

# 2<sup>nd</sup> Management of the Critically Injured Burn Patient Conference

Hosted by the Scottish National Burn Centre

10-11 September 2026 at  
The University of Glasgow

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### Management of the Critically Injured Burn Patient

Day 1

10<sup>th</sup> September 2026

<b>Registration &amp; Refreshments</b>	0900 - 0915
<b>Welcome Address</b>	0915 - 0920
<b>Session 1 - The Burns Landscape</b>	0920 - 1030
Research priorities in UK burns critical care: A national Delphi study	Dr Lia Paton (UK)
Challenges of burn care across the UK	Nicole Lee, BBA Chair (UK)
The ice cream wars: Gang warfare in Glasgow	Mr Nick Arkoulis (UK)
<b>Coffee</b>	1030 - 1050
<b>Session 2 - Major Incidents and Disaster Planning</b>	1050 - 1230
Experiences from the White Island disaster in New Zealand	Mr Paul Baker (NZ)
The European burn mass casualty response plan: experience from recent events in Switzerland and North Macedonia	Dr Nadia Depetris (Italy)
Disaster planning: the USA experience	Prof Mark Fisher (USA)
Major incident planning in the UK	Mr Niall Martin (UK)
<b>Lunch</b>	1230 - 1330
<b>Session 3 - Infection and inflammation in burn</b>	1330 - 1500
Immunonutrition in burns: Current evidence and future work	Prof Christian Stoppe (Germany)
Invasive mycosis infections in burn injuries	Dr Padma Polubothu (UK)
Hyperpyrexia and intravenous temperature management systems	Dr Christopher McGovern (UK)
<b>Coffee</b>	1500 - 1520
<b>Session 4 - The MDT</b>	1520 - 1630
The challenges of early mobilisation and rehabilitation in a burn ICU	Dr Sarah Smailes (UK)
Transitioning from general anaesthesia to ward-level analgo-sedation	Dr Marie Davidson (UK)
Transitioning from a dedicated Burns ICU to a general ICU	Dr Nia Wyn-Davies (UK)
<b>Watson Taggart Keynote Lecture</b>	1630 - 1700
Burns in disaster areas and conflict zones	Prof Tom Potokar OBE (UK)

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## Management of the Critically Injured Burn Patient

Day 2

11<sup>th</sup> September 2026

<b>Registration &amp; Refreshments</b>	0900 - 0915
<b>Session 1 - Critical care management of major burn injury</b>	0915 - 1030
Inhalation injury	Prof Suveer Singh (UK)
Intensive care – the surgeon’s perspective	Prof Mark Fisher (USA)
Renal replacement therapy in major burn injury	Dr Nadia Depetris (Italy)
<b>Coffee</b>	1030 - 1050
<b>Session 2 - Paediatrics</b>	1050 - 1220
Challenges of Intensive Care for a major burn in children	Dr William Tremlett (UK)
UK national paediatric burn MDT	Ms Nicole Lee (UK)
Surgical interventions in major paediatric burns	Ms Yvonne Wilson (UK)
<b>Lunch</b>	1220 - 1320
<b>Session 3 – Controversies in Burns Critical Care</b>	1320 - 1450
Cardiac arrest in major burn injury	Prof Kathryn Puxty (UK)
Uncertainties of anticoagulation therapy in major burn injury	Dr Ryan Rodgers
Ethical dilemmas in major burn injury	Dr Victoria Metaxa (UK)
<b>Coffee</b>	1450 - 1515
<b>Session 4 - Pro / Con debate</b>	1515 - 1600
Early vasopressor therapy should be used to mitigate fluid input in the first 48hrs	Speakers TBC
<b>Closing remarks</b>	1600 - 1610



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