

**SATURDAY 12 AUGUST 2023**

Breakfast served from 7.00am

**7.15am – 8.15am: Abbott Sponsored Breakfast Session** *Lyon 1 & 2*  
Bursting with Progress: Charting a New Course in Neuromodulation**7.15am – 8.15am: Nevro Sponsored Breakfast Session** *Ballroom 3*  
Beyond Pain: Exploring Durable Real-World Patient Outcomes**8.30am – 10.30am: Plenary 1: The Place of Neuromodulation in Modern Medicine** *Chair: Dr James Yu | Ballroom 3*08.30 – 08.45: **Official Opening: Welcome to Country & Leadership Message**08.45 – 09.05: **Professor Kim Burchiel:** The Progress of Neuromodulation: How far have we come?09.05 – 09.25: **Dr Kiran Patel:** The Evolution of Dorsal Root Ganglion Stimulation - Where are we now?09.25 – 09.45: **Dr Cecile De Vos:** The Role of 'Technical Medicine' in Chronic Pain09.45 – 10.05: **Dr Jason Pope:** The Diversification of Neuromodulation10.05 – 10.20: **Panel Discussion**10.20 – 10.30: **NSANZ Lifetime Achievement Award** A/Professor Raj Sundaraj**10.30am – 11.00am: MORNING TEA** *Ballroom 1 & 2***11.00am – 12.30pm: Breakout 1A: Abdominopelvic Pain***Chair: Dr Michelle O'Brien | Ballroom 3*11.00 – 11.20: **Dr Alice Whittaker:** Pelvic Pain: Beyond the Lesion11.20 – 11.40: **Dr Kathryn McLeod:** The Crossover between Pelvic Pain and Urological Conditions11.40 – 12.00: **Dr Kiran Patel:** Spinal Cord Stimulation and Dorsal Root Ganglion Stimulation for Chronic Pelvic Pain12.00 – 12.20: **Professor Thierry Vancaillie:** Neuromodulation for Perineal Pain12.20 – 12.30: **Panel Discussion****11.00am – 12.30pm: Breakout 1B: Chronic Pain Syndromes***Chair: Dr Murray Taverner | Lyon 1 & 2*11.00 – 11.20: **A/Professor Christopher Gilligan:** New developments for post herpetic neuralgia11.20 – 11.40: **Dr Cecile De Vos:** Current evidence for Neuromodulation in Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy11.40 – 12.00: **Dr Peter Georgious:** CRPS Neuromodulation, A Practical Approach12.00 – 12.20: **Mr Mohammad Awad:** Neurosurgery vs Neuromodulation in Management of Refractory Trigeminal Neuralgia12.20 – 12.30: **Panel Discussion****12.30pm – 1.30pm: LUNCH** *Ballroom 1 & 2***1.30pm – 3.00pm: Plenary 2: Radiofrequency Therapies:** *Chair: Dr Alan Nazha | Ballroom 3*1.30 – 1.50: **Ms Brittany Gardner & Dr Paul Frank:** Pulsed Radiofrequency Dosing – The Science and Clinical Application1.50 – 2.05: **Dr Jason Pope:** Radiofrequency Ablation Therapy of the Large Joints2.05 – 2.20: **Dr Robert Wright:** Radiofrequency Ablation Therapy for the Autonomic Nervous System2.20 – 2.35: **Dr Dan Bates:** Radiofrequency Ablation Therapy for the Spine: Anterior Column Structures2.35 – 2.50: **Dr Murray Taverner:** The Role of Transcutaneous Pulsed Radiofrequency Therapy in Chronic Pain2.50 – 3.00: **Panel Discussion****3.00pm – 3.30pm: AFTERNOON TEA** *Ballroom 1 & 2***3.30pm – 5.00pm: Plenary 3: The Scientists and Engineers** *Chair: Dr Nick Christelis | Ballroom 3*3.30 – 3.45: **Dr Adele Barnard:** Advances of Digital Health in Neuromodulation3.45 – 4.00: **Mr Joel McCabe:** Advances in Sub-Perception Programming and Therapy Management4.00 – 4.15: **Dr Andrew Cleland:** ECAPs and SCS: Navigating sensing technology and future directions with spinal evoked compound action potentials4.15 – 4.30: **Ms Rose Azalde:** Beyond Pain – Driving Impact with Real-World Evidence leveraging Big Data and Non-Pain Outcomes4.30 – 4.45: **Dr Leah Muller:** Guiding Therapy Decisions with Objective Data in Spinal Cord Stimulation4.45 – 5.00: **Panel Discussion****5.00pm – 5.30pm: NSANZ Annual General Meeting** *Ballroom 3***7.00pm – 11.00pm: NSANZ Society Dinner** *Alchemy Restaurant & Bar, 175 Eagle St, Brisbane City. A short walk from the Sofitel, guests to make their own way.***SUNDAY 13 AUGUST 2023**

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**7.45am – 8.45am: Saluda Medical Sponsored Breakfast Session** *Lyon 1 & 2*

Australian Innovation in Neuromodulation: Elevating technology and clinical evidence with Saluda's SmartSCS™ Therapy.

**9.00am – 10.30am: Plenary 4: Trials and Research** *Chair: Dr Charles Brooker | Ballroom 3*09.00 – 09.20: **Professor Kim Burchiel:** Spinal Cord Stimulation and Adipose Tissue Metabolism: A Human Trial Concept09.20 – 09.40: **Dr Jason Pope:** Evoke RCT 36 Month Outcomes including Cross Over Results09.40 – 10.00: **A/Professor Christopher Gilligan:** Restorative neurostimulation for low back pain – A disease modifying pain medicine therapy10.00 – 10.20: **A/Professor Marc Russo:** Subwave 12-month Clinical Trial Results: Dorsal Dendrite Horn Stimulation10.20 – 10.30: **Panel Discussion****10.30am – 11.00am: MORNING TEA** *Ballroom 1 & 2***11.00am – 12.15pm: Breakout 2A: Functional Neurosurgery & Neuromodulation***Chair: Dr Adrian Nowitzke | Ballroom 3*11.00 – 11.15: **Professor Kim Burchiel:** Deep Brain Stimulation: Awake or Asleep?11.15 – 11.30: **Dr Cecile De Vos:** Imaging Brain Activity in Neuromodulation11.30 – 11.45: **Dr Craig Costello:** Access, Awareness, Advocacy! DBS challenges in Rural and Regional Australia11.45 – 12.00: **Dr Neil Mahant:** Comparison of Device Based Therapies in Parkinson's Disease12.00 – 12.15: **Panel Discussion****11.00am – 12.15pm: Breakout 2B: AHNSSIG***Chair: Ms Rachel Whipp | Lyon 1 & 2*11.00 – 11.15: **Ms Rebekah Richards:** The Role of Nursing in Neuromodulation11.15 – 11.30: **Mr Matthew Bannan & Ms Tanya Cambey:** Work Cover and Neuromodulation in Queensland11.30 – 11.45: **Mr Joel McPhee:** Patient Case Study - The Role of Physiotherapy and Exercise Based Rehabilitation Post Neuromodulation11.45 – 12.00: **Ms Megan Hannah:** A case study: The not so ideal patient who becomes ideal12.00 – 12.15: **Panel Discussion****12.15pm – 1.00pm: LUNCH** *Ballroom 1 & 2***1.00pm – 2.15pm: Breakout 3A: Bionics and Neuromodulation***Chair: Dr Diarmuid McCoy | Ballroom 3*1.00 – 1.15: **Dr Robyn Stokes:** Bionic Innovations in Neuromodulation and Pain Management – Current and Emerging Breakthroughs1.15 – 1.30: **Professor Alistair McEwan:** Cerebral Palsy Technology Innovation for Spasticity and Pain Management1.30 – 1.45: **Dr Trung Ngo:** Rebalancing the Brain in Pain with Vestibular Cortical Stimulation & Bionic Technologies1.45 – 2.00: **Professor Mary Galea:** Transcutaneous Spinal Cord Stimulation in Spinal Cord Injury: Rationale and Intended Targets2.00 – 2.15: **Panel Discussion****1.00pm – 2.15pm: Breakout 3B: Early Implanters Round Table***Chair: Dr Andrew Weiss | Lyon 1 & 2* We encourage you to bring your own case studies!1.00 – 1.15: **Dr Michelle O'Brien & Dr James Forbes:** Procedural Endorsement Program with the Faculty of Pain Medicine

1.10 – 1.15: Q&amp;A

1.15 – 1.35: **Dr Adrian Nowitzke:** The Safe Surgical Approach to Neuromodulation

1.30 – 1.35: Q&amp;A

1.35 – 1.55: **A/Professor Charles Brooker:** Troubleshooting in Neuromodulation

1.50 – 1.55: Q&amp;A

1.55 – 2.15: **A/Professor Marc Russo:** Intrathecal Therapy - Where does it fit in the modern pain practice?

2.10 – 2.15: Q&amp;A

**2.15pm – 2.45pm: AFTERNOON TEA** *Ballroom 1 & 2***2.45pm – 4.00pm: Plenary 5: Evolving Indications and Therapies** *Chair: Dr Marc Russo | Ballroom 3*2.45 – 3.00: **Dr Kiran Patel:** The Role of Dorsal Root Ganglion Stimulation in Osteoarthritis3.00 – 3.15: **Dr Diarmuid McCoy:** The Role of Neuromodulation in Vascular Disorders: What is the Evidence?3.15 – 3.30: **Dr John Salmon:** Combined C2 and T9 High-Frequency Spinal Cord Stimulation for Chronic Widespread Pain3.30 – 3.45: **Dr Richard Sullivan:** The Media and Neuromodulation: Analysis and Response3.45 – 4.00: **Invitation to NSANZ 2024, Poster Prize & Conference Close**