

6th AKU Annual Surgical Conference (6AASC)

Theme: Surgical Education and Training

Friday, Saturday & Sunday, March 5-7, 2021

Pre-Conference Workshops / Courses / Seminars

Friday, March 5, 2021 | 09:00am to 05:00pm (Pakistan Time; GMT +5)

Inauguration Ceremony

Friday, March 5, 2021

Inauguration and Introduction

Friday, March 5, 2021 | 05:15pm - 07:15pm (Pakistan Time; GMT +5)

Time	Duration	Title	Faculty
05:15pm - 05:20pm	05 mins	Tilawat/Introduction/Anthem	MC-SIG
	10 mins	Opening remarks by Conference Chair	Hammad Ather
05:20pm - 05:30pm	10 mins	Address by Chair, Surgery	Syed Ather Enam
05:50pm - 06:00pm	10 mins	Address by Dean, MC, AKU	Adil Haider
05:40pm - 05:50pm	10 mins	Address by Provost & Vice President, Academic, AKU	Carl Amrhein
05:30pm - 05:40pm	10 mins	Address by President, AKU	Firoz Rasul
		Introduce Dr. Salahuddin	Dr. Ather Enam
06:00pm - 06:30pm	30 mins	Ali al-Husayn Ibn-e-Sina Oration Jerusalem, A Journey Back in Time	Iftikhar Salahuddin
06:30pm - 06:40pm	10 mins	Of Sticky Floors and Glass Ceilings: Effect of Bias and Harassment on Women Surgeons' Career	Mahim Malik
		Introduce Dr. Freischlag	Adil Haider
06:40pm - 07:10pm	30 mins	Abu al-Qasim al-Zahrawi Oration Breakthrough to Brave	Julie Freischlag
07:10 pm - 07:15pm	05 mins	Introduction to the program- Scientific Program Chair	Abida K. Sattar

Scientific Programme

Day 1

Saturday, March 6, 2021

Session One

Theme: Over a 100-Year Journey

Historical Perspective and Evolution of Surgical Training

Saturday, March 6, 2021 | 09:00am - 11:05am (Pakistan Time; GMT +5)

Time	Duration	Title	Faculty
09:00am - 09:20am	20 mins	Residency training from apprenticeship to structured training	Kamran Hameed
09:20am - 09:40am	20 mins	Curricular models in surgical training	Munir Ahmed
09:40am - 10:00am	20 mins	When does it all start? Motivating Medical students to consider surgery as a fulfilling career	Saulat Fatimi
10:10am - 10:25am	15 mins	Surgeon Coach for lifelong learning	Henry Marsh
10:25am - 10:45am	20 mins	We do Surgery, you can do the Ethics	Farhat Moazam
10:45am - 11:05am	20 mins	Q / A Faculty: Kamran Hameed, Munir Ahmed, Saulat Fatimi, Henry Marsh, Farhat Moazam; Moderator: Kulsoom Ghias	

Student session

Saturday, March 6, 2021 | 11:15pm to 01:15pm (Pakistan Time; GMT +5)

E-Poster session

Saturday, March 6, 2021 | 02:00pm to 03:00pm (Pakistan Time; GMT +5)

Session Two

Theme: Surgical Training In The 21st Century

Training Safe and Competent Surgeons - Perspectives From Around The World

Saturday, March 6, 2021 | 04:00pm - 06:15pm (Pakistan Time; GMT +5)

Time	Duration	Title	Faculty
04:00pm - 04:20pm	20 mins	Ensuring a competent surgeon Pakistan Perspective	Tahseen Cheema
04:20pm - 04:40pm	20 mins	Asian Perspective	Srinath Chandrasekara
04:40pm - 05:00pm	20 mins	African Perspective	Asad Jamil Raja
05:00pm - 05:20pm	20 mins	Role of work-place based assessment	Abhay Rane
05:20pm - 05:40pm	20 mins	Competency based surgical training	Douglas Smink
05:40pm - 06:10pm	30 mins	Panel Discussion: Developing the ideal universally applicable training program: Based on various models Panelists: Tahseen Cheema, Srinath Chandrasekara, Asad Jamil Raja, Abhay Rane, Douglas Smink Moderators: Sadaf Khan and Farhan Raza Khan	

Day 2

Sunday March 7, 2021

Session Three

Theme: 'No pressure, no diamonds'
From Selection to Graduation and Beyond

Sunday, March 7, 2021 | 09:00am - 11:20am (Pakistan Time; GMT +5)

Time	Duration	Title	Faculty
09:00am - 09:20am	20 mins	Work hour restrictions and ensuring quality surgeons	Karl Bilimoria
09:20am - 09:40am	20 mins	Helping the weak-links and ensuring quality care	Farhat Abbas
09:40am - 10:00am	20 mins	Life after graduation-Fellowships, Contract Negotiations and transitioning from a trainee to a colleague and partner	Shahid Shafi
10:00am - 10:20am	20 mins	e-learning, Remote learning opportunities & use of Simulation	Kamran Ahmed
10:20am - 10:40am	20 mins	All surgical trainees can be equivalent whether they train in a metropolis or the Sahara	Russell White
10:40am - 10:50am	10 mins	Q&A	Moderators
10:50am - 11:20am	30 mins	Panel Discussion: Trainee's Perspective/challenges faced Panelist: Roshan-e-Rana, Hassan Bari, SIG Moderators: Amir Shariff and Nida Wahid	Residents and Fellows

E-Poster session

Saturday, March 6, 2021 | 02:00pm to 03:00pm (Pakistan Time; GMT +5)

Session Four

**Theme: The Scholar And The Sage
Scholarship, Collegiality and Integrity**

Sunday, March 7, 2021 | 04:00pm - 06:15pm (Pakistan Time; GMT +5)

Time	Duration	Title	Faculty
04:00pm - 04:20pm	20 mins	Evidence Based Practice and Critical Thinking	Nabeel Zafar
04:20pm - 04:40pm	20 mins	Encouraging Research and Respecting Propriety	Don Dizon
04:40pm - 05:00pm	20 mins	Honesty, integrity and collegiality without fail	Aamir Jaffery
05:00pm - 05:20pm	20 mins	Wellness and Burnout	Farin Amersi
05:20pm - 05:40pm	20 mins	Workplace Harassment	Robyna Khan
05:40pm - 05:50pm	10 mins	Q&A	Moderators
05:50pm - 06:20pm	30 mins	Panel Discussion: Managing workplace harassment Moderators: Mahnaz Shah and Mumtaz Khan	Aamir Jaffery Farin Amersi Fizza Kazmi
06:20pm - 06:30pm	10 mins	Vote of Thanks & Closing Remarks by Conference Co-Chair	Fazl-ur-Rehman and Rizwan Khan