

CONFERENCE PROGRAMME - This programme will be updated regularly. The BAA Scientific Programme Committee reserves the right to make changes to the conference programme and speakers without prior notice

Below is a session key to allow you to make a more informed choice about which session to attend. The key is as follows:

Parallel Session – Held in a theatre style setting, designed to be informative sessions	Workshops – Held in a more informal setting, designed to be interactive with some group discussions	Sponsors Track – A mixture of informative and interactive sessions hosted by our Platinum Sponsors	All You Need To Know Sessions
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Thursday 8th November

Main Auditorium
Hall 1A – Upper Level
Moderator: Sue Falkingham

08:30 – 09:00	Exhibition Opens – Hall 2 – Lower Level			
09:00 – 09:15	Opening Ceremony – Sponsored by PC Werth Sue Falkingham President, British Academy of Audiology			
09:15 – 09:45	Adrian Davis Lecture Hearing Loss and Healthy Aging: Public Health Considerations Dr Nicholas S. Reed, Assistant Professor, Johns Hopkins University			
09:45 – 10:15	Keynote Lecture Hearing Loss and Dementia Updates Professor Barbara E. Weinstein, Professor and Founding Executive Officer Health Sciences Doctoral Programs; Founding Executive Officer AuD Program, Graduate Center, CUNY			
10:15 – 10:30	Award Presentations Part 1 Audiologist of the Year Award in memory of Peggy Chalmers Team of the Year Award The Jos Millar Shield Award Paul Doody Supervisor of the Year Award			
10:30 – 11:15	Refreshment Break and Exhibition Viewing – Hall 2 – Lower Level Poster Viewing – Lower Galleria			
11:20 – 12:45	Main Auditorium Hall 1A Moderator: Michelle Booth	Hall 1B Moderator: Vicki Kennedy(BSA)	Hall 1C Sponsors Track Moderator: Claire Benton	Upper Level Room 4A Professional Development Lounge
	11:20 – 11:40 All new practice guidelines: the ins and outs of tinnitus care Dr Derek Hoare, Associate Professor in Hearing Sciences, University of Nottingham	11:20 – 11:40 Vestibular assessment, diagnosis and management in children Dr Soumit Dasgupta, Consultant Audiovestibular Physician/Neurotologist and Clinical Lead in Paediatric Audiology, Alder Hey Children’s Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	11:20 – 12:00 Dynamic soundfield a driver for change in educational outcomes: common themes between deaf and hearing children living in areas of deprivation Brian Shannan, Educational Audiologist Manager, Fife Council Sensory Support (Deaf); Course-Coordinator (Audiology) and Associate Tutor, University of Edinburgh. Sponsored by Phonak	11:20 – 12:00 From Clinics to Academia: navigating the pathway into research William Brassington, Hashir Aazh, Gemma Crundwell, Emily Frost, Amanda Hall & Tanjinah Ferdous, Clinical Research Network – Regional Audiology Leads, NIHR – Clinical Research Network
	11:40 – 12:00 Prioritising hyperacusis: The Top 10 research priorities Dr Kathryn Fackrell, Research Fellow, NIHR Nottingham Biomedical Research Centre	11:40 – 12:00 Cortical contribution to balance and postural control Patricia Castro, Audiologist, Research Assistant (PhD student), Imperial College London		
	12:00 – 12:05 Comfort Break	12:00 – 12:05 Comfort Break	12:00 – 12:05 Comfort Break	12:00 – 12:05 Comfort Break

	<p>12:05 – 12:25 Shared decision making in tinnitus care Dr Helen Pryce, Senior lecturer in Audiology and Hearing Therapy, Aston University, School of Life and Health Sciences</p> <p>12:25 – 12:45 A Practical Approach to Managing Hyperacusis in Children Dr Veronica Kennedy, Audiovestibular Physician, Bolton NHS Foundation Trust</p>	<p>12:05 – 12:25 Life in balance and balance in life. Mindfulness techniques for chronic dizziness Debbie Cane, Audiology Lecturer & Senior Clinical Scientist, Manchester University & Withington Community Hospital</p> <p>12:25 – 12:45 Free paper Improvement of Utricular function after Repositioning Manoeuvres in Benign Paroxysmal Positional Vertigo Free Paper Visual Vertical Misperception in Patients with Benign Paroxysmal Positional Vertigo Dr Abeir Dabbous Cairo University</p>	<p>12:05 – 12:25 Hearing loss, hearing aids and memory Elaine Ng, Senior Researcher, Oticon A/S</p> <p>Sponsored by Oticon</p>	<p>12:05 – 12:45 How to teach your patients about new technology Miguel Angel Aranda de Toro, Ph.D., Director of External Relations, Global Medical Affairs, GN Hearing</p>
12:45 – 14:00	Lunch and Exhibition Viewing – Hall 2 – Lower Level Poster Viewing – Lower Galleria			
14:00 – 14:30	Main Auditorium Hall 1A British Academy of Audiology Annual General Meeting BAA members only			
14:35 – 15:35	Main Auditorium Hall 1A Moderator: Sarah Hodgson	Hall 1B Moderator: Michelle Foster	Hall 1C Sponsors Track Moderator: Kath Lewis	Upper Level Room 4A Professional Development Lounge
	<p>14:35– 15:05 Free paper Hearing Care: myths and reality, the user perspective Emmanuelle Blondiaux-Ding, National Association Of Deafened People</p> <p>15:05 – 15:35 An integrated psychology model for tinnitus consultations - for non-psychologists Tony Kay, Head of Audiology Services, Aintree University Hospital NHS Foundation Trust & Dr Dominic Bray, Consultant Clinical Psychologist, Lancashire Care NHS Trust</p>	<p>14:35– 15:05 Auditory Processing Disorder and Implications for Sensory Processing Difficulties Nerys Hughes, Clinical Director, Advanced Practitioner, Paediatric Occupational Therapist, Whole Child Therapy</p> <p>15:05 – 15:35 Moving on up: Transition to Adult Audiology Services for Young People with Down's Syndrome or Learning Disabilities Dr Rosa Crunhorn, Specialty Registrar in Audiovestibular Medicine, Royal Bolton NHS Foundation Trust</p>	<p>14:35 – 14:55 A True Binaural listening experience Michael Guy, NHS Sales Manager, Sivantos Ltd</p> <p>Sponsored by Sivantos</p> <p>14:55 – 15:15 Teleaudiology in Hearing Aids: “Like having the audiologist in your pocket” Miguel Angel Aranda de Toro, Ph.D., Director of External Relations, Global Medical Affairs, GN Hearing</p> <p>Sponsored by GN Hearing</p> <p>15:15 – 15:35 Clinical research update on assessment methods used for patients seeking help for tinnitus and/or hyperacusis from an audiology clinic Dr Hashir Aazh, Tinnitus & Hyperacusis Therapy Specialist Clinic, Audiology Department, The Royal Surrey County Hospital NHS Foundation Trust</p> <p>Sponsored by Phonak</p>	<p>14:35 – 15:05 Tinnitus - What Every Audiology Professional Needs to Know Michelle Booth, Clinical Lead – Adult Audiology, Sherwood Forest Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust & David Stockdale, Chief Executive, British Tinnitus Association</p> <p>15:05 – 15:35 One Voice – Hearing Audiologists Wendy Farrington-Chadd, Chief Executive Officer, British Academy of Audiology & Prof Brendan Cooper, Consultant Clinical Scientist/President, AHCS, Academy for Healthcare Science</p>

15:35-15:40	Comfort Break			
15:40 – 16:00	15:40 – 16:00 The hearWELL Collaboration Lt Col Linda Orr, Consultant ENT surgeon and military lead of hearWELL Collaboration, Defence Medical services/Queen Elizabeth Hospital Birmingham	15:40 – 16:00 The Prevalence of Hearing Loss in Athletes with Learning Disabilities following Hearing Screening at the Special Olympics Games Wendy Stevens, Senior Lecturer, De Montfort University	15:40 – 16:00 Considering Cognition in the Clinic Jeff Crukley, Manager of Audiology Research and Hearing Science, Starkey Hearing Technologies Sponsored by Starkey	15:40 – 16:00 One Voice – Hearing Audiologists Continued
16:00 – 16:25	Refreshment Break and Exhibition Viewing – Hall 2 – Lower Level Poster Viewing – Lower Galleria			
16:30 – 17:30	Main Auditorium Hall 1A Moderator: Charlotte Rogers			
	Snowflakes and Millennials - Lazy Arrogant Selfish The challenge of building an engaged future workforce Kevin Wyke, Director/Founder, Leap Further Ltd			

Friday 9th November

08:30 – 09:00 **Exhibition Open – Hall 2 – Lower Level**

Main Auditorium
Hall 1A
Moderator: Karen Shepherd

09:00 – 09:15 **Welcome to Day 2 of Conference**
Karen Shepherd
Vice President, British Academy of Audiology

09:15 – 09:45 **Bamford Lecture**
Strategies and Interventions to enable Autism Friendly Audiology Clinics
Andrew Whitehouse, Special Educational Needs and Disability Consultant and Training Provider, People First Education

09:45 – 10:15 **Keynote Lecture**
Family-Centred Hearing Rehabilitation: Evidence and Implementation
Prof Louise Hickson, Head of School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences and Co-Director of the Communication Disability Centre, University of Queensland

10:15 – 10:30 **Award Presentations Part 2**
BAA Paediatric Audiologist of the Year – Sponsored by Phonak
BAA Student of the Year Award – Sponsored by Oticon
Lisa Bayliss Award

Refreshment Break and Exhibition – Lower Level Hall 2
Poster Viewing – Lower Galleria

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<p>11:20 – 11:40 Fitting hearing aids with psychophysics William Whitmer, Senior Investigator Scientist, Hearing Sciences (Scottish Section), University Of Nottingham</p>	<p>11:20 – 11:40 Auditory Neuropathy Spectrum Disorder – A systematic review of our centres data, 2002 – March 2018 Kevin Hole, Advanced Audiologist, Nottingham University Hospital NHS Trust</p>	<p>11:20 – 12:00 Telecare – Welcome to the Future Alison Webb, Audiologist for the South West England, South Wales & Channel Islands & Natasha Porter, Audiologist for the South East England & London, Sivantos</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sponsored by Sivantos</p>	<p>11:20 – 12:05 R.E.M. Practical Workshop Ann-Marie Hawkins, Principal Adult Audiologist, University Hospitals Coventry and Warwickshire NHS Trust</p>
<p>11:40 – 12:00 The role of cognition for speech-in-noise listening and the implications for diagnosis and treatment Dr Antje Heinrich, Senior Lecturer in Audiology, Manchester Centre for Audiology and Deafness (ManCAD), University of Manchester</p>	<p>11:40 – 12:00 Verification of hearing aid fittings in babies Dr Josephine Marriage, Clinical scientist and Director of Chear, Chear LTD</p>	<p>12:00-12:10 Comfort Break</p>	<p>12:05 – 12:10 Comfort Break</p>
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<p>12:10 – 12:30 GP Engagement Project Gemma Twitchen, Senior Audiology Specialist, Action On Hearing Loss</p>	<p>12:10 – 12:20 Free paper Streamlining grommet pathways for glue-ear and hearing loss in children Stuart Harris, Plymouth Hospitals</p>	<p>12:10 – 12:50 Person-Centred Care – Tips for your clinic Alison Stone, Audiologist & Training Manager, Oticon UK</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sponsored by Oticon</p>	<p>12:10 – 12:50 R.E.M. Practical Workshop Continued</p>

		<p>12:20 – 12:30 Free paper Key stakeholders’ perspectives on how eHealth can meet the hearing and communication needs of adults with hearing loss and their significant other Dr Carly Meyer, The Hearing CRC And The University Of Queensland</p>		
	<p>12:30-12:50 Audiology in Primary Care: The Why, the How and Where are we now? Sarah Canton, Principal Clinical Scientist/Audiology Primary Care Area Lead (East BCU), Betsi Cadwaladr University Health Board</p>	<p>12:30 – 12:40 Free paper How is sensory impairment understood and managed during dementia assessment in UK memory clinics? Dr Jenna Littlejohn, University of Manchester</p>		
		<p>12:40 – 12:50 Free paper Optimising hearing-Related communication for Care Home Residents with Dementia (ORCHARD): a realist synthesis Dr Melanie Ferguson, Consultant Clinical Scientist/Associate Professor, NIHR Nottingham Biomedical Research Centre</p>		

12:50 - 14:20 Lunch and Exhibition Viewing Exhibition – Hall 2 – Lower level
Poster Viewing – Lower Galleria

14:20 - 15:00	<p>Main Auditorium Hall 1A Moderator: Heather Dowber</p>	<p>Hall 1B Moderator: Tim Wilding</p>	<p>Hall 1C Sponsors Track Moderator: Karen Shepherd</p>	<p>Upper Level Room 4A Professional Development Lounge</p>
	<p>14:20 – 14:40 ‘Action Learning’ – A tool for leadership development in Audiology Michelle Booth, Clinical Lead – Adult Audiology, Sherwood Forest Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust</p>	<p>14:20 – 14:40 Real-world implementation of virtual consultations in the NHS Dr Joseph Wherton, Senior Researcher, University of Oxford</p>	<p>14:20 – 15:00 Teleaudiology in Hearing Aids: “Like having the audiologist in your pocket” Miguel Angel Aranda de Toro, Ph.D., Director of External Relations, Global Medical Affairs, GN Hearing</p> <p>Sponsored by GN Hearing</p>	<p>14:20 – 14:40 Further academic study mid-career: you can do it! Hannah Cooper, Lecturer/Clinical Scientist (Audiology), UCL Ear Institute/Royal Berkshire NHS Foundation Trust</p>
	<p>14:40 – 15:00 NICE guideline on adult hearing loss: where is the evidence? Prof Kevin J Munro, Ewing Professor of Audiology, University of Manchester</p>	<p>14:40 – 15:00 How to get started with IQIPS - a practical guide Kathryn Lewis, BAA Board Director Service Quality, BAA, Melanie Lough, Research Audiologist, The University of Manchester, Dr Ann-Marie Dickinson, Specialist Healthcare Science Audiology Practitioner, Manchester</p>		<p>14:40 – 15:00 Onwards and Upwards: How to progress your career Helen Martin, Consultant Clinical Scientist, NHS</p>

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Marie Hawkins, Principal
Adult Audiologist, UHCW
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15:05 – 15:45	Main Auditorium Hall 1A Moderator: Wendy Farrngton Chadd <i>(from 15:25)</i>	Hall 1B	Hall 1C Sponsors Track	Upper Level Room 4A Professional Development Lounge
	<p>15:05 – 15:25 Hearing Loss and Social Isolation: Why the Connection? Prof Barbara E. Weinstein, Professor and Founding Executive Officer Health Sciences Doctoral Programs; Founding Executive Officer AuD Program, Graduate Center, CUNY</p>	<p>15:05 – 15:15 Free paper Addressing the low uptake of cochlear implants amongst adults; audiologists' views of the barriers and facilitators for referral Sarah Allen, The Ear Foundation</p>	<p>15:05 – 15:45 Audiology in a Connected World Jeff Crukley, Manager of Audiology Research and Hearing Science, Starkey Hearing Technologies Sponsored by Starkey</p>	<p>15:05 – 15:25 Free Paper Prioritising research to support people with hearing problems through NHS service improvement and innovation Jagjit Sethi, Berkshire Healthcare</p>
	<p>15:15 – 15:25 Free paper Nottingham (NAIP) Auditory Staircase: a tool to support cochlear implantation expectation counselling Jayne Ramirez Insoe, NAIP</p>			
	<p>15:25 – 15:45 Developing your leadership skills to enable you to make real world change in this technical environment Alan Nobbs, Head of Programme Delivery and Framework, NHS Leadership Academy</p>			
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15:50 – 16:00	Main Auditorium Hall 1A			
	<p>Best bits, Top Tips and Take Home Messages Closing Remarks Sue Falkingham President, British Academy of Audiology</p>			