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Dear Fellow,

The next Society meeting of the 2025/26 session will be held on **Monday 24th November 2025**, when Professor David Moore will deliver his lecture entitled:

CHAGAS DISEASE: THE TIP OF THE ICEBERG

David Moore is Professor of Infectious Diseases and Tropical Medicine at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine. He joined in 2010 on returning from 7 years living in Lima, Peru where he was conducting research on new diagnostics for TB and drug-resistant TB. David is also Consultant in Infectious Diseases and Tropical Medicine at the Hospital for Tropical Diseases, which is now part of University College London Hospitals Foundation NHS Trust (UCLH), from where he runs a dedicated Chagas clinic.

Chagas disease is a chronic parasitic infection transmitted by an insect vector in Latin America which can lead to gastrointestinal and cardiac complications after many decades. International migration has resulted in global dispersion of affected individuals resulting in significant populations in major cities of Europe including London. A decade ago we estimated that we were failing to reach 97% of people with Chagas in London - in this talk Professor David Moore will describe the steps that are starting to be taken to take to address this neglect.

A Buffet Supper will precede the meeting at 6.45pm, and the meeting will start at 8pm. The cost of the evening, to include the lecture and supper will be £45 per person for Fellows and Guests. If you wish to attend the supper, please send your cheque to reach the Registrar at the above address by **Thursday 20th November** accompanied by the attached slip. Coffee and biscuits will be served after the lecture. Please note that we cannot usually accept orders for suppers after 12 noon on the Friday before a Monday meeting. However, if after Friday noon you decide you would like to attend, please telephone in advance to ascertain whether you can be accommodated for supper.

Yours faithfully,

Honorary Secretaries Professor Heather Angus-Leppan MSc MD FRACP FRCP Group Captain John Skipper LLB FRCS	
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