



# Liverpool Neurosurgery Masterclass: Neuro-Oncology for FRCS

*The Walton Centre, Liverpool, 12 – 14 March 2026.  
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## Thu 12<sup>th</sup> March 2026

### Decision-Making in Modern Glioma Surgery

08:30 - 08:55	<b>Breakfast &amp; Registration</b>	
08:55 - 09:00	<b>Welcome</b>	
09:00 - 09:50	Top 10 Brain Tumour Trials you Should Know for FRCS	Prof. Puneet Plaha
09:50 - 10:50	Modern Management of HGG: from Surgical Adjuncts to TTF	Prof. Andrew Brodbelt
10:50 - 11:00	<b>Break</b>	
11:00 - 12:00	A Modern Understanding of Low-Grade Glioma	<b>TBC</b>
12:00 - 13:00	<b>Lunch</b>	
13:00 - 14:00	Surgical Approach to LGG and Role of Mapping	Mr. Jose Lavrador
14:00 - 14:10	<b>Break</b>	
14:10 - 15:10	How Does Intra-Operative Neurophysiology Inform Decisions?	Mr. Jose Lavrador
15:10 - 16:00	Awake Craniotomy and White Matter Tract Considerations	Prof. Puneet Plaha
16:00 - 16:10	<b>Break</b>	
16:10 - 17:15	FRCS (SN) Vivas	Whole faculty
19:00	<i>Dinner – Fazenda, Horton House, Exchange Flags, Liverpool L2 3YL</i>	

## Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2026

### A Multimodal Understanding of Brain Tumours

09:00 - 10:00	Cortical & White Matter 3D Anatomy	<b>TBC</b>
10:00 - 11:00	Role of Advanced Neuroimaging in Oncology	Dr. Samantha Mills
11:00 - 11:15	<b>Break</b>	
11:15 - 12:15	Molecular Pathology: What do Neurosurgeons Need to Know and do we Still Need Pathologists?	Prof. Sebastian Brandner Prof. Sebastian Brandner
12:15 - 13:15	<b>Lunch</b>	
13:15 - 14:15	Neuro-Oncology for Neurosurgery Trainees	Dr. Matthew Williams
14:15 - 15:15	Cranial Metastases: from Evidence to Action	Mr Babar Vaqas
15:15 - 15:30	<b>Break</b>	
15:30 - 17:00	FRCS (SN) Vivas	Whole faculty
19:00	<i>Dinner – Mowgli, 3 Water Street, Liverpool, L2 0RD</i>	

## Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> March 2026

### Technology, Approaches, and Managing Complexity

09:00 - 10:00	Evidence Based Management for Meningioma	Prof. Michael Jenkinson
10:00 - 11:00	iMRI: Case Selection, Technique, and Lessons	Mr. Rasheed Zakaria
11:00 - 11:10	<b>Break</b>	
11:10 - 12:10	Pineal Pathology and Approaches	<b>TBC</b>
12:10 - 13:10	Posterior Fossa Approaches and Managing Complications	Prof. Pietro D'Urso
13:10	<b>Lunch &amp; End</b>	