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## Qualifications

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- **MB BCh** (Excellent with Honours), Ain Shams University, Cairo, 1993
- **MSc** in Obstetrics & Gynaecology, Ain Shams University, 1996
- **MD** in Obstetrics & Gynaecology, Ain Shams University, 2002
  
- **MRCOG**, Royal College of Obstetricians & Gynaecologists (RCOG)  
May 2003
- **Urodynamics Special Skills Accreditation**, RCOG/BSUG, 2005
- **Certificate of Completion of Specialist Training in O&G**, RCOG,  
2009
- **Subspecialty Accreditation in Urogynaecology**, RCOG, 2009
- **FRCOG**, RCOG, May 2016

# **Employment History**

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## **Current Employment**

### **Consultant Gynaecologist & Obstetrician, Subspecialist and Clinical Lead in Urogynaecology**

University Hospital Crosshouse, NHS Ayrshire & Arran, Feb 2009 – Present

### **Honorary Fellow**

NHS Research Scotland April 2013 – March 2016

NHS Ayrshire & Arran, April 2016 – Present

## **Current Roles**

**Honorary Clinical Senior Lecturer** – School of Medicine, Dentistry and Nursing,  
University of Glasgow, May 2010 – Present

### **Co-Chief Investigator – The PURSUIT Trial**

University of Bristol and National Institute for Health Research (NIHR), November  
2018 - present

### **Co-grant applicant and Principal Investigator – The TOPSY Trial**

University of Stirling and NIHR, November 2017 - present

### **Course Director & Lead Faculty – Laparoscopic and Native Tissue Urogynaecology Workshops**

NHS Ayrshire & Arran and London Medical Education Academy, May 2015 -  
present

### **Mentor Surgeon – Native Tissue Continence Surgery**

The British Society of Urogynaecology, Jan 2020 - present

### **Independent Specialist Adviser – Accountable Officers Group - Pelvic Mesh**

The Scottish Government, November 2019 - present

### **Clinician Member – All-Party Parliamentary Group (APPG) on Pelvic Mesh**

UK Government, Westminster, London, September 2017 - Present

### **Medical Expert**

NHS Scotland Central Legal Office and several law firms in the UK, Republic of  
Ireland, USA and Australia, September 2013 – Present.

### **Researcher Member – Research & Development Committee**

NHS Ayrshire & Arran

## **Recent Roles**

### **Representative Member – National Accountable Officers Group**

The Scottish Government, March 2019 - October 2019

**Clinician Member – Interventional Procedure Advisory Committee (IPAC)**  
National Institute for Health and Clinical Excellence (NICE), November 2017 – October 2019

**Clinician Member – The Independent Review Panel for Transvaginal Mesh Procedures**

The Scottish Government, July 2014 - March 2017

**Clinician Member – The Expert Group for Transvaginal Mesh Procedures**

The Scottish Government, May 2013 – March 2017

**Clinician Member – Information Sub-Group - Pelvic Mesh Oversight Group**

NHS England, March 2015 – May 2017

**Clinician member – National Data Capture Group for Pelvic Mesh**

Healthcare Quality Improvement Partnership (HQIP) November 2018 – June 2019

**Co-grant applicant and Principal Investigator – The OPAL Trial**

University of Glasgow Caledonian and NIHR, 2012 – 2017

**Principal Investigator – SIMS, PROSPECT and VUE Trials**

University of Aberdeen and NIHR, 2009 - 2016

**Researcher Member – Research Committee**

International Urogynecology Association (IUGA), May 2011 – 2016

**Chair – Research Committee**

The Scottish Pelvic Floor Network (SPFN), May 2010 – May 2014

**Clinician Member – Research Ethics Committee**

West of Scotland Research Ethics Services, May 2010 – April 2011

**Researcher Member – Research Committee**

British Society of Urogynaecology (BSUG), Nov 2008 – Nov 2011

### **Previous Posts**

**Subspecialty Trainee / Clinical Research Fellow in Urogynaecology**

Derriford Hospital, Plymouth, Nov 2007 – Jan 2009

Southmead Hospital and Cheltenham General Hospital. Nov 2005 – Oct 2007

**Specialist Registrar Obstetrics and Gynaecology**

St. Michael's Hospital (SMH), Bristol, Avon. Nov 2004 – Oct 2005

Plymouth Hospital (PHNT), Plymouth, Devon. April 2004 – Oct 2004

Lincoln County Hospital (LCH), Lincoln, East Midlands. April 2003 – March 2004

Leicester Royal Infirmary (LRI), Leicester, East Midlands. April 2002 – March 2003

**Clinical Lecturer/ Registrar in Obstetrics &Gynaecology**

Ain Shams University Maternity Hospital & Medical School, Cairo, Egypt (Jan 2002 – March 2002).

**Clinical Assistant Lecturer / Research Fellow in Obstetrics & Gynaecology**

Ain Shams University Medical School (July 1997 – June 2001)

**Resident in Obstetrics & Gynaecology**

Ain Shams University Maternity Hospital (May 1995 - June 1997).

**(Senior) House Officer in General Surgery and Various Specialties**

Demerdash Hospital, Cairo (March 1993 - April 1995).

## Clinical Profile

In addition to general gynaecology, my main interests include assessment and management of primary and complex presentations for women with urinary incontinence and pelvic organ prolapse.

I am proficient in assessment, diagnosis and conservative management of stress urinary incontinence, overactive bladder, voiding dysfunction and all types of pelvic organ prolapse. I am proficient in primary and complex procedures of pelvic floor reconstruction, including colposuspension (open and laparoscopic), bulking agent injections, autologous fascial sling, colpocleisis (partial and total), Manchester repair, uterosacral ligament suspension and abdominal sacrocolpopexy.

I am the Lead Clinician for the Continence Multidisciplinary Team currently covering two Scottish Health Boards, NHS Ayrshire & Arran and NHS Dumfries & Galloway. I am the Director of the Annual Urogynaecology Cadaver Workshops run by London Medical Education Academy.

## Professional Excellence

Since 2009, I led the Continence Teams in adopting a patient-centred approach for urogynaecology service. The following is a summary of team achievements in quality improvements:

### Clinical Assessment:

- Introduction of validated patient-reported outcome measures (**PROMs**), essential for outcome reporting.
- Introduction of the **Nurse-led Vaginal Pessary Clinic** at the Gynaecology Outpatient Department, serving around 300 patients/year.
- Introduction of the one-stop joint clinic of **Urogynaecology-Urodynamics**. Supervised the learning and helped initiate and support the urogynaecology specialist nurse performing the test for 150 patients/year.

### Conservative Management:

- Leading on quality improvement of conservative urogynaecology treatment in Ayrshire. This was achieved by introduction and evaluation of specialised vaginal pessaries (**balloon and continence pessaries**) to treat advanced prolapse in elderly women where ordinary pessaries were not successful. (around 15 patients since May 2010).

### Surgical Management:

- Introduced various continence procedures into local practice:
  - **Single-incision mesh tape** – Bard Adjust
  - **Re-adjustable mesh tape** – Neomedic Remeex
  - **Colposuspension (Open and Laparoscopic)**
- Introduced various prolapse procedures into local practice

- **Laparoscopic Sacrohysteropexy and Sacrocolpopexy**
- **Manchester Repair**
- **Colpocleisis (partial and total)**

## **Outcome Evaluation**

- the National Audit Database (over 600 patient episodes since April 2009 and ongoing). Results of retrospective studies and outcome audits were selected for presentation in various national and international meetings.

## **Research Profile**

Since 2009, I established a research programme assessing various interventions in the field of urogynaecology (female urinary incontinence and pelvic organ prolapse). With a high interest in urogynaecology research, my aim is to put Ayrshire on the national research map of the subspecialty. I was successful in attracting high-profile research activities leading to significant national and international recognition. This has led to the award of a Scottish Government Research Fellowship through the Chief Scientist Office / NHS Research Scotland.

## **Funded Research Grant applications:**

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- **PURSUIT** – The best surgical treatment for women with recurrent stress urinary incontinence (NIHR-HTA).
- **TOPSY** – Treatment Of Prolapse with Self-care pessary (NIHR-HTA).
- **OPAL** - The Optimal Programme of pelvic floor muscle training in treatment of urinary incontinence in women with Long-term Adherence. (NIHR-HTA).

## **Ongoing Grant applications:**

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- Long-term follow up of women who underwent transvaginal mesh surgery for the treatment of urinary incontinence and pelvic organ prolapse. Scotland Chief Scientist Office / UK Wellbeing of Women. Lead research grant applicant.
- **CLARE: CLosure And REconstruction** for the surgical treatment of pelvic organ prolapse in elderly sexually-inactive women. Health technology Assessment (HTA) Programme of the National Institute for Health Research (NIHR). Co-Lead research grant applicant.
- **HERA: Qualitative Study of Women's Experiences of Urogynaecology Services.** Policy Research Programme of the NIHR. Research grant co-applicant.

## **Currently Recruiting Trials**

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1. **PURSUIT** – The best surgical treatment for women with recurrent stress urinary incontinence (NIHR-HTA).
2. **TOPSY** – Treatment Of Prolapse with Self-care pessary (NIHR-HTA)

## **Trials that completed recruitment**

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1. **OPAL** - The Optimal Programme of pelvic floor muscle training in treatment of urinary incontinence in women with Long-term Adherence. (NIHR-HTA)
2. **POPPY - Pelvic Organ Prolapse Physiotherapy study**. A multicentre RCT testing the effectiveness of supervised pelvic floor muscle training in patients with pelvic organ prolapse. Recruitment has completed; 35 participants.
3. **VUE: Vault and Uterine Evaluation Surgery**. The study examines the alternative forms of prolapse surgery for the central compartment (hysterectomy versus uterine preservation and vaginal versus abdominal suspension of vault prolapse) by means of 2 RCTs. 20 patients recruited so far, aiming at 40.
4. **SI-TOT - Single-incision Trans-Obturator Tape procedure**. A multicentre pilot RCT testing the efficacy of SI-TOT (Ajust®) in treating stress urinary incontinence in women. Recruitment has completed; 41 participants.
5. **PROSPECT: PROlapse Surgery: Pragmatic Evaluation and randomised Controlled Trials**. The study examines the decision to test alternative forms of prolapse surgery (standard fascial repair, repair with biological mesh and repair with Prolene mesh) by means of 2 RCTs within a comprehensive cohort group. 20 patients recruited so far, aiming at 400.
6. **Development and evaluation of the vaginal symptoms quality of life questionnaire (ICIQ-VSgol)**. A multicentre study to validate one of the modular questionnaires under the umbrella of the International Consultation on Incontinence. Five patients recruited so far, aiming at 200 participants.
7. **Vaginal Hysterectomy in Asymptomatic Uterine Prolapse**. The study is designed to answer the question whether or not a concomitant hysterectomy is necessary during anterior vaginal wall repair procedures. Recruitment has completed; 84 participants.

## **Completed Theses**

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**MD:**            **Bcl-2 oncogene expression and clinicopathological criteria in various stages of cervical neoplasia in Egyptian women.**

The three-year work involved correlating the Bcl-2 oncogene expression by immunohistochemistry in 60 cervical specimens from patients with different grades of cervical intraepithelial neoplasia (CIN) and invasive cervical cancer. Presented at the Annual Conference of the Ain Shams University Medical School, Cairo, 2001 and accepted for publication in the European Journal of Gynecological Oncology.

**MSc:**            **The Role of Biophysical Profile (BPP) in Prediction of Fetal Infection in Patients with Preterm Prelabour Rupture of Membranes (PPROM)**

The two-year work involved correlating the biophysical profile score to evidence of fetal/neonatal infection in 60 patients admitted to Ain Shams University Hospital with documented preterm prelabour rupture of membranes. Presented at the Annual Conference of Ain Shams University Medical School, October 1996 and published in the Ain Shams University Medical Journal (not indexed) October, 1998.



## Publications

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### *Original Articles:*

1. Bugge C, Kearney R, Dembinsky M, Khunda A, Graham M, **Agur W**, Breeman S, Dwyer L, Elders A, Forrest M, Goodman K, Guerrero K, Hemming C, Mason H, McClurg D, Melone L, Norrie J, Thakar R, Hagen S. The TOPSY pessary self-management intervention for pelvic organ prolapse: a study protocol for the process evaluation. *Trials*. 2020 Oct 8;21(1):836.
2. Hagen S, Kearney R, Goodman K, Melone L, Elders A, Manoukian S, **Agur W**, Best C, Breeman S, Dembinsky M, Dwyer L, Forrest M, Graham M, Guerrero K, Hemming C, Khunda A, Mason H, McClurg D, Norrie J, Karachalia-Sandri A, Thakar R, Bugge C. Clinical and cost-effectiveness of vaginal pessary self-management compared to clinic-based care for pelvic organ prolapse: protocol for the TOPSY randomised controlled trial. *Trials*. 2020 Oct 8;21(1):837.
3. Hagen S, Elders A, Stratton S, Sergenson N, Bugge C, Dean S, Hay-Smith J, Kilonzo M, Dimitrova M, Abdel-Fattah M, **Agur W**, Booth J, Glazener C, Guerrero K, McDonald A, Norrie J, Williams LR, McClurg D. Effectiveness of pelvic floor muscle training with and without electromyographic biofeedback for urinary incontinence in women: multicentre randomised controlled trial. *BMJ*. 2020 Oct 14;371:m3719.
4. J Freites, F Stewart, MI Omar, A Mashayekhi, WI Agur (2019). Laparoscopic colposuspension for urinary incontinence in women. *Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews*.
5. Ong HL, Sokolova I, Bekarma H, Curtis C, Macdonald A, **Agur W**; NHS Ayrshire & Arran Continence Multidisciplinary Team. Development, validation and initial evaluation of patient-decision aid (SUI-PDA©) for women considering stress urinary incontinence surgery. *Int Urogynecol J*. 2019 Aug 3. doi: 10.1007/s00192-019-04047-z. [Epub ahead of print]
6. Hagen S, McClurg D, Bugge C, Hay-Smith J, Dean SG, Elders A, Glazener C, Abdel-Fattah M, **Agur WI**, Booth J, Guerrero K, Norrie J, Kilonzo M, McPherson G, McDonald A, Stratton S, Sergenson N, Grant A, Wilson L. Effectiveness and cost-effectiveness of basic versus biofeedback-mediated intensive pelvic floor muscle training for female stress or mixed urinary incontinence: protocol for the OPAL randomised trial. *BMJ Open*. 2019 Feb 19;9(2):e024153.
7. Morling, J, McAllister, D, **Agur W**, Fischbacher C, Glazener C, Guerrero K, Hopkins L, Wood R. Adverse events after first, single, mesh and non-mesh surgical procedures for stress urinary incontinence and pelvic organ prolapse in Scotland, 1997–2016: a population-based cohort study. *The Lancet*, Volume 389, Issue 10069, 629 – 640.
8. M Laban, EAS Ibrahim, W **Agur**, AMBE Ahmed. Bcl-2 may play a role in the progression of endometrial hyperplasia and early carcinogenesis, but not linked to further tumorigenesis. *Journal of microscopy and ultrastructure* 3 (1), 19-24
9. Kammerer-Doak D1, Rizk DE, Sorinola O, **Agur W**, Ismail S, Bazi T. Mixed urinary incontinence: international urogynecological association research and development committee opinion. *Int Urogynecol J*. 2014 Aug 5.
10. Madhu C, Foon R, **Agur W**, Smith P. Does traction on the cervix under anaesthesia tell us when to perform a concomitant hysterectomy? A 2-year follow-up of a prospective cohort study. *Int Urogynecol J*. 2014 Mar 6. [Epub ahead of print]
11. **Agur W**, Riad M, Secco S, Litman H, Madhuvrata P, Novara G, Abdel-Fattah M. Surgical Treatment of Recurrent Stress Urinary Incontinence in Women; a Systematic Review and Meta-analysis of Randomised Controlled Trials. *Eur Urol* 2013 Aug;64(2):323-36.

12. Hosni M, El-Feky A, **Agur W**, Khater E. Evaluation of three different surgical approaches in repairing paravaginal support defects. A Comparative trial. Archives of Gynecology and Obstetrics. DOI: 10.1007/s00404-013-2927-4.
13. Mostafa A, **Agur W**, Abdel-All M, Guerrero K, Lim C, Allam M, Yousef M, N'dow J, Abdel-Fattah M. Multicentre Prospective Randomised Study of Single-Incision Mini- Sling (SIMS- Ajust®) Versus Tension-Free Vaginal Tape-Obturator (TVT-O) In Management of Female Stress Urinary Incontinence (SUI): A Minimum of One Year Follow-Up. Urology. DOI: 10.1016/j.urology.2013.02.080.
14. Mostafa A, **Agur W**, Abdel-All M, Guerrero K, Lim C, Allam M, Yousef M, N'dow J, Abdel-Fattah M. A multicentre prospective randomised study of single-incision mini-sling (Ajust®) versus tension-free vaginal tape-obturator (TVT-O®) in the management of female stress urinary incontinence: pain profile and short-term outcomes. Eur J Obstet Gynecol Reprod Biol. 2012 Nov;165(1):115-21.
15. Madhuvrata P, Manjunath A, Riad M, **Agur W**, Mohamed Abdel-Fattah. Systematic Review And Meta-Analysis Of "Inside-Out" Versus "Outside-In" Transobturator Tapes In Management Of Stress Urinary Incontinence In Women. Eur J Obstet Gynecol Reprod Biol 2012 May;162(1):1-10.
16. Foon R, **Agur W**, Kinsley A, White P, Smith P. Traction on the cervix in theatre before anterior repair– does it tell us when to perform a concomitant hysterectomy? Eur J Obstet Gynecol Reprod Biol (2012) 160(2):205-9.
17. Abdel-Fattah M, **Agur W**, Abdel-All M, Guerrero K, Allam M, Mackintosh A, Mostafa A, Yousef M. Prospective multi-centre study of adjustable single-incision mini-sling Ajust(®) in the management of stress urinary incontinence in women: 1- year follow-up study. BJU Int. 2012 Mar;109(6):880-6.
18. **Agur W**, Laban M, Hassan M, Morsi M, Abou Senna I. The relationship between bcl-2 oncogene expression and clinicopathological criteria in various stages of cervical neoplasia in Egyptian women. Eur J Gynaecol Oncol. 2010;31(5):536-8.
19. Elhao M, Abdallah K, Serag I, El-Laithy M, **Agur W**. Efficacy of using electrosurgical bipolar vessel sealing during vaginal hysterectomy in patients with different degrees of operative difficulty: A randomised controlled trial. Eur J Obstet Gynecol Reprod Biol (2009); 147(1):86-90.
20. **Agur W**, Steggles P, Waterfield M, Freeman R. Does Antenatal Pelvic Floor Muscle Training Affect the Outcome of Labour? A Randomised Controlled Trial. Int Urogynecol J (2008) 19:85–88.
21. **Agur W**, Housami F, Drake M, Abrams P. Could the NICE Guidelines on Urodynamics in Urinary Incontinence Put Some Women at Risk of Bad Outcome from Stress Incontinence Surgery? Br J Urol 2008;103(5):635-639
22. **Agur W**, Steggles P, Waterfield M, Freeman R. The Long-term Effectiveness of Antenatal Pelvic Floor Muscle Training: Eight-year Follow Up of a Randomised Controlled Trial. Br J Obstet Gynaecol (2008);115:985–990.

### *Conference Abstracts*

- Several abstracts in national and international conferences 2004 – 2020.

### *Review Articles*

- **Agur W**, Abrams P. Stress Urinary Incontinence in Women: Diagnosis and Treatment. The New Generalist 2006; 4(1): 39-40.
- **Agur W**, Abrams P. Duloxetine for the Treatment of Stress Urinary Incontinence. Expert Rev Obstet Gynaecol 2007; 2(2): 133-9.
- Housami F, **Agur W**, Drake M. Basic Principles of Urodynamics. Urology News 2007; 11(3): 12-14.

### *Book Chapters*

- **Agur W** and Trochez R. Pelvic Organ Prolapse in Women. In Urodynamics, edited by P Abrams, 2014.
- M Ellaithy, W **Agur**. The Advantages in the Selection and Use of Bipolar Vessel Sealing Devices in Vaginal Hysterectomy, Dependent on the Different Degrees of Operative Difficulty. In Hysterectomy, 1443-1455

### *Editorials*

- **Agur W**, Pope C, Greenwell T, Athene Lane J, White A. Treating Women with Recurrent Stress Urinary Incontinence: A Hornet's Nest Still Needing Proper Clinical Evidence. *Eur Urol*. 2020 Nov 5:S0302-2838(20)30850-2.
- **Agur W**. Do we need reminders of the precautionary principle? *BJOG: An International Journal of Obstetrics & Gynaecology* 126 (12), 1423-1423.
- **Agur W**. There is still a place for vaginal mesh in urogynaecology - Against. *BJOG Debate*. 2019 Jul;126(8):1075. doi: 10.1111/1471-0528.15695.
- **Agur W**, Rizk D, Obesity and urinary incontinence in women: is the black box becoming grayer? *Int Urogynecol J* 2010; DOI: 10.1007/s00192-010-1293-z.

### *Letters to Journal Editors:*

- **Agur W** (2019): Lower Urinary Tract Mesh Perforations Following the Insertion of Mid-urethral Tapes or Transvaginal Mesh: A Tertiary Unit's Experience - Saidan, et al. 2019. *Int Arch Urol Complic* 5:068.
- HL Ong, I Sokolova, H Bekarma, W **Agur**. "Utility of patient decision aids (PDA) in stress urinary incontinence surgery" by Jha and Duckett 2019. *International urogynecology journal*.
- **Agur W**. Re: Renaissance of the autologous pubovaginal sling. *International urogynecology journal* 29 (4), 615-615
- **Agur W**. Management of female stress urinary incontinence. *Maturitas* 110, 124
- **Agur W**, Freitas J. Re: Fusco F, Abdel-Fattah M, Chapple C, et al. Updated Systematic Review and Meta-analysis of the Comparative Data on Colposuspensions, Pubovaginal Slings, and Midurethral Tapes in the Surgical Treatment of Female Stress Urinary Incontinence. *Eur Urol* 2017;72:567–91.
- **Agur W**, Foon R, Trochez R, Smith P. Does pre-operative traction on the cervix approximate intra-operative uterine prolapse? *Int Urogynecol J*. 2012 Dec;23(12): 1811-2.
- W **Agur**, P Steggles, M Waterfield, R Freeman. Author Response to: The long-term effectiveness of antenatal pelvic floor muscle training: 8-year follow up of a randomised controlled trial. *BJOG: An International Journal of Obstetrics & Gynaecology* 116 (4), 601-602.

### *Case Reports:*

- Dutta D, **Agur W**, Macleod C. Unusual underlying cause of recurrent vulval abscess. *BMJ Case Reports* 2010, doi:10.1136/bcr.08.2009.2142.

## Invited Lectures

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- How I do it? Autologous Fascial Sling Procedure. Surgical Masterclass in Urogynaecology, The Royal College of Obstetricians & Gynaecologists, June 2020.
- Complications of Pelvic Mesh Surgery, Annual Scientific Meeting, Action Against Medical Accidents (AvMA), Brighton, 2018.
- State-of-the-art Lecture, International Urogynecology Association (IUGA), Vancouver, Canada, 2017. Revisiting the Transobturator Tape for Women with Stress Urinary Incontinence.
- State-of-the-art Lecture, International Urogynecology Association (IUGA), Cape Town, South Africa, 2016. The Scottish Independent Mesh Review.
- Yearly invitations to deliver the Childbirth Trauma talk during the Pelvic Floor Muscle Training Workshops in annual meetings of both International Urogynecology Association (IUGA) and the International Continence Society (ICS) (2008 – 2016).
- Yearly invitations to contribute talks on surgical treatment of urinary incontinence and pelvic organ prolapse to the Annual Meeting of the Scottish Pelvic Floor Network (2009 – 2013).
- Workshop at Astellas National Bladder Forum: Treating UI in the Bariatric Patient – October 2014.
- BAUN 2014: Understanding the causes, stages and treatments options for women with pelvic organ prolapse – November 2014

## Teaching Profile

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I am the lead faculty to two annual surgical training workshops organised by Glasgow University; laparoscopic urogynaecology and native tissue continence surgery. Attendees are consultants with an interest in urogynaecology and senior trainees.

I am involved in teaching medical students, student nurses, midwives and junior doctors. These have been in the form of one to one, bedside teaching, workshops and Journal Clubs., I contributed to teaching medical students of the University of Glasgow through Problem-Based Learning as well as outpatient clinic sessions. I also acted as an educational supervisor and OSCE examiner. I supervise senior trainees in their completion of the urogynaecology advanced training skills module (ATSM).

## Membership of Learned Societies

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- Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists (RCOG)
- British Society of Urogynaecology (BSUG)
- British Society of Gynaecologic Endoscopy (BSGE)
- International Continence Society (ICS)
- International Urogynaecology Association (IUGA)
- Medical and Dental Defence Union of Scotland (MDDUS)
- International Society of Shared Decision Making (ISSDM)