

Institute of Decontamination Sciences  
**Annual Conference Programme**

**27 – 29 November 2017** • Hilton Hotel, Blackpool



**MONDAY 27 November**

	TOPIC	SPEAKER:	MODERATOR:
13:30	<b>CONFERENCE OPENING</b>	<b>Professor Tony Young/Susan Meredith</b>	
14:00	<b>KEYNOTE ADDRESS</b>	<b>Simon Weston, CBE</b>	Professor Tony Young
14:45	<b>FROM THERE TO HERE</b>	<b>Wayne Spencer</b>	Gillian A Sills
15:45	<b>OPENING OF EXHIBITION</b>		Professor Tony Young/ Susan Meredith

**TUESDAY 28 November**

09:00	<b>AGM</b>		
10:00	COFFEE & EXHIBITION		
11:30	<b>THE APPLICATION OF LEAN METHODOLOGIES WITHIN A STERILE SERVICES DEPARTMENT</b>	<b>Melanie Davies</b>	Gill Ellis-Pow
12:00	<b>REVIEW OF THE CFSA/IDSc TECHNICAL TRAINING PILOT STUDY IN SOUTH AFRICA</b>	<b>Denise Sheard</b>	
12:30	LUNCH		
13:30	<b>THE CONTINUING CHALLENGE: PROTEIN DETECTION METHODS</b>		
13:30	Introduction		Wayne Spencer
13:35	Panel presentation	Amongst the panel will be: <b>Dr Sulisti Holmes, Dr Mike Simmons, Meredith Smart and Peter Hoffman</b>	
14:20	Questions to the Panel		
15:00	<b>RISK MANAGEMENT &amp; PLAUSABILITY CONTROL</b>	<b>Dr Thomas Fengler</b>	Alan Clark
15:45	COFFEE & EXHIBITION		

**WEDNESDAY 29 November**

09:00	<b>OPTIMISATION OF CLEANING PROCESS – NEW STRATEGIES &amp; METHODS</b>	<b>Dr Gerhard Kirmse, Germany</b>	Alan Clark
09:30	<b>EDUCATION &amp; TRAINING</b> (i) Practitioner & Science Training Programme (PTP/STP) updates (ii) Practical Implementation of Apprenticeship Programmes	<b>Dr Kathryn Ainsworth</b> <b>Martine Beche/Sarah Morledge/ Helen Campbell</b>	Trevor Garcia
10:30	COFFEE & EXHIBITION		
11:30	<b>MEMBERS' QUESTIONS &amp; ANSWERS</b>	<b>Professor Tony Young</b>	
12:10	<b>CLOSE OF CONFERENCE</b>	<b>National Chairman</b>	

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