



ANZUP ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC MEETING

'LISTEN, REFLECT, CONNECT'

SUNDAY 20 J	luly 2025			
	The Perfect Pitch	ANZUP PCFA Nur	ses & Allied	Study Coordinator Session
		Health Symposiu	m	
0830-1030	Grand Ballroom	0730-0800: break	fast	0730-0800: breakfast
	Co-Chairs: Craig Gedye and			
	Blossom Mak	08:00-10:30am		08:00-10:30am
		Maritime Ballroor	m 4	Wharf Room 2-5
	• Why? - Melissa Le Mesurier	Sponsored by Novartis		Co-Chairs: Brandan Holt and
	Can? Chris Gianacas	Co-Chairs: Luke N	Vitchell and	Monica Tencic
	 Small? - Natasha Roberts 	Leonie Young		 Theranostics and the
	Medium? – Marcel Svatos	Sponsor Weld	come - Stamati	differences in CTC - Jasmine
		Margelis, Clin	ical Research	Holyoake-Brady
	Large? - Ian DavisCommercial? - Shahneen	Medical Advis	sor – Radioligand	 Experiences with Ninja and
		Therapies, No	ovartis	engaging consumers from
	Sandhu	PhD updates:		conception - Jarad Martin
	 How? - Tian Zhang 	Kath Schubach		Australian Teletrials Program –
		 Sally Sara 		overview of program -
	Discussion	Russell Briggs		Annaleise Liefting
		Service Developm		 Teletrials – a coordinators
				experience of benefits and
				barriers to conducting tele-
		Lewis		trials oncology – lessons
		 When Prostate Cancer Joins you in the Bedroom - Gay Corbett Study updates: Design, implementation and evaluation of PC Essentials Study - Anna Green Research Update - Cynthia Hawks Unmet needs in prostate 		learned - Kerry Blacket
				• Rural, regional and remote (R3)
				Clinical Trial Enabling Program -
				Joan Torony
				 R3 GCP update - Sophie
				Mepham
				• How to talk to participants and
				loved ones about dying - Haryana Dhillon
		cancer care -	Natasha Roberts	Panel Discussion: Jasmine Brady,
		Education:		Haryana Dhillon, Jarad Martin &
	How to do a			Joan Torony
		presentation - Nicole Heneka		
			arch Committee -	
		Kath Schubac	h	
1030-1100	Morning tea			
1100-1230	Translational Highlights Session			rses & Allied Health Symposium &
	Grand Ballroom		-	ors combined session
	 Prostate - Emily Grist Lipid biomarkers - Tahlia Scheinberg Experience in setting up a trial from translational research project - Roger Li 		Maritime Ballroom 4 <i>Sponsored by Novartis</i> Co-Chairs: Kath Schubach & Natasha Roberts	
			Feedback on earlier two sessions	
	 Translational Descents in Desci 	Translational Research in Penile Cancer -		
		e Cancer -	 Priorities wor 	rk - Nathasha Roberts
	 Translational Research in Penile Mitchell Lawrence 	e Cancer -		rk - Nathasha Roberts garet McJannett

1230-1330	Lunch
1330-1515	ANZUP Masterclass
	Co-Chairs: Ciara Conduit, Niara Oliveira & Nadia Hitchen
1340-1410	Bladder
	Chair: Harriet Herbison
1410-1440	Advanced Prostate
	Chair: Ed Kwan
1440-1515	Kidney
	Chair: Handoo Rhee
1515-1545	Afternoon tea
1545-1700	ANZUP Masterclass continues
	Co-Chairs: Ciara Conduit, Niara Oliveira & Nadia Hitchen
1545-1615	Penile
	Chair: Jenny Lee
1615-1700	Testicular
	Chair: Ben Thomas
1700-1830	ANZUP Welcome Reception
	Maritime Ballroom 1-3
1830 /	ANZUP Evening Symposium
1900 for	Sponsored by Johnson & Johnson
1915	Illumina, Level 3, North Hall, 1 Elizabeth Street, Sydney
to 2200	Co-Chairs: Fiona Maclean & Haryana Dhillon

MONDAY 21	1 July 2025		
0645-0715	Breakfast will be available in the Trade Hall		
0715-0815	ANZUP sponsored Translational Science Breakfast	Supportive Care Breakfast	
	Translational Rapid-Fire updates	Maritime Ballroom 4	
	Grand Ballroom	Co-Chairs: Haryana Dhillon & Leonie Young	
	• Translational Insights from TheraP ctDNA analysis	 Developing a Quality of Life-derived Frailty 	
	- Edmond Kwan	Index and assessing the effects of Enzalutamide	
	SPECT research in ENZAP and EVOLUTION -	and Comprehensive Geriatric Assessment on	
	Narjess Ayati	Frailty and Resilience in Prostate Cancer and	
	 Translational research in germ cell cancers - Nadia Hitchen 	Older Cancer Patients: insights from the ENZAMET and INTEGERATE randomised	
	 BCG/mitomycin- bladder - Dickon Hayne 	controlled trials Wee-Kheng Soo	
	 Translational Insights from Upper-tract studies 	 How health professionals can best advise men 	
	- Shomik Sengupta	to seek help and care - Ben Rogers & Donna	
		Cowan	
0830-0900	Opening Session		
	Grand Ballroom		
	Co-Chairs: Ian Davis, Carole Harris and Laurence Krieger		
	 Welcome and housekeeping - Ian Davis 		
	Welcome to Country		
	Introduction to ASM - Carole Harris and Laurence Krieger		
	 Welcome from ANZUP CEO - Samantha Oakes Welcome by Platinum Sponsor - Steve Callister, National Chairman, Prostate Cancer Foundation of 		
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0900-1030	Keynote Session One:		
0500-1050	Session Title: Connecting with Big Ideas		
	Grand Ballroom		
	Co-Chairs: Carole Harris and Laurence Krieger		
	 Introduction by Co-Chairs 		
	Patient voice - Leonie Young		
	• Common sense communication of evidence: balancing power, clarity, and accuracy - Bishal Gyawali		
	• Engaging men in treatment and health care - Luke	Mitchell	

	Challenges of integrating systemic therapies in bladder cancer - Roger Li
	 The ANZUP theranostics Glow-Up - Louise Emmett
	Half-Life, Full Team: Energising Multi Departmental Trials in Theranostics - Jasmine Holyoake-Brady
	Panel discussion / questions
1030-1100	Morning tea
1100-1235	Keynote Session Two:
	Session Title: Latest information on Prostate Cancer
	Grand Ballroom
	Chair: Les Land
	Introduction by Chair
	Patient voice
	Emily Grist
	• Synchrony fellow: Multimodal ctDNA analysis and novel imaging to inform precision use of PSMA
	radioligand therapy - Edmond Kwan
	 The lived experience of active surveillance for prostate cancer Russell Briggs
	 Curing prostate cancer in 5 sessions: PACE-ing ahead - Alison Tree
	 DASL updates - Chris Sweeney
	Prostate subcommittee overview of trials - Lisa Horvath
	Questions
1235-1245	ANZUPx
	Grand Ballroom
	The Cure is Just the Beginning - Bogda Koczwara
1245 - 1345	
1345-1510	Best of the Best Oral Abstracts Session
10 10 1010	Grand Ballroom
	 Immune and Genomic Profiling to Inform Risk Stratification in Muscle-Invasive Bladder Cancer - Nadia
	Hitchen
	 Uncovering the mechanisms linking mitochondrial dysfunction and valine metabolism in the
	development of castrate-resistant prostate cancer - Charles Bidgood
	Bladder Cancer Staging with Pre-Cystoscopic Multiparametric MRI: A Multicentre Evaluation of the
	Vesical Imaging Reporting and Data System and Diffusion Kurtosis Imaging - Gerald Mak
	 Review of relapse detection methods in stage 1 testicular germ cell tumours in patients after
	orchidectomy managed with active surveillance: Is Physical Examination required? - Amy Smith
	 A Review of the diagnosis, treatment and outcomes for Adolescents and Young Adults with testicular
	Germ Cell Tumours in Queensland from 2017 to 2023 - Rick Walker
	 Is PSA Testing Beneficial for Men with Low-Grade Prostate Cancer on Watchful Waiting? - Kain Xu
	 Oncological and functional outcomes of apical prostate cancers treated with focal laser ablation
	(ProFocal [®]) - Jonathan Kam
1510 - 1540	Afternoon tea
1540-1700	Keynote Session Three
	Session Title: Health Equity
	Grand Ballroom
	Co-Chairs: Mei Ling Yap and Abhi Pal
	Introduction by Co-Chairs
	 Patient voice - Paul Zawa
	 Equitable Access to Health Research: Emphasising First Nations Leadership - Greg Pratt
	The Hunger Games of prostate cancer diagnosis - Anne Savage
	New Zealand perspective - Nicky Lawrence
	Regional perspective and radiation perspective - Marniza Saad
	Cancer Groundshot: Going Global Before Going to the Moon - Bishal Gyawali
	Panel discussion

1700-1730	AGM
1730-1830	Poster Walkaround
1900-2300	ANZUP Conference Dinner

TUESDAY 22	July 2025	
0715-0815	Breakfast Session:	
	Sponsored by MSD	
	Session Title: From Lab to Life: Translational Science in Kidney Cancer	
	Grand Ballroom	
	Chair: Aaron Hansen	
	Co-Chair Welcome and Introduction to Session	
	Circulating Immune based Biomarkers in mRCC - Tian Zhang	
	Tissue based biomarkers of IO response in mRCC Lewis Au	
	Prognostic and Predictive Biomarkers in the Adjuvant Setting for high risk RCC - Megan Crumbaker	
	 What patients need to know for adjuvant therapy Belinda Jago 	
	Questions	
0830-1000	Keynote Session Four:	
	Session Title: Updates on Non-Prostate Cancer	
	Grand Ballroom	
	Chair: Melissa Le Mesurier	
	Introduction by Chair	
	Patient voice - Josh Robson	
	Considerations for LGBTQIA+ and other vulnerable communities - diversity and intersectionality in	
	research; how can we be more inclusive with clinical trial participation? - Brandan Holt	
	From muscle invasive to advanced disease Marniza Saad	
	Novel Therapies for Testis Cancer - Ben Tran	
	Testicular Cancer subcommittee update - Ben Tran	
	Role of psycholoncology in a resource limited setting: Laura Kirsten	
	Updates in RCC - Tian Zhang	
	 Showcase trial: OAK - Natasha Roberts & Belinda Jago 	
	 RCC subcommittee update - Craig Gedye 	
	Questions	
1000-1030	Plenary Session: Mentorship	
	Grand Ballroom	
	Chair: Declan Murphy	
	Marniza Saad	
	Mentee Perspectives: Rhiannon Mellor	
	Panel discussion	
	Mentorship announcement - Samantha Oakes	
1030-1100	Morning tea	

1100-12.50	Keynote Session Five	
	Session Title: Incurable now curable?	
	Grand Ballroom	
	Co-Chairs: Juliet De Nittis & Venu Chalasani	
	1. Introduction by Co-Chairs	
	2. Patient Voice - Raewyn Mansson	
	3. Early prostate cancer BCR STARTAR + EMBARK + others - Tian Zhang	
	4. Extending the envelope of cure in oligometastatic prostate cancer - Alison Tree	
	5. Global partnership between Movember and ISSM - Eric Chung	
	6. Reimagining the chair: Exercise as a therapeutic adjuct - Jasmine Yee	
	7. Treatments for BCG unresponsive for Non-muscle invasive bladder cancer - Roger Li	
	8. Results from ANZUP1301: The BCG+MM trial - Dickon Hayes	
	9. Update: BUP subcommittee - Dickon Hayes	
	Questions	
12.50-13.00	Origins of Common-Sense Oncology - The Why and The How - Bishal Gyawali	
1300 - 1400	Lunch	
1400-1415	Plenary Session	
	Session Title: Translating Holistic Care	
	Grand Ballroom	
	Update: Translational subcommittee	
	 Noel Castan ANZUP fellowship research: The supportive care needs of patients diagnosed and living with 	
	non-muscle invasive bladder cancer and the perceived impact on their health-related quality of life: A	
	Multi-method study - Kath Schubach	
	Update: Supportive Care & Quality of Life subcommittee	
1415-1500	Plenary Session	
	Session Title: We're Allowed to Laugh!	
	Grand Ballroom	
	Chair: Henry Woo	
1500-1530	Plenary Session	
	Session Title: ANZUP Awards & ASM close	
	Grand Ballroom	
	Co-Chairs: Ian Davis, Carole Harris & Laurence Krieger	
	ANZUP Awards	
	Introduction to 2026	
	Meet the Convenors for 2026	
1530	End of ASM	
1545	Coaches depart to the Airports	