

# Liverpool Neurosurgery Masterclass

## Neuro-Oncology for FRCS



The Clinical Sciences Centre, Aintree University Hospital, Lower Lane, Liverpool, L9 7AL, UK



Thursday 12th March – Saturday 14th March 2026



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Thu 12 <sup>th</sup> March 2026		
Decision-Making in Modern Glioma Surgery		
08:30 - 08:55	Breakfast & Registration	
08:55 - 09:00	Welcome	
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	Break	
11:00 - 12:00	A Modern Understanding of Low-Grade Glioma	Dr. Fiona McKevitt
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch	
13:00 - 14:00	Surgical Approach to LGG and Role of Mapping	Mr. Jose Lavrador
14:00 - 14:10	Break	
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	Break	
16:10 - 17:15	FRCS (SN) Vivas	Whole faculty
19:00	Dinner – Fazenda, Horton House, Exchange Flags, Liverpool L2 3YL	
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> March 2026		
A Multimodal Understanding of Brain Tumours		
09:00 - 10:00	Cortical & White Matter 3D Anatomy	Mr. Thomas Santarius
10:00 - 11:00	Role of Advanced Neuroimaging in Oncology	Dr. Samantha Mills
11:00 - 11:15	Break	
11:15 - 12:15	Molecular Pathology: What do Neurosurgeons Need to Know and do we Still Need Pathologists?	Prof. Sebastian Brandner
12:15 - 13:15	Lunch	
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	Break	
15:30 - 17:00	FRCS (SN) Vivas	Whole faculty
19:00	Dinner – Mowgli, 3 Water Street, Liverpool, L2 ORD	
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	Break	
11:10 - 12:10	Pineal Pathology and Approaches	Mr. Thomas Santarius
12:10 - 13:10	Posterior Fossa Approaches and Managing Complications	Prof. Pietro D’Urso
13:10	Lunch & End	

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