



National Cochlear Implant Users Association

President: Jackie Ashley

Summer Meeting and AGM

**Room B04, Birkbeck Main Building, Birkbeck, University of London,
Torrington Square, London WC1E 7HX,
10.30 a.m. Saturday, 3rd June 2017**

Dear Cochlear Implant Users, Candidates and Friends,

You are invited to our Summer Meeting and AGM where we will meet again in Birkbeck University of London. As in 2016, speakers' presentations will be held in lecture theatre B35 in the Main Building. The buffet lunch and manufacturers' exhibition will take place along the corridor in room B04, where we will meet for registration. Speech to text and a hearing loop will be provided in the lecture theatre. There will be the opportunity to sit down during lunch as well as mingle and visit the exhibition stands.

2017 marks 20 years since the founding of the Association and we intend to celebrate this having invited Huw Cooper, Consultant Audiological Scientist at the Birmingham Hearing Implant Centre to review the achievements of the past 20 years.

Pádraig Kitterick, Associate Professor at the NHS National Institute for Health Research, Nottingham Biomedical Research Centre, will present a summary of research on candidacy for cochlear implants looking not only at who benefits today, but who else could benefit in the future.

We welcome back Helen Cullington, Principal Clinical Scientist and Associate Professor at the University of Southampton Auditory Implant Service to present the results of research into how the increasing numbers of cochlear implant users could be supported in future.

Please come and take the opportunity to catch up on some of the latest research and exchange experiences with implant users from around the country. Please pass this on to anybody you know who has an interest in cochlear implants. Friends and family are welcome. If you know of somebody who is considering a cochlear implant this will be a good opportunity for them to find out more.

To find out the latest information about the Summer Meeting visit our website at <http://www.nciua.org.uk>

Best wishes,

Ray Glover - Hon. Secretary, NCIUA

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