



# PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

## Thursday 8th October 2026

- 10.00-12.00**      **Symposium / Early Career Researchers Networking Event** (pending confirmation)
- 13.00-13.10 h**      **OPENING CEREMONY AND WELCOME**  
**Denice Feig.** IADPSG Chair. Chair IADPSG-DPSG Scientific Steering Committee 2026, **Lene Ringholm.** DPSG Chair. IADPSG-DPSG. Scientific Steering Committee 2026 & **Rosa Corcoy.** IADPSG 2026 Local Organiser. IADPSG-DPSG Scientific Steering Committee 2026
- 13.10-15.00 h**      **SESSION 1**  
**TECHNOLOGY AND TYPE 1 DIABETES: HYBRID CLOSED LOOP TRIALS AND REAL-WORLD DATA**  
Chairs: **Denice Feig.** University of Toronto, Canada & **Rosa Corcoy.** CIBER\_BBN; Hospital de la Santa Creu i Sant Pau, Barcelona, Spain
- 13.10-13.30      **AiDAPT**  
**Helen Murphy.** University of East Anglia, Norwich, UK
- 13.30-13.50      **CRISTAL**  
**Katrien Benhalima.** University Hospital Leuven, Belgium
- 13.50-14.10      **CIRCUIT**  
**Lois Donovan.** University of Calgary, Canada
- 14.10-14.30      **Real-World HCL Data**  
**Carmen Quirós.** Hospital Universitari Mútua de Terrassa, Spain
- 14.30-14.40      **Panel Discussion**
- 14.40-15.00      **Oral Abstract presentations**
- 15.00-15.30 h**      **COFFEE BREAK**



**15.30-17.00 h**

**SESSION 2**

**GESTATIONAL DIABETES: STRATIFYING CARE TO IMPROVE OUTCOMES**

Chairs: **TBD**

- 15.30- 15.50 Use of Early HbA1c to reduce need for OGTT  
**Ponnusamy Saravanan.** UK
- 15.50-16.10 Use of Early Higher OGTT cut-offs to Target Care  
**David Simmons.** Western Sydney University, Australia
- 16.10- 16.30 Early Diagnosis of GDM at <10 weeks gestation to Improve Care in India  
**Rajeev Chawla.** DIPSI, India
- 16.30-16.40 Q&A
- 16.40-17.00 Oral Abstract Presentations

**17.00-18.00 h**

**SESSION 3**

**DEBATE - MATERNAL WEIGHT GAIN SHOULD BE LIMITED TO <5KG IN OBESE WOMEN DURING PREGNANCY**

Chairs: **TBD**

Pro. **Claire Meek.** University of Leicester, UK

Con. **Rosa Corcoy.** CIBER\_BBN; Hospital de la Santa Creu i Sant Pau, Barcelona, Spain

**18.00 h**

**WELCOME DRINKS RECEPTION**

**Dinner – free to arrange**



## Friday 9th October 2026

08.30-10.40 h

### SESSION 4

UTILIZING THE POTENTIAL OF CONTINUOUS GLUCOSE MONITORING IN PREGNANCY

Chairs: **Lene Ringholm**. Rigshospitalet University Hospital of Copenhagen, Denmark

08.30-08.50

The Glucose Levels Across Maternity (GLAM)

**Celeste Durnwald**. University of Pennsylvania, USA

08.50-09.10

Maternal Glucose in Pregnancy (MAGIC)

**Eleanor Scott**. University of Leeds, UK

09.10-09.30

Glycemic Observations and Metabolic Outcomes in Mothers (GO MOMS)

**Patrick Catalano**. Massachusetts General Hospital, USA

09.30-09.50

What we have learned from the CopenFAST trial

**Lene Ringholm**. Rigshospitalet University Hospital of Copenhagen, Denmark

09.50-10.10

RCT of CGM in GDM

**TBA**

10.10-10.20

Q&A

10:20-10:40

Oral Abstract Presentations

10.40-11.10 h

### COFFEE BREAK

11.10-12.40 h

### SESSION 5

LESSONS FROM BASIC SCIENCE: POTENTIAL TO IMPROVE CLINICAL CARE

Chairs: **TBD**

11.10-11.30

Role of MicroRNA's in LGA and placental function

**Karen Forbes**. University of Leeds, UK

11.30-11.50

Potential precision markers for GDM

**Ariane Sweeting**. IADPSG and ADIPS, Australia

11.50-12.10

Unlocking Genetic Clues to GDM

**Elisabeth Widen**. Finland

12.10-12.20

Q&A

12.20-12.40

Oral Abstract presentations

12.40-13.40 h

### LUNCH



**13.40-14.40 h**      **POSTER VIEWING**

**14.40-15.50 h**      **SESSION 6**  
MANAGING HYPERTENSIVE DISORDERS IN PREGNANCY IN WOMEN WITH DIABETES  
Chairs: **TBD**

14.40-15.00      Overview of Preeclampsia and Hypertension Disorders of Pregnancy  
**Jenny Myers**. University of Manchester, UK

15.00-15.20      How low should Blood Pressure go in Diabetes in Pregnancy?  
**Lori Harper**. University of Texas at Austin, USA

15.20-15.25      Q&A

15.25-15.50      Oral Abstracts Presentations

**15.50-16.20 h**      **COFFEE BREAK**

**16.20-16:30**      **In Memory of Boyd Metzger**

**16.30-17.30 h**      **SESSION 7**  
AWARD SESSION

16.30-16:55      D PSG Award Lectures  
Joseph Hoet Award  
16.55-17.20      Jorgen Pedersen Award

17.20-17.30      IADPSG-DPSG Young Investigator Travel awards delivery

**17.30-18.30 h**      **DPSG ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING** (members only)  
Chair: **Lene Ringholm**. Rigshospitalet University Hospital of Copenhagen, Denmark

**20.30 h**      **CONFERENCE DINNER** (*not included in registration fee*)



## Saturday 10th October 2026

09.00-10.30 h

### SESSION 8

IMPACT OF DIABETES ON THE DEVELOPING FETUS: LESSONS FROM BASIC SCIENCE

Chairs: **TBD**

- 09.00-09.20 Fetal brain development in GDM  
**Shalini Jaggi**, Dipsi - Diabetes In Pregnancy Study Group India, India
- 09.20-09.40 DNA methylation and fetal programming of neonatal adiposity  
**Jami Josefson**, Northwestern University/ Lurie Children's Hospital Of Chicago, USA
- 09.40-10.00 Effect of maternal diets enriched in unsaturated fatty acids  
**Alicia Jawerbaum**, Laboratory of Reproduction and Metabolism. CEFYBO-CONICET, Argentina
- 10.00-10.10 Q&A
- 10.10-10.30 Oral Abstract Presentations

10:30-11:00

### BREAK

11.00-12.30 h

### SESSION 9

HOW DO I...?

Chairs: TBD

- 11.00-11.20 Use fetal US to guide therapeutic decisions in managing GDM?  
**Manuela Fernández-López**, Hospital Clínico Universitario Virgen de la Arrixaca, Murcia, Spain
- 11.20-11.40 Diagnose Type 2 postpartum (PREDISPOSE)?  
**Jennifer Yamamoto**, University Of Manitoba, Canada
- 11.40-12.00 Diagnose and treat GDM following bariatric surgery?  
**Roland Devlieger**, University Hospital KU Leuven, Belgium
- 12:00-12:20 Manage diabetes retinopathy during pregnancy?  
**Elisabeth Mathiesen**, University Of Copenhagen, Rigshospitalet, Denmark
- 12.20-12.30 Q&A

12.30-13.30 h

### LUNCH

13.30-14:30 h

### POSTER VIEWING



**14.30-16.00 h**

**SESSION 10**

FIGO UPDATE AND LONG-TERM OUTCOME OF OFFSPRING OF DIABETES IN PREGNANCY  
Chairs: **Lene Ringholm**. DPSG Chair. IADPSG-DPSG. Scientific Steering Committee 2026

- 14.30-14.50 FIGO update - The Femtech revolution  
**Moshe Hod**, Israel
- 14.50-15.10 MiTy (Metformin in women with type 2 diabetes in pregnancy) Tykes  
**Denice Feig**. University of Toronto. Canada
- 15.10-15.30 Hyperglycemia and Adverse Pregnancy Outcomes (HAPO) Follow up  
**Ronald Ma**. The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong/China
- 15.30-15.40 Q&A
- 15.40-16.00 Oral Abstract Presentations

**16.00-16.30 h**

**COFFEE BREAK**

**16.30-17.40 h**

**SESSION 11**

GLP1-RECEPTOR AGONISTS: BEFORE, DURING AND AFTER PREGNANCY

Chairs: **TBD**

- 16.30-16:50 Pre-pregnancy and pregnancy use of GLP1 Agonists and Pregnancy Outcomes  
**Camille Powe**, USA
- 16:50-17:10 GLP-1 AGONISTS following GDM  
**Signe Foghsgaard**, Denmark
- 17.10-17.20 Q&A
- 17.20-17.40 Oral Abstract Presentations

**17.40 h**

**CLOSING CEREMONY**

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