

# ALSGBI NEWSLETTER



## President's Introduction

Welcome to the Spring newsletter 2025. We have all witnessed some challenging times in our health service. The media focus may have been shifted away, distracted by events occurring on the world stage, but the drive to implement technological solutions in the NHS, bring care closer to home and focus on prevention is a challenge that we can all rise up to. The ALSGBI has always been at the cutting edge of surgical innovation and our members are benefitting from our close collaboration with industry to deliver high quality surgical training in both laparoscopy and robotic surgery. We are delighted to be supported in these endeavours by all our industry partners and special thanks go to these partners who remain an important cog in our training wheel.

Our attention is now very much focused on the Annual Scientific meeting on 3rd and 4th of November. We will be based at the Radisson Hotel at London Stansted airport. Transport links by road, rail and air mean that we can bring ALSGBI members from all corners of Great Britain to make this a truly successful meeting. I would like to introduce the Congress President, Professor Bijen Patel who is based at the Barts Cancer Institute at Queen Mary's University, London. Together with Bijen we will be delivering a meeting packed with focused educational videos, symposia, a consultants' corner with

collaboration from our wonderful colleagues at IAGES and of course exceptional keynote lectures. This will be a time to meet industry, look at the latest technology and importantly look at how you can keep up to date and relevant in a fast paced and ever-changing surgical environment. The theme of the congress will be Innovation and Technology



Professor Tan Arulampalam

for Patient Safety. We will have a good mix of technical and non-technical training including pre and post congress laparoscopic, robotic and hernia workshops. We are proud to collaborate with the British Hernia Society who will have a session to demonstrate what's new in hernia surgery as well as symposia and discussion on technical challenges in common hernia related clinical scenarios. This is also a great opportunity to meet up with old friends and make new ones. Having a strong surgical community is a sure way of enhancing your surgical career and maintaining balance, perspective and excellence. These are the hidden treasures of the ASM. We do hope you will save the date and look at the various courses available.

We are very lucky with our administration at ALSGBI and maintaining this for the future is extremely important. We have been able to coordinate a robotic user group, collaborate with ASIT and the Dukes Club as well as run a very successful series of webinars with IAGES. None of this would be possible without the hard work of Jenny Treglohan, Sarah Williams and Jeremy Williams. Our thanks to the office for all their hard work.

The Academy continue to produce high quality work in a variety of fields. The impact on our young trainees has been immense. I would like to thank Miss Tamsin Morrison and Mr Matt Boal for their leadership. We have been able to initiate various initiatives and are now working closely with the Royal College of Surgeons of England on coaching and mentorship.

Our international partnerships continue to flourish as previously mentioned. The IAGES meeting in Mumbai has been announced and will take place on 12-14 February 2026 and ALSGBI will take an active role in this huge educational event. Our partnership with SLAMADS is active and we have a strong relationship with the Laparoscopic and Endoscopic Society of Malta.

The Association relies on the hard work and enthusiasm of its members. I thank you all for being part of this great organisation. I do want to take some time to thank a few people who are demitting office. Firstly, Mrs Debbie Gooch whom you will all know has led ALTS with insight, open mindedness and great vision. The quality and content of the ALTS programmes have been really excellent. It is very hard to deliver such excellence in an environment when our theatre colleagues have huge pressure at work and limited study leave and budgets to attend. Thank you Debbie for your immense effort. Secondly, Matt Harris has demitted from his post on Council. As ASIT representative he has brought knowledge and insight of the needs of surgical trainees as well as great help navigating many contentious issues. Matt, I thank you for your hard work and your diligence, focus and ability to see things through. We all wish you the very best in the future. I would also like to take this opportunity to thank Professor YKS Viswanath for his hard work on Council and delivering a successful conference in Newcastle. Vish has been an active member of Council and a great source of encouragement for me as well as other colleagues. We all congratulate you on your elevation to President of BBUGS and hope the societies can work together.

I would finally like to take this opportunity once again to thank our partners. BBraun and Intuitive, our platinum partners have continued to provide excellent support of both the Council and the Association. I am grateful to Fisher and Paykel Healthcare for their gold sponsorship and innovative educational approach. I would also like to thank all our silver partners who have worked so hard. These include Advanced Medical Solutions, Arthrex Endoscopy, BK Medical, Brennan & Co, CMR Surgical, Elemental Healthcare, HC21, Inovus Medical, Karl Storz, Kimal, Lawmed, Olympus, Stryker, Teleflex, and Wolf.

Have a great Spring and I really do hope you can attend the ASM in November.

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# Editor's Introduction

We hope that you enjoy this Spring edition of our newsletter. Once more we aim to keep you informed of the activity of the society as it strives to promote minimally invasive surgery to senior and trainee members alike.

A number of LapPass courses continue to be provided up and down the country assessing procedures which help with the most basic of tasks that many of us take for granted. More advanced skills courses for conventional straight stick and, of course robotic techniques are also being provided with the Intuitive new headquarters in Reading, CMR Surgical Ltd in Cambridge and the Griffin Institute becoming regular fixtures for robotic courses.

Please keep your eyes peeled on the ALSGBI website for more upcoming courses and do make sure that your trainees are aware of what is available, encouraging them to sign up (if not already) for membership to become part of the thriving. Academy We will be running courses before and after the next Annual Scientific Meeting (at the Radisson Blu London Stansted) and hope to see packed sessions as usual.

If you have courses planned please send us your reports and pictures together with insights of what was particularly educational and well received by participants to help your colleagues planning such events.



**Neil Keeling**  
Newsletter Editor

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**Debbie Gooch**  
ALTS Chair

## ALTS April

It is with sadness that I leave my position of Chair of ALTS this year.

I have had such a great time developing content for our breakout sessions and giving theatre staff the opportunity to have their own session within the Annual Scientific Meeting for ALSGBI and robotics.

During my time as Chair, I have witnessed many changes, we now actually value team work and recognise the importance of teamwork in successful patient outcomes. I have seen the birth and growth of robotic surgery as well as being lucky enough to visit some of our industry partner's head offices where I have learnt about their individual histories, how their products have evolved and the interest there is within industry to support the education of all members of the team.



I feel that the time is now right for me to take a step back and allow others to continue the education journey of theatre staff.



I hope TheatrePass continues to grow and our members are able to access online multidisciplinary teaching which will provide the theoretical as well as practical knowledge. This knowledge will support them in their leadership journey and allow them to be confident, competent members of the team.

I would like to thank the Council and all the ALSGBI Presidents for their support and approachability whilst I have been Chair; the industry partners who have supported the ALTS dinners and sessions and especially Jenny and Sarah for their kindness and inclusivity. It has been great working with everyone and I leave with some very fond and funny memories.

I wish my replacement(s) success in their role and I know they will do the theatre staff proud!



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# 4th ALSGBI Intermediate Skills in Robotic Surgery Course

4 & 5 September 2024, Intuitive Surgical Building, Oxford Science Park, Oxford

ALSGBI has become the foremost society in providing general surgical robotic courses for specialist trainees.

Building on the work from the prior iterations of the ALSGBI Intermediate Skills in Robotic Surgery Course in March 2023, we hosted the 4th course of this kind in September 2024.

It was an excellent two days and provided delegates with the chance to develop their robotic surgery skills. The focus of the course was to provide trainees with the maximal time on the console as possible.

**“Excellent course with ample time was spent on the console”**

Prior to undertaking each exercise, delegates viewed narrated videos of synthetic and intraoperative examples demonstrating the exercises. The first day focused on dry lab exercises on robotic knot tying and suturing, with the second day allowing delegates to be the first cohort to utilise the Kotobuki® models for wet lab exercises (Stapled/Handsewn Bowel Anastomosis and Inguinal Hernia Repair).

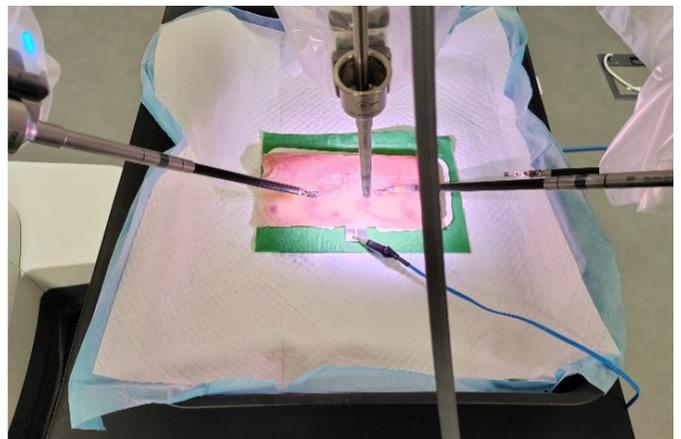
**“The Kotobuki models were excellent especially the hernia model”**

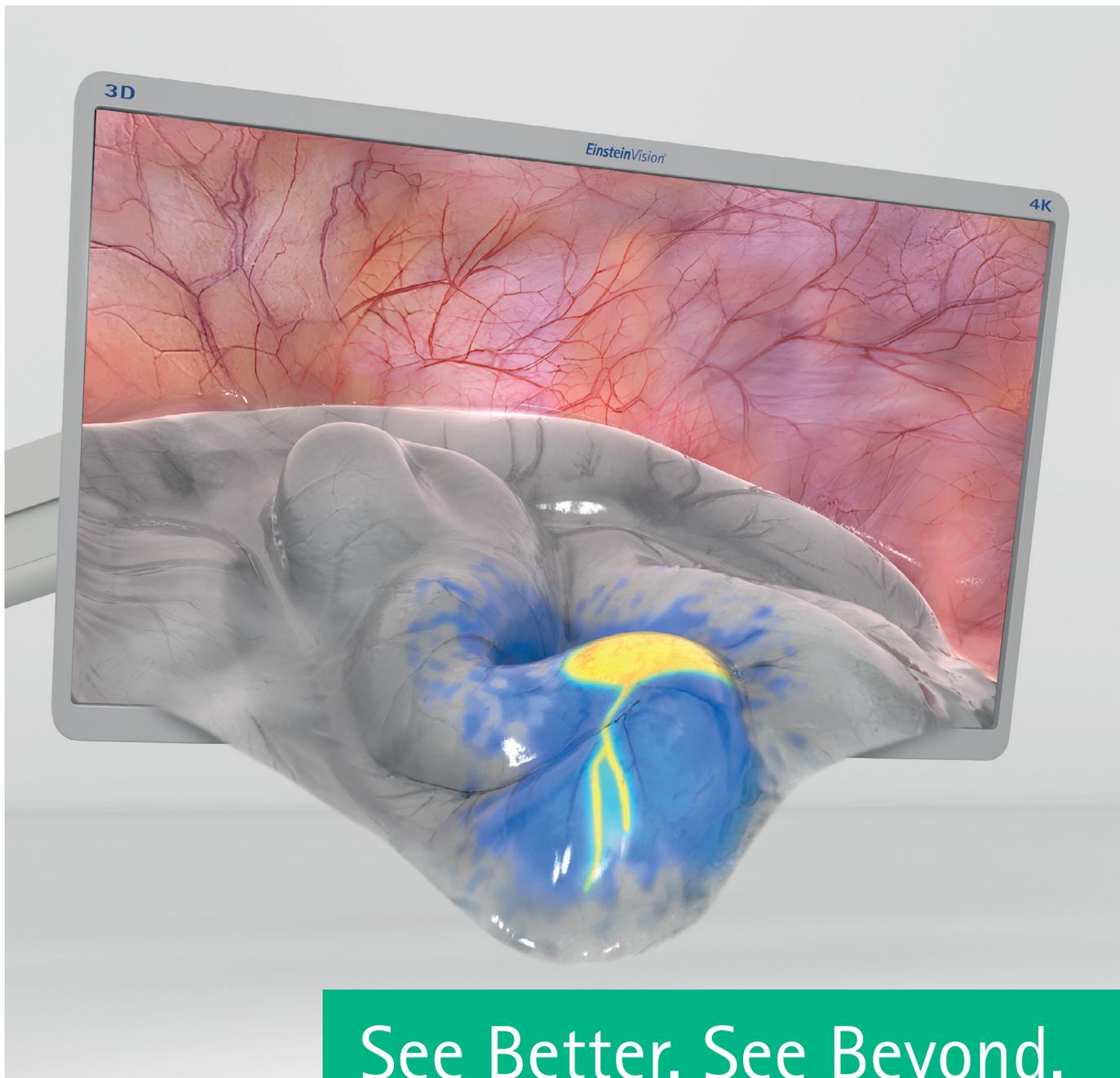
The course was hosted Intuitive Surgical Building in Oxford and provided delegates with the ideal facilities to undertake robotic training. We thank Intuitive for their support in not only provided the venue but also the Kotobuki® models. We also thank our expert faculty who provided training to 6 delegates in total.

**“Felt my skills in robotic surgery developed over the duration of the course – would highly recommend”**

We received excellent feedback from the delegates, with all feeling their robotic skills have developed throughout the duration of the course. The delegates have been encouraged to utilise the skills learnt in real world operating and provided opportunities to specialist trainees will be critical moving forward as robotic surgery becomes more widespread. We no doubt saw immense improvement from the start of the course to the end and congratulate the delegates for their enthusiasm and hard work.

**Mr. Javed Latif. Research Fellow Leicester HPB Unit, SPR General and HPB Surgery East Midlands, ALSGBI Academy Robotic Committee**





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## The Evolution of ALSGBI Robotic Skills Courses: A Successful Journey of Development of Basic to Advanced Robotic Skills Courses

### The ALSGBI has taken significant strides in advancing robotic surgical training for trainees.

We have been delivering ALSGBI basic and driving licence courses successfully over the last three years. We have developed a standardised proficiency-based core robotic skills curriculum which was published and presented nationally and internationally at EAES 2024 and won the Gerhard Buess best technology award.

November 2024 was another successful one-day basic robotic skills course delivered by our experts at The Griffin institute, London. Recognising the increasing integration of robotic-assisted procedures in surgical practice, ALSGBI's initiative to offer robotic courses in collaboration with The Griffin Institute represents a significant advancement in surgical education. With state-of-the-art facilities and access to cadaveric specimens, The Griffin Institute provides an ideal environment for immersive, hands-on training. By offering a structured curriculum and expert-led mentorship, The Griffin Institute is instrumental in bridging the gap between theoretical knowledge and practical application in robotic surgery.

Another most notable development is the introduction of the colorectal robotic cadaver course which has been designed to provide trainees with an opportunity to develop proficiency in robotic colorectal procedures using cadaveric models. The success of the course in December 2024, is evident in the high demand from surgical trainees and consultant to refine their robotic skills and we are looking forward to deliver another course in May 2025.

### Future Direction: Development of RoboPass®

Building on the success of LapPass®, ALSGBI is now focusing on the development of RoboPass®, a structured competency-based assessment for robotic surgery. As we are all familiar with, LapPass®, a widely recognised laparoscopic training

assessment, has set a benchmark in standardising skill evaluation for minimally invasive surgery. Similarly, RoboPass® aims to establish a validated framework for assessing basic robotic surgical proficiency, ensuring that trainees meet the required standards before performing independent procedures. The introduction of RoboPass® will further enhance patient safety and surgical outcomes by certifying competence in basic robotic skills for trainees.

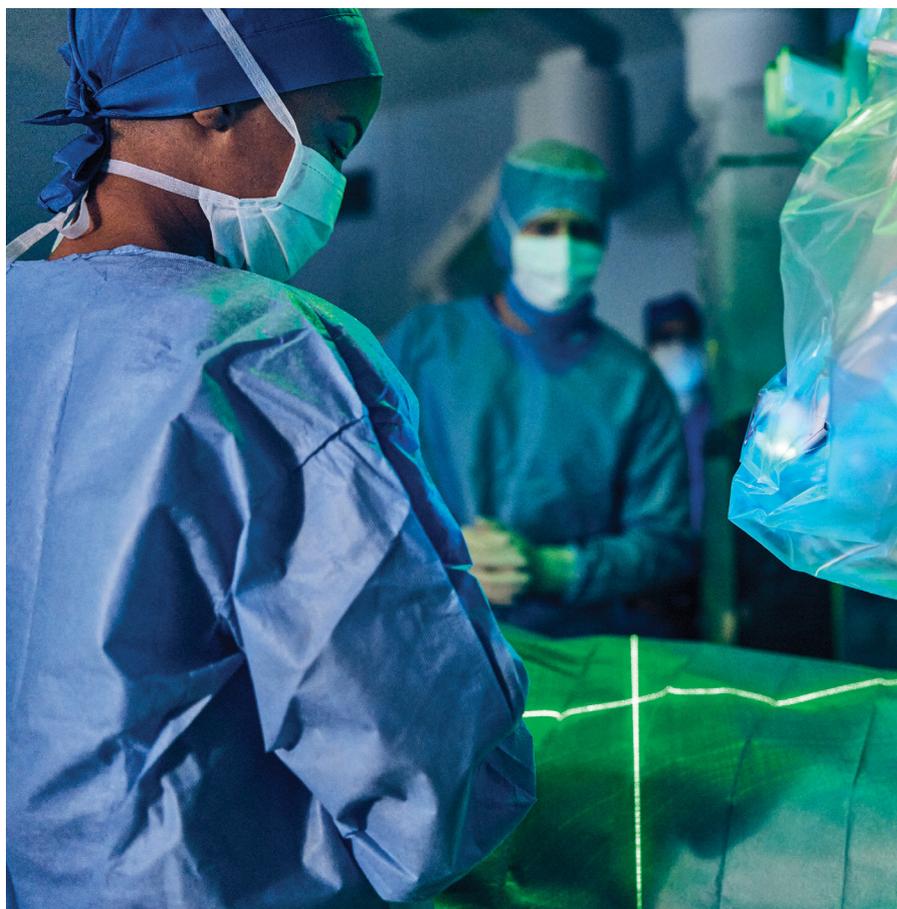
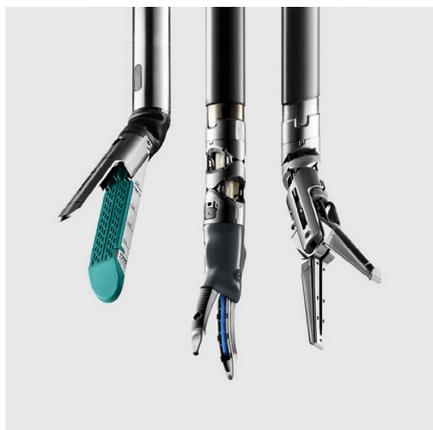
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# ALSGBI Laparoscopic Surgery Training Day

4 November 2024

ALSGBI hosted its Laparoscopic Surgery Training Day at the Royal Derby Hospital this year, the day before the Annual Scientific Meeting. Designed to offer hands-on laparoscopic training for trainees at all levels, the day was well received and packed with practical skills, expert guidance, and a real buzz of enthusiasm.

Trainees were divided into two groups: a junior trainee stream, focused on core laparoscopic skills, and an advanced trainee group, who worked on more complex procedures using high-quality animal models.

The junior stream centred around the LapPass® - a structured programme covering four essential skills every laparoscopic trainee needs to master:

1. Instrument handling and tissue manipulation
2. Cutting a precise disc
3. Tying extracorporeal Roeder knots
4. Intracorporeal suturing under tension

With support from experienced Consultants and senior trainees, participants had the chance to develop their technique and gain confidence. They also had the opportunity to practise simulated laparoscopic appendicectomy and cholecystectomy using the InovusAR Pro, which provided feedback on metrics like hand dominance and movement efficiency.

Meanwhile, the advanced trainee group benefited from working on excellent animal models and covered a broad range of procedures. These included laparoscopic common bile duct exploration, hernia repair, and more advanced suturing techniques—offering valuable exposure not always available in day-to-day clinical training. The chance to refine their skills under close supervision in such a well-supported environment was a particular highlight. The day concluded with several trainees attempting and achieving their LapPass® accreditation.

Overall, the day was extremely valuable, offering trainees at different stages of their careers the opportunity to focus on key laparoscopic skills in a supportive, hands-on environment. Whether developing foundational techniques or refining more advanced procedures, the sessions were practical, well-structured, and delivered with excellent faculty support. Feedback from both streams was overwhelmingly positive!

**Ms Nayaab Abdul-Kader**  
Research Lead, ALSGBI Academy



## DETAILS OF THE TRAVELLING SCHOLARSHIP 2025

The **Association of Laparoscopic Surgeons of Great Britain & Ireland (ALSGBI)** incorporating **Robotic & Technology Enhanced Surgery (RATES)** is funding a scholarship in memory of the late Mr David Dunn, a Past President of the ALSGBI.

**The David Dunn Travelling Scholarship** is to the value of £2,500\*.

The purpose of the scholarship is to enable a UK-based surgeon in training, or young consultant within 5 years of appointment, to extend their experience in minimal access surgery by a short visit to one or more centres. The successful scholar will be expected to give a report on their visit/s at a future ALSGBI Annual Scientific Meeting and also write an article for the ALSGBI Newsletter.



All candidates **MUST** request an application form from Mrs Jennifer Treglohan, Executive Director, ALSGBI at The Royal College of Surgeons of England, 38–43 Lincoln's Inn Fields, London WC2A 3PE or email [jtreglohan@alsgbi.org](mailto:jtreglohan@alsgbi.org) and be current members of the ALSGBI. The deadline for receipt of applications is 30 September 2025. The successful applicant will be notified by 14 October 2025 and will be presented with their certificate at the ALSGBI 2025 Annual Scientific Meeting on Tuesday 4 November in London Stansted. For full information on the ALSGBI visit [www.alsgbi.org](http://www.alsgbi.org)

\*Terms & Conditions apply. The funding will be released when the successful applicant is in situ, and the travel must occur within 12 months of the award being made. The successful applicant agrees to write a detailed article about their experience and present at the Annual Scientific Meeting.



# Laparoscopic Skills Course

20 November 2024, Pinderfields Hospital Education Centre, Wakefield

As the regional representative for Yorkshire and Humber in the ALSGBI Academy, I had the privilege of serving as a faculty member for the LapPass® course conducted at Mid Yorkshire, Pinderfields Hospital in November 2024. This well-structured course was expertly organized by Mr. Alex Wilkins, whose efforts ensured a seamless and enriching experience for all participants.

The course was designed for surgical residents ranging from Core Trainees to ST4 level, aiming to enhance their laparoscopic skills. The LapPass® course is structured around four fundamental laparoscopic tasks: laparoscopic manipulation and cutting, endoloop application, Roeder's knot tying, and suturing. Additionally, participants were introduced to tissue dissection techniques and the use of the harmonic scalpel.

The course attracted ten highly enthusiastic candidates, who engaged in intensive hands-on training. The structured program covered the four key steps of the LapPass® assessment, beginning with video demonstrations, followed by dedicated skills practice sessions. In addition, participants had the valuable opportunity to perform a wet-lab laparoscopic cholecystectomy, further enhancing their technical proficiency.

At the conclusion of the course, formal assessments were conducted, and several candidates successfully achieved one or more LapPass® tasks with advice given for future development. To encourage professional development, we also offered a discount to candidates who joined as members of ALSGBI.

## Feedback Summary:

The course was highly educational and well-organized, with participants appreciating the hands-on training, supportive faculty, and valuable wet-lab experience. The use of energy devices was particularly beneficial, and the dinner afterward

was a great way to conclude the day. The teaching environment was generally fit for purpose, joining instructions were clear, and safety aspects were adequately covered. Faculty members were well-prepared, and course objectives were successfully delivered. Despite some logistical challenges, the course demonstrated great potential, and participant feedback will be instrumental in refining future sessions.

We extend our gratitude to all faculty members, Consultant Mr Khalid Sohail, Mr Mo Altabari, Senior fellow Miss Gulnaz and Mr Wareing, team at MESH (Mid Yorkshire Education and Simulation Hub) and Ethicon representatives for organising, and participants for their contributions and valuable feedback. We are committed to improving future iterations of the course to enhance the learning experience for all attendees.

**Ms Safia Ahmed**  
Regional Representative, Yorkshire & Humber  
ALSGBI Academy





# Laparoscopic Surgery Courses at RCS

The Royal College of Surgeons of England offers Core and Intermediate Skills in Laparoscopic Surgery courses.

## Core Skills in Laparoscopic Surgery

Core Skills in Laparoscopic Surgery is designed to provide a strong foundation in key laparoscopic techniques. Aimed at trainees from CT1- 2, ST3-4 and SAS grades, this hands-on course will help you develop essential skills such as camera navigation, manipulation and coordination, laparoscopic suturing, intracorporeal knot tying as well as repair of a perforated ulcer, laparoscopic appendectomy and laparoscopic cholecystectomy. Highly experienced faculty are on hand to deliver individual feedback and mentoring for improvement.

The course is delivered in the Bjorn Saven Centre at RCS. In 2024 we delivered five courses training 93 surgeons.

Feedback from participants was excellent with free text comments highlighting the quality of the course content and delivery.

"Best course and faculty I have had exposure to."

"The course director was particularly good, and went around giving good feedback, tips and ensured that the course ran smoothly. He also went above and beyond to ensure those who were struggling with techniques had extra time and means to practice."

"really enjoyed this course, faculty were fantastic supportive and good feedback. The assessment was fair and I like how they approached it. Overall excellent course"

"I felt very well supported throughout the course"

"Very useful and informative- I thought it had the perfect balance of short, demonstrative videos against lots of time to get hands on and practicing."

"Online resources with transcripts were just perfect for the course"

For more information about the course and to book a place please visit the [RCS website](#).

The next course is on 3-4 June 2025. ALSGBI members receive a discount on the course fee.

If you are ST5+ or SAS/LED surgeon with commensurate experience, that conducts minimally invasive surgery, please consider becoming faculty for Core Lap. To apply please complete the faculty [application form](#).

## Intermediate Skills in Laparoscopic Surgery

Intermediate Skills in Laparoscopic Surgery course is the natural progression from Core Skills in Laparoscopic Surgery. Aimed at ST3-ST5 and equivalent SAS grades, this interactive course will enable you to learn more advanced skills such as laparoscopic anastomosis, laparoscopic inguinal hernia repair and the use of laparoscopic staplers.

You will have ample opportunity to practise and learn from experienced faculty, with knowledge content and skills videos being available online.

The course is delivered in the Bjorn Saven Centre at RCS and in one regional centre in Bradford. In 2024 we delivered four courses training 69 surgeons.

Feedback from participants was excellent with free text comments highlighting the quality of the course content and delivery.



"The whole course was a great learning experience! Our learning needs were taken care of meticulously. As a trainee who started an ST3 job this year, the course content and delivery have been to the point of building a perfect knowledge base, required skills and confidence. Kudos to the course director who made sure that every single delegate was on the right track of skillset attainment and oversaw their learning curve. Thanks for the excellent tips and pearls! Another must-mention: faculty had an amazing teaching style and the best part was his approachable and very humble persona. He didn't hesitate to take the delegate through the same skills again and again with the added tips & tricks until they were nailing it! Thanks again and would love to be a part of this course in the later years of my training!"

"Absolutely excellent course! All instructors were supportive, friendly and very qualified. Especially the course director was very good at communicating and explaining all of the tasks. I will definitely come back for another course and I will recommend this course to other trainees at my department. Thank you for a great experience."

For more information about the course and to book a place please visit the [RCS website](#).

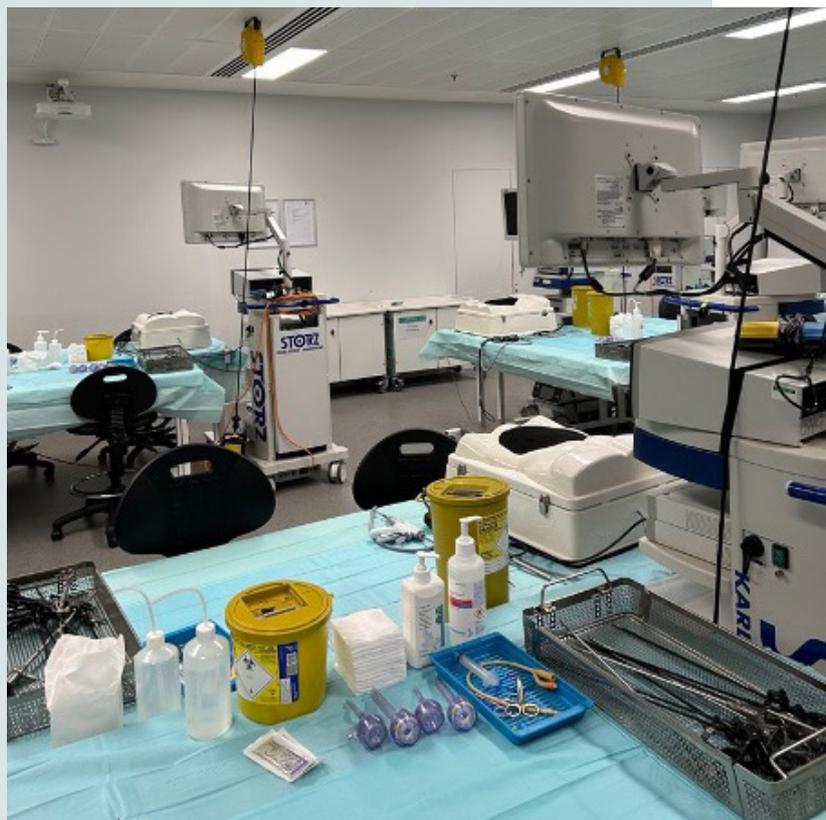
The next course is on 5-6 June 2025. ALSGBI members receive a discount on the course fee.

If you are ST7+ or SAS/LED surgeon with commensurate experience, with expertise in the following procedures: Nissen fundoplication, laparoscopic feeding gastrostomy, laparoscopic pyloroplasty, laparoscopic anastomosis, laparoscopic inguinal hernia repair, please consider becoming faculty for the Inter Lap. To apply please complete the faculty [application form](#).

## Laparoscopic Faculty Preparation

We are striving to diversify the laparoscopic surgery faculty pool and we are delighted to offer Laparoscopic Faculty Preparation Programme (FPP) held at RCS England on 2nd June 2025. This opportunity is available to surgeons who identify as women or non-binary persons who are comfortable in a space that centres on the experiences as women. It will equip surgeons with the necessary tools to become faculty on either our Core Skills in Laparoscopic Surgery course or Intermediate Skills in Laparoscopic Surgery course.

If you are looking to share your expertise and demonstrate your passion for teaching please [register your interest](#) and find out more about this training opportunity and eligibility criteria.



# LapPass® Regional Training Day

## 10 January 2025, Manchester

Minimal Access Surgery North West (MASNoW), the regional chapter of the ALSGBI for the North West and Mersey area, has been welcoming trainees and trainers from across all GI and GU specialties since its establishment in 2012. Building on the success of last year's course, we were thrilled to have hosted another LapPass® training day in Manchester in January.

The day provided a fantastic opportunity for seven trainees, ranging from FY2 to ST6, to develop and refine their laparoscopic skills under the guidance of experienced consultant laparoscopic surgeons and senior trainees. We were particularly proud to offer an excellent trainer-to-trainee ratio of 1:2, ensuring personalised support and feedback throughout the course.

The LapPass® competencies focus on mastering a set of four core laparoscopic tasks within defined timeframes using simulation jigs. Trainees had the chance to practise skills such as grasping and manipulating polo mints, tying extracorporeal Roeder's knots to simulate an appendicectomy, cutting precise circles, and performing laparoscopic suturing.

We had presentation from our sponsors - Storz, who were available throughout the day to help, of which we could not provide the course without. The feedback from our trainees was overwhelmingly positive, with many highlighting how directly relevant and beneficial the course was to their surgical training and development.

We're delighted to announce that the next LapPass® course in the North West will take place on 21 November 2025, alongside

our 21st Regional Meeting in the evening. Mark your calendars now and don't miss this opportunity to enhance your skills and network with colleagues! Details on how to apply will be advertised nearer the time.

**Ms Vivien Ngo**  
Environmental, Social & Governance (ESG) Representative,  
ALSGBI Academy



## DETAILS OF THE RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP 2025

The **Association of Laparoscopic Surgeons of Great Britain & Ireland (ALSGBI)** incorporating Robotic & Technology Enhanced Surgery (RATES) is funding one pump priming research grant to the value of £2,500.

Research is the foundation of good clinical practice and forms an essential source of knowledge for the surgeon, the surgical profession and medicine as a whole. The ALSGBI recognizes the importance of research in our roles as surgeons and aims to support surgical trainees, fellows and early year consultants (within 5 years of appointment) to undertake research projects that can build into larger scale studies. The purpose of this award is to introduce an academic element into laparoscopic and robotic surgical training.

The successful fellow will be expected to give a report on their research at a future ALSGBI Annual Scientific Meeting and also write an article for the ALSGBI Newsletter.

All candidates **MUST** request an application form from Mrs Jennifer Treglohan, Executive Director, ALSGBI by email at [jtreglohan@alsgbi.org](mailto:jtreglohan@alsgbi.org) and be current members of the ALSGBI. The deadline for receipt of applications is 30 September 2025. The successful applicant will be notified by 14 October 2025 and will be presented with their certificate at the ALSGBI 2025 Annual Scientific Meeting on Tuesday 4 November 2025.

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# Introduction to the Versius Robot Training Day

13 January 2025, CMR Surgical Limited, Cambridge

The New Year kicked off with another addition to the growing selection of courses run by the ALSGBI.

We were excited to run the course in Cambridge with the support of our industry partner CMR Surgical. The Versius robot is a UK developed and UK based modular robotic platform that is in use throughout the world. It provides a versatile system that allows for flexibility in its use and benefits from 3D vision in an open console design.

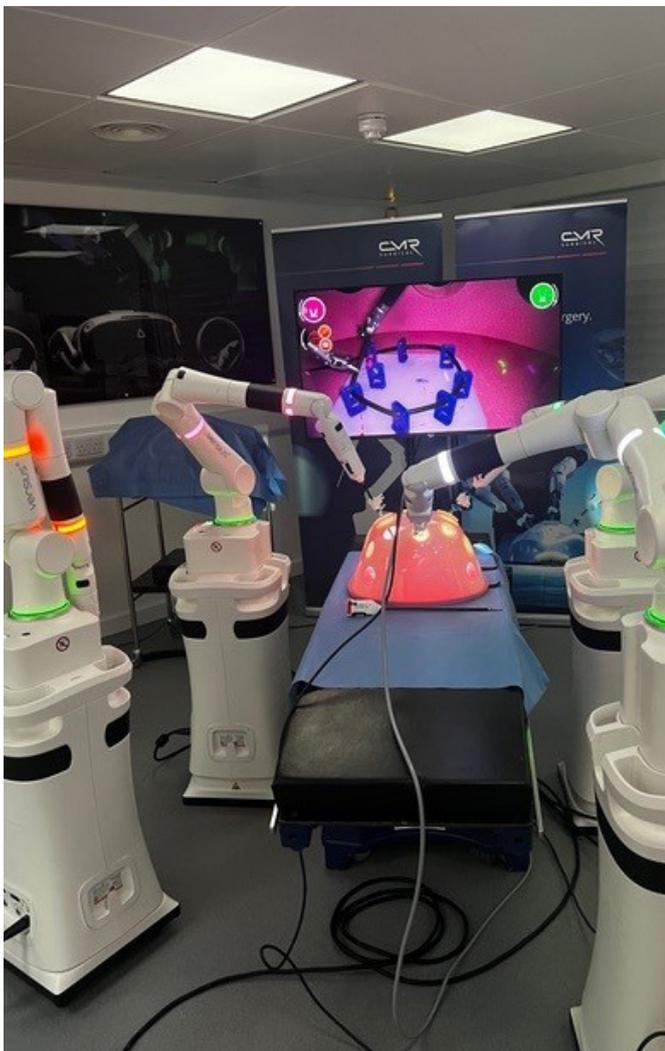
The ALSGBI and CMR Surgical teamed up to deliver a course that would allow users to gain an introduction to the system and experience its capabilities. I am grateful to Mr Jawad Ahmad, HPB surgeon, for providing his knowledge and experience as a dual platform trained surgeon. In addition, the day could not have run without the invaluable support from Gareth Rhind and Herman of CMR Surgical. The aim of the course was to allow the delegates to have hands on experience of using the platform.

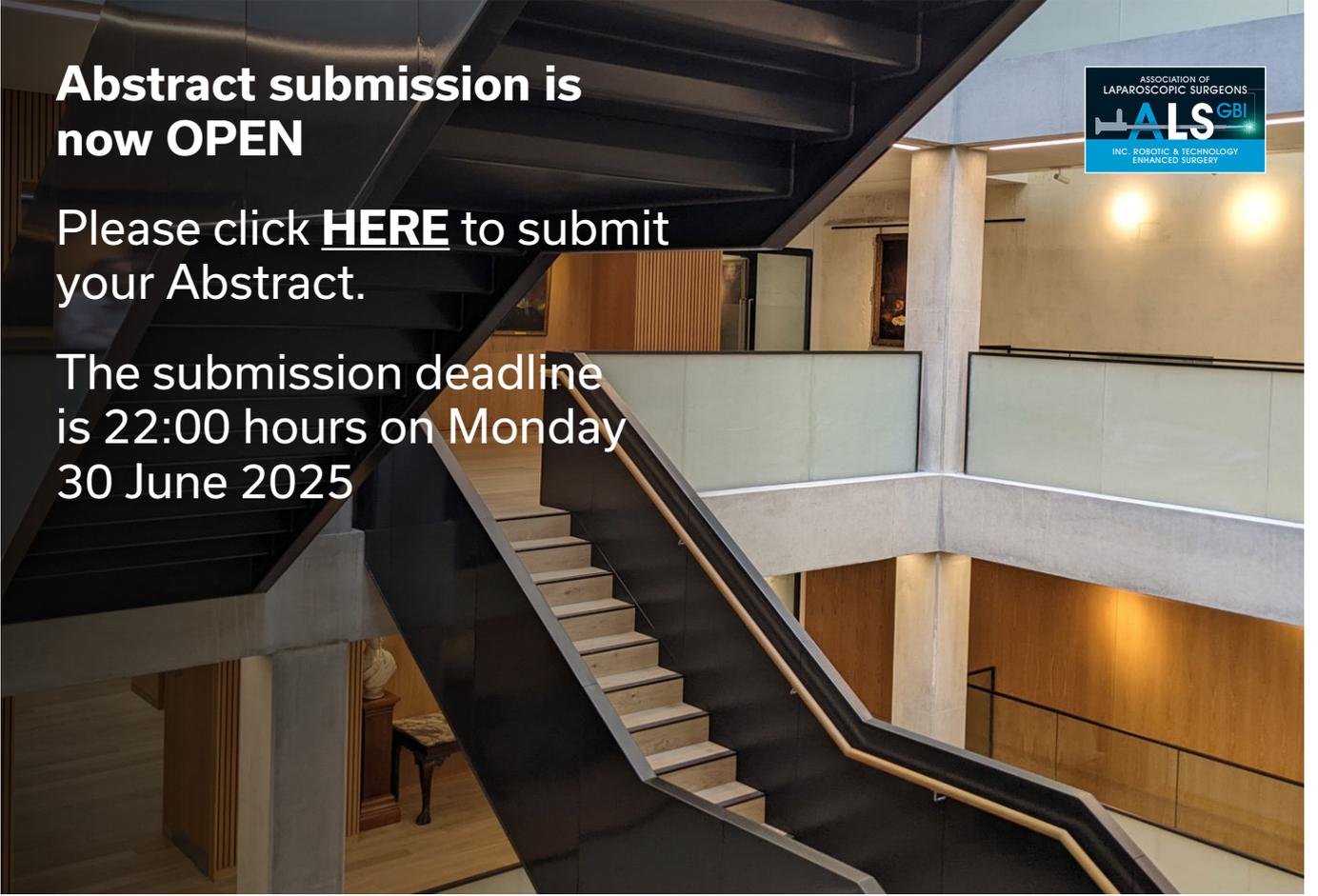
We started the day with a brief introduction about the evolution of the system and what the future holds with

new products coming to the market soon. We then got straight onto the system with Gareth and Herman guiding the delegates through the set up of the arms and the correct positioning. For the rest of the day the delegates had hands on experience of using the system, undertaking a variety of dry based box trainer skills. We were fortunate enough to have access to four complete systems and one virtual simulator, so the five delegates could practice as long as they wished.

The delegates had a great day of hands-on experience: 'This is an excellent course with a huge amount of one to one and hands on experience. The facilities are world class and the team of faculty were brilliant'. We plan to run another course in Cambridge later on in the year around the 2025 ASM that will be based in London Stansted. There is also a vision to develop courses that are speciality focused in the future. I look forward to seeing some of you at the next course.

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Honorary Secretary, ALSGBI





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