

4th SOUTHERN CROSS TRAVEL MEDICINE CONFERENCE

(Australian and New Zealand Travel Medicine Professionals)

PARK ROYAL DARLING HARBOUR, SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA

September 6 – 8, 2019

Hosted by The Australasian College of Tropical Medicine

Incorporating the

- i) Yellow Fever Workshop
- ii) The Practice of Travel Medicine Workshop
- iii) One Health Zoonoses Workshop

FRIDAY 6 SEPTEMBER 2019

13.00 – 13.50	REGISTRATION
13.50 – 14.00	OPENING SESSION Chair, Scientific Program Committee: A/Professor Bernard Hudson; Opening by College President, Prof Geoffrey Quail, OAM
14.00 – 15.30	OPENING PLENARY SESSION : 'To Vaccinate, or NOT to vaccinate; a Rhetorical Question!' Chair: A/Professor Bernard Hudson
14.00 – 14.30	Rabid Rampant Rabies: an Update Prof Kevin Kain
14:30 – 15.00	Dengue vaccines: update on Dengvaxia and second-generation dengue vaccines Professor Annelies Wilder-Smith
15:00 – 15.30	Vaccination and limits of the immune system Professor Leo Visser
15:30 – 15.45	AFTERNOON TEA
15:45 – 17.00	PLENARY: Aerospace Medicine 'The Black Hole of Airline Travel Revealed' Chair: A/Professor Richard Franklin
15.45 – 16.15	Passenger fitness to fly Dr Ian Cheng
16:15 – 16:30	PPP Jetlag Professor Peter Leggat
16:30 – 17:00	Inflight medical incidents Dr Russell Brown
17.00 – 18:00	WELCOME RECEPTION AT THE PARKROYAL DARLING HARBOUR

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SATURDAY 7 SEPTEMBER 2019

08.00 – 09.00	REGISTRATION		
08.00 – 08.50	Common problems amongst travellers: Case studies Professor Nick Zwar and A/Professor Colleen Lau		
9.00 – 10.30	PLENARY SESSION: NEGLECTED DISEASES – ON THE COMEBACK Chair: Professor Peter Leggat	09.00 – 12.30	THE PRACTICE of TRAVEL MEDICINE WORKSHOP* Tonia Buzzolini and Lisa Scotland
9.00 – 9.30	The Endgame of Polio Professor Leo Visser	0900 - 0930	Safety and Security – Hot Tips for Travellers Caroline Nash
9.30 – 10.00	Tick-borne Disease: ‘on the way back’! A/Professor Bernard Hudson	0930 - 1000	<i>15 minutes</i> - “Buggar, I’ve Been Bitten!” RABIES – UP TO DATE! <i>15 minutes</i> - Case Studies – Experiences Abroad – Open discussion on Rabies Professor Marc Shaw
10.00 – 10.30	Neglected Tropical Diseases and ‘the traveller’ Professor Joe Torresi	1000 - 1030	SKIN- the barrier to protect us? Blisters, wounds, bites, stings, sunburn, frost bite, ticks, thrush..... Lisa Scotland
10:30 – 11:00	MORNING TEA		
11:00 – 12:30	SAFETY AND SECURITY FOR TRAVELLERS Chair: Professor Joe Torresi	1100 - 1120	Preparing the Diabetic Traveller Tonia Buzzolini
11.00 – 11.30	Darwin awards in Travel Medicine Professor Kevin Kain	1120 - 1140	Preparing the GAP Volunteer Tonia Buzzolini
11.30 – 11.45	PPP: Drowning A/Professor Richard Franklin	1140 - 1200	How to prevent bringing more than your luggage back with you. Dengue, Zika, Chik, STI, Pertussis. Measles Lisa Scotland
11.45 – 12.15	Keeping Travellers Safe Professor Marc Shaw	1200 - 1230	Travel-Related Product: How to Purify Water – in all its phases! Claire Wong
12.15 – 12.30	PPP: The Bold but Frail Older Traveller - Managing the Risks Dr Eddy Bajrovic		

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12.30 – 13.30	LUNCH			
13.30 – 15.15	TRAVEL VACCINES Chair: Professor Marc Shaw	13.30 – 15.15	YELLOW FEVER * WORKSHOP (PART I)** Convenors: Dr Eddy Bajrovic, Dr Jennifer Sisson and Claire Wong	ONE HEALTH ZONOOSES WORKSHOP* Chairs: Professor Bruce Gummow and A/Professor Richard Franklin
13.30 – 14.00	Vaccine Prioritising: on consideration of epidemiology and severity of disease Dr Sarah McGuinness	13.30 – 13.45	Why all the fuss and why am I here? <i>A short history of yellow fever and the development of approval processes</i> Dr Eddy Bajrovic	Melioidosis Speaker: Professor Robert Norton
14.00 – 14.15	PPP: Vaccination and the HIV positive traveller Professor Joe Torresi	13.45 - 14.15	What is yellow fever? <i>Epidemiology, transmission and clinical features</i> Dr Eddy Bajrovic	Leptospirosis A/Professor Colleen Lau
14.15 – 14.45	Fractional Yellow Fever vaccines: what is the evidence? Professor Annelies Wilder-Smith	14.15 – 14.45	The legalities: Revised International Health Regulations and how they apply to Yellow Fever Dr Jennifer Sisson and Claire Wong	
14.45 – 15.15	TB – The incoming scourge: Understand the Mantoux test, the Quantiferon Gold test and the need for a BCG. Is it needed? A/Professor Bernard Hudson	14:45 - 15:15	I wouldn't give it to my mother...: <i>Yellow fever vaccine – indications, contraindications and adverse events</i> Claire Wong	Diagnosing rickettsial infections in Australians and returned travellers Speaker: Professor Stephen Graves

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15.15 – 15.45	AFTERNOON TEA			
15:45 – 17:00	Out of the Ordinary Chair: Professor Nick Zwar	15.45 – 17.00	YELLOW FEVER * WORKSHOP (PART II)** Convenors: Dr Eddy Bajrovic, Dr Jennifer Sisson and Claire Wong	ONE HEALTH ZOOZOSES WORKSHOP Cont'd. Rabies spread in our neighbourhood and preparedness in northern Australia Professor Michael Ward 16.15 – 16.45 Q-Fever Dr Peter Massey A/Professor Nicholas Wood 16.45 – 17.00 <i>Panel session on the future of OneHealth and its impact</i>
15.45 – 16.15	When NOT to go into the Water Professor Kevin Kain	15.45- 16.15	Putting the pieces together: Case studies, comments and questions Dr Eddy Bajrovic and Dr Jennifer Sisson	
16.15 – 16.30	Water purification Marion Howie and A/Professor Bernard Hudson	16.15 - 16.45	Yellow fever test ** Short MCQ paper Dr Eddy Bajrovic, Dr Jennifer Sisson and Claire Wong	
16.30 – 17.00	Dengue, Zika and Chikungunya in pregnant travelers: pathogenesis, risks pre-and post-travel advice Professor Annelies Wilder-Smith	16:45 – 17:00	What happens now? Yellow fever approval process New Zealand and Australia, closing remarks Dr Eddy Bajrovic	

* These workshop sessions are for those that have registered to attend the Practice of Travel Medicine Workshop, Yellow Fever Workshop and/or One Health Zoonoses workshops – you will be required to sign in for these sessions.

** Disclaimer: The Yellow Fever Workshop whilst providing a very comprehensive guideline for practitioners wishing to give Yellow Fever vaccination, does not ensure accreditation by Australian health authorities.

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SUNDAY 8 SEPTEMBER 2019

07.00 – 08.00	REGISTRATION
08.00 – 08.50	A Triad of Syndromes - Investigating Eosinophilia, Fever, Rash in the Returned Traveller Dr Sarah McGuinness
09.00 – 10.30	The 'WISEwords' Talks Chair: Marc Shaw
09.00 – 10.30	WISEwords: Short presentations involving “Wisdom, Innovation, Stimulation, Entertainment” in Travel Medicine, including “ <i>Ideas to stimulate the brain from those whose brains stimulate</i> ” (Professor Annelies Wilder-Smith, Professor Leo Visser, Professor Kevin Kain, Professor Nick Zwar, Dr Eddy Bajrovic, Dr Peter Hall, Dr Jennifer Sisson)
10.30 – 11.00	MORNING TEA
11.00 – 12.30	CLOSING PLENARY: Applying the Knowledge of Travel Medicine for the Greater Good Chair: A/Professor Bernard Hudson & Dr Jennifer Sisson
11.00 – 11.30	Malaria chemoprophylaxis - Tafenoquine Professor Kevin Kain
11.30 – 12.00	The Migrant Traveller Professor Anita Heywood
12.00 – 12.30	Travellers diarrhoea, antibiotic resistant bacteria and the microbiome Professor Leo Visser
12.30 – 12.45	CLOSING SESSION Chair, Scientific Programme Committee: A/Professor Bernard Hudson

Please Note: There may be slight changes to the program to accommodate the requests and needs of the presenters and participants.

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