



Royal College of Surgeons of England Surgical Specialty Lead in Trauma

The British Orthopaedic Association (BOA) is pleased to continue its partnership with the Royal College of Surgeons of England (RCSEng) in supporting the Adult Trauma Surgical Specialty Lead (SSL) role.

This Surgical Specialty Lead role provides an important opportunity to strengthen academic collaboration across the trauma research community and to support the continued development of high-quality research within the specialty. Working closely with RCSEng, the BOA Research Committee, and the wider academic and clinical community, the postholder will help promote research engagement, foster collaboration, and support the dissemination of evidence and best practice across Trauma and Orthopaedics.

The BOA sees this role as an important mechanism for supporting national research priorities within trauma research, strengthening links between clinicians and researchers, and helping to ensure that Trauma maintains a strong voice within the wider surgical research landscape. The role also supports engagement with trainees and emerging researchers, helping to encourage future academic leadership within the specialty.

We are grateful for the significant contribution made by Prof. Xavier Griffin during his tenure and look forward to continuing to work collaboratively with RCSEng and the successful applicant in supporting the next phase of the programme.