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To whom it may concern

Transfusion Medicine Conference in the Pirogov Centre, Moscow, December 2014

On 18 December 2014, I gave a lecture entitled 'The myths of blood groups' at the Transfusion Medicine Conference in the Pirogov Centre, Moscow. The purpose of this lecture was to discuss some history of blood groups together with recent developments, and to emphasise the importance of making clinical decisions based on all the evidence available, not just one's own opinions.

I was impressed by the quality and breadth of topics covered at the conference, by the excellent facilities, and by the high level of attendance at the conference. I was also pleased by the enthusiasm of the audience and the amount of questioning I received on my presentation and on related topics.

I think that these conferences are valuable in the maintenance and improvement of transfusion medicine and science in Russia.

Yours faithfully

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