

SAAS Congress - Wednesday 6 May 2026				YouTube Links
07h00-08h00	Congress Registration			
Time	Talk	Presenter	Co author/s	
	Session 1			
	Chairperson: R Barrow			
08h00-08h10	Introduction/Opening			https://youtu.be/8BvTD0v4RwQ
	Session 2			
	Chairperson: R Barrow			
08h10-09h00	Keynote address	M Charlton		https://youtu.be/49doh70Ujgq <i>Uploaded YouTube Highlight Reel</i>
	Session 3			
	Chairperson: R Barrow & J Pietrzak			
09h00-10h00	Invited speaker introduction	Panel of International Invited Guests		https://youtu.be/dnlgR0gB5Vw
10h00-10h20	MORNING TEA			
	Session 4			
	Chairperson: M Barrow & H Jonker			
	Knee alignment controversies			
10h20-10h30	Constitutional Varus: What we got wrong 20 years ago	J Bellemans		https://youtu.be/V5levp3aWVY
10h30-10h40	Your scrub nurse says: Doctor your KA knee is not straight. I say: don't worry	S Howell		https://youtu.be/oprRYxfB3c
10h40-10h50	Functional alignment: The rationale and clinical evidence	S Lustig		https://youtu.be/_ANahGoZVMw
10h50-11h00	Mechanical alignment - "Rest in peace"	K Bohlen		https://youtu.be/ZM7G_eoWOC8
11h00-11h10	What is inverse Kinematic Alignment, and why I use it?	H Vidakovic		https://youtu.be/6kas_zSX9To
11h10-11h20	Are Alignment strategies overhyped? A balanced view point	L Suleiman		https://youtu.be/VLyOLzAH6g
11h20-11h30	Personalised Knee Arthroplasty: Do we need Boundaries?	W Jackson		https://youtu.be/Tx8BK3id4Z4
11h30-11h40	Can you do KA with any Implant?	J Bellemans		https://youtu.be/prIOg60rH5A
11h40-11h50	Oh yes, you can treat the valgus knee with Kinematic alignment	S Howell		https://youtu.be/hpvaC_dttuA
11h50-12h30	Panel Discussion	Invited Speakers		https://youtu.be/usvlyqxh9dU
	Session 5			
	Chairpersons: A Sekeitto & A Van Huyssteen			
	Free papers TKR			
12h30-12h35	15483 Coronal knee phenotypes are associated with distinct ankle alignment profiles: combined analysis using CPAK and DMTA classifications	Johan vd Merwe	A van Zyl, A Bartlett	https://youtu.be/bfOWdC1Oxvs
12h35-12h40	15491 Personalised knee arthroplasty coming of age: 21 years experience; and what don't we know?	P Firer		https://youtu.be/VvudHIT8Qhk
12h40-12h45	15501 Patient satisfaction after TKA: Same surgeon same patient .KA vs MA	H Jonker		https://youtu.be/w05sH30XKeI
12h45-12h50	15506 Can Patella Tracking Be Improved in Individualised Alignment Total Knee Arthroplasty?	Werner vd Merwe		https://youtu.be/cc0sZ0aIG4o
12h50-12h55	15507 How accurate is manual extra articular alignment of the tibial cut in Total Knee Replacement for personalized alignment?	P Firer	B Gelbart	https://youtu.be/7L5t_gobUnU
12h55-13h00	15517 Improvement in Tibial Resection Accuracy During Adoption of a Radiographic Measurement Feedback Technique in Restricted Inverse Kinematic Total Knee Arthroplasty	Johannes Botha		https://youtu.be/SR4UA00Bic
13h00-13h05	15526 Early Patient-Reported Outcomes Following Subvastus Calipered Kinematic Alignment Total Knee Arthroplasty: A 100-Patient Consecutive Series	H Jonker		https://youtu.be/qv1eIAFzr34
13h05-13h10	15537 CPAK Phenotype Transition Following SPHERIKA Total Knee Arthroplasty: A Prospective Cohort Study	M Foster	A Porteous, J Murray, N Howells, H Davies, B Ndindwa	https://youtu.be/LIH8CrQzQTQ
13h10-13h25	Discussion			https://youtu.be/7G26z_uW1IE
13h25-14h15	LUNCH			
	Session 6			
	Chairpersons: R von Bormann & K Sikhauli			
	Robotic talks			
14h15-14h25	Robotics and Kinematic Alignment	S Bini		https://youtu.be/Cs49tU5CKQY
14h25-14h35	Robotic TKA: intra-operative troubleshooting and avoiding pitfalls	S Lustig		https://youtu.be/kVvmJyTncvA
14h35-14h45	Robotic patellofemoral Arthroplasty- A game changer	S Lustig		https://youtu.be/POlkkcJd4
	Session 7			
	Chairpersons: R von Bormann & K Sikhauli			
	Free papers Robotics (15480 withdrawn)			
14h45-14h50	15497 Aseptic Revision Risk Comparison between Robot-Assisted and Conventionally Instrumented Total Knee Arthroplasty - A Registry Cohort and Radiographic Study	A Dymond	P Firer, I Learmonth, A Diayar	https://youtu.be/7NU8NkrM9AA
14h50-14h55	15499 A Comparison of Patient-Reported Outcome Measures between Robot-Assisted and Conventionally Instrumented Total Knee Arthroplasties in South Africa - a Retrospective Registry Cohort Study	A Diayar	A Dymond, F Moolman	https://youtu.be/BgFHuUMQPFo
14h55-15h00	15505 Does Robotic Arm Assistance Expand the Indications for Uncemented Cruciate Retaining Components in Primary Total Knee Arthroplasty?	Werner vd Merwe		https://youtu.be/3dGnL3viPWQ
15h00-15h05	15516 Robotic Bi-UKA vs Conventional TKA 5 Year outcomes	WD Foxcroft		https://youtu.be/5grL3bvOg7E
15h05-15h10	15520 Perceptions of Trainee Orthopaedic Surgeons in Sub-Saharan Africa on Robotic-Assisted Knee Arthroplasty: Opportunities, Barriers and Global Relevance.	W Mukibi		https://youtu.be/ZR2nv41hTel
15h10-15h15	15539 Intraoperative Airborne Particle Counts During Imageless Robotic-Assisted Total Knee Arthroplasty Using a Handheld Burr	I Senyolo	N Elebo, D Geldenhuys, N Sikhauli, J Pietrzak	https://youtu.be/Gfj7LdnnM_I
15h15-15h20	Discussion			
	Session 8			
	Chairpersons: J Van der Merwe & J Pietrzak			
	The Great Debate: Robotics - South Africa can neither afford nor needs Robotics			
15h20-16h20	The Great Debate - Robotics in SA Opening statements: P Firer : Proposing and L Mokete : Opposing (7 Minutes Each) Panel Discussion : Invited Speakers Closing Arguments : P Firer and L Mokete (5 Minutes Each) Voting	P Firer and L Mokete Invited Speakers P Firer and L Mokete		https://youtu.be/-RUhgCdiTbg
16h20-16h40	AFTERNOON TEA			
	Session 9			
	Chairpersons: D North & A Kuhn			
	Uni Talks			
16h40-16h50	Injectables for knee OA, what is on the menu?	W Jackson		https://youtu.be/FoQlrrSw5M
16h50-17h00	Why I use a mobile bearing UKA	W Jackson		https://youtu.be/x87T5R6HC5M
17h00-17h10	Robotic UKA: Tips, Tricks and how to safely extend indications	S Lustig		https://youtu.be/nIM66l3c-II
17h10-17h20	Uni-compartment knee replacements: Clinical advantages and why it should be combined with robotic assistance	K Bohlen		https://youtu.be/94UdFSCMQEU
17h20-17h30	Lateral UKA: an under-utilised procedure	W Jackson		https://youtu.be/LaRnjuntQs
17h30-17h40	Lateral UKA Sugical tips and pitfalls	S Lustig		https://youtu.be/vULELOoCMiQ
	Session 10			
	Chairpersons: M Nortje & C Nicolaou			
	Free papers UKR			
17h40-17h45	15498 Redefining Knee Arthroplasty Indications: Phenotype-Based Classification Reveals the True Opportunity for Compartment-Specific Surgery	H Wilson	CR Oosthuizen	https://youtu.be/-vGW6K567cg
17h45-17h50	15528 Does robotic assistance improve early outcomes following unicompartmental knee arthroplasty performed in a high-volume centre? A retrospective cohort study	M Fullarton	H Vidakovic, N Ohly, S Chopra, G Alozie, N Holloway, J Clarke	https://youtu.be/i0zpn2uFP-E

SAAS Congress - Thursday 7 May 2026				YouTube Links
07h00-08h00	ZIMMER SIDE EVENT - Advanced Personalisation in knee care - Dr Graeme Davis, Life Wilgeheuwel Hospital, Johannesburg, South Africa & Prof Linda Suleiman, Northwestern medicine, Chicago, USA			DO NOT SHARE
Time	Talk	Presenter	Co author/s	
Session 11				
Chairpersons: E Brits & A van Huyssteen				
Diversity & Inclusion				
08h00-08h20	Diversity inclusion in orthopaedics	L Suleiman		https://youtu.be/TSU5262zg9k
Technology and AI in Arthroplasty				
08h20-08h30	Technology in a modern orthopaedic practice	S Bini		https://youtu.be/pk_W6egYQqs
08h30-08h40	How AI will transform arthroplasty in the next decade	S Lustig		https://youtu.be/aDc7bnJ29_4
08h40-08h50	Aligning patient needs with innovation	L Suleiman		https://youtu.be/3Xp04ffrzY
08h50-09h05	Discussion			https://youtu.be/NITLm5bJ6k
Session 12				
Chairpersons: S Ndou & M Barrow				
Free papers- AI				
09h05-09h10	15450 AI-Powered Dynamic Curriculum Development in Knee Arthroplasty Training Using Augmented Reality Surgical Interactions	E Majirija	W Jackson, A Ghande, M Held	https://youtu.be/BUnmi3BwBHC
09h10-09h15	15531 Activity recognition using artificial intelligence techniques in a cadaveric knee replacement model based on dual integrated IMU devices	L Mokete	E Donnelly, A Conway, R Willing	https://youtu.be/pQv4Q075o4r
09h15-09h20	15535 Embedded Sensor Technology and AI can Diagnose Loosening in Total Knee Replacement	L Mokete	E Donnelly, A Conway, R Willing	https://youtu.be/E_t_OhBtoM
09h20-09h30	Discussion			https://youtu.be/qFevCVd4Odo
Session 13				
Chairpersons: H Bosch & H Mahomed				
THR talks				
09h30-09h40	Gluteus medius pathology	S Bini		https://youtu.be/1_nc0wP32bA
09h40-09h50	The use of composite beam cemented stems	S Jones		https://youtu.be/1Q4MFwmmNgU
09h50-10h00	French paradox in primary THR	S Lustig		https://youtu.be/gIMcbxPtdo
10h00-10h10	Short stems in THR	H Vidakovic		https://youtu.be/qQNDaTYTpSw
10h10-10h20	Dual mobility in primary THR- overuse or smart risk mitigation	L Suleiman		https://youtu.be/15aGu5MPIGQ
10h20-10h30	Results of dual mobility in primary THA	S Jones		https://youtu.be/pEk4HLcTSU
10h30-10h40	Discussion			https://youtu.be/8wp-qE3VVOE
10h40-11h10	TEA			
Session 14				
Chairpersons: T Ajodha & C Snyckers				
Free papers THR				
11h10-11h15	15518 Surgical hip dislocation and impaction grafting for advanced osteonecrosis of the femoral head: a systematic review and illustrative case	S Strydom	C Graham, C Snyckers	https://youtu.be/gfx4onDd_Y
11h15-11h20	15519 Cancer and total hip arthroplasty: a narrative review of clinical intersections; challenges and outcomes	W Mukibi		https://youtu.be/pSLNKRCoM
11h20-11h25	15524 Navigating Fixation in DAA THA: Is There a Best Stem?	J Brenner	J Pietrzak, J Cakic	https://youtu.be/s1jgMwEILk
11h25-11h30	15525 Stable Outcomes, Subtle Changes: Calcar Resorption in Collared Uncemented Femoral Stems in Direct Anterior Approach Total Hip Arthroplasty	J Brenner	J Pietrzak, J Cakic	https://youtu.be/6lBPINpW3o
11h30-11h35	15530 Implementation of direct anterior approach total hip arthroplasty in lateral decubitus at a high volume specialist arthroplasty centre: technique; learning curve; early outcomes; and cost analysis	M Fullarton	D Wallace, H Vidakovic	https://youtu.be/NTLo5YmPkY
11h35-11h40	15532 A short-term review of patients who underwent total hip arthroplasty for acetabular protrusion at a South African Tertiary Academic Hospital	N Mashele	A Sekeitto, N Sikhauli	https://youtu.be/BAAUHjrofM
11h40-11h45	15536 The Outcomes of Femoral Neck Fractures in HIV-positive Patients in Sub- Saharan Africa	C Nicolaou		https://youtu.be/hKRIFPRm3vc
11h45-11h50	Questions			https://youtu.be/-GYY-NptVPM
Session 15				
Chairperson: R Barrow				
11h50-12h20	SAAS AGM (members only)			DO NOT SHARE
12h20-13h30	LUNCH			
Session 16				
Chairpersons: T Ajodha & W van der Merwe				
Same day surgery talks				
13h30-13h40	Fast track surgery protocols for efficiency in a hospital setting	K Bohlen	Ajodha replaced Bosch	https://youtu.be/Ino5qTeyZrY
13h40-13h50	Outpatient total joint arthroplasty: is it good for patients	J Parvizi		https://youtu.be/1fF22t6by24
Session 17				
Chairpersons: T Ajodha & W van der Merwe				
Free papers Same day surgery				
13h50-13h55	15508 1 Year Outcomes of the First 1;243 Same-Day Discharge Hip and Knee Arthroplasties in a Developing Economy (South Africa)	Dr DP Vermaak	A la Grange	https://youtu.be/Ai3QsZVZ9IU
13h55-14h00	15509 SCDDA is a Team Sport	Dr D Hoeffel	A la Grange	https://youtu.be/4R8PxeTeM7w
14h00-14h05	15511 Is SCDDA Safe? A Granular Look into Complications	Dr DP Vermaak	A la Grange	https://youtu.be/bjqdYcBk3EQ
14h05-14h10	15512 Measuring What Matters to Patients: Excellent Traditional Outcomes Demonstrated Despite Unrestricted Expectations Measured in a SCDDA Patient Cohort	Dr DP Vermaak	A la Grange	https://youtu.be/aUf_XkLuyk8
14h10-14h15	15513 Discovering value in Robotic TKA: Functional Equivalence but Potential Early Socioeconomic Benefit in Same-Day Discharge Document	Dr DP Vermaak	A la Grange	https://youtu.be/M0z7L_zo3Bo
14h15-14h20	15515 Inclusion Through Optimization: Challenging Patient Selection in SCDDA	Dr D Hoeffel	A la Grange	https://youtu.be/IBIZhx20egl
14h20-14h25	15533 Same-Calendar-Day Anterior THA: Surgical Controversy or Systems Solution?	C Snyckers	L Vlok	https://youtu.be/VQLseTSLTo
14h25-14h40	Discussion			https://youtu.be/ObiijT-nt14
Session 18				
Chairpersons: J Pietrzak & K Jordaan				
14h40-16h30	Panel discussion - quickfire topics on THR	S Bini, K Bohlen, L Suleiman, S Jones, L Jeys, S Lustig, J Parvizi & H Vidakovic		https://youtu.be/FoZpkyVESS8
16h30-17h00	TEA			
Session 19				
Chairperson: R Barrow				
17h00-18h00	Louis Solomon: Hanging onto hope in the face of adversity	J Parvizi		https://youtu.be/f57cRBLVPg4
Free evening				

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SAAS Congress - Friday 8 May 2026				YouTube Links	
07h00-08h00	ENOVIS : Bone Preservation Lateral decubitus DAA THR - Dr Herv Vidakovic			DO NOT SHARE	EDITED - NOT UPLOADED
Time	Talk	Presenter	Co author/s		
Session 20					
Chairpersons: M Nortje & T Ajodha					
Free papers (General)					
08h00-08h05	15442 The correlation between Vitamin D level and severity of osteoarthritis in patients awaiting total hip arthroplasty and total knee arthroplasty at an academic hospital	LK Sethaku		https://youtu.be/78ps8y-10ZI	GELDENHUYS GOT MUGGED (PIETRZAK REPLACED)
08h05-08h10	15514 The dry wound initiative: an audit of wound dressing post total joint arthroplasty	E Majirja	M Nortje	https://youtu.be/gTyGUjUkoY	
08h10-08h15	15481 Temporal Trends in HIV Seroprevalence Among Primary Total Joint Arthroplasty Patients in South Africa: A Comparative Study from 2017 to 2024	D Geldenhuys	J Pietrzak, N Sikhauli, L Mokete	https://youtu.be/XKTIWblaeUj	
08h15-08h20	15496 Prevalence and Patterns of Smoking Cessation and Relapse in Patients Undergoing Total Joint Arthroplasty at a Quaternary South African Institution	D Lowes (Replaced by Geldenhuys)	J Pietrzak, N Sikhauli, N Elebo, D Geldenhuys	https://youtu.be/Ubmw9JlvdIk	
08h20-08h25	15541 Uncovering the Oral Health Burden in Arthroplasty Candidates: A South African Perspective	M Cachalia	W Mukibi, M Kinder, N Sikhauli, J Pietrzak, I Senyolo	https://youtu.be/CkOgNzTh_LQ	
08h25-08h30	15503 An eight-year audit in an Academic Tertiary Adult Reconstruction Unit: Trends and cancellations	L Muhango	A Sekeitto, N Sikhauli, J Pietrzak, L Mokete	https://youtu.be/P0r1o5byMng	
08h30-08h35	Discussion			No Discussion	
Session 21					
Chairpersons: L Mokete & R Kyte					
Revision Arthroplasty					
08h35-08h45	Optimisation of the patient for complex revisions	L Jeys		https://youtu.be/50wdvHLVA	
08h45-08h55	Diagnosis of PJI	J Parvizi		https://youtu.be/8CDLsszKM4	
08h55-09h10	Anaesthesia in the complex revision	S Smith		https://youtu.be/Th68RC1KJY	
09h10-09h20	Antibiotics as prophylaxis and management in revisions	L Jeys		https://youtu.be/5U0yF0btap	
09h20-09h30	Bearing surfaces in revisions	S Jones		https://youtu.be/qP62EAHYQ	
09h30-09h40	Discussion			https://youtu.be/vUe69wV31CA	
Session 22					
Chairpersons: H Mahomed & D Vermaak					
Ethics, Funders					
09h40-10h20	What to do when things go wrong	M Letzler	Genoa	https://youtu.be/3cyD3Sj7ynA	EDITED - NOT UPLOADED
10h20-10h50	Cost of revisions to the funder	D Sweidan	Discovery	DO NOT SHARE	
10h50-11h00	Discussion			https://youtu.be/viZIGTM1cV4	
11h00-11h30	MORNING TEA				
Session 23					
Chairpersons: S Ndou & E Brits					
Free papers Value based care					
11h30-11h35	15504 A Cost Comparison between Robot-Assisted and Conventionally Instrumented Total Knee Arthroplasties in South Africa - a Retrospective Registry Cohort Study	A Diayar	A Dymond	https://youtu.be/5_K4ywlakr8	
11h35-11h40	15521 The maximum justifiable additional funding for achieving a flawless primary total knee arthroplasty in South Africa - a Markov Cohort Model	A Diayar	A Dymond	https://youtu.be/QXnbpQ2Am54	
11h40-11h45	15523 The Number of Hip and Knee Arthroplasties Performed in South Africa in 2024	A Dymond	Allan v Zyl, J Jordaan, F Moolman, A Diayar	https://youtu.be/2vl9GI1NNUQ	
11h45-11h50	15522 Femoral Neck Fracture Management in South Africa: National Practice Variation and the Need for Guidelines	Ahmad Y Mota	N Elebo, D Geldenhuys, N Sikhauli, J Pietrzak	https://youtu.be/l7Ql48EdmFY	
11h50-11h55	15538 Comparing South Africa Femoral Neck Fractures Management to the International Guidelines	C Nicolaou		https://youtu.be/_sWw7suR8Q	
11h55-12h00	Discussion			NO DISCUSSION	
Session 24					
Chairpersons: R Barrow & C Snyckers					
Hip revision techniques					
12h00-12h15	Acetabular reconstructions	S Jones		https://youtu.be/g47wI7gub24	
12h15-12h30	How and when I do my ETOs	L Jeys		https://youtu.be/cYPKx98lCg	
12h30-12h40	Managing massive bone loss in revisions	H Vidakovic		https://youtu.be/RyFo2iCvmpd4	
12h40-13h00	Discussion			https://youtu.be/6e3Ty5B_12s	
Session 25					
Chairpersons: R Barrow & C Snyckers					
Free papers Revisions					
13h00-13h05	15527 Patient-reported outcomes following secondary patellar resurfacing in total knee arthroplasty: results from a high-volume specialist arthroplasty centre	M Fullarton	N Holloway, J Clarke	https://youtu.be/THQ43Jwm7E	
13h05-13h10	15529 Midterm results of a novel isolaelastic custom acetabular augment in a high-volume specialist arthroplasty centre	M Fullarton	D Wallace, H Vidakovic, J Baines	https://youtu.be/mvpzpb7Yew	
13h10-13h15	15543 Vinegar Sandwich Fixation: Innovative Approach to Bi-columnar Acetabular Fracture Reconstruction during Total Hip Arthroplasty	J van der Merwe	L Erasmus, K Leslie	https://youtu.be/llbzRHbKvM	
13h15-13h20	Discussion			https://youtu.be/xmmtbu2agU	
13h20-14h10	LUNCH				
Session 26					
Chairperson: K Jordaan & W van der Merwe					
Knee revision techniques					
14h10-14h20	Revision with handheld robotics	K Bohlen		https://youtu.be/vfK2anY7zw	
14h20-14h30	Management of patella instability in revisions	S Lustig		https://youtu.be/IT39pWQVYs	
14h30-14h40	Extensor mechanism failure in revision TKRs	L Jeys		https://youtu.be/5slDcz0Vfs4	
14h40-14h50	Discussion			https://youtu.be/U2r5SGNIFY	
Session 27					
Chairpersons: L Mokete & J van der Merwe					
Septic revisions					
14h50-15h00	1 stage revisions: A sensible option?	L Jeys		https://youtu.be/KX74wziW1c	
15h00-15h10	1.5 stage revisions: Innovation or lack of consensus?	L Suleiman		https://youtu.be/mfso3Fkw44	
15h10-15h20	2 stage revisions: The gold standard?	R Kyte		https://youtu.be/m7w68TKUwz8	
15h20-15h30	Feedback on Istanbul consensus	J Parvizi		https://youtu.be/n9s1CspCA	
15h30-15h40	Revision outcomes	S Jones		https://youtu.be/x9W5ybhb_gg	
15h40	Discussion			https://youtu.be/a63nrm5w6HQ	
15h40-16h00	AFTERNOON TEA				
Session 28					
Chairpersons: A Sekeitto & D Vermaak					
Fellowships and education					
16h00-16h10	SA Orthopaedic Registry update	M Nortje		https://youtu.be/IBikSIKX4	
16h10-16h20	Do we need fellowships?	H Vidakovic		https://youtu.be/mhfsm5p7yM	
16h20-16h30	Remote Proctoring and AI in education	W Jackson		https://youtu.be/mN4v08r_Ug	
16h30-16h40	How to publish with JointCare	D Meiring		https://youtu.be/huP2dtreeNq	
16h40-16h50	The Future of Arthroplasty	J Parvizi		https://youtu.be/nks9kzho5I	
16h50-17h00	Digital OR and the future of education	K Bohlen		https://youtu.be/gtHnImv9Kc	
		S Jones		https://youtu.be/gCuACP9AnU	
17h00-17h20	My worst case	H Vidakovic		https://youtu.be/_1gGe_IK8ec	
		J Parvizi		https://youtu.be/_K0npT5eM8Q	
Session 29					
Chairpersons: R Barrow					
17h20-17h30	Closure	R Barrow		https://youtu.be/n7uI15hh94	