



## ANZUP Scientific Program and Pre-Conference Meetings

### SUNDAY 20 JULY 2025

0730 - 0800 – Breakfast		
<p><b>0830 - 1030</b></p> <p><b>The Perfect Pitch</b> Grand Ballroom</p> <p><b>Co-Chairs:</b> Craig Gedye and Blossom Mak</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Why? – <b>Melissa Le Mesurier</b></li> <li>• Can? – <b>Chris Gianacas</b></li> <li>• Small? – <b>Natasha Roberts</b></li> <li>• Medium? – <b>Marcel Svatos</b></li> <li>• Large? – <b>Ian Davis</b></li> <li>• Commercial? – <b>Shahneen Sandhu</b></li> <li>• How? Successful trials amid a changing landscape: lessons learned from PDIGREE – <b>Tian Zhang</b> <i>Sponsored by AstraZeneca</i></li> <li>• Discussion</li> </ul> <p></p>	<p><b>0800 - 1030</b></p> <p><b>ANZUP PCFA Nurses &amp; Allied Health Symposium</b> Maritime Ballroom 4 <i>Sponsored by Novartis</i></p> <p></p> <p><b>Co-Chairs:</b> Kath Schubach and Donna Cowan Sponsor Welcome – <b>Stamati Margelis</b>, Clinical Research Medical Advisor – Radioligand Therapies, Novartis</p> <p><b>PhD updates:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Kath Schubach • Sally Sara • Russell Briggs</li> </ul> <p><b>Service Developments:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prostate Cancer Exercise Program GV Health – <b>Nicole Lewis</b></li> <li>• When Prostate Cancer Joins you in the Bedroom – <b>Gay Corbett</b></li> </ul> <p><b>Study updates:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Design, implementation and evaluation of PC Essentials Study – <b>Anna Green</b></li> <li>• Research Update – <b>Cynthia Hawks</b></li> <li>• Unmet needs in prostate cancer care – <b>Natasha Roberts</b></li> </ul> <p><b>Education:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How to do a poster presentation – <b>Nicole Heneka</b></li> <li>• ANZUNS Research Committee – <b>Kath Schubach</b></li> </ul>	<p><b>0800 - 1030</b></p> <p><b>Study Coordinator Session</b> Wharf Room 2-5</p> <p><b>Co-Chairs:</b> Brandan Holt and Monika Tencic</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• From Radionuclides to Results: Bringing Nuclear Medicine to the Table – <b>Jasmine Holyoake-Brady</b></li> <li>• Experiences with Ninja and engaging consumers from conception – <b>Jarad Martin</b></li> <li>• Australian Teletrials Program – overview of program – <b>Annaleise Liefing</b></li> <li>• Teletrials – a coordinators experience of benefits and barriers to conducting tele-trials oncology – lessons learned – <b>Kerry Blacket</b></li> </ul> <p><b>5 minute break</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How to talk to participants and loved ones about dying – <b>Haryana Dhillon</b></li> </ul> <p><b>Panel Discussion:</b> Jasmine Brady, Haryana Dhillon and Jarad Martin</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Workshop event – Clinical trials, an ever changing role: problem solving together – <b>Brandan Holt and Monika Tencic</b></li> </ul>
1030 - 1100 Morning Tea		
<p><b>1100 - 1230</b></p> <p><b>Translational Highlights Session</b> Grand Ballroom</p> <p><b>Co-Chairs:</b> Renea Taylor and Luke Selth</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Improved treatment selection in advanced hormone-sensitive prostate cancer: ancillary studies of the STAMPEDE trials – <b>Emily Grist</b></li> <li>• Biomarker-driven clinical trials: lessons learned from the GUIDE and DARO-LIPID trials – <b>Tahlia Scheinberg</b></li> <li>• Experience in setting up a trial from translational research project – <b>Roger Li</b></li> <li>• Translational Research in Penile Cancer – <b>Mitchell Lawrence</b></li> <li>• Panel discussion</li> </ul>	<p><b>ANZUP PCFA Nurses &amp; Allied Health Symposium and Study Coordinators combined session</b> Maritime Ballroom 4 <i>Sponsored by Novartis</i></p> <p></p> <p><b>Co-Chairs:</b> Kath Schubach and Monika Tencic</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feedback on earlier two sessions – selected on the day.</li> <li>• Priorities work – <b>Natasha Roberts</b></li> <li>• Oration: <b>Margaret McJannett</b></li> </ul>	

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1230 - 1330	<b>Lunch</b> – Maritime Ballroom 1-3
1330 - 1515	<b>ANZUP Masterclass</b> Co-Chairs: Ciara Conduit, Niara Oliveira and Nadia Hitchen
1340 - 1410	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bladder Chair: Harriet Herbison</li> </ul>
1410 - 1440	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Advanced Prostate Chair: Ed Kwan</li> </ul>
1440 - 1515	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Renal Chair: Handoo Rhee</li> </ul>
1515 - 1545	<b>Afternoon Tea</b> – Maritime Ballroom 1-3
1545 - 1700	<b>ANZUP Masterclass continues...</b> Co-Chairs: Ciara Conduit, Niara Oliveira & Nadia Hitchen
1545 - 1615	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Penile Chair: Jenny Lee</li> </ul>
1615 - 1700	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Testicular Chair: Ben Thomas</li> </ul>
1700 - 1830	<b>ANZUP Welcome Reception</b> Maritime Ballroom 1-3
1815 & 1845	Coach Transfer from the Hyatt Hotel to the Evening Symposium Gather in the Loading Dock for transfer to Illumina.
1830 / 1900 for 1915 - 2200	<p><b>ANZUP 2025 Evening Symposium</b> North Hall, Illumina, 1 Elizabeth Street, Sydney, NSW 2000</p> <p><i>Sponsored by Johnson &amp; Johnson</i> <b>Johnson&amp;Johnson</b></p> <p><b>Light Reflections</b> We're really looking forward to what promises to be a lively and engaging session. We've got a novel session planned which will be a mix of a gameshow format somewhat akin to "Have You Been Paying Attention" but with a genitourinary focus, interspersed with a more serious but key session on the role of reflection in each of our lives. You may be even see things in a new light – pun very much intended!</p> <p>Co-Chairs: Fiona Maclean and Haryana Dhillon</p>

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MONDAY 21 JULY 2025		
0645 - 0715	<b>Breakfast – Maritime Ballroom 1-3</b>	
0715 - 0815	<p><b>ANZUP sponsored Translational Science Breakfast</b> <b>Translational Rapid-Fire updates</b> Grand Ballroom</p> <p></p> <p><b>Co-Chairs: Weranja Ranasinghe and Charles Bidgood</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Translational Insights from TheraP ctDNA analysis – <b>Ed Kwan</b></li> <li>• SPECT research in ENZAP and EVOLUTION – <b>Narjess Ayati</b></li> <li>• Neoadjuvant combination therapy in locally advanced ccRCC (NEBULA) – <b>Lewis Au</b></li> <li>• Translational research in germ cell cancers – <b>Nadia Hitchen</b></li> <li>• Translational Insights and Upcoming Plans from the BCG+MM study – <b>Dickon Hayne</b></li> <li>• Translational Insights from Upper-tract studies – <b>Shomik Sengupta</b></li> </ul>	<p><b>Supportive Care Breakfast</b> Maritime Ballroom 4 <b>Sponsored by Astellas</b></p> <p></p> <p><b>Co-Chairs: Haryana Dhillon and Leonie Young</b></p> <p>Welcome and introduction by <b>Naseem Ali</b>, Medical Affairs Co-Lead, Astellas</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Developing a Quality of Life-derived Frailty Index and assessing the effects of Enzalutamide on Frailty and Resilience in Prostate Cancer and Older Cancer Patients: insights from the ENZAMET randomised controlled trial – <b>Wee-Kheng Soo</b></li> <li>• Prostate Cancer Screening Guidelines: Are They Inclusive of Gender Diverse Populations? A Systematic Rubric-Based Evaluation – <b>Afolabi Opeyjesu</b></li> <li>• Prostate cancer in transgender women: what the evidence means for healthcare providers in Australia &amp; New Zealand – <b>John Peacey</b></li> <li>• How health professionals can best advise men to seek help and care – <b>Donna Cowan and Ben Rogers</b></li> <li>• Panel discussion</li> </ul>
0830 - 0900	<p><b>Opening Session</b> Grand Ballroom</p> <p><b>Co-Chairs: Ian Davis, Carole Harris and Laurence Krieger</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Welcome and housekeeping – <b>Ian Davis</b></li> <li>• Welcome to Country, Gadigal Elder – <b>Binowee Bayles</b></li> <li>• Introduction to ASM – <b>Carole Harris and Laurence Krieger</b></li> <li>• Welcome from ANZUP CEO – <b>Samantha Oakes</b></li> <li>• Welcome by Platinum Sponsor – <b>Steve Callister</b>, National Chairman, Prostate Cancer Foundation of Australia</li> </ul>	
0900 - 1030	<p><b>Keynote Session One:</b> <b>Session Title: Connecting with Big Ideas</b> Grand Ballroom</p> <p><b>Co-Chairs: Carole Harris and Laurence Krieger</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction by Co-Chairs</li> <li>• Patient voice – <b>Leonie Young</b></li> <li>• Common sense communication of evidence: balancing power, clarity, and accuracy – <b>Bishal Gyawali</b></li> <li>• Engaging men in treatment and health care – <b>Ben Rogers</b></li> <li>• Challenges of integrating systemic therapies in bladder cancer – <b>Roger Li</b></li> <li>• The ANZUP theranostics Glow-Up – <b>Louise Emmett</b></li> <li>• Half-Life, Full Team: Energising Multi Departmental Trials in Theranostics – <b>Jasmine Holyoake-Brady</b></li> <li>• Update: Theranostics subcommittee – <b>Andrew Scott</b></li> <li>• Panel discussion / questions</li> </ul>	
1030 - 1100	<p><b>Morning tea – Maritime Ballroom 1-3</b> <b>Sponsored by Johnson &amp; Johnson</b></p> <p></p>	

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1100 - 1235	<p><b>Keynote Session Two:</b>  <b>Session Title:</b> Latest information on Prostate Cancer  Grand Ballroom  <b>Sponsored by Prostate Cancer Foundation of Australia</b></p> <p><b>Co-Chairs:</b> Jeremy De Leon, Les Land and Tahlia Scheinberg</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction by Co-Chairs</li> <li>• Patient voice – <b>Colin O'Brien</b></li> <li>• Biomarker-driven strategies for treatment intensification in advanced hormone-sensitive prostate cancer – <b>Emily Grist</b></li> <li>• Synchrony fellow: Multimodal ctDNA analysis and novel imaging to inform precision use of PSMA radioligand therapy – <b>Edmond Kwan</b></li> <li>• The lived experience of active surveillance for prostate cancer <b>Russell Briggs</b></li> <li>• Curing prostate cancer in 5 sessions: PACE-ing ahead – <b>Alison Tree</b></li> <li>• DASL updates – <b>Chris Sweeney</b></li> <li>• Prostate sub committee overview of trials – <b>Lisa Horvath</b></li> <li>• Questions</li> </ul>	
1235 - 1245	<p><b>ANZUPx</b>  Grand Ballroom  The Cure is Just the Beginning – <b>Bogda Koczwara</b></p>	
1245 - 1345	<p><b>Lunch – Maritime Ballroom 1-3</b></p>	
1345 - 1510	<p><b>Best of the Best Oral Abstracts Session</b>  Grand Ballroom</p> <p><b>Co-Chairs:</b> David Pook and Lisa Horvath</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Immune and Genomic Profiling to Inform Risk Stratification in Muscle-Invasive Bladder Cancer – <b>Nadia Hitchen</b></li> <li>• Uncovering the mechanisms linking mitochondrial dysfunction and valine metabolism in the development of castrate-resistant prostate cancer – <b>Charles Bidgood</b></li> <li>• Bladder Cancer Staging with Pre-Cystoscopic Multiparametric MRI: A Multicentre Evaluation of the Vesical Imaging Reporting and Data System and Diffusion Kurtosis Imaging – <b>Gerald Mak</b></li> <li>• Review of relapse detection methods in stage 1 testicular germ cell tumours in patients after orchidectomy managed with active surveillance: Is Physical Examination required? – <b>Amy Smith</b></li> <li>• A Review of the diagnosis, treatment and outcomes for Adolescents and Young Adults with testicular Germ Cell Tumours in Queensland from 2017 to 2023 – <b>Rick Walker</b></li> <li>• Is PSA Testing Beneficial for Men with Low-Grade Prostate Cancer on Watchful Waiting? – <b>Kain Xu</b></li> <li>• Oncological and functional outcomes of apical prostate cancers treated with focal laser ablation (ProFocal®) – <b>Jonathan Kam</b></li> </ul>	
1510 - 1540	<p><b>Afternoon Tea – Maritime Ballroom 1-3 – Sponsored by Astellas</b></p>	
1540 - 1700	<p><b>Keynote Session Three:</b>  <b>Session Title:</b> Health Equity  Grand Ballroom  <b>Sponsored by Prostate Cancer Foundation of Australia</b></p> <p><b>Co-Chairs:</b> Mei Ling Yap and Abhi Pal</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction by Co-Chairs</li> <li>• Patient voice – <b>Paul Zawa</b></li> <li>• Equitable Access to Health Research: Emphasising First Nations Leadership – <b>Greg Pratt</b></li> </ul>	




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	<p><b>Keynote Session Three (continued)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Hunger Games of prostate cancer diagnosis – <b>Anne Savage</b></li> <li>• Decentralised clinical trials in Aotearoa New Zealand: developing approaches relevant to Māori and those living in rural areas – <b>Nicky Lawrence</b></li> <li>• Mind the gap, value the gain – <b>Marniza Saad</b></li> <li>• Cancer Groundshot: Going Global Before Going to the Moon – <b>Bishal Gyawali</b></li> <li>• Panel discussion</li> </ul>
1700 - 1730	ANZUP AGM Members only – Maritime Ballroom 4
1730 - 1830	Poster Walkaround and pre dinner drinks
1900 - 2300	ANZUP Conference Dinner – Grand Ballroom

### TUESDAY 22 JULY 2025

0715 - 0815	<p><b>Breakfast Session:</b>  <b>Session Title:</b> From Lab to Life: Translational Science in Kidney Cancer  Maritime 4  <b>Sponsored by MSD</b></p> <p><b>Co-Chairs:</b> Aaron Hansen and Megan Crumbaker</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Co-Chair Welcome and Introduction to Session</li> <li>• Welcome and introduction by sponsor – MSD, <b>Rosemary Schuster</b>, Brand Manager, MSD</li> <li>• Circulating Biomarkers in metastatic renal cell carcinoma – <b>Tian Zhang</b> <b>Sponsored by AstraZeneca</b></li> <li>• Tissue-based biomarkers in ccRCC – <b>Lewis Au</b></li> <li>• Prognostic and Predictive Biomarkers in the Adjuvant Setting for high risk RCC – <b>Megan Crumbaker</b></li> <li>• What patients need to know for adjuvant therapy <b>Belinda Jago</b></li> <li>• Questions</li> </ul>	  
0830 - 1000	<p><b>Keynote Session Four:</b>  <b>Session Title:</b> Updates on Non-Prostate Cancer  Grand Ballroom  <b>Sponsored by MSD</b></p> <p><b>Co-Chairs:</b> Melissa Le Mesurier &amp; Andrew Weickhardt</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction by Co-Chairs</li> <li>• Patient voice – <b>Josh Robson</b></li> <li>• Considerations for LGBTQIA+ and other vulnerable communities – diversity and intersectionality in research; how can we be more inclusive with clinical trial participation? – <b>Brandon Holt</b></li> <li>• Preserving life with a functional bladder – <b>Marniza Saad</b></li> <li>• Novel Therapies for Testis Cancer – <b>Ben Tran</b></li> <li>• Testicular Cancer sub committee update – <b>Ben Tran</b></li> <li>• Role of psycho-oncology in a resource limited setting – <b>Laura Kirsten</b></li> <li>• <b>Improving clinical outcomes</b> in metastatic renal cell carcinoma: updates in immunotherapy combinations, HIF inhibitors, and landscape opportunities – <b>Tian Zhang</b> <b>Sponsored by AstraZeneca</b></li> <li>• Showcase trial: Outcomes of Australians with Kidney Cancer (OAK) – <b>Natasha Roberts and Belinda Jago</b></li> <li>• RCC subcommittee update – <b>Craig Gedye</b></li> <li>• Questions</li> </ul>	  



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TUESDAY 22 JULY 2025 <i>continued</i>		
1000 - 1030	<p>Plenary Session: Mentorship</p> <p>Chair: Declan Murphy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Inspire and be inspired – <b>Marniza Saad</b></li> <li>Human moments in a busy system: the gift of mentorship – <b>Rhiannon Mellor</b></li> <li>Panel discussion</li> <li>Mentorship announcement – <b>Samantha Oakes</b></li> </ul>	Grand Ballroom
1030 - 1100	<b>Morning Tea</b>	<b>Maritime 1-3</b>
1100 - 1250	<p>Keynote Session Five</p> <p>Session Title: Incurable now curable? <i>Sponsored by Merck Healthcare</i></p> <p>Co-Chairs: Juliet De Nittis and Venu Chalasani</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Introduction by Co-Chairs</li> <li>Patient Voice – <b>Raewyn Manssen</b></li> <li>Achieving cures in prostate cancer: approaching heterogeneous states of biochemical recurrence – <b>Tian Zhang</b> <i>Sponsored by AstraZeneca</i></li> <li>Extending the envelope of cure in oligometastatic prostate cancer – <b>Alison Tree</b></li> <li>Reimagining the chair: Exercise as a therapeutic adjunct – <b>Jasmine Yee</b></li> <li>Treatments for BCG unresponsive for Non-muscle invasive bladder cancer – <b>Roger Li</b></li> <li>Results from ANZUP1301: The BCG+MM trial – <b>Dickon Hayne</b></li> <li>Update: BUP subcommittee – <b>Dickon Hayne</b></li> <li>Leaving Your Comfort Zone: Embracing Curiosity, Communication, &amp; Collaboration – <b>Darren Saunders</b></li> <li>Questions</li> </ul>	<p>Grand Ballroom</p> <p><b>MERCK</b></p> <p><b>AstraZeneca</b></p>
12.50 - 1300	<p>ANZUPx</p> <p>Grand Ballroom</p> <p>Origins of Common Sense Oncology – The Why and The How – <b>Bishal Gyawali</b></p>	
1300 - 1400	<b>Lunch</b>	
1400 - 1420	<p>Plenary Session</p> <p>Session Title: Translating Holistic Care</p> <p>Co-Chairs: Bertrand Tombal and Niara Oliveira</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Update: Translational subcommittee – <b>Ed Kwan</b></li> <li>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 – <b>Kath Schubach</b></li> <li>Update: Supportive Care &amp; Quality of Life subcommittee – <b>Natasha Roberts and Haryana Dhillon</b></li> </ul>	Grand Ballroom
1420 - 1500	<p>Plenary Session</p> <p>Session Title: Who Wants to be a Millionaire?</p> <p>Chair: Henry Woo</p>	Grand Ballroom
1500 - 1530	<p>Plenary Session</p> <p>Session Title: ANZUP Awards &amp; ASM close</p> <p>Co-Chairs: Ian Davis, Carole Harris &amp; Laurence Krieger</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ANZUP Awards</li> <li>Introduction to 2026 / Meet the Convenors for 2026</li> </ul>	Grand Ballroom
1530	<b>End of ASM</b>	
1545	<b>Coaches depart to the Airport</b>	

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