

2024 NSW ACE Spring Meeting

Vignettes in the vineyards

Oaks Cypress Lakes Resort, NSW | 9-10 November 2024

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Welcome

We're delighted to welcome you to this year's NSW ACE Spring Meeting, at the Oaks Cypress Lakes Resort in the Hunter Valley.

Local and interstate speakers, both anaesthetists and physicians, will cover a wide variety of topics; some vintage, some new and some a blend. All speakers are experts in their area and will share their knowledge and practical experience. As regional meetings are less formal, they provide more possibility for discussion during sessions and breaks.

On Sunday there will be the opportunity to attend an emergency response workshop.

The Hunter Valley is a relaxing, family-friendly and easily accessible location. There are accommodation, dining and activity options to suit all.

Come and join us in the vineyards! There will be something for everyone's taste.

Dr John Leyden and Dr Sally Wharton
Co-convenors

Saturday 9 November

8-8.55am Registration and arrival tea and coffee

Session 1: Talks

8.55-9am Conference welcome

Dr Sally Wharton, Senior Staff Specialist,
Children's Hospital at Westmead

Dr John Leyden AM, Anaesthetist
Royal North Shore Hospital

9-9.30am Pharmacogenomics: current state of play and in Australia

Professor Andrew Somogyi, Discipline of Pharmacology
Faculty of Health and Medical Sciences
University of Adelaide

9.30-10am Vicarious trauma in healthcare

Professor Lynne McCormack, Clinical Psychologist
The University of Newcastle

10-10.30am New treatments for diabetes and their perioperative implications

Dr Ben Olesnicky,
Department of Anaesthesia, Perioperative and Pain Medicine, Royal North Shore Hospital

10.30-10.45am Question and answer panel

10.45-11.15am Morning tea

Session 2: Talks

11.15-11.45am	Perioperative management of the patient with unexpected adult congenital heart disease (ACHD)	Dr Lloyd Kwanten, Cardiothoracic Anaesthetist, Royal North Shore Hospital
11.45am-12.15pm	Paediatric ENT uncorked	Dr David Kinchington, Paediatric Anaesthetist Children's Hospital, Westmead
12.15-12.45pm	Anaesthesia and endovascular clot retrieval	Dr Oliver Hambidge, Specialist Anaesthetist, Royal North Shore Hospital Sydney
12.45-1pm	Question and answer panel	

1-2pm Lunch

Session 3: Talks

2-2.30pm	Burns at a non-burns hospital: What you need to know	Dr Kar-Soon Lim, Senior Staff Specialist Anaesthetist, Concord Hospital
2.30-3pm	Perioperative blood management	Dr Qin Liu, Haematologist, St George Public Hospital
3-3.30pm	Voluntary assisted dying (VAD) – everything you wanted to know, but were afraid to ask	Dr Christof Slawomirski, VMO Intensivist, Westmead Hospital
3.30 -3.45pm	Question and answer panel	
3.45-4.30pm	Afternoon tea	
3.45-4.30pm	Wine tasting	

Sunday 10 November

Session 4: Workshops

9-10.45am	Navigating the unseen battlefield of disaster and counter-terrorism medicine	Associate Professor Derrick Tin, Faculty Disaster Medicine, Beth Israel Medical Center, Harvard Medical School
	Critical care/Trauma tips for rural and remote locations	Dr Geoff Healy, Director of Trauma Services, Royal North Shore Hospital
9-10.45am	Adult cardiac arrest	Dr Dave Gillespie, Director of Anaesthesia, Coffs Clinical Network
		Dr John Neal, Anaesthetist and Intensive Care Medicine Specialist, Coffs Clinical Network
9-10.45am	Can't intubate can't oxygenate (CICO)	Dr Frances Page, Director of Anaesthesia, Gosford Hospital
9-10.45am	Major haemorrhage	Dr Mick Reid, Anaesthetist, Gosford Hospital
9-10.45am	Paediatric cardiac arrest	Dr Sally Wharton, Senior Staff Specialist, Children's Hospital at Westmead
10.45-11.15am	Morning tea	

Session 5: Workshops

11.15am-1pm	Cultural competency workshop	
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You are welcome to attend all talks throughout the meeting. For ANZCA emergency response workshops you may only select one to allow for as many meeting delegates as possible the opportunity to attend an emergency response workshop.

Registration

For more information and to register online please go to www.anzca.edu.au/events-courses

Continuing professional development (CPD)

Participants in the ANZCA CPD Program will have the activities in which they participated automatically allocated to their CPD portfolio following the conclusion of this conference.

Category 1: Practice evaluation

Category 1: Practice evaluation – cultural safety

Category 2: Knowledge and skills activities

Category 2: Knowledge and skills – learning sessions

Category 2: Knowledge and skills – short format learning

Category 3: Emergency responses activities

Where the outline states that the workshop satisfies an [Emergency Response CPD requirement](#), the workshop will be prospectively recognised as suitable to be claimed as an emergency response activity.

Emergency response activities

Can't intubate and can't oxygenate (CICO)

Major haemorrhage

Advanced life support (Cardiac Arrest)

Venue

Oaks Cypress Lakes Resort

15 Thompsons Road, Pokolbin NSW 2320

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Registration and health care industry displays:

Convention Centre from 8am

Plenary session and talks: Convention Centre

Workshops: Convention Centre and Level 1

Healthcare industry: Venusta Centre

Accommodation

Accommodation is not included in the registration fee, however [Oaks Cypress Lakes Resort](#) has a range of accommodation options available. It is advisable to book early as the event falls within the summer holiday season.

The [Oaks Cypress Lakes Resort](#) is providing 2024 NSW ACE Spring Meeting delegates with an accommodation promotional code **ANZCACYP2024** this code needs to be used at the time of booking via this link at Oaks Cypress Lakes Resort and is only valid when booking directly via the link.

For more information please contact the conference organiser:

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