**TUESDAY 25th OCTOBER 2016**

**SEED GRANT & SPECIAL PRESENTATION SESSIONS**
9:00AM - 12:30PM
(WCHRE SUNSHINE)

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<td>Panel: Dr. John Gallichio, Prof Edward Janus, A/Prof Craig French, Prof Bodil Rasmussen, A/Prof Harin Karunajeewa, Mr. Bill Karanatsios</td>
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<td>1:00pm-2:00pm</td>
<td>'How to fall in love with research - Communicating the passion'</td>
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<td>A special presentation by award-winning science broadcaster from ABC Science Online and on Radio National and formerly from the ABC's New Inventors TV show, Bernie Hobbs</td>
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**ALLIED HEALTH AND COMMUNITY SERVICES SESSION**

**2:30PM - 4:30PM**

**(AUDITORIUM WCHRE SUNSHINE)**

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**Chair: Julia Blackshaw, Director of Allied Health**

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| 2:30pm-2:35pm | WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION                                             | Dr Arlene Wake  
Executive Director Community  
Integration, Allied Health & Service Planning |
| 2:35pm-2:55pm | KEYNOTE ADDRESS:  
Title: Making Malnutrition Everyone’s Business | Dr Helen McCarthy  
Senior Lecturer  
Course Leader for the Bachelor of  
Applied Science (Food and Nutrition) Victoria University |
| 2:55pm-3:10pm | Long-term Outcomes for Survivors of Critical Illness                | Dr Kimberley Haines  
Allied Health Research Lead, WH |
| 3:10pm-3:25pm | What About The Caregivers? Psychosocial Outcomes  
In Informal Caregivers Of The Critically Ill - Preliminary Results | Dr Kimberley Haines  
Allied Health Research Lead, WH |
| 3:25pm-3:40pm | BREAK                                                                |                                                                        |
| 3:40pm-3:55pm | Evaluation of a Clinical Practice Guideline for the  
Physiotherapy Management of Abdominal Surgery Patients.            | Ms Kirsty May  
Senior Physiotherapist, Immediate Response Service |
| 3:55pm-4:10pm | The Psychosocial Wellbeing of Parents with Infants in  
the Special Care Nursery                                            | Ms Kathryn Elliot  
Victoria University Student  
Bachelor of Social Work (Honours) |
| 4:10pm-4:25pm | Reducing preoperative fasting in orthogeriatric unit  
and orthopaedic unit patients.                                     | Ms Caroline Calkin  
Senior Dietitian, WH |
| 4:25pm-4:30pm | SESSION CLOSE                                                        | Ms Julia Blackshaw  
Director of Allied Health |

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## TUESDAY 25 OCTOBER 2016

**NEVILLE YEOMANS INTERNAL MEDICINE SESSION**  
2:30PM - 5:00PM  
(LECTURE THEATRE WCHRE SUNSHINE)

**Chair: Professor Edward Janus**  
Head of Unit - General Internal Medicine and Director of Research Western Health

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| 2:30pm - 3:00pm | **Keynote address:**  
*Title: In defence of the gastric mucosa: why don’t we all get ulcers?*  
Prof Neville Yeomans  
Director of Research, Austin Health |                                                              |
| 3:00pm - 3:10pm | The comparability of fibrosis scores obtained by Acoustic Radiation Force Impulse (ARFI) with the Philips ElastPQ versus Transient Elastography (TE) using the Fibroscan®  
Dr Kumanan Nalankilli  
Gastroenterology Research Fellow, WH |                                                              |
| 3:10pm - 3:20pm | Reported Immunisation Rates of Patients with Inflammatory Bowel Disease  
Dr Rebekah van Leest  
Gastroenterology Registrar, WH |                                                              |
| 3:20pm - 3:30pm | Teaching an Old Dog New Tricks: Conventional Film/Screen Principles of Exposure Selection in the Digital Age.  
Mr Adam Steward  
Tutor Radiographer, WH |                                                              |
| 3:30pm - 3:40pm | Psychosocial factors in patients presenting with diabetic ketoacidosis  
Dr Azni Abdul-Wahab  
Registrar, Endocrinology, WH |                                                              |
| 3:40pm - 4:00pm | TEA AND COFFEE BREAK |                                                              |
| 4:00pm - 4:10pm | Efficacy of ascorbic acid supplementation in improving glycaemic control in type 2 diabetes  
Dr Shaun Mason  
Associate Research Fellow, Exercise and Nutrition Sciences, Deakin University |                                                              |
| 4:10pm - 4:20pm | Antimicrobial Prescription Practices in a Private Hospital  
Dr David Feng  
Advanced Trainee General Internal Medicine, WH |                                                              |
| 4:20pm - 4:30pm | Is there a relationship between changes in thiopurine dosing and metabolite levels?  
Dr Craig Haifer  
Gastroenterology Registrar, WH |                                                              |
| 4:30pm - 4:40pm | Is Weight Gain a Barrier to Transplant Listing for Peritoneal Dialysis Patients?  
Heather Jordan  
Senior Dietician, Renal and ICU, Sunshine Hospital, WH |                                                              |
| 4:40pm - 4:50pm | Comparison of International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems (ICD 10) coding and Kidney Disease: Improving Global Outcomes (KDIGO) criteria in diagnosing Acute Kidney Injury (AKI) and Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD)  
Dr Soe Ko Ko  
Advanced Trainee, General Internal Medicine, WH |                                                              |
| 4:50pm - 5:00pm | The Readmission Prevention Team At Western Health - What Have We Learnt In 2016  
Dr Ruth Teh  
Consultant Geriatrician, WH |                                                              |
**WEDNESDAY 26th OCTOBER 2016**

**ROBERT HELME NEUROSCIENCE SESSION**  
9:00AM - 12:30PM  
(LECTURE THEATRE, WCHRE SUNSHINE)

**Session Chairs:** A/Prof Zelko Matkovic and Prof Tissa Wijeratne

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| 9:00am-9:50am | KEYNOTE ADDRESS:                                                     | Prof Richard MacDonell  
Director, Neurology Austin Health.  
Immediate Past President ANZAN |
|               | Title: Haematopoietic stem cell transplantation for highly active, treatment resistant multiple sclerosis |                                                                       |
| 09:50am-10:00am | A Pathway Proteomic Profile of Ischemic Stroke Survivors Reveals Innate Immune Dysfunction in Association with Mild Symptoms of Depression - A Pilot Study | Mr Vinh Nguyen  
Research Fellow, WH  
PhD Student,  
Latrobe University |
| 10:00am-10:10am | Smartphone Electrographic Monitoring For Atrial Fibrillation in Acute Ischemic Stroke and transient ischemic attack (SPOT-AF) | Dr Hans Tu  
Neurologist, WH |
| 10:10am-10:20am | Inspection Time as a Valuable Screening Tool to Measure the Recovery of Temporal Attention Post-Stroke | Ms Essie Low  
Clinical Trials Coordinator  
Neurology  
DPsych Candidate, La Trobe University |
| 10:20am-10:30am | Fatigue and Mood Deficits in First-Time TIA and Minor Stroke Patients | Mr Paul Harris  
Research Fellow, WH  
PhD Student, Swinburne University |
| 10:30am-10:50am | Tea and Coffee Break | |
| 10:50am-11:00am | Success rate of elective lumbar puncture at major Melbourne neurology unit | Dr Peter Williams  
Anaesthetics Registrar, WH |
| 11:00am-11:10am | Western Health Acute Stroke Thrombolysis Audit, 2013-2015 | Ms Elizabeth Mackey  
Stroke Nurse Practitioner, WH |
| 11:10am-11:20am | An Investigation into Cognitive Dysfunction after Transient Ischaemic Attack and the influence of Arterial Stiffness | Mr Paul Harris  
Research Fellow, WH  
PhD Student, Swinburne University |
| 11:20am-11:30am | Pain sensitivity in Parkinson’s disease: Systematic review and Meta-analysis | Dr Simon Sung  
Neurologist, WH |
| 11:30am-11:40am | Multiple Sclerosis research | Dr Martin Short  
Neurologist, WH |
| 11:40am-11:50pm | The Anti-epileptic Medications Carbamazepine and Phenytoin Inhibit Native Sodium Currents in Murine Osteoblasts | Dr Sandra Petty  
Neurologist, WH |
### WEDNESDAY 26th OCTOBER 2016

**WOMEN’S AND CHILDREN’S SESSION**

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Title: Improving pregnancy outcomes. Is it time for racial profiling in maternity care? | Prof Euan Wallace
Director of Obstetric Services at Monash Health |
| 10:00am-10:15am | Improving access in Women’s Health through implementation of a Women’s Health Advanced Practice Physiotherapy clinic. | Ms Karina Coffey
Physiotherapy WH |
| 10:15am-10:30am | Addressing communication and health literacy issues in the delivery of health information: Developing a multilingual app for CALD maternal care patients at Western Health | Dr Jo-anne Hughson
University of Melb |
| 10:30am-10:45am | Better postpartum bladder care through standardised documentation, screening voids, trial of void protocol and the use of automated bladder scanners. | Dr. Oliver Daly
Obstetrics & Gynaecology WH |
| 10:45am-11:00am | Lessons learnt from a review of peripartum hysterectomies: a retrospective review | A/Prof. Cate Nagle
Research Fellow Maternity WH |
| 11:00am-11:20am | TEA AND COFFEE BREAK                                                |                                                                        |
| 11:20am-11:35am | Severe Postpartum Haemorrhage: a retrospective review               | A/Prof Cate Nagle
Research Fellow Maternity WH |
| 11:35am-11:50am | Mothers after Gestational Diabetes in Australia (MAGDA): A Randomised Controlled Trial of a Postnatal Diabetes Prevention Program | Prof Edward Janus
Head of GIM WH |
| 11:50am-12:05am | Indications for Preterm Delivery of Growth Restricted Infants and the Outcomes of these Deliveries in a Level 2 Hospital in Melbourne | Dr Bridie Stewart
HMO WH |
| 12:05am-12:20pm | Understanding the failure to identify severe growth restriction     | Dr Sofia Walker
HMO WH |
<p>| 12:20pm-12:30pm | CLOSING REMARKS                                                     |                                                                        |</p>
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<td>A new approach to integrating clinical data with translational innovation: The PURPLE Translational Initiative (Pancreatic cancer: Understanding Routine Practice and Lifting End results)</td>
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<td>A/Prof Lara Lipton</td>
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<td>Dr Shehara Mendis</td>
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<td>Assessing the natural language processing capabilities of IBM Watson for Oncology, using real Australian lung cancer cases.</td>
<td>Dr Dish Herath</td>
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# SUBACUTE AND AGED CARE SESSION

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Title: Tools used to prevent harm to older people in hospital | A/Prof Bernice Redley, Centre for Nursing Research – Deakin University and Monash Health Partnership  
School of Nursing and Midwifery, Faculty of Health |
| 2:25pm–2:35 pm | Improving Care Outcomes for Patients with Dementia | Ms Louise Palermo  
Clinical Nurse Consultant, Dementia Care |
| 2:35pm–2:45 pm | Creatively Ageing: Art as Therapy on the Dementia Assessment Unit | Ms Carol Perich  
Manager Operations and Clinical Practice |
| 2:45pm–2:55 pm | The role of high parathyroid hormone in frail older individuals with a history of falling | Prof. Gustavo Duque  
Chair of Medicine University of Melbourne and Western Health & Director AIMSS |
| 2:55pm–3:20 pm | INVITED SPEAKER:  
Title: Assuaging death anxiety in older overseas-born Australians of culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds hospitalised for end-of-life care: A Victorian study | Prof Megan-Jane Johnstone  
Chair In Nursing  
School of Nursing and Midwifery, Faculty of Health |
| 3:20pm–3:30 pm | Factors associated with statin cessation among elderly patients admitted to a large Australian geriatric subacute unit | Dr Omar Al-Mukhtar  
General Medicine Registrar |
| 3:30pm–3:40 pm | Efficient discharge planning on the Sunshine Inpatient Rehabilitation Ward | Mr Matthew Thorpe  
Grade 4 Occupational Therapist  
Allied Health Lead – Subacute |
| 3:40pm–3:50 pm | Preliminary data on the evaluation of a massage therapy service for palliative care patients at Western Health | Ms Jennifer Zerafa  
Wellcare Program Manager |
| 3:50pm–4:00 pm | CLOSING REMARKS | |