

# Brighton and Sussex Medico-Chirurgical Society

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**AEB February 4<sup>th</sup> 2016 6.30pm**

Dr Tim Chevassut

## **'A brief history of blood'**



Dr Timothy Chevassut is the Senior Lecturer in Haematology at BSMS and Honorary Consultant at the Royal Sussex County Hospital in Brighton. He trained at Oxford and completed a Research Fellowship at Harvard before going on to do a PhD in stem cell biology at Edinburgh where he also completed training in Clinical Haematology.

He runs a successful research programme at the Medical School focusing on blood cancers, in particular acute myeloid leukaemia, & conducts a number of early phase clinical trials at the Clinical Investigation Research Unit in Brighton. The study of blood and its diseases has had a rich and fascinating history through the centuries culminating in the huge advances in diagnosis and treatment that we take for granted today. Some of the major developments in haematological medicine will be presented during the talk including some of Dr Chevassut's own research that provides a glimpse of the future for blood diseases.

