



# BOPA 21st SYMPOSIUM BIRMINGHAM 2018

# Agenda

12–14 October 2018  
The International Convention Centre  
(ICC), Birmingham

## Friday 12 October

From 09:30	<b>Registration, refreshments and trade exhibition opens</b> Tea, coffee and biscuits served in the exhibition hall	
10:15 – 11:00	<b>Pre-conference workshop sessions</b>	
	<b>Where can your oncology pharmacy career take you next?</b>	<b>Non-medical prescribing (NMP)</b>
11:00 – 11:15	<b>Welcome introduction</b> , <i>Steve Williamson, BOPA Chair</i>	
11:15 – 12:00	<b>An update of cancer treatments in the NHS</b> , <i>Dr Chris Harrison, National Clinical Director for Cancer, NHS England</i>	
12:00 – 12:45	<b>Industry-sponsored satellite</b>	
12:45 – 14:00	Buffet lunch served in the exhibition hall	
14:00 – 15:00	<b>BOPA 2018 debate: Prescription screening by AI – can we really be replaced by robots?</b>	
15:00 – 15:45	<b>Industry-sponsored satellite</b>	
15:45 – 16:30	Tea, coffee and biscuits served in the exhibition hall	
16:30 – 17:30	<b>Delivering a world-class research agenda</b>	<b>Clinical updates</b> 16:30 Triple-negative breast cancer 17:00 Lung cancer
17:30 – 19:30	<b>Welcome to the evening reception</b> <i>Join us in the exhibition hall for a buffet supper whilst viewing the abstract posters. Authors will be present to discuss their posters with you</i>	

## Saturday 13 October

08:25 – 08:30	<b>Welcome introduction to day 2</b> , <i>Steve Williamson, BOPA Chair</i>		
08:30 – 09:15	<b>Industry-sponsored satellite</b>		
09:15 – 10:00	<b>Adherence (oral cancer medicines)</b>		
10:00 – 10:40	<b>BOPA Annual General Meeting</b>		
10:40 – 11:15	Tea, coffee and biscuits served in the exhibition hall		
11:15 – 12:15	<b>Poster discussion session – The best abstracts chosen for plenary</b> <i>BOPA is proud to host this year's plenary session showcasing excellence in oncology pharmacy research. This special session will include five 10-minute presentations featuring the best abstracts in three categories—original research, audit and innovation.</i>		
12:15 – 13:00	<b>Industry-sponsored satellite</b>		
13:00 – 14:15	Buffet lunch served in the exhibition hall		
	<b>Clinical Update</b>	<b>Research &amp; Development</b>	<b>Technology &amp; Innovation</b>
14:15 – 14:55	<b>Thrombosis</b>	<b>Everyone can do research!</b>	<b>Smart apps in cancer care</b>
15:05 – 15:45	<b>ASCO update</b>	<b>Demystifying the NICE economic evaluation process</b>	<b>New models of care and the role of the pharmacy team</b>
15:45 – 16:30	Tea, coffee and biscuits served in the exhibition hall		
16:30 – 17:30	<b>'Pushing myself' inspirational talk by Henry Fraser, artist, author and inspirational speaker</b> <b>Chair:</b> <i>Rob Barker, CEO, Succinct Medical Communications</i>		
17:30 – 17:35	<b>Close to day 2</b> , <i>Steve Williamson, BOPA Chair</i>		
19:30 – 01:00	<b>Conference dinner</b> <i>Held at the ICC, Birmingham in Hall 4. 19:30 pre-dinner drinks for 20:00 sit down</i>		

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Sunday 14 October

09:00 – 09:15	Welcome introduction to day 3, <i>Steve Williamson, BOPA Chair</i>		
09:15 – 10:15	Cancer immunotherapy: what's all the fuss about? <i>Dr Elaine Vickers, Science Communicated Ltd</i>		
10:15 – 10:45	Tea, coffee and biscuits served in the exhibition hall		
	<b>Clinical Update Oncology</b>	<b>Clinical Update Haematology</b>	<b>Service Delivery &amp; Access to Drugs</b>
10:45 – 11:15	Bladder cancer	Acute lymphoblastic leukaemia	Workforce
11:25 – 11:55	Advances in melanoma	Myeloma	Impact of generics and pricing
12:00 – 12:15	Summary of key themes, challenges and close, <i>Steve Williamson, BOPA Chair</i>		

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