



# ACBI Scientific Meeting

Friday, 12<sup>th</sup> February 2010 at the Radisson Hotel, Galway

**Programme:**

- 10:00am Welcome, Registration, Coffee
- Chairperson: Ms Mary Stapleton, Principal Clinical Biochemist, Cork University Hospital*
- 10:45am The Implementation of IFCC Standardised HbA1c  
*Dr Ned Barrett, Consultant Clinical Biochemist, Mid-Western Regional Hospital, Dooradoyle, Limerick*
- 11:25am Cat among the Pigeons!  
Biochemical Diagnosis of Pheochromocytoma  
*Ms Alison Griffin, Medical Scientist, Beaumont Hospital Dublin*
- 12:05 pm Demand Management a Protocol Driven Approach  
*Ms Caroline Joyce, Principal Clinical Biochemist, Cork University Hospital*
- 12:45pm Lunch
- Chairperson: Dr Damian Griffin, Consultant Chemical Pathologist, Galway University Hospitals*
- 2:15pm Laboratory Modernisation: the Swansea Experience  
*Dr Andar Gunneberg, Consultant Chemical Pathologist, Abertawe Bro Morgannwg University Health Board, Swansea*
- 2:55pm The Diagnosis and Management of Diabetes in Pregnancy  
*Professor Fidelma Dunne, Consultant Endocrinologist, Head of School of Medicine, National University of Ireland, Galway*
- 3:35pm Acute Kidney Injury: Laboratory Aspects  
*Dr David Lappin, Consultant Nephrologist, Merlin Park Hospital, Galway*
- 4:15pm Evaluation of PSA service in Ireland  
*Dr Ophelia Blake, Principal Clinical Biochemist, St James's Hospital, Dublin*
- 4:55pm Close of meeting

Cost of meeting including lunch: €30 for ACBI members, €40 for non-members.

**For further details please contact the meeting organiser:**

Ms Paula O'Shea, Consultant Clinical Biochemist, Galway University Hospital, or visit the ACBI Website.