





MESSAGE OF **WELCOME**MILLIN 2017



Fellows, Members & Guests,

Welcome to the Millin Meeting 2017.

This is the first Millin meeting to take place in our new academic and education building, No. 26 York Street, which is home to the largest clinical simulation facility of its kind in Europe. RCSI's investment at No. 26 represents the beginning of an exciting new phase in RCSI's evolution, driven by strategic investment in transformative infrastructure projects and innovative education and training programmes.

The focus of everything we do is to ensure quality of outcome for our patients, with timely investigation and diagnosis and efficient, state-of-the-art treatment. RCSI, your College, is deeply committed to advancing the highest standards of professionalism in surgical practice and supporting our surgeons in practice to continue to lead in their fields through the ongoing provision of relevant learning opportunities. The Millin Meeting every year contributes to this with its ongoing educational platform.

The title of our meeting this year is "Building the future of Surgery".

The formal meeting opens with a session on the difficult issue of "Sustaining Surgery in Children in Ireland", during which issues including the model of care for surgery in children and surgery outside the National Children's Hospital will be discussed.

Our second session, entitled "Building for the future of Surgery", will give you an overview of what RCSI was striving to achieve through the development of No. 26 York Street, and what it means for the future of surgical education and training in Ireland.

The major session of the afternoon focuses on Elective Surgery which is fast becoming a national problem which requires systemic and pragmatic solutions. This promises to be a lively session with diverse opinions!

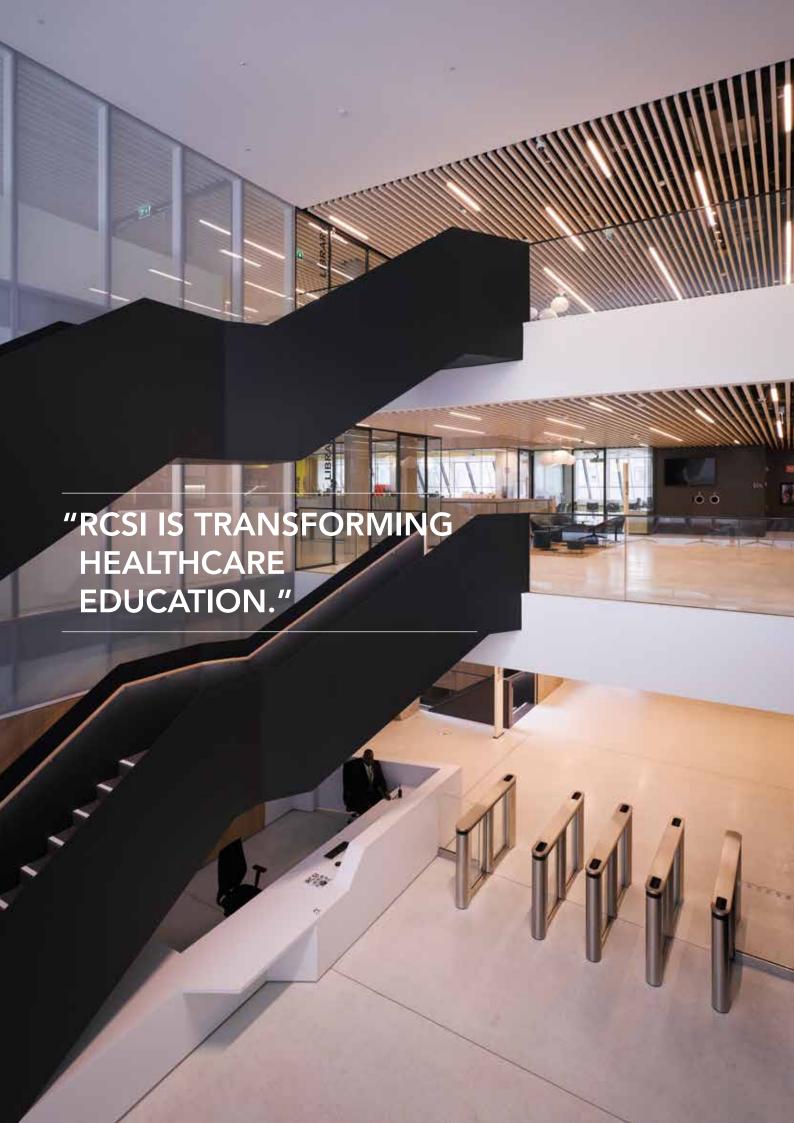
The highlight of the day, the Millin Lecture 2017 "Metabolic Surgery for Diabesity: A chance to cut is a chance to cure" will be delivered by Ms. Helen Heneghan, PhD FRCSI Consultant Surgeon.

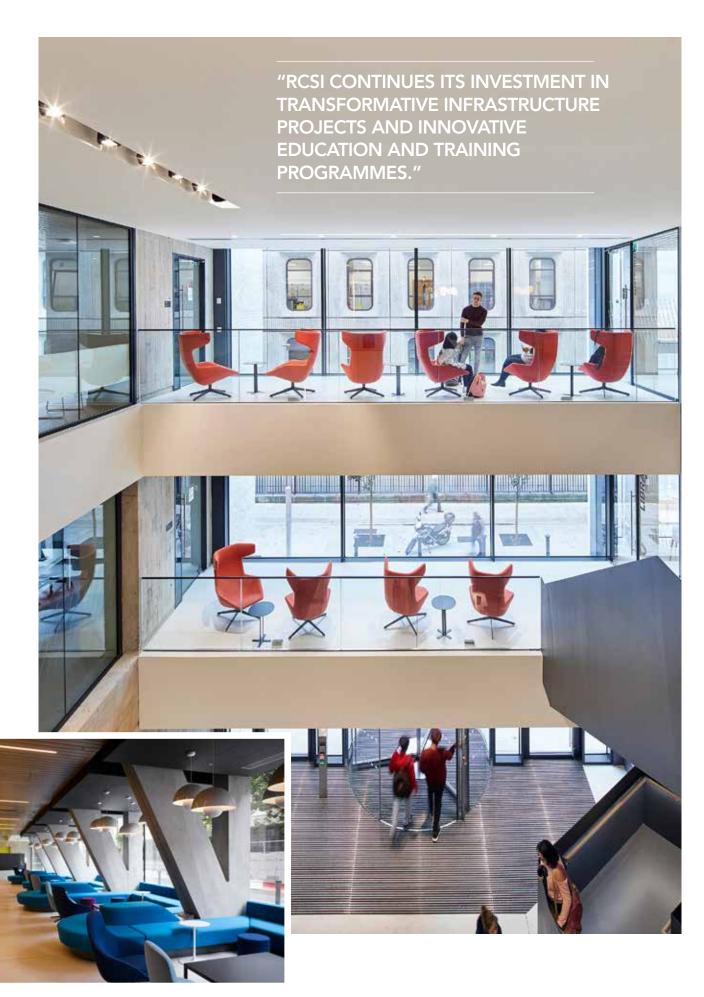
I look forward to seeing you all in your College for the day and to your active participation.

Professor John Hyland MCh FRCS FACS FRCSI President

08.00 – 09.00	REGISTRATION			
08.00 – 08.50	TOUR OF NO 26	Front Hall, No 26 York St		
09.00 – 09.10	WELCOME & INTRODUCTION Professor John Hyland, President, RCSI	Desmond LT		
SESSION	1: SUSTAINING SURGERY IN CHILDREN IN IRELAND			
	CO-CHAIRS Professor Alan Mortell, Associate Professor of Paediatric Surgery, RCSI Professor Miliard Derbew, President of COSECSA			
09.10 – 09.20	GENERAL PAEDIATRIC SURGERY IN IRELAND - THE FUTURE? Professor Feargal Quinn, Our Lady's Hospital for Sick Children, Dublin	Desmond LT		
09.20 – 09.30	PAEDIATRIC GENERAL SURGERY OUTSIDE THE NATIONAL CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL: THE WATERFORD PERSPECTIVE Professor Simon Cross, Council Member RCSI; Consultant General & Vascular Surgeon, University Hospital Waterford			
09.30 – 09.50	PROVIDING TRAUMA AND ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY IN CHILDREN BEYOND 2020 Ms May Cleary, Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon, University Hospital Waterford & Kilcreene Regional Orthopaedic Hospital & Ms Paula Kelly, Consultant Trauma & Orthopaedic Surgeon, Our Lady's Hospital for Sick Children, Dublin			
09.50 – 10.00	THE GENERAL SURGERY OF CHILDHOOD; WHAT IS THE FUTURE Professor John MacFie, President of the Federation of Surgical Specialty Associations (FSSA)			
10.00 – 10.40	DISCUSSION			
10.40 – 10.45	THE PROFESSOR GERALD C. O'SULLIVAN MEDAL In 2007, Professor Gerald (Gerry) O'Sullivan, along with Professor Krikor Erzingatsian, while both presidents of their respective Colleges, established cooperation between RCSI and the College of Surgeons of East, Central and Southern Africa (COSECSA). This collaboration has continued and grown in the intervening years, becoming one of the largest, most durable and most impactful philanthropic interventions in surgical training in the developed world. Professor O'Sullivan was made an Honorary Fellow of COSECSA in 2011 for his service to COSECSA and Surgery in Africa. He passed away in 2012. Professor Erzingatsian, who in fact undertook his initial medical training and surgical training in RCSI, was made an Honorary Fellow of RCSI in 2016. The Gerald C. O'Sullivan Medal has been awarded by COSECSA in his honour since 2012. It is awarded to the candidate with the highest overall mark in the COSECSA Fellowship examinations each year, taking into account written, clinical and viva exams, in addition to consideration of the candidate's operative record and other factors. The medal winner in each of the first four years has been based in Kenya. The December 2016 winner was Dr Augustine Mapfumo from Zimbabwe. Dr Mapfumo is an	Desmond LT		
	Orthopaedic Surgeon based in Parirenyatwa Hospital in Harare, the capital of Zimbabwe. Introduction by Professor John Hyland, President, RCSI Medal Presentation by Mrs Breda O'Sullivan			

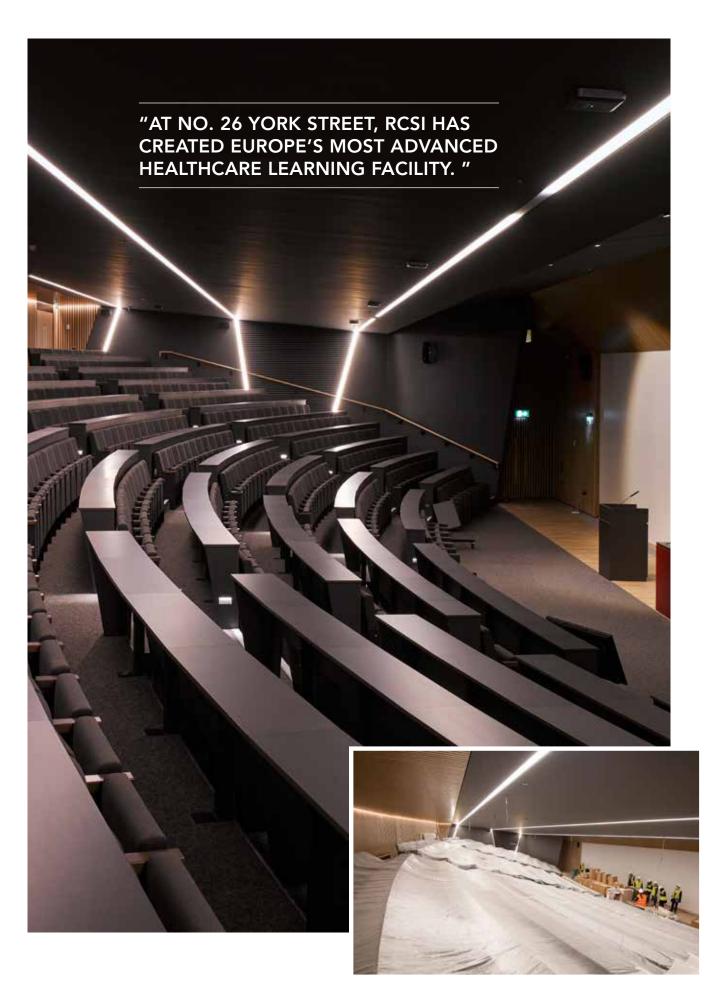
10.43 11.13	45 – 11.15 REFRESHMENTS & EXHIBITION		
11.15 – 11.30	PROMOTING GENDER EQUALITY IN SURGERY Report of the Gender Diversity Short Life Working Group Professor Deborah McNamara, Council Member RCSI; Consultant Surgeon, Beaumont Hospital, Dublin	Desmond LT	
11.30 – 11.35	PRESENTATION TO ACS & RCSI EXCHANGE FELLOW The purpose of the ACS & RCSI Resident Exchange Programme is to allow exchange of trainees between ACS and RCSI so as to allow dialogue across the trainee associations. The leadership of the Resident and Associate Society of the College (RAS-ACS) maintains that opportunities for the exchange of scientific knowledge should begin at the trainee level and for this reason developed an International Exchange Scholarship Program. The RAS-ACS International Exchange Scholarship Program was initially a joint venture between the ACS and the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland (RCSI). Through a competitive selection process specified by each institution, a surgical trainee is selected and awarded the opportunity to attend the major surgical meeting by the respective host nation. Dr Constantine Saclarides, MD, is the successful ACS recipient of the ACS & RCSI Resident Exchange Programme for 2017. Presentation by Professor John Hyland, President, RCSI	Desmond LT	
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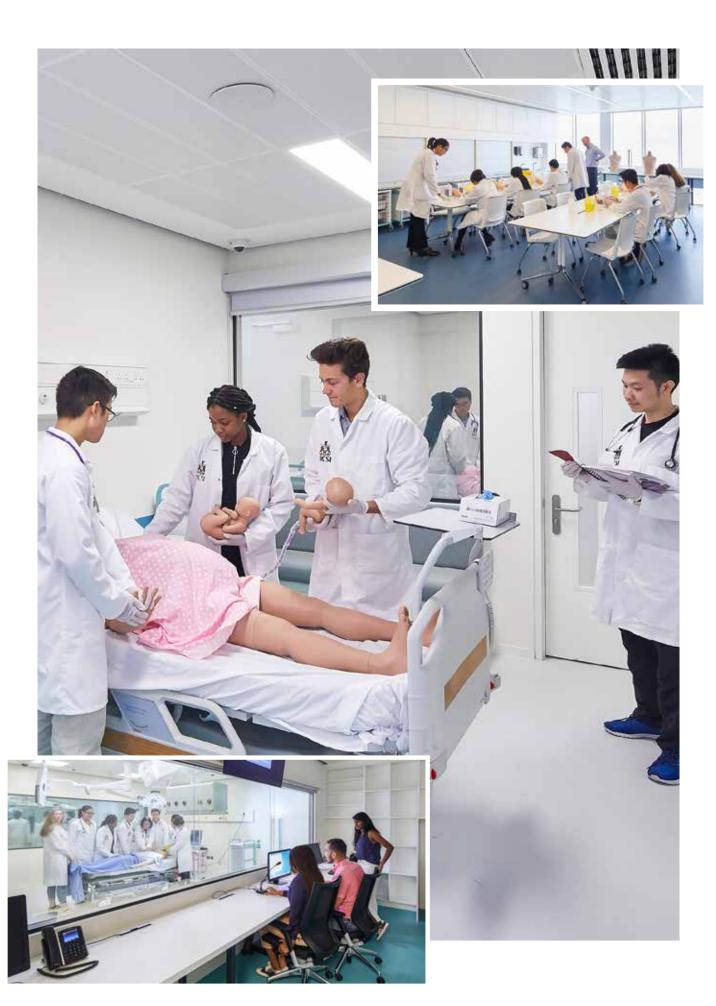




13.10 – 13.15	PRESENTATION OF THE BRIAN LANE MEDAL The winner of the prestigious Brian Lane Medal 2017 is Dr Darragh Waters. At the end of an intensive Surgical Bootcamp programme, trainees take part in a skills test competition and the winner is awarded the 'Brian Lane' Medal in honour of Brian E. Lane FRCSI, FRCSEd, FRCSEng, FACS, Surgeon Prosector and a former Consultant General and Gastro-intestinal Surgeon at Beaumont and Connolly Hospitals. Dr Waters takes first place this year, a great achievement as 60 trainees took part. Introduction by Professor John Hyland, President, RCSI Medal Presentation by Mr Brian Lane	Desmond LT		
13.15 – 14.45	LUNCH & EXHIBITION Tours of No 26 13.15 & 13.45 (Tour meeting point: Front Hall, No 26)	Exam Hall		
SESSION	3: DELIVERING ELECTIVE SURGERY - THE OPTIONS			
14.45 – 14.55	Mr Eamonn Rogers, NCPS Clinical Advisor, Consultant Urologist, University Hospital			
15.55 – 15.05	THE PRIVATE HOSPITAL SOLUTION Mr Simon Nugent, CEO, Private Hospitals Association			
15.05 – 15.15	USING LEVEL 2/3 HOSPITALS MORE EFFECTIVELY: A VIEW FROM THE SOUTH Ms Deirdre O'Hanlon, Consultant Surgeon, Bon Secours Hospital, Cork			
15.15 – 15.25	USING LEVEL 2/3 HOSPITALS MORE EFFECTIVELY Mr Donal Maguire, Consultant Surgeon, St. Vincent's Healthcare Group, Dublin			
15.25 – 15.35	DEDICATED ELECTIVE STANDALONE HOSPITALS Mr David Moore, Council Member RCSI, Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon, AMNCH Tallaght and Our Lady's Hospital, Crumlin, Dublin			
15.35 – 16.20	DISCUSSION			

16.20-16.25	PRESENTATION OF THE PROFESSOR W.A.L. MacGOWAN MEDAL RCSI is delighted to present the Professor W.A.L. MacGowan Medal. This award was introduced in 2014 to recognise the highest performing FRCS candidate across all specialties from the RCSI Training Scheme. The medal is named after Professor MacGowan, an RCSI graduate (1948) and Fellow (1951). He was Dean of the Faculty of Medicine RCSI (1974-1978) and Registrar and CEO of the College 1980-1990. Professor MacGowan had a particular interest in surgical training and education during his entire career and played a pivotal role in establishing formal training structures in surgery at both basic and higher level, particularly the first Senior Registrar Training Programmes in Ireland. He has advised Medical Colleges abroad in Kuwait, Bahrain, Saudi Arabia and the Sudan on similar training programmes. Professor MacGowan has continued his interest and support of excellence in training with the creation of this award. This year's recipient is Mr Kieron Sweeney, MD FRCSI (SN), SpR Neurosurgery, Beaumont Hospital, Dublin. Introduction by Professor John Hyland, President, RCSI Medal Presentation by Professor W.A.L. MacGowan	Desmond LT
16.25 – 17.00	REFRESHMENTS	Board Room
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17.00	40th MILLIN LECTURE METABOLIC SURGERY FOR DIABESITY: A CHANCE TO CUT IS A CHANCE TO CURE Delivered by Ms Helen Heneghan, PhD, FRCSI, Consultant Surgeon, St Vincent's University Hospital Introduced & Chaired by Professor John Hyland, President, RCSI	College Hall
18.00	MILLIN RECEPTION Drinks & Canapés	Board Room





MILLIN LECTURES

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2017 MILLIN LECTURER - MS HELEN HENEGHAN



Ms Helen Heneghan

Ms Helen Heneghan (MB BCh BAO, PhD, FRCS) is a Consultant Bariatric Surgeon at St. Vincent's University Hospital, Dublin. She is a graduate of NUI Galway, and completed basic surgical training in Galway University Hospital. In 2012 she was awarded a PhD in the molecular expression of breast cancer and obesity from NUI Galway. She then completed the RCSI Higher Surgical Training scheme in General Surgery in 2016.

During her training, she spent two years in the Bariatric & Metabolic Institute in Cleveland Clinic, Ohio. She then completed her training with a Bariatric Fellowship in the UK (Chester & Liverpool). She has co-authored >60 publications in peer-reviewed journals and has written 5 book chapters on the topics of bariatric and endocrine surgery.

	YEAR	DELIVERED BY		YEAR	DELIVERED BY
40th	2017	Helen Heneghan	20th	1997	Cathal J. Kelly
39th	2016	Niall Davis	19th	1996	Michael J. Kerin
38th	2015	Aoife Lowery	18th	1995	H. Paul Redmond
37th	2014	James Paul O'Neill	17th	1994	Kenneth Mealy
36th	2013	John P. Burke	16th	1993	Peter Gillen
35th	2012	J. Calvin Coffey	15th	1992	James G. Geraghty
34th	2011	Fraser M. Smith	14th	1991	Austin L. Leahy
33rd	2010	David G. Healy	13th	1990	John R. T. Monson
32nd	2009	Ronan Cahill	12th	1989	Thomas N. Walsh
31st	2008	Conor Sheilds	11th	1988	Ralphael Keane
30th	2007	Malcolm Kell	10th	1987	M. Kevin O'Malley
29th	2006	Kevin J. Mulhall	9th	1986	Oscar Traynor
28th	2005	Deborah McNamara	8th	1985	Patrick J. Broe
27th	2004	Fergal Fleming	7th	1984	Thomas F. Gorey
26th	2003	Desmond Winter	6th	1983	James M. Fitzpatrick
25th	2002	Deirdre M. O'Hanlon	5th	1982	Gerald C. O'Sullivan
24th	2001	Conor P. Delaney	4th	1981	Gregor Shanik
23rd	2000	Rowan W. Parks	3rd	1980	William O. Kirwan
22nd	1999	Mary Claire Barry	2nd	1979	David Bouchier Hayes
21st	1998	Arnold D. K. Hill	1st	1978	James M. Smith

RCSI-ACS RESIDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMME RECIPIENTS

2011 – 2017

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YEAR	RECIPIENT
2017	Constantine Saclarides
2016	Joe Forrester
2015	Ainhoa Costas-Chavarri
2014	Katherine Flynn-O'Brier
2013	Leigh Anne Dageforde
2011	Chris Burns

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As part of its international strategy, the Court is currently in the process of establishing regional Chapters in South-East Asia and the Middle East. The South-East Asia Chapter was launched in August 2017 and the Gulf Area Chapter will be welcoming its foundation members in a ceremony in RCSI Bahrain later this month.

At the same time, we are also inviting all our Fellows in Ireland and the UK to become Court Members.

Membership of the Court allows our Fellows to:

- > Contribute to the assessment of junior colleagues
- Obtain PCS Credits
- > Participate in Annual Meeting / Postgraduate Conferring
- > Network with colleagues
- > Examine in Overseas Centres

To find out more about becoming a Court Member, please contact us at **examiners@rcsi.ie**

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