



# Reconstructive Microsurgery of the Head and Neck

2nd Annual Christie Microsurgery Conference Series  
25th and 26th June 2020, Manchester, UK

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## TOPICS COVERED:

- Complex reconstruction challenges
- 3d imaging for planning
- Facial palsy - How I do it?
- Perforator flaps in H&N reconstruction
- Masters of disasters

## FOR FURTHER INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER

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# Agenda – Reconstructive Microsurgery of the Head and Neck Thurs 25<sup>th</sup> & Fri 26<sup>th</sup> June 2020

## Day 1

### 08.30 Registration and Coffee

- 09.15 Chairperson Welcome
- 09.25 Reconstructive Microsurgery in elderly patients: challenges and safety
- 09.40 Role of Reconstructive Surgery in Head and Neck cancer: National Outcomes Analysis
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- 10.00 Maxillary Reconstruction: with and without CAD CAM
- 10.30 Mandibular Reconstruction: with and without CAD CAM
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- 11.00 Reconstruction after total maxillectomy with orbital exenteration
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### 11.30 Coffee Break

- 11.50 Lower Lip Reconstruction - How I do it?
- 12.00 Upper Lip Reconstruction - How I do it?
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- 12.10 35 years of experience in lip reconstruction - in search of form and function
- 12.30 Tracheal Reconstruction
- 12.45 Head and Neck Reconstruction in Vessel-depleted Neck
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- 13.10 Forehead Reconstruction: How I do it? Speaker A vs Speaker B
- 13.25 Questions

### 13.30 Lunch

- 14.10 Afternoon Welcome
- 14.15 Update on Thyroid Cancer surgery
- 14.30 2nd and 3rd Free flaps in Head and Neck Reconstruction
- 15.00 Total nasal reconstruction: How I do it?
- 15.25 Scalp Reconstruction: How I do it?
- 15.40 Comprehensive facial reconstruction incorporating microsurgical and non-microsurgical techniques
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**16.00 Coffee Break**

- 16.10 Advanced imaging in Planning of Head and Neck Surgery
- 16.20 Orbital enucleation and prosthetic replacement  
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- 16.30 Radiotherapy for Head and Neck Cancer
- 16.45 Radiotherapy for skin cancer of the head and neck
- 16.55 Oral Cavity Reconstruction: How I do it ? Speaker A vs Speaker B
- 17.15 Pharyngeal Reconstruction: How I do it? Speaker A vs Speaker B  
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- 17.45 Masters of Disaster  
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**18.00 Close of Day 1**

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## Day 2

### 08.45 Registration and Coffee

- 09.00 Chairperson Welcome
- 09.05 Congenital Facial Palsy - strategies and outcomes  
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- 09.30 Facial Palsy Surgery: How I do it? Speaker A  
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- 09.50 Facial Palsy Surgery: How I do it? Speaker B
- 10.10 Facial Palsy in Cancer patients
- 10.25 The Free Functional Vascularized Platysma Transfer in Facial Paralysis: Analysis of patient outcomes, Cadaveric Samples and Imaging studies
- 10.45 Facial Palsy Surgery: How I do it? Speaker C
- 11.05 Questions

### 11.15 Coffee Break

- 11.45 Facing Out Project - Bridging the gap between art and surgery
- 12.05 Patient support - Swallows  
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- 12.15 Masters of Disasters II - Theme: 'My craziest case challenge'
- 12.20 Italy vs Finland
- 12.40 England vs India  
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- 13.00 Croatia vs Ireland
- 13.20 Questions

### 13.30 Lunch

- 14.25 Afternoon Welcome
- 14.30 Mexico vs USA  
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- 14.50 Germany vs Netherlands
- 15.10 Canada vs USA

15.30 Questions

16.00 Closing Remarks

16.10 Conference Close

Very thought provoking, so much to consider, so many new and exciting techniques.

Useful to understand the multidisciplinary team approach for lymphedema treatment. Good learning experience to see new reconstruction options & how they do it in other units.

I have a much better understanding of the surgical procedures and current advances.

Very interesting topic. really enjoyed the patient centred approach

Really helped me to understand the underlying surgical processes and also new information about lymph surgery

I have gained knowledge about the most up to date techniques in this area.

Good foundation & insight into expert techniques. Learnt a lot about both the fundamentals as well as new trends

Well organised day with excellent speakers from overseas - please have another

## 2019 Delegates Included:

Clinical fellow Plastic Surgeon

Consultant Plastic Surgeon

Specialty Doctor/Doctor

TNA/ST6/RMO/NHP

Breast Care Nurse

Nurse Adviser

Macmillan Specialist Practitioner

Craniofacial Fellow

Theatre Practitioner

Physiotherapist

Clinical Nurse Specialist

Specialist Palliative Care Physiotherapist

Consultant Plastic Surgeon

Consultant in Plastic Surgery

Scrub Sister

Staff Nurse Surgical theatres

Medical Student

Specialty Registrar Plastic Surgery

Senior physiotherapist

Lead Clinician/Director

Clinical Specialist MSK Physiotherapist

Specialist Registrar

Attendees came from 36 different hospitals and trusts from all over the UK, and also viewed by live stream internationally

**98% of Attendees in 2019 Would Recommend This Event!**



The Christie Microsurgical Conference Series was convened by Mr Damir Kosutic, MD PhD FRCS (Plast), Consultant Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeon.

Mr Kosutic is a Consultant Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeon with special interest in complex microvascular cancer reconstruction based at The Christie NHS Foundation Trust-the biggest single site cancer centre in Europe. He previously worked at some of the top plastic surgery units in the world, having completed fellowships in Microvascular Reconstruction at Imperial College NHS Trust - Charing Cross Hospital London as well as Fellowship in Breast Microsurgery and Perforator Flaps at Sant Pau Hospital, Barcelona, Spain.

His professional focus is on Microsurgery for Lymphoedema, Natural Tissue Breast Reconstruction, Head and Neck and Sarcoma Reconstruction.

Mr Kosutic has published some of the key papers on the use of advanced imaging for the planning of perforator flaps to significantly improve surgical outcomes in perforator flap reconstruction as well as number of new reconstructive concepts and reconstructive surgery techniques he lectures on regularly worldwide. He is a full member of WSRM (World Society for Reconstructive Microsurgery), EURAPS (European Association of Plastic Surgeons), Fellow of Royal College of Surgeons of England and European Board of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery. He was awarded prestigious EURAPS Scholarship and HCA Scholarship.