

Medical Women's International Association NETWORK Meeting



Saturday, May 13, 2017 (9-11am)



Venue: Royal College of Surgeons, Lincoln's Inn Fields, London, UK

All women doctors who belong to national organisations are welcome!

PROGRAMME OF MWIA NETWORK MEETING

Session 1: MWIA activities - Chair: MWIA president, Professor Bettina Pfliederer (9-10 am)

1. Welcome by the MWIA president
2. Greeting by the VP of Northern Europe, Dr Tuula Saarela
3. Introduction of the Officers and VPs, including MWIA representative to the UN, Dr Padmini Murthy, and yMWIA chair, Dr Genevieve Koolhaas
Questions and discussion
4. Overview of MWIA and MWIA activities and plans – president
Questions and discussion
5. Information from the secretariat- MWIA Secretary General, Dr Shelley Ross
6. MWIA member Survey – MWIA president elect, Dr Clarissa Fabre
7. Report on the **Centennial Congress 2019 in New York**: Dr Eliza Chin
8. Questions and discussion

Session 2: Presentations by MWIA members “Medical Women: ambassadors of change”

Co-Chairs: MWIA president-elect, Dr Clarissa Fabre and Chair of yMWIA, Dr Genevieve Koolhaas (10-11 am)

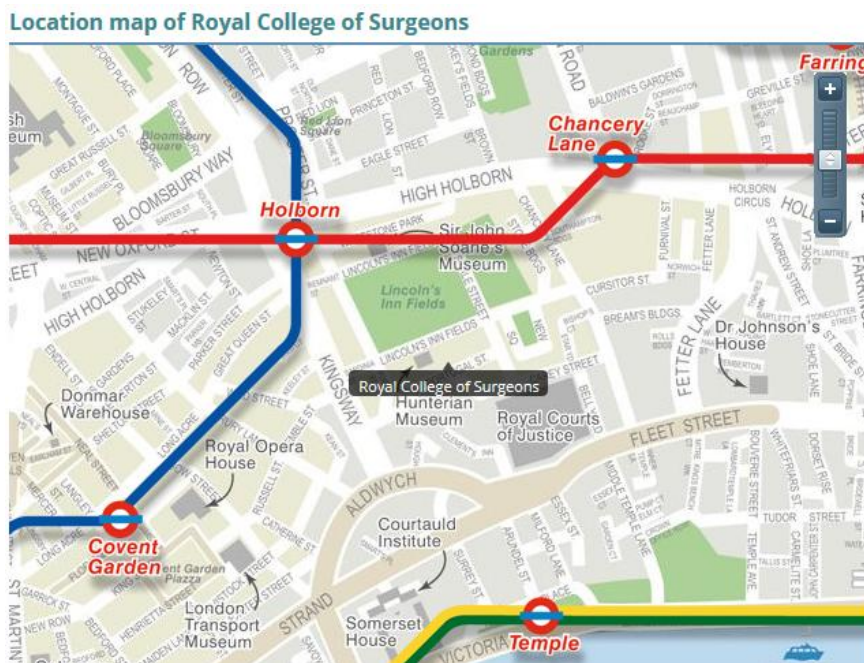
6 presentations of 5 mins each, plus 5 minutes for discussion

1. Dr Usha Saraiya (India)
Violence against Women and Girls: Has the situation improved in India since the rape and murder of the medical student in Delhi in 2012?

2. Dr Sonia Adesara, Co-chair yMWIA
*Generation Y and subjects to engage the interest of young women doctors in MWIA
Migrant women's health and victims of sex trafficking – what is happening in the UK*
3. Professor Khatuna Kaladze (Georgia)
*What is the situation for women doctors, and the health of women and children in
Eastern Europe?*
4. Dr Connie Newman (USA)
What does the future look like for women's reproductive health in the US?
5. Dr Cissy Yu (Hong Kong)
Work/life balance for women doctors in China, Japan and Korea
6. Dr Mabel Aboah (Ghana)
*What are the main problems in Africa related to women's health and well-being that
MWIA should be focusing on?*

How to find the venue?

35-43 Lincoln's Inn Fields, [Holborn](#), London WC2A 3PE



Underground Stations	Distance
Holborn Tube Station 88-94 Kingsway, London, Holborn, WC2B 6AA	4 mins from Royal College of Surgeons
Chancery Lane Tube Station High Holborn, London, Holborn, WC1V 6DR	5 mins from Royal College of Surgeons
Temple Tube Station Victoria Embankment, London, Holborn, WC2R 2PH	6 mins from Royal College of Surgeons