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**COLOCON  
2024**

**FRIDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER**

11:30am to 04:30pm

**@ SLSC 2024 The Royal Peacock Ball Room  
Grand Kandyan Hotel, Kandy**

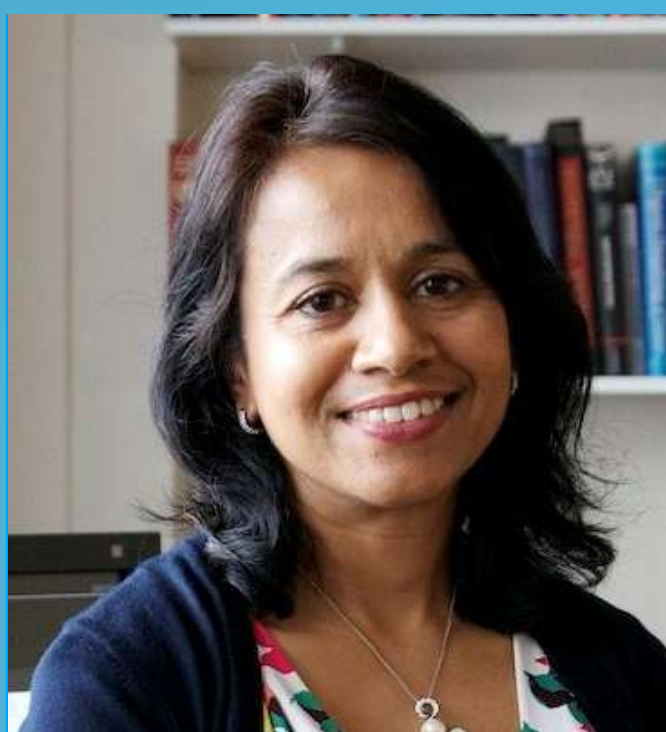
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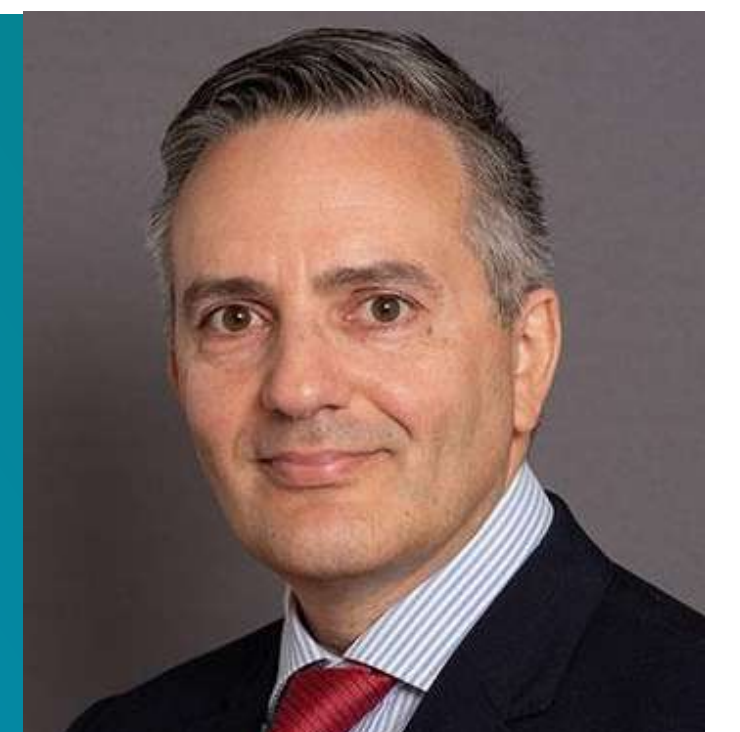
**Rodrigo Perez**  
University of São Paulo, Brazil



**Surendra Mantoo**  
Khoo Teck Puat Hospital, Singapore



**Gina Brown**  
Imperial College, London



**John Cammilleri-Brennen**  
Forth Valley Royal Hospital NHS, UK



**Sangeetha Mantoo**  
Singapore General Hospital, Singapore



**Bernard Lim Yon Kuei**  
Mount Elizabeth Novena Hospital,  
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## FRIDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER PROGRAMME

Welcome address	11:30 - 11:35	Nissanka Jayawardene President SLACS
<b>Symposium: Complications of Low Rectal Anastomosis</b>		
Topic	Time	Speaker
Anastomotic leak: Early diagnosis	11:35 - 11:50	<b>Dr Surendra Mantoo</b> Khoo Teck Puat Hospital, Singapore
Anastomotic leak: Imaging	11:50 - 12:05	<b>Dr Thomas Glover</b> St. Mark's Hospital, UK
Anastomotic leak: Treatment and prevention	12:05 - 12:20	<b>Dr Wasantha Wijenayake</b> University Hospital KDU, Sri Lanka
Low Anterior Resection Syndrome	12:20 - 12:35	<b>Mr John Camilleri-Brennen</b> Fourth Valley Royal Hospital NHS, UK
Q&A	12:35 - 12:50	
<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>		

<b>Symposium: Early Rectal Cancer</b>		
Topic	Time	Speaker
Defining early rectal cancer	14:00 - 14:15	<b>Dr Surendra Mantoo</b> Khoo Tech Puat Hospital, Singapore
The role of imaging in early rectal cancer	14:15 - 14:30	<b>Professor Gina Brown</b> Imperial College UK
Decision making in early rectal cancer	14:30 - 14:45	<b>Dr Surendra Mantoo</b> Khoo Tech Puat Hospital, Singapore
Treatment options and evidence so far	14:45 - 15:00	<b>Dr Bernard Lim Yon Kuei</b> Mount Elizabeth Novena Hospital, Singapore
Pathology in early rectal cancer	15:00 - 15:15	<b>Dr Sangeetha Mantoo</b> Singapore General Hospital, Singapore
Q&A	15:15 - 15:30	

<b>Invited Lectures</b>		
Topic	Time	Speaker
Local regrowths after initial complete clinical response under 'watch and wait'	15:30 - 16:00	<b>Rodrigo Perez</b> University of São Paulo, Brazil
Robotics in Colorectal Surgery	16:00 - 16:20	<b>Chelliah Selvasekar</b> The Christie NHS Foundation Trust, UK
Vote of thanks	16:00 - 16:25	<b>Kesara Ratnatunga</b> Secretary SLACS



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