

## MILLIN MEETING 14 NOV

# SHAPING FUTURE SURGICAL RESEARCH AND TRAINING

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#### DRAFT PROGRAMME – SUBJECT TO CHANGE. JUNE 2025

#### FRIDAY 14 NOVEMBER 2025

Venue: RCSI, 123 St Stephen's Green	
TIME	EVENT DETAILS
07.15	REGISTRATION
07.30 - 08.45	FELLOWS AND MEMBERS NETWORKING BREAKFAST Hosted by the RCSI President and Council
09.00 – 09.05	PRESIDENT'S WELCOME Professor Deborah McNamara
SYMPOSIUM I RCSI NATIONAL SURGICAL RESEARCH SUPPORT CENTRE (NSRSC)	
09.05 - 13.30	Full session details and speakers will be announced soon.
09.35 – 11.00	SESSION I: NSRSC SURGICAL TRIAL UPDATES AND RCSI NATIONAL SURGICAL RESEARCH COMPETITION
09.35 – 10.00	PART I: NSRSC SURGICAL TRIAL UPDATES
	The NSRSC will provide an update on the studies they are supporting and highlight challenges and potential solutions for conducting surgical trials in Ireland.
10.00 - 11.00	PART II: RCSI NATIONAL SURGICAL RESEARCH COMPETITION PRESENTATIONS
	The winner of the best overall presentation in this session will receive <b>the RCSI National Surgical Research Medal</b> .
	The call for abstracts will open at the end of July and close the second week in September.
	Five presenters will be selected to present at this session. Presenters will be announced in the coming months.
11.05 – 11.45	REFRESHMENTS & EXHIBITION including poster viewing Venue: Exam Hall
11.45 – 13.30	<b>SESSION II: DEVELOPING SURGICAL ACADEMIC CAREERS</b> This session will focus on how young surgeons can develop their academic careers. Discussions will include academic internships, establishing a research portfolio and the surgical clinical scientist.
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13.30 – 14.30	LUNCH & EXHIBITION including poster viewing

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SYMPOSIUM II SUPPORTING EXCELLENCE IN SURGICAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING	
14.30 - 17.00	Full session details and speakers will be announced soon.
16.00 - 16.15	LAUNCH: RCSI SUPPORTING SURGEONS AND TRAINEES
16.15 - 16.30	PRESENTATION OF AWARDS
	<b>AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT IN CLINICAL TRIAL ACTIVITY</b> The NSRSC Award for Outstanding Achievement in Clinical Trial Activity will be presented to the investigator/clinical research team in recognition of their contribution to a clinical trial's success.
	<b>SURGICAL RESEARCH POSTER PRESENTATION AWARDS</b> Certificates will be awarded to 1st, 2nd and 3rd place.
	<b>AWARD OF RCSI NATIONAL SURGICAL RESEARCH MEDAL</b> The RCSI National Surgical Research Medal will be awarded to the best overall oral research presentation.
17.30 - 18.15	<b>48th MILLIN LECTURE</b> Venue: College Hall The opportunity to deliver this prestigious lecture is open to all surgical specialties via an application process. To find out how to apply visit https://www.rcsi.com/surgery/training/fellowship-opportunities/millin-lecture
	The 48th Millin Lecturer will be announced in September 2025.
	Venue: Atrium



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