



RACS 89th ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC CONGRESS; 10-14 MAY 2021

“Celebrating the Art of Surgery in a Time of Disruption”

ACT ASC Hub

Monday 10 May 2021			
ACT Convocation Ceremony – 4.00pm Parliament House, Mural Hall			
Tuesday 11 May 2021			
	<i>ACT Board Room</i>		<i>ACT Corner Room</i>
8.15 – 10.00am	Opening Plenary Session		
8.15am	Welcome to Country		
8.20am	Opening Plenary Session: The Art of being a creative surgeon – Professor Wendy Brown and Associate Professor Sebastian King	10.30am - 12.00pm	The Art of Engaging for Sustainability in Health Service

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8.25am	The President's Welcome – Mr Tony Sparnon	12.00 – 12.30pm	What does it take to change a system? – Professor David Pencheon
8.30am	The BJS Lecture: I am a Playwright... and Surgeon – Professor Mohamed Khadra		
9.00am	I am an Artist... and a Surgeon – Mr Chris Edwards	1.30 – 2.00pm	What does it take to change a system? – Professor Jason Leitch
9.20am	I am a Musician... and a Surgeon – Professor Averil Mansfield	2.00 – 3.30pm	Threats to Global Health: Panel discussion on the topical issues for the threats to global health and strategies to convert this.
9.40am	I am a Designer... and a Surgeon – Dr Katherine Gale		
10.30am – 12.00pm	Oesophageal Cancer – Getting more out of Neoadjuvant Therapy and Surgery		
12.00 – 12.30pm	The Australasian Foundation for Plastic Surgery BK Rank Lecture- Associate Professor Felix Behan		
1.30pm – 2.00pm	Preparing for mass casualty: Lessons learnt – Professor Tina Gaarder		
2.00pm – 2.30pm	The John Mitchell Crouch lecture		
Wednesday 12 May 2021			
8.00am – 5.00pm	Breast surgery hub	10.30am – 12.00pm	Paediatric surgery hub
		1.00 – 1.30pm	Lunch sponsored and provided by Sanofi for those attending sponsored session 1.30 – 3.30pm
		1.30 - 3.30pm	Decision Making in Palliative Cancer Surgery – Sponsored by Sanofi
		3.30– 4.00pm	Afternoon tea sponsored and provided by Sanofi for those attending sponsored session 3.30-4.00pm
		4.00 – 5.30pm	Colorectal Liver Metastases Management Frontiers – Sponsored by Sanofi

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Thursday 13 May 2021			
7.00am	Breakfast sponsored and provided by Avant Mutual for those attending 7.00 – 8.45am Masterclass		
7.00am – 8.45am	MASTERCLASS (MC09): ASPS - UPDATES, ITEM NUMBERS AND MEDICO-LEGAL. The masterclass will be livestreamed from followed by a brief presentation by Avant Mutual – Sponsored by Avant Mutual	8.00 – 9.30am	Keynote speaker on colorectal liver Mets – Sponsored by Sanofi
10.30am – 12.00pm	Plenary Session: The Art of Communication in a Crisis	9.30 – 10.00am	Morning tea sponsored and provided by Sanofi for those who attended the 8.00 – 9.30am key-note speaker
10.30am	Introduction – Professor Wendy Brown and Mr Tony Sparnon	12.00- 12.30pm	The President’s Lecture: It’s good to talks. Talking to patients with Cancer – Professor Michael Griffin
10.35am	Communicating public health messages to a general audience. What works and what doesn’t -	1.30 – 2.00pm	The Hamilton Russell Memorial Lecture: Surgeons and Streaking; risks and benefits of intellectual candour in the operating theatre – Professor Elizabeth Molloy
10.55am	Balancing priorities during a pandemic – tough decision – Mr Josh Frydenberg	1.30 – 2.00pm	The Sir Edward ‘Weary’ Dunlop Memorial Lecture
11.15am	Responding in a new way to an unprecedented crisis		
11.35am	Training, Caring and coping during the pandemic. What can we learn from the College’s response – Professor Michael Griffin		
12.30 – 1.30pm	Lunch sponsored and provided by Healthscope		
1.30 – 2.00pm	Medico-legal safeguards when setting up a private practice - Mr Michael Regos		
Friday 14 May 2021			
8.30 – 10.00am	Return to Fitness – How soon? To sport, work, life		
10.30am - 12.00pm	Plenary Session: The Art Behind Innovation		

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10.30am	Introduction – Mr William Fleming		
10.35am	The ANZJS Lecture: Making ideas a reality – Professor Ken Sloan		
10.55am	Training the next generation of innovators – Assistant Professor Dan Azagury		
11.15am	Design anthropology – How the IT landscape is changing medical innovation – Professor Sarah Pink		
11.35am	What are the ethics of introducing innovative procedures or devices? What are the ethics of not allowing innovation? – Professor Lynn Gillam		
12.00 – 12.30pm	The Herbert Moran Memorial Lecture: The Twelfth Century Renaissance and the Institutionalisation of Medical Education – Mr Campbell Miles	12.00 – 12.30pm	Big Brother: use and abuse of health megadata
1.30 – 2.00pm	The James Pryor Memorial Lecture: Reflections from the Health Practitioner Regulator – AHPRA and beyond – Mr Michael Gorton	1.30 – 2.00pm	Free Papers in Acute General Surgery