**TWOGs Newsletter 25th January**

**Wales MRCOG part 2 & 3 course**
The next part 3 course will be on the Saturday 6th April. Please email WalesMRCOG@hotmail.com for further information and to confirm attendance.

**3rd, 4th degree perineal repair course**
Hands-on workshop (with pig’s perineum). Friday 10th May 2019 at the Wrexham Medical Institute.

**BSGE**
Dear all,
The UHW endo team are leading the annual BSGE scientific meeting at the Celtic Manor this May. It is going to be a great opportunity, on our doorstep to gain CV points!! It is very likely that if you submit an abstract (on anything laparoscopy / hysteroscopy related!) you will get a national poster / video / oral presentation. There are options to submit to the main programme and exciting trainee features with prizes up for grabs. From past experience if you submit something to a trainee feature such as Pecha Kucha, Stump the Experts or the trainee video competition you will get selected. This year there will also be some familiar faces from UHW chairing the sessions which makes it a little less daunting! In addition to the main programme there are pre-congress workshops (priced more reasonably than college courses!) on hysteroscopy, intermediate laparoscopy skills, consultant interview skills and scanning. These will all be based in WIMAT or the Celtic Manor.

In true Welsh tradition there are also lots of social / networking opportunities! There is a trainee dinner and drinks on the 21st May which is heavily subsided by Karl Storz, and being held at the 2010 clubhouse at the Celtic Manor. This is a great opportunity to meet some of the BSGE council members and trainees from across the country. On the 22nd May the Presidential Gala Ball will be held in the Caernarfon Suite at the Celtic Manor and will feature live music and a comedy set by Adam Kay, author of bestselling book "This is Going to Hurt". Please contact Angharad (angharadjones@doctors.org.uk) or Caryl (carylmthomas@gmail.com) for any further information or support with submitting abstracts.

Many thanks,
The BSGE 2019 LOC
www.bsge2019.org

**BSUOG videos testimonials**
BUSOG are looking for video testimonials for our website, social media and medical students day. We’d be grateful of your help to circulate this request with your local trainees and send one yourself if you are willing.

What we are looking for:
Approximately 30 second video - (Instagram story style)
Please include your Name and Job Role and answer one or two of the following points
1. What do you love about your job?
2. What are some of the challenges?
3. What makes your job diverse and interesting?
4. What advice would you give to medical students interested in O&G?
Please also complete the attached consent form below for us to use your video and return to busogsecretary@gmail.com ASAP
EXPERT PREGNANCY IMAGING, BMA House, London, 8-11 MAY 2019
Expert Pregnancy imaging 2019 is a one stop-shop for O&G Imaging - featuring the latest developments in early pregnancy, prematurity and fetal medicine with faculty from leading UK & international centres. The course is being led by Professors Lees, Bourne and Bennett and is designed to be relevant for senior trainees and in particular for those undertaking RCOG ultrasound and advanced labour ward ATSMs and subspecialty training in MFM and reproductive medicine.
The programme can be found at: https://www.symposia.org.uk/epi/programme.html
To register, visit https://www.symposia.org.uk/main/main.asp?app=y&ref=19.06. The course is HEE approved, so when booking your study leave please quote the curriculum item code OBSG0003 to claim the cost back from your Trust PGME department.

Gynae Onc free webinar
Free half day webinar on gynae-onc, Friday 1st March. Please see attached for more information.

Surveys
Survey on burnout in Obstetrics: https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/85SJTW6
Quantitative analysis of training time:
https://bistc.redcap.bham.ac.uk/surveys/?s=7KMT9DYFLH