

ICCM South East Branch Meeting Networking Event

The Gordon Museum of Pathology Wednesday 10th April 2024, 10am – 3pm

SAVE THE DATE!

I have pleasure in inviting all members to the first South East Branch meeting since before COVID. It will be held at the Gordon Museum of Pathology, King's College London. The museum is the largest medical museum in the UK and contains some rare and unique artefacts including Lister's antiseptic spray and the original specimens which led Richard Bright, Thomas Addison and Thomas Hodgkin to describe the medical conditions that bear their names.

The museum is usually strictly for medical professionals only, and it is not open to the public. This is a rare opportunity to be permitted into the museum, so please book your place (<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/85KWCPT>) as soon as possible as numbers are limited. There will be a nominal fee of £15 which will go towards a donation to the Museum.

Please note as it is not open to the public, all forms of photography, filming and social media are prohibited whilst in the Gordon Museum.

We have John Adams as a guest speaker. John is the past President of the National Association of Funeral Directors and is also an Advisor to Child Bereavement UK. In 2022, John launched a parliamentary petition for all school age children to be taught about death, dying and bereavement in schools as part of compulsory PHSE lessons. His petition, which obtained over 11,000 signatures, was inspired by being bereaved of his own mother at the age of 12, an experience which shaped his belief in age-appropriate conversations around death, dying and bereavement. John also has a podcast providing listeners with an honest and insightful view of the evolving industry.

Plotbox will be kindly sponsoring the event.

Lunch will be provided.

Venue Details

Percy Roberts Room

The Gordon Museum of Pathology,

Hodgkin Building, Guy's Campus, London SE1 1UL

For more information you can visit their website [The Gordon Museum of Pathology | Faculty of Life Sciences & Medicine | King's College London \(kcl.ac.uk\)](https://www.kcl.ac.uk/life-sciences/medicines-research/the-gordon-museum-of-pathology)

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