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NEW YEAR'S POEM

*"What can be said in New Year rhymes,
That's not been said a thousand times?
The new year's come, the old years go
We know we dream, we dream we know.
We rise up laughing with the light
We lie down weeping with the night
We hug the world until it stings,
We curse it then and sigh for wings
We live, we love, we woo, we wed,
We wreath our prides, we sheath our dead.
We laugh, we weep, we hope, we fear,
And that's the burden of a year."*



Welcome to the following registrars who have joined the department from the 1st January 2014:

Dr VM Satyapal
Dr Z Malima
Dr ED Swart
Dr J Carim
Dr L Nkomentaba

Elective Student

The department would also like to welcome **Dr Bernhard Richter** who joined our department as an Elective Student on the 23 December 2013 and will be with us until 11 April 2014.



The department would like to bid farewell to the following doctors who left the department at the end of December 2013. The department wishes them all the best for the future:

- ❖ Dr S Green
- ❖ Dr JN Mudali

2013 END OF THE YEAR PARTY

Thanks to Loli Gqiba, Zanine Moyce, Kathryn Naidoo, Pooveshni Govender and Chantel Chellan for organizing yet another unforgettable event.

Party Awards

Best dressed awards were received by the following people:

Best dressed male - **Dean Gopalan**
Best dressed female - **Zanine Moyce**
Best dressed couple - **Mr & Mrs Nqala**



2013 Annual Department Awards

- Teacher of the year
Bruce Biccard
- Registrar of the year
Dr Youly Mzoneli
- Presentation of the year
Mohamed Raiman
- Best Part II results
Trisha Ramsamy

CONGRATULATIONS also to **Dr Karien Purchase** on being awarded the SASA Jan Pretorius Research Fund.

2014 PUBLICATIONS

- Skinner D, Hardcastle T, Rodseth R, Muckart D. **The incidence and outcomes of acute kidney injury amongst patients admitted to a level 1 trauma unit. Injury Int. J. Care Injured 45, 2014:259-264.**
- Rodseth RN, Biccard BM, Le Manach Y, Sessler DI, Lurati Buse GA, Thabane L, Schutt RC, Bolliger D, Cagini L, Cardinale D, Chong C, Chu R, Cnotliway M, Di Somma S, Fahrner R, Lim W, Mahla E, Manikandan R, Puma F, Pyun W, Radovic` M, Rajagopalan S, Suttie S, Vanniyasingam T, van Gaal W, Waliszek M, Devereaux P. **The Prognostic Value of Pre-Operative and Post -Operative B-Type Natriuretic Peptides (B-Type Natriuretic Peptide and N-Terminal Fragment of Pro-B-Type Natriuretic Peptide) in patients Undergoing NonCardiac Surgery. JACC Vol 63(2) 2014: 70-80.**

CMSA EXAMINERS WORKSHOP

Date: 10 February 2014
Venue: Durban (to be announced)

Morning Session:

Setting and Assessment of OSCEs

Afternoon Session:

Assessment of Portfolios

The full programme will be emailed

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FCA II MOCK EXAM DATES

Dates: Fri 10 Jan 2014 -14h00 -17h00
Sat 11 Jan 2014 -08h30 -16h00
Venue: Medical School Boardroom
(next to Steve Biko)

2014 NEW REGISTRAR INTAKE

The UKZN Induction and Registration session for new registrars will take place during January 2014. **Date and venue to be advised.** Units heads are to please release registrars to attend this very important meeting. All new registrars are required to attend.

ANAESTHETICS CLINICAL COURSE APRIL 2014

The department will be holding a Clinical course in April 2014 scheduled as follows:

Dates: 7-11 April 2014

Enquiries: Dr B Daya

Email: bhavikadaya@gmail.com

RSVP by no later than **15 Nov 2013**. Preference will be given to part 2 candidates writing in March, but all applications will be considered, depending on numbers

UPCOMING EVENTS

SMART CENTRE MEETING

Date: To be announced
Time: 15h00
Venue: IALCH (Seminar room)

CONSULTANT MEETING

Date: To be announced
Time: 16h30
Venue: IALCH (Seminar room)

COMBINED ACADEMIC

Date: 21 January 2014
Time: 16h30
Venue: L5 Lecture Theatre, MS

CLINICAL FORUM

16h30 Topic: Obstetrics KEH
Consultant: A Theron
16h50 Topic: King George V
Consultant: K Mitchell

JOURNAL CLUB

Consultant: D Skinner
Topic: ICU
17h10 Registrar: Reg 1
17h25 Registrar: Reg 2

RESEARCH MEETING

17h40 Registrar: S Zungu
17h55 Registrar: CM Van den Bosch

REGISTRAR MEETING

2014 Anaesthetics Clinical Refresher Course Applications
Course Co-ordinator: Samantha Kransingh

The 2014 Anaesthetic Clinical Course will be held in the week of the 15-19 September. Applications for the course will be done strictly via the online application form that will be posted on the Department of Anaesthetics UKZN Medical School website via the following link:

<http://anaesthetics.ukzn.ac.za/Courses/clinicalcourse/CC2014.aspx>

No bookings via email or telephonically will be accepted. Applications open on the 1 January 2014 and close on the 31 March 2014. Preference will be given to candidates enrolled in the CMSA FCA(SA) Part II, and the candidates place will only be confirmed once proof of registration, with CMSA, for the exam is provided

2014 MIDMAR MILE

Anyone interested in joining the departments midmar mile swimming team please contact **Dr Alex Torborg**, alexandra@iafrica.com

COLLEGES OF MEDICINE EXAM DATES

Written Part II: 11-13 Mar 2014
 Oral 05-08 May 2014
 Written 18-22 Aug 2014
 Oral 06-09 Oct 2014

2013 RESEARCH OUTPUTS UKZN RESEARCH OFFICE

IRMANET is open for uploading of 2013 research output data. All *submissions (irrespective of category) must be uploaded by 15 February 2014. To log onto IRMANET, please follow the procedure detailed below:*

1. Use internet explorer, <http://research.ukzn.ac.za/Homepage.aspx> and access the database via the Research Office website and then select "IRMA.net login"
2. Log on by using your Outlook/UKZN email username and password

Enquiry: Mr W Muzumbukilwa muzumbukilwaw@ukzn.ac.za
 Ms B Ntaka - ntaka@ukzn.ac.za
Contact: 031 260 2031/7224

SASA CONGRESS 2014

The 2014 Annual SASA Congress is scheduled as follows:

Date: 14-19 March 2014

Venue: Sun City, Pretoria

For more information visit the website:

www.sasaweb.com

DAMN EDITOR

The Department would like to thank **Dr Saaliha Goga** for her time as lead Editor. We are looking for a new editor for DAMN. Please contact Camy if you are interested.

NEXT SUPER DAMN Friday, 31 January 2014

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7:15 FRIDAY MORNING MEETINGS – L5 LECTURE THEATRE, MEDICAL SCHOOL

| DATE | TOPIC | SPEAKER | CRITIC | MODERATOR |
|--------|---|------------|--------|-----------|
| 10 Jan | Airway foreign bodies (Welcome by PD Gopalan) | P Slabber | | B Biccard |
| 17 Jan | Blunting the intubation response: fact or fiction | K Purchase | | C Evans |
| 24 Jan | Special Lecture | E Hodgson | | |

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| MON 06 Jan | 15h00 | FCA Part II TUTORIALS Introduction <i>Gopalan/Kalafatis</i> | IALCH |
| TUE 07 Jan | 07h15 | OBSTETRIC ANAESTHESIA | KEH |
| WED 08 Jan | 07h00 | M & M MEETING: KEH | KEH |
| | 07h00 | M & M MEETING: IALCH | IALCH |
| | 07h00 | M & M MEETING: PMMH | PMMH |
| | 14:30 | FCA Part I TUTORIALS Tuts commence on the 15 th January | IALCH |
| THUR 09 Jan | 07h15 | M & M MEETING: RKK | RKK |
| | 07h30 | KEH ICU M & M MEETING | MS,S3 |
| | 16h30 | DIPLOMA IN ANAESTHETICS Neuro – anaesthetic and spinal cord injury <i>C Daniel</i> | K-Rith: K2 |
| FRI 10 Jan | 07h15 | FRIDAY MORNING MEETING: Airway foreign bodies <i>P Slabber</i> | MS, L5 |

2014 DIARY

SASA CONGRESS 2014

Sun City Pretoria

14 – 19 March 2014

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CLINICAL COURSE: DURBAN

15 – 19 September 2014

DEPT WEBSITE

<http://anaesthetics.ukzn.ac.za/Homepage.aspx>

BIRTHDAYS

Wednesday, 01 January 2014

Shakthi Jayrajh, Neelesh Gopal

Saturday, 04 January 2014

Dela Maiwald

Sunday, 05 January 2014

Mbali Ngcongo



Thought for the Day!

"A day will never be anymore than what you make of it. Practice being a doer!"

William Jmaes