

## SASGO-at-large

Many SASGO members had the opportunity to travel to the International Gynecologic Oncology Society congress held in Rio de Janeiro in September.

Talks were given by the chair of SASGO, and current IGCS council member for Africa, Prof. Greta Dreyer (University of Pretoria) on hypermethylation for cervical cancer screening among HIV-positive women in South African. Tracey Adams from the University of Cape Town chaired a session on HPV related neoplasia and spoke on multifocal HPV-associated

disease. In the same session Linda Rogers (UCT) spoke on HIV, HPV and vulval disease. In the new perspectives in radiotherapy session Hannah Simonds from Stellenbosch University delivered a talk on 'Cervical cancer and HIV: a changing picture'. Nomonde Mbatani (UCT) lectured on the pre-congress colposcopy workshop and delivered a talk in the Global Gynecologic Cancer Care in Low Resource Settings session on genetic factors. A number of e-posters were presented by SASGO members.

