



UK NEQAS Parasitology

40th Anniversary Symposium

Friday 18 September 2026

UK Health Security Agency, Colindale, London

Chair Professor Peter L Chiodini		
Time	Speaker	Title
09:30 to 10:15	Mrs Claire Rogers	Parasite Morphology a visual panorama
10:15 to 10:45	Dr Sally Mavin	The threat of Toxoplasma in depressed immunity
10:45 to 11:15 Coffee Break		
11:15 to 11:45	Dr Stephen Hadfield	Toxoplasma, feeling the strain
11:45 to 12:30	Prof Peter Chiodini	Malaria and its threat to the UK
12:30 to 13:30 Lunch break / meet the UK NEQAS Parasitology team		
13:30 to 14:15	Dr Charlotte Patterson Dr Anna Bote, Dr Natalie El Kheir	Parasitic threats to pregnancy (excluding Toxoplasma)
14:15 to 14:45	Dr Steve Walker	Scabies, the big itch
14:45 to 15:15 Tea Break		
15:15 to 15:45	Dr Clare Warrell	My Parasitology Life cycle
15:45 to 16:30	Dr Ula Mahadeva	Do parasitologists still need histopathologists?

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