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“Innovation – Leadership – Management”

September 25-27, 2015
Outrigger Little Hastings Street Resort & Spa, Noosa, Queensland

WORKSHOPS

“Innovation in high-value healthcare” facilitated by Alan Goldman and Professor Guy Ludbrook, Friday September 25, 11am-3pm.

Innovation in healthcare comes in many forms, including medicines, devices, health services delivery, and workforce. For each, their true value should be considered in terms of both quality and cost.

The challenge for clinicians, administrators and health funders is to assess the value proposition of each new idea, and the available and emerging evidence for or against its adoption.

This workshop will take examples (real and hypothetical) of different new ideas or innovations. Small teams will work through the evidence of both quality and cost at different stages of development, and ultimately make a group decision about whether they represent true value and so should be adopted by their organisation.

This optional workshop is an additional cost at $154 per person.

“Compassionate practice” facilitated by Jane Gray and Dr Allysan Armstrong-Brown, Saturday 26 September, 3.15 - 5.15pm

It is possible to consciously cultivate positive states of mind, and diminish negative states of mind, and so transform your experience and reactions to life’s circumstances and the people around you. This includes responding with greater compassion to patients, colleagues, friends and family.

In this two hour session, discover what compassion is and learn how it can be beneficial to you and the world around you. Start to explore how you can apply the contemplative methods of mindfulness, meditation, and training in compassionate presence to your daily personal and professional life.

This optional workshop is an additional cost at $44 per person.

INVITED SPEAKER BIOGRAPHIES

Alan Goldman is the Chief Financial Officer for Imperial College NHS Trust, London, one of the three largest acute multi-specialty teaching and research hospital groups in the UK, with a turnover of almost £1bn and employing over 10,000 staff. Aligned with Imperial College it has one of the most highly-rated academic and research programs in the world. Prior to this Alan was the Director of Finance and Deputy CEO at the Royal Marsden NHS Foundation Trust, before which he spent 12 years at Guys and St. Thomas’ NHSFT where he was deputy director of finance.

Alan has a Master’s degree from City University in London, and is an alumnus of the Senior Executive Programme at London Business School. He has a unique portfolio of experience and achievements, demonstrating expertise and an ability to innovate and lead in a wide range of managerial, commercial, legal, research and charity initiatives.

Aly McNicoll is the Training Director at the New Zealand Coaching and Mentoring Centre and for the last 15 years has worked with organisations throughout Australasia who want to be more strategic in how they use mentoring or coaching to enhance leadership or learning. She is a regular presenter at national and international conferences including the European Mentoring & Coaching Council (UK) and the American Society for Training and Development conference in the USA. She presented a paper on mentoring at the Royal College of Surgeons Australasian conference in Auckland last year and has worked extensively in the health sectors of both New Zealand and Australia.

Aly is also a senior lecturer at Unitec Institute of Technology where she teaches in a Master’s in leadership program.

Clare Fountain is a coach, consultant, speaker, facilitator, project manager and trainer with proven experience in small business success; a passion for healthy communities and a commitment to work-life balance for all. Clare co-authored a paper in 2010 in the “International Journal of Behavioural and Healthcare Research” called “Engaging consumers in healthcare system design and reform – moving beyond the rhetoric.”

Commodore Martin Brooker has had over 37 years of service as an officer in the Royal Australian Navy with an extensive career in command and leadership positions at sea and on operations. In the last 10 years Martin’s career has focused on three key areas: strategic leadership, organisational culture and leadership development. As an executive, Martin has developed as a leader of conscience who has in-depth professional experience in change leadership delivery and advising senior executives on the implementation of their change strategies. Martin is passionate about working with people to be the best that they can be, helping people lead people and addressing the issues of gender diversity.

Jane Gray is Director of Hunter New England Health’s Research, Innovation and Partnerships team in NSW. She has been training in the study and practice of Tibetan Buddhism since 1999 and is an instructor with Rigpa Australia. She also leads Rigpa’s Spiritual Care Programme, which has for 20 years trained professionals working in all fields of medicine, mental health, social services and education. The Spiritual Care Programme offers an integrated approach to the practical, emotional and spiritual dimension of care that goes beyond conventional medical models.

Dr Kym Jenkins has been the Medical Director of the Victorian Doctors Health Program for the past seven years. She is a psychiatrist by training and has held a range of roles in both the public and private sectors. When not looking after the health of fellow medical professionals, Dr Jenkins is the Director of Psychiatric Education at Monash Psychiatry; has a small private practice and is a Senior Lecturer at Monash University.

Dr Jenkins is on the Board of Directors of the Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Psychiatrists (RANZCP). She has extensive experience in medical education within the RANZCP and externally; having held positions such as Deputy Chair of the Board of Education; Chair of the Fellowships Attainment Committee and Chair of the Committee for Examinations.

Please note: early registration is encouraged as spaces are limited.

This optional workshop is an additional cost at $242 per person.
**Welfare Advocate Lunch**

Calling all Welfare Advocates. Our numbers are rising but there are still locations where there are no welfare advocates and confusion about our role. Come to a meeting for welfare advocates where we can discuss the welfare advocate resource document RD26, how we can encourage the appointment of welfare advocates, how we can support each other and how we can improve access to useful resources. Find out what welfare advocates are doing in other states and hear from welfare advocates who have been in their role for some time. There will be the opportunity to ask questions and discuss over lunch.

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**Clinical Associate Professor Scott Simmons** is the Clinical Director Anaesthesia Perioperative and Pain Medicine for Mercy Health in Melbourne. He is the former chair of the Obstetric Anaesthesia Special Interest Group and is now executive member of the Communication Special Interest Group. Scott’s research interests are the use of ultrasound in obstetric anaesthesia and systems for delivery of critical care for high-risk obstetrics and early warning systems. He is a reviewer for the Cochrane Collaboration with recent reviews of combined spinal-epidurals in labour and for caesarean section and hypotension prophylaxis. After completing studies with the Institute for Healthcare Improvement in Boston, Scott has undertaken a number of projects aimed at quality improvement through system redesign.

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**OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES**

**Sunset river cruise**

Join the Noosa Ferry for a one-hour Noosa River sunset cruise. Sit back and relax while you glide among the yachts of Woods Bay, past the fine waterfront homes of Noosa Sound and get up close to the Lake Weyba wildlife before taking in the sunset at the river entrance. A paradise all of its own. BYO only: glasses and ice provided.

**Whale watching tour**

While gently passing the world-renowned Noosa National Park and heading out into Laguna Bay, sit back, relax and enjoy the view from the boat. Every year thousands of whales migrate past these pristine shores on their way to Hervey Bay and beyond ... where they give birth and mate in the warm tropical waters off the coast.

**Continuing professional development (CPD)**

Participants in the ANZCA CPD program can claim this event in the knowledge and skills category under the following activities:

- Lectures for 1 credit per hour
- Workshops for 2 credits per hour

For further information, please contact the conference organiser:

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**OTHER SPEAKER BIOGRAPHIES**

**Dr Allysan Armstrong-Brown** is a senior staff specialist in anaesthesia at John Hunter Hospital in Newcastle. Allysan’s main clinical interest is in neuroanaesthesia. She has also had an amateur’s interest in the mind and consciousness since before taking up anaesthesia.

**Professor Alan Merry** practises anaesthesia and chronic pain management at Auckland City Hospital. He is head of the School of Medicine at the University of Auckland, a Councillor of ANZCA, deputy treasurer of the World Federation of Societies of Anaesthesiology, chair of the board of the NZ Health Quality and Safety Commission and a director of Lifebox.

**Professor Guy Ludbrook** is professor of anaesthesia at the University of Adelaide. He is a practicing anaesthetist with neuroanaesthesia as a subspecialty. He has interests in research and innovation/change in a range of areas, with a focus on pharmacology and health services delivery. He is the director of a clinical trials unit, PARC, with experience as principal investigator in numerous clinical trials. He sits on, or chairs, committees of a number of organisations including ANZCA, SA Health, and the Therapeutic Goods Administration.

**Harry McKay** has practised as a solicitor since 1988 and almost exclusively in Health Law areas involving medical and dental negligence claims, disciplinary and criminal proceedings against doctors and dentists, inquests and related proceedings since the beginning of 1989. Harry is admitted to practise in the Supreme Court of Queensland, the Federal Court of Australia and the High Court of Australia.

**Dr David Pickford** has worked as a specialist anaesthetist for over 20 years at Royal North Shore Hospital and has been director of neuroanaesthesia for over five years. He has extensive experience with complex neuro-vascular surgery and spine surgery including traumatic spinal cord injury. Other areas of practice include liver surgery and general emergency surgery. David has been a member of the NSW Special Committee Investigating Deaths Under Anaesthesia (SCIDUA) since 1993, and has been committee chair since 2010.

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**OTHER INFO**

**ACCOMMODATION**

A limited number of rooms have been reserved for a special group rate at Peppers Noosa Resort and Villas (previous Outrigger the conference venue). It is strongly recommended reservations be made as soon as possible to ensure you secure these discounted rates as they will expire one month prior to the meeting dates and are subject to availability.

**Peppers Noosa Resort and Villas**

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Quote ANZCA to secure the special conference rate.

**CONFERENCE DINNER**

The conference dinner will be held onsite on Saturday September 26 from 6.30pm until late. The evening will include a delicious gourmet dinner, hand-selected beverages as well as musicians and a dance floor to help everyone relax, network and enjoy. The dinner is inclusive for delegates, with partners and children welcome to attend for an additional cost of $132 per adult and $55 per child 12 and under.