



PROGRAM, PRE-REGISTRATION & CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

ISOA ANNUAL MEETING

26th NOVEMBER 2026

Venue:

College of Anaesthesiologists,
Merrion Square, Dublin

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organisation
& pre-register by
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International & national
speakers

Approved for
6 CPD points

Oral & poster presentations

SELECTED ABSTRACTS TO BE PUBLISHED
IN IRISH MEDICAL JOURNAL

Abstract information :

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Closes Oct 21st 2026



Programme

COA 26th November 2026

08.00 – 08.25	Registration & Coffee	
08.25 – 08.30	Welcome Address	Dr Larry Crowley ISOA President
Session 1		
08.30 – 10.10	Chair: Dr Nikki Higgins Measuring quality of recovery in obstetric anaesthesia Neurological problems after pregnancy Ostheimer Lecture: what’s new in obstetric anaesthesia? Remifentanil PCA guidelines	Dr James O’Carroll Dr Niamh Hayes Dr David Monks Dr Rob Craig
10.10 – 10.40	Coffee Break	
Session 2		
10.40 – 11.55	Chair: Dr Ingrid Browne A common language for childbirth - would it be useful to anaesthetists? Birth reflections Entonox & CO2 emmissions	Dr Mike Robson RM Helen McHale Dr Ola Nordrum
Session 3: Oral presentation session		
11.55 – 13.00	Chairs: Dr Niamh Hayes & Robert ffrench-O’Carroll Free paper session 5 Presentations – 7 mins per presentation + 5 mins questions	
13.00 – 13.50	Lunch	
Session 4		
13.50 – 15.05	Chair: Dr Rose Kearsley Initiation & maintenance of epidural labour analgesia Pain during caserean section Personal insights into obstetric anaesthesia fellowships in Ireland	Dr Fionn O’Loire Dr James O’Carroll Dr Susie Hannon
15.05-15.30	Pick of the Posters	Dr Ross Bowe
15.30	Prize giving & meeting close ISOA AGM	