

SSG Taster Course – 19th September 2026

09:15 – 09:30	Registration	
Session 1: Why Gastroenterology?		
Time	Topic	Speaker
09:30 – 09:40	Introduction	Suvey Perera & Jonathan Kang
09:40 – 10:20	Why Gastroenterology? - Trainee Perspective - Consultant Perspective	Suvey Perera & Jonathan Kang Linda Kemp
10:20 – 10:40	Higher specialty application process & tips for medical interview	Izzy Bough
10:40 – 11:00	Coffee/Tea	
11:00 – 12:00	Case discussions - Liver cases - Luminal cases	Izzy Bough & Iain McPherson Emily Brownson
12:00 – 12:45	Lunch	

Session 2: Workshops		
12:45 – 14:45	Workshop 1 Diagnostic & Therapeutic OGD	Iain McPherson Ruridh Allen
	Workshop 2 Colonoscopy	Linda Kemp Emily Brownson
14:45 – 15:00	Coffee/Tea	

Session 3: Future Developments		
15:00 – 15:15	Hepatology	Iain McPherson
15:15 – 15:30	IBD	Emily Brownson
15:30 – 15:45	Nutrition	Linda Kemp
15:45 – 16:00	Endoscopy	Ruaridh Allen
16:00 – 16:15	Closing Remarks	