Advances and Applications</b> Jan Vollert, <i>University of Exeter, UK</i>  <b>Non-pharmacological interventions for neuropathic pain: What does the evidence show?</b> David Hohenschurz-Schmidt, <i>Imperial College London, UK</i>	
12:05 – 12:25		



12:25 – 12:45	<b>Global perspective: Delivering Effective Pain Management in Challenged Health Systems</b> <i>Margarita Calvo, Pontifical Catholic University of Chile, Chile</i>	
12:45 – 13:05	<b>Q&amp;A</b>	
13:05 – 14:00	<b>Networking/Exhibition/Lunch</b>	<b>Linacre and Sloane</b>
14:00 - 15:15	<b>Session Three: Future scoping</b> <i>Moderators: Paul Farquhar-Smith</i>	<b>Council chamber</b>
14:00 -14:20	<b>Painful diabetic neuropathy</b> Speaker TBC	
14:20 – 14:40	<b>How neuropathic is cancer pain?</b> <i>Paul Farquhar-Smith, The Royal Marsden, UK</i>	
14:40 – 15:00	<b>Neuromodulation in neuropathic pain: current evidence and indications, outcomes, and patient selection</b> <i>Stefano Palmisani, Guys and St Thomas, UK</i>	
15:00 – 15:15	<b>Q&amp;A</b>	
15:15 – 15:45	<b>Networking/Exhibition/Refreshments</b>	<b>Linacre and Sloane</b>
15:45 – 16:30	<b>Session four: Panel on the</b> <i>Moderator: Jan Vollert</i> <i>Panel members: Margarita Calvo, David Hohenschurz-Schmidt, Andrew Rice</i>	<b>Council chamber</b>
	<b>Panel discussion topic: Real world evidence: pros and cons</b> This panel will discuss the strengths and limitations of real-world evidence and its role in shaping clinical practice and policy.	
16:30– 16:45	<b>Official BPS Closing and Awards</b>	<b>Council chamber</b>
	BPS Recognition Awards	
16:45	<b>Close of Meeting</b>	