



## Osteopathy: A Global Presence

Programme speakers/times subject to change

### Thursday, 2 October

13:00—17:00 Board of Directors Meeting, Executive Session

### Friday, 3 October

09:00—16:00 Board of Directors Meeting, Executive Session

16:00—17:00 Members' Open Session – Informal member discussion

19:00 International Attendee Dinner – More information to come

## Official Conference Start

### Saturday, 4 October – *Partnered with the Institute of Osteopathy*

#### 09:00—09:30 Joint Plenary: Welcome Session

Stephen Hartshorn DO (UK), President, Institute of Osteopathy & Michael Mulholland-Licht DO (AU), Chair, OIA Board of Directors

#### 09:30—10:30 Joint Plenary: New Frontiers In the Osteopathic Profession (short presentations followed by Q&A)

- Renzo Molinari DO (UK)
- Charles Peers DO (UK)
- Boyd Buser DO (US)
- Stuart Korth DO (UK)

10:30—11:00 *Break*

#### 11:00—12:30 Future Research Priorities – *Presented by Dawn Carnes PhD and NCOR*

- NICE Guidelines Development and Low Back Pain Update: Steven Vogel DO (UK)
- Patient Reported Outcomes: Data Collection and Feedback: Carol Fawkes DO (UK)

12:30—13:30 *Networking Lunch*

#### 13:30—15:30 Concurrent Sessions

**Research Pillar – Room TBA – Dawn Carnes PhD & William Burke DO (US),  
Moderators**

- Non-specific Effects of Treatment: Jens Foell DO (UK)
- Adverse Event Reporting: Reflection and Education: Elena Ward DO (UK) & Austin Plunkett DO (UK)

**Short Presentations on the Future of Research Relevant to the Osteopathic  
Profession**

- Dawn Carnes PhD, Director, NCOR – UK Perspective
- Francesco Cerritelli DO (IT), Director, European Institute for Evidence Based Osteopathic Medicine – Mainland European Perspective
- Brian Degenhardt DO (US), Assistant Vice President for Osteopathic Research, AT Still Research Institute – USA Perspective
- Michael Mulholland-Licht DO (AU) – Australasian Perspective

**Regulation Pillar – Room TBA – Rachel Portelli & Tim Walker, Moderators**

- Aligning Professional Self-Regulation and Continuous Professional Development: NBOME's Osteopathic Performance Assessment and Improvement Modules and other Initiatives: John Gimpel DO (US), President & CEO, National Board of Osteopathic Medical Examiners
- Developing Paediatric Capabilities: Stiofan MacSuibhne DO (NZ), Osteopathic Council New Zealand
- Monitoring and Reviewing the Performance of Regulators: Douglas Bilton, Research and Knowledge Manager, Professional Standards Authority UK
- How osteopathy is taught and regulated in Anglophone and Francophone countries around the world: Peter Doelger DO (FR), Centre Européen d'Enseignement Supérieur de l'Ostéopathie France

15:30—15:50 *Break*

**15:50—17:00 Joint Plenary: Round-up of the day with joint panel discussion**

- All speakers

**17:00—18:00 OIA Annual General Meeting**

**19:30 Convention Gala Dinner and Awards**

**Sunday, 5 October – Partnered with Institute of Osteopathy**

**09:00—09:45 Joint Plenary: Engaging with the changing healthcare environment? The national and international challenges**

Maurice Cheng, Chief Executive, Institute of Osteopathy & Michael Mulholland-Licht DO (AU), Chair, OIA Board of Directors

**09:45—12:15 Concurrent Sessions**

10:30—11:00 *Break*

**Education Pillar** – *Dixie Tooke-Rawlins DO (US) & Raimund Engel DO (AT), Moderators*

- “Using Standardized Patients to Measure Competencies in Humanism and Communication”: Frederic Rawlins DO (US)
- “Evolution of osteopathic education in Quebec: toward the first university program”: Chantal Morin DO (CA), and Andrée Aubin DO (CA)

**Association Leadership and Membership Pillar** – *Maurice Cheng & Antony Nicholas, Moderators*

- “Good Governance Models”: Maurice Cheng, Chief Executive, Institute of Osteopathy
- “Membership Services that Create Community and Value”: Adrienne White-Faines MPA, Executive Director & CEO, American Osteopathic Association
- “Promoting Osteopathy - To the Public, To Health Professions, To Government”: Antony Nicholas, Chief Executive, Osteopathy Australia

**12:15—12:30 Osteopathic Sports Care Association Special Interest Group Preview**

Simeon Milton DO (UK), Chairman, OSCA

12:30—14:00 *Networking Lunch*

**14:00—15:00 Concurrent Sessions**

**Pillar Follow Up Discussion** – *Pillar Moderators*

**OSCA and Osteopathic Olympic Special Interest Group**

- Simeon Milton DO (UK), Chairman, OSCA
- Jacson Nesi DO (BR), Brazilian Register of Osteopaths
- Yoshiteru Hiratsuka DO (JP), Japan Osteopathic Federation

**15:00—15:30 Montreal and Paediatrics SIG Preview**

**Announcement of 2016 Host**

- Alain Bouchard DO (CA), Ostéopathie Québec
- Karen Nichols DO (US), Chair, Conference Organising Committee

**15:30 Joint Session: Summary and Closing Session**

Stephen Hartshorn DO (UK), President, Institute of Osteopathy & Michael Mulholland-Licht DO (AU), Chair, OIA Board of Directors