

Excellence and Empathy

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Monday 20 May 2024

0830-1100 Opening plenary session

0900-1000 Keynote address one

Title Aboriginal community-controlled health services are leaders and centres of excellence in health care for First Nations people

Speaker Ms Julie Tongs OAM

1000-1100 Keynote address two

Title The future treatment of mood disorders

Speaker Professor Allan Young

1130-1300 Concurrent session 1

1A	Disasters and emergency response	<p>Clinical update</p> <p>How to manage the mental health of disasters in the context of the background morbidity of a community: the challenge of cumulative risk</p> <p>Alexander (Sandy) McFarlane AO, Nicole Sadler (90 mins)</p>
1B	Rural psychiatry	<p>Invited speaker</p> <p>Hot to trot rural topics: rural generalism, clinical courage, geographic narcissism and more</p> <p>Ruth Stewart (60 mins)</p> <p>Apology to the survivors of Lake Alice</p> <p>Monique Devereux (30 mins)</p>
1F	Psychotherapy and culture	<p>Invited speaker</p> <p>Psychotherapy and psychic anarchy: Qualitative findings from the St Vincent's Hospital study into psychedelic assisted therapy at end-of-life</p> <p>Justin Dwyer (60 mins)</p> <p>The stepping stones to a better culture in healthcare</p> <p>Jillann Farmer (30 mins)</p>
1H	Technological advances and mental health	<p>Presidential symposium</p> <p>Artificial intelligence as a tool in mental health</p> <p>Elizabeth Moore, Matthew Lennon, Jill Newby, Wendy Moyle, Paul Mayers, George McNamara (90 mins)</p>
1400-1530 Concurrent session 2		
2B	Psychosis and schizophrenia	<p>State of the art approaches to management of treatment resistant schizophrenia</p> <p>Dan Siskind, Laura McMahon, Susanna Every-Palmer, Julia Lappin, Nicky Korman, Korinne Northwood (90 mins)</p>
2F	Forensic psychiatry	<p>Invited speaker</p> <p>The shrinkflation of public psychiatry and its risky consequences</p> <p>Andy Carroll (60 mins)</p> <p>Relationships between recent criminal legal system involvement and mortality among people with psychosis in New South Wales: a data-linkage cohort study</p> <p>Erin Spike (10 mins)</p>

2H	Technological advances and mental health	Added Insight, or Alarming Intrusion - what will AI mean for psychiatry? Yoshi Bandara, Evelyn Bian, Eishi Bandara, Thomas Sellitto, Anusha Jayasekera (90 mins)
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1600-1730		Concurrent session 3
3B	Safety of medicines in psychiatry & addiction medicine	<p>Invited speaker Reducing prescription medication harm: which policies and practices are making a difference? Suzanne Nielsen (60 mins)</p> <p>Associations between hallucinogen persisting perception disorder (HPPD) and non-visual perceptual disturbances Anneliese McConnell (20 mins)</p>
3F	General psychiatry	<p>Shared decision-making with people with serious mental illness Alison Yung, James Scott, Richard Schweitzer, Kerry Hawkins, Tony Stevenson, Lesley Barr (60 mins)</p> <p>Zero suicide training and the psychiatrist Roderick McKay (20 mins)</p>
3H	Psychotherapy	<p>Attachment and trauma - a current look at the adult attachment interview in research and clinical practice Loyola McLean, Fran Chavasse, Andrea Szasz, Alex Chung (90 mins)</p>
Tuesday 21 May 2024		
0830-1030		Plenary session
0830-0930	Keynote address three	
Title	Harmonizing effectiveness and physiology: an exploration of magnetic brain stimulation in depression	
Speaker	Professor Zafiris Daskalakis	
1000-1200		Concurrent session 4
4A	Neuropsychiatry and neurobiology	<p>An update on clinical neurogenetics for clinicians working with neurodegenerative and psychiatric disorders Aamira Huq, Alexandra Waxmann, Kirsty West, Joanne Isbister (90 mins)</p> <p>A new tertiary specialist clinic for functional neurological disorders: epidemiology and burden of illness Rebecca Moss (20 mins)</p>
4B	Lived experience	<p>Invited speaker Partnership: moving beyond paternalism and participation Mary O'Hagan (60 mins)</p>
4F	Youth mental health	<p>Invited speaker The youth mental health crisis: megatrends and solutions Pat McGorry AO (60 mins)</p> <p>Invited speaker Contemporary challenges to the CAMHS model of care and appropriate service responses Brett McDermott (60 mins)</p>
4H	Indigenous mental health	<p>Indigenous flourishing: beyond settling for colonial-centric notions and derivations of thriving & wellbeing Pat Dudgeon, Abigail Bray, Alan Rosen, Sivasankaran Balaratnasingam, Marshall Watson (90 mins)</p> <p>The largest gap: an Aboriginal community-controlled health organisation - public mental health initiative to address the mental health needs of young Indigenous people Shuichi Suetani (20 mins)</p>

1300-1430		Concurrent session 5
5A	Neuropsychiatry and neurobiology	<p>Clinical update Clinical biomarkers of neurodegeneration Disease modifying clinical trials in neuropsychiatry The establishment of a neuropsychiatry consumer and carer group at the Royal Melbourne Hospital Dhamidhu Eratne, Pierre Wibawa, Dennis Velakoulis, Kate McHardy (90 mins)</p>
5B	Transgender mental health	<p>Transgender mental health Zoe Kristensen, Tram Nguyen, Yoshi Bandara (90 mins)</p>
5F	Forensic psychiatry	<p>Invited speaker Young people who threaten: surprising things Scott Harden (60 mins)</p> <p>Is zero seclusion possible? A systematic literature review Nadine Fox (10 mins)</p>
5H	Indigenous Voice to Parliament	<p>Race in the clinic and beyond: implications of the referendum on an Indigenous Voice to Parliament Daud Saeed, Astha Tomar, Loyola McLean (60 mins)</p> <p>The failed Voice to Parliament referendum - A psychiatrist's personal response Brendan Jansen (20 mins)</p>
1500-1630		Concurrent session 6
6A	Youth mental health	<p>Youth psychiatry. The crisis in youth mental health and the workforce response Daniel Pellen, Patrick McGorry, Angelo Virgona, John Callary (60 mins)</p> <p>Teaching empathy through art Samir Heble (10 mins)</p> <p>The power of poetry in teaching and rehearsing empathy Samir Heble (10 mins)</p>
6B	ASD and developmental disorders	<p>Autism and intellectual disability in mainstream mental health care Cathy Franklin, Melanie Johnston, Katie Brooker (90 mins)</p>
6F	Mental health and LGBTQIA+	<p>Presidential symposium Addressing mental health needs of LGBTQIA+ people Elizabeth Moore, Hiroaki Kawasaki, Tomomi Morii, Melanie Turner, Lee-Anne Rogers (90 mins)</p>
6H	Indigenous mental health	<p>What does indigeneity bring to the practice of psychiatry Moe Milne, Wayne Blissett, Matira Taikato, Te Paea Winiata, Renee Murupaenga (90 mins)</p>
1645-1745		Plenary session
1645-1745		Keynote address four
Title	Why we need credible expert leaders	
Speaker	Professor Amanda Goodall	

Wednesday 22 May 2024		
0830-1030	Plenary session	
0830-0930	Keynote address five	
Title	An update on young-onset dementia for clinicians	
Speaker	Associate Professor Samantha Loi	
0930-1030	Keynote address six	
Title	Changing how we conceptualise personality pathology in clinical practice	
Speaker	Professor Roger Mulder	
1100-1230	Concurrent session 7	
7A	Forensic psychiatry	<p>Clinical update Forensic psychiatry Andrew Ellis, Vinesh Gupta (90 mins)</p>
7B	Workforce	<p>Presidential symposium Psychiatry workforce panel discussion Elizabeth Moore, Susan Wearne, Ruth Vine, Paul Fitzgerald, Nicola Campbell, Mat Coleman (90 mins)</p>
7F	Trauma	<p>Invited speaker The diagnostic spectrum of trauma-related disorders Nagesh Pai (60 mins)</p> <p>Comparative report of field experiences at the February 2023 earthquake disaster sites of Adiyaman and Hatay, Turkiye Fatma Lowden (20 mins)</p> <p>Yemeni adults' perceptions of mental illness and barriers to seeking professional help: A community-based study Bashaer Elawfi (10 mins)</p>
7H	Doctors' health and wellbeing	<p>Lived experience and regulatory processes Israel Berger, Kym Jenkins, Fiona Nunn, Monica Vogiatzis (90 mins)</p>
1330-1500	Concurrent session 8	
8B	Technology and psychiatry	<p>Telepsychiatry & digital mental health in private psychiatry: clinical update on innovations, benefits and challenges Jeffrey Looi, Michelle Atchison, Gary Galambos (60 mins)</p> <p>"Prevent a suicide: what to say" The app, bonding patients, combining medications David Horgan (20 mins)</p>
8F	Rehabilitation psychiatry	<p>Clinical update Rehabilitation resurgence: an update on modern mental health rehabilitation Frances Dark (90 mins)</p>
8H	Adult psychiatry	<p>A rapid clinical update on the background and treatment of self-harm and borderline personality disorder in Australia Beatrice Webb, Tarun Bastiampillai, Alex Potter (90 mins)</p>
Thursday 23 May 2024		
0830-0930	Plenary session	
0830-0930	Keynote address seven	
Title	Update and controversies in ultra high risk research	
Speaker	Professor Alison Yung	
0945-1045	Concurrent session 9	
9A	Academic psychiatry	<p>Benchmarking best-practice models of academic psychiatry in Australia and New Zealand Neeraj Gill, Kate Eggleston, Samuel Harvey, Dan Siskind (60 mins)</p>
9B	Professional practice	<p>Have we misplaced our professional duties toward each other? Geoff Smith, Izaak Lim, Richard Harvey, Sue Mackersey (60 mins)</p>

9F	Training and education	Certificate of Postgraduate Training in Clinical Psychiatry - Supporting medical practitioners to provide enhanced mental health care Shane Gill, Jodie Atkin, Kathryn Hertrick (60 mins)
9H	Leadership in psychiatry	Victorian Psychiatry Leadership Project - Making sense of psychiatrist leadership Phyllis Chua, Raju Lakshmana, Erin O'Donoghue, Emily Unity (60 mins)

1115-1300	Plenary session
1115-1200	Margaret Tobin Award presentation
Title	A reform 'within' for a reform 'outside'
Speaker	Associate Professor Vinay Lakra
1200-1245	Senior Research Award presentation
Title	Women's mental health: a new approach considering gonadal hormones and trauma
Speaker	Professor Jayashri Kulkarni
1245-1300	Congress closing address