

DRAFT PROGRAMME: The 14TH CAMBRIDGE SEMINAR ON THE EPIDEMIOLOGICAL AND PUBLIC HEALTH ASPECTS OF DIABETES MELLITUS – CLARE COLLEGE, CAMBRIDGE 18th-24th August 2024

	Sunday 18 th Aug	Monday 19 th Aug	Tuesday 20 th Aug	Wednesday 21 st Aug	Thursday 22 nd Aug	Friday 23 rd Aug
	Introduction	Descriptive Epidemiology	Aetiological Epidemiology	Primary Prevention	Screening and Secondary Prevention	Tertiary Prevention
9.00		0900-1000 What is Diabetes? Scientific basis for current diagnostic & classification /criteria 1000-1030 Basics of descriptive epidemiology	0900-0930 Basics of aetiological epidemiology 0930-1030 Methods for measuring diet + diet & diabetes risk	0900-0930 Definitions and approaches to prevention 0930-1030 Interventions to change behaviour	0900-0945 Methods of disease prediction & prediction of type 2 diabetes 0945-1030 Principles of screening and should we screen for diabetes?	<i>Epidemiology of complications of diabetes</i> 0900-0945 Microvascular complications 0945-1030 Macrovascular complications
1030		COFFEE	COFFEE	COFFEE	COFFEE	COFFEE
1100		1100-1140 Global diabetes prevalence & temporal trends 1140-1210 Temporal / geographical trends in type 1 diabetes 1210-1230 Burden & trends in paediatric type 2 diabetes	1100-1200 Methods for measuring physical activity + PA & diabetes risk 1200-1230 Life course epidemiology of diabetes	1115-1200 Evidence of the effectiveness of primary prevention 1200-1300 Participant Presentations (3)	1100-1145 Gestational diabetes – epidemiology and consequences + when and how to screen for gestational diabetes 1145-1230 Participant Presentations (4)	1100-1145 Assessing the effectiveness of interventions 1145-1230 Assessing the cost-effectiveness of interventions
1230	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH & Group Photo in Fellows Garden	1300 Intro to punting Excursion: Punting & picnic lunch	LUNCH	
1400	Faculty meeting & lunch	1400-1500 Group Session 2 Descriptive epidemiology – Discussion of methodological and related issues 1500-1600 Participant Presentations (1)	1430 Guided science walk through the colleges	From 1.15 pm Punting (Clare College to Grantchester Meadows, and a picnic lunch)	1400-1515 Participant Presentations (5) 1515-1600 Group Session 3 Issues in aetiological epidemiology & prevention	1400-1500 Participant Presentations (6) 1500-1600 Trials in diabetes: issues - past, present and future
1500	Seminar opening: Introduction to the Seminar					
1600	TEA	TEA	TEA	TEA	TEA	TEA
1630	Group Session 1 Get to know participants (research interest & experience)	1630-1730 Participant Presentations (2)	1630-1715 Introduction to genetic epidemiology + Genetics of obesity & diabetes 5 minute break 1720-1815 Phenotypic heterogeneity of diabetes – relevance for genetic research & clinical context	Voluntary orienteering activity (sign up for this exciting optional activity)	1630-1715 Guest Lecture 1720 - 1815: Hot Topics DEBATE	1630-1700 Panel discussion with Q&A: 1700-1715 Seminar overview
1730	WELCOME RECEPTION Scholars Garden					
1900	DINNER 1930h	DINNER 1900	DINNER 1900	DINNER 1900	DINNER 1900	DINNER 1900
		INTERNATIONAL CUISINE EVENING	Participants meet informally	Participants meet informally	Participants meet informally	Conference Gala Dinner: Departure 24th Aug (after breakfast)

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