

Network of Hubs for Trials Methodology Research Annual Meeting- 2013- Lady Margaret Hall, Oxford

10:30-10:40 Prof Jane Armitage: **Opening of meeting- [Simpkins Theatre](#)**

10:40-11:15 Prof Doug Altman: **Improving the quality and value of clinical trials: the role of reporting guidelines- [Simpkins Theatre](#)**

11:15- 12:45 Morning parallel sessions

**A Stratified Medicine- [Frank Kee](#)
[Simpkins Theatre](#)**

[Frank Kee](#): Welcome and introduction.

[Chris Harbron](#) (AstraZeneca): Personalised HealthCare /Stratified Medicine : An industry perspective.

[Rick Kaplan](#) and [Louise Brown](#): FOCUS4: a novel stratified design to advance biomarker development across multiple subtypes of colorectal cancer.

[Desmond Walsh](#) (MRC): Stratified Medicine - developing disease-focused partnerships to stratify disease and the methodological challenges.

[Laura Bonnett](#): Identifying responders in epilepsy trials.

**B Outcomes- [Paula Williamson](#)
[Monson Room](#)**

[Nigel Stallard](#): Combining short-term and long-term endpoint data in a clinical trial with treatment selection.

[Liz Gargon](#): COMET update.

[Jamie Kirkham](#): Outcome Reporting Bias in Trials (ORBIT II).

[Mel Calvert](#): The CONSORT PRO extension: translating guidance to practice.

12:45-13:45 Lunch- chef's choice buffet- [Talbot Hall](#)

13:00 Meeting of **[DIRUM](#)**- group members only- [Monson Room](#)

13:00 Meeting of **[Recruitment Working Group](#)**- members only- [Simpkins Theatre](#)

13:45- 15:15 Afternoon parallel sessions

**A Evidence Synthesis- [Nicky Welton](#)
[Simpkins Theatre](#)**

[Ian Roberts](#) (LSHTM): The CRASH trial.

[Alex Sutton](#) (Leicester): Simulated Power for CRASH

[Julian Higgins](#): Conditional Power for CRASH.

[Karl Claxton](#) /[Claire McKenna](#)/Susan Griffin/Marta Soares (York): Value of Information for CRASH: Discussion of the role of meta-analysis to design CRASH.

[Jayne Tierney](#): The role of IPD meta-analysis on trial design and conduct.

[Tony Ades](#): Mapping between outcomes in meta-analysis - implications for sample size.

**B Health Economics- [Dyfrig Hughes](#)
[Monson Room](#)**

[Thomas Keeley](#), [Hareth Al-Janabi](#), [Joanna Coast](#): The direct comparative method: a case study of an innovative method of content validation of quality of life measures.

[Joanna Thorn](#), [Sian Noble](#), [Theresa Moore](#), [Will Hollingworth](#): Empirical evidence for the validity and reliability of resource-use measures based on patient recall: a systematic review.

[Claire Simons](#), [Iryna Schlackow](#), [Borislava Mihaylova](#): Review of methods to study heterogeneity and to extrapolate in clinical trial-driven cost effectiveness analysis.

[Linda Sharples](#), [Tatiana Benaglia](#), [Chris Jackson](#): Using external data to improve extrapolations of survival from RCTs: the importance of cause-specific mortality.

[Joshua Pink](#), [Steven Lane](#), [Dyfrig Hughes](#): Clinical trial simulations in health economics.

15:15-15:40 Refreshment break- [Talbot Hall](#)

15:40-16:10 Prof Jane Armitage: **Sensible guidelines for clinical trials initiative- [Simpkins Theatre](#)**

16:10-16:15 Dr Adrian Mander: **Close of meeting [Simpkins Theatre](#)**

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