



MEET THE SPEAKERS



Dr Donna Graham, Consultant Medical Oncologist, The Christie NHS Foundation & Honorary Senior Clinical Lecturer, University of Manchester

When: Friday 17th April, 3.30pm

Session: Equitable access to clinical trials

Topic: Improving diversity and equality in clinical trials

Dr Donna Graham is a Medical Oncology consultant with the Experimental Cancer Medicine Team in The Christie Hospital in Manchester and Honorary Senior Clinical Lecturer at the University of Manchester with a focus on use of integration of technology in clinical research.

She completed Medical Oncology training in Ireland and subsequently undertook a fellowship with the Drug Development team in the Princess Margaret Cancer Centre in Toronto, Canada, prior to her consultant post. She has a decade of experience in cancer clinical trials with a focus on early phase research. She has been a co-investigator on >100 early phase clinical trials and is currently PI and UK CI on Phase I and technology trials. Dr Graham has served on the Research Ethics Committee for the University of Toronto and is the Manchester ECMC lead for EDI.

She holds a PhD in Precision Oncology from Queen's University Belfast and has been a lecturer and supervisor on the UoM Experimental Medicine MRes. Dr Graham has provided expert review as a committee member for NIHR funding awards and is committed to research inclusion through multidisciplinary collaboration, mentoring diverse early-career researchers, developing inclusive research guidelines and committed community engagement.

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