

# Excellence and Empathy

## Knowledge and Kindness



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Presentations listed below are streamed live from the Congress venue in Canberra and recorded for your viewing  
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Monday 20 May 2024		
<b>0830-1100 Opening plenary session</b>		
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	
<b>1130-1300 Concurrent session 1</b>		
1A	Disasters and emergency response	<p><b>Clinical update</b></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><b>Alexander (Sandy) McFarlane AO, Nicole Sadler</b> (90 mins)</p>
1B	Rural psychiatry	<p><b>Invited speaker</b></p> <p>Hot to trot rural topics: rural generalism, clinical courage, geographic narcissism and more</p> <p><b>Ruth Stewart</b> (60 mins)</p> <p>Apology to the survivors of Lake Alice</p> <p><b>Monique Devereux</b> (30 mins)</p>
1F	Psychotherapy and culture	<p><b>Invited speaker</b></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><b>Justin Dwyer</b> (60 mins)</p> <p>The stepping stones to a better culture in healthcare</p> <p><b>Jillann Farmer</b> (30 mins)</p>
1H	Technological advances and mental health	<p><b>Presidential symposium</b></p> <p>Artificial intelligence as a tool in mental health</p> <p><b>Elizabeth Moore, Matthew Lennon, Jill Newby, Wendy Moyle, Paul Mayers, George McNamara</b> (90 mins)</p>
<b>1400-1530 Concurrent session 2</b>		
2B	Psychosis and schizophrenia	<p>State of the art approaches to management of treatment resistant schizophrenia</p> <p><b>Dan Siskind, Laura McMahon, Susanna Every-Palmer, Julia Lappin, Nicky Korman, Korinne Northwood</b> (90 mins)</p>
2F	Forensic psychiatry	<p><b>Invited speaker</b></p> <p>The shrinkflation of public psychiatry and its risky consequences</p> <p><b>Andy Carroll</b> (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><b>Erin Spike</b> (10 mins)</p>
2H	Technological advances and mental health	<p>Added Insight, or Alarming Intrusion - what will AI mean for psychiatry?</p> <p><b>Yoshi Bandara, Evelyn Bian, Eishi Bandara, Thomas Sellitto, Anusha Jayasekera</b> (90 mins)</p>

1600-1730		Concurrent session 3	
3B	Safety of medicines in psychiatry & addiction medicine	<p><b>Invited speaker</b></p> <p>Reducing prescription medication harm: which policies and practices are making a difference? <b>Suzanne Nielsen</b> (60 mins)</p> <p>Associations between hallucinogen persisting perception disorder (HPPD) and non-visual perceptual disturbances <b>Anneliese McConnell</b> (20 mins)</p>	
3F	General psychiatry	<p>Shared decision-making with people with serious mental illness <b>Alison Yung, James Scott, Richard Schweitzer, Kerry Hawkins, Tony Stevenson, Lesley Barr</b> (60 mins)</p> <p>Zero suicide training and the psychiatrist <b>Roderick McKay</b> (20 mins)</p>	
3H	Psychotherapy	<p>Attachment and trauma - a current look at the adult attachment interview in research and clinical practice <b>Loyola McLean, Fran Chavasse, Andrea Szasz, Alex Chung</b> (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 <b>Aamira Huq, Alexandra Waxmann, Kirsty West, Joanne Isbister</b> (90 mins)</p> <p>A new tertiary specialist clinic for functional neurological disorders: epidemiology and burden of illness <b>Rebecca Moss</b> (20 mins)</p>	
4B	Lived experience	<p><b>Invited speaker</b></p> <p>Partnership: moving beyond paternalism and participation <b>Mary O'Hagan</b> (60 mins)</p>	
4F	Youth mental health	<p><b>Invited speaker</b></p> <p>The youth mental health crisis: megatrends and solutions <b>Pat McGorry AO</b> (60 mins)</p> <p><b>Invited speaker</b></p> <p>Contemporary challenges to the CAMHS model of care and appropriate service responses <b>Brett McDermott</b> (60 mins)</p>	
4H	Indigenous mental health	<p>Indigenous flourishing: beyond settling for colonial-centric notions and derivations of thriving &amp; wellbeing <b>Pat Dudgeon, Abigail Bray, Alan Rosen, Sivasankaran Balaratnasingam, Marshall Watson</b> (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 <b>Shuichi Suetani</b> (20 mins)</p>	

<b>1300-1430</b>		<b>Concurrent session 5</b>	
5A	Neuropsychiatry and neurobiology	<p align="center"><b>Clinical update</b>  Clinical biomarkers of neurodegeneration  Disease modifying clinical trials in neuropsychiatry  The establishment of a neuropsychiatry consumer and carer group at the Royal Melbourne Hospital  <b>Dhamidhu Eratne, Pierre Wibawa, Dennis Velakoulis, Kate McHardy</b>  (90 mins)</p>	
5B	Transgender mental health	<p align="center">Transgender mental health  <b>Zoe Kristensen, Tram Nguyen, Yoshi Bandara</b>  (90 mins)</p>	
5F	Forensic psychiatry	<p align="center"><b>Invited speaker</b>  Young people who threaten: surprising things  <b>Scott Harden</b>  (60 mins)</p> <p align="center">Is zero seclusion possible? A systematic literature review  <b>Nadine Fox</b>  (10 mins)</p>	
5H	Indigenous Voice to Parliament	<p align="center">Race in the clinic and beyond: implications of the referendum on an Indigenous Voice to Parliament  <b>Daud Saeed, Astha Tomar, Loyola McLean</b>  (60 mins)</p> <p align="center">The failed Voice to Parliament referendum - A psychiatrist's personal response  <b>Brendan Jansen</b>  (20 mins)</p>	
<b>1500-1630</b>		<b>Concurrent session 6</b>	
6A	Youth mental health	<p align="center">Youth psychiatry. The crisis in youth mental health and the workforce response  <b>Daniel Pellen, Patrick McGorry, Angelo Virgona, John Callary</b>  (60 mins)</p> <p align="center">Teaching empathy through art  <b>Samir Heble</b>  (10 mins)</p> <p align="center">The power of poetry in teaching and rehearsing empathy  <b>Samir Heble</b>  (10 mins)</p>	
6B	ASD and developmental disorders	<p align="center">Autism and intellectual disability in mainstream mental health care  <b>Cathy Franklin, Melanie Johnston, Katie Brooker</b>  (90 mins)</p>	
6F	Mental health and LGBTQIA+	<p align="center"><b>Presidential symposium</b>  Addressing mental health needs of LGBTQIA+ people  <b>Elizabeth Moore, Hiroaki Kawasaki, Tomomi Morii, Melanie Turner, Lee-Anne Rogers</b>  (90 mins)</p>	
6H	Indigenous mental health	<p align="center">What does indigeneity bring to the practice of psychiatry  <b>Moe Milne, Wayne Blissett, Matira Taikato, Te Puea Winiata, Renee Murupaenga</b>  (90 mins)</p>	
<b>1645-1745</b>		<b>Plenary session</b>	
<b>1645-1745</b>		<b>Keynote address four</b>	
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	Clinical update Forensic psychiatry <b>Andrew Ellis, Vinesh Gupta</b> (90 mins)
7B	Workforce	Presidential symposium Psychiatry workforce panel discussion <b>Elizabeth Moore, Susan Wearne, Ruth Vine, Paul Fitzgerald, Nicola Campbell, Mat Coleman</b> (90 mins)
7F	Trauma	Invited speaker The diagnostic spectrum of trauma-related disorders <b>Nagesh Pai</b> (60 mins)  Comparative report of field experiences at the February 2023 earthquake disaster sites of Adiyaman and Hatay, Turkiye <b>Fatma Lowden</b> (20 mins)  Yemeni adults' perceptions of mental illness and barriers to seeking professional help: A community-based study <b>Bashaer Elawfi</b> (10 mins)
7H	Doctors' health and wellbeing	Lived experience and regulatory processes <b>Israel Berger, Kym Jenkins, Fiona Nunn, Monica Vogiatzis</b> (90 mins)
1330-1500	Concurrent session 8	
8B	Technology and psychiatry	Telepsychiatry & digital mental health in private psychiatry: clinical update on innovations, benefits and challenges <b>Jeffrey Looi, Michelle Atchison, Gary Galambos</b> (60 mins)  "Prevent a suicide: what to say" The app, bonding patients, combining medications <b>David Horgan</b> (20 mins)
8F	Rehabilitation psychiatry	Clinical update Rehabilitation resurgence: an update on modern mental health rehabilitation <b>Frances Dark</b> (90 mins)
8H	Adult psychiatry	A rapid clinical update on the background and treatment of self-harm and borderline personality disorder in Australia <b>Beatrice Webb, Tarun Bastiampillai, Alex Potter</b> (90 mins)
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	Benchmarking best-practice models of academic psychiatry in Australia and New Zealand <b>Neeraj Gill, Kate Eggleston, Samuel Harvey, Dan Siskind</b> (60 mins)
9B	Professional practice	Have we misplaced our professional duties toward each other? <b>Geoff Smith, Izaak Lim, Richard Harvey, Sue Mackersey</b> (60 mins)
9F	Training and education	Certificate of Postgraduate Training in Clinical Psychiatry - Supporting medical practitioners to provide enhanced mental health care <b>Shane Gill, Jodie Atkin, Kathryn Hertrick</b> (60 mins)
9H	Leadership in psychiatry	Victorian Psychiatry Leadership Project - Making sense of psychiatrist leadership <b>Phyllis Chua, Raju Lakshmana, Erin O'Donoghue, Emily Unity</b> (60 mins)

<b>1115-1300</b>	<b>Plenary session</b>
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 Jaysahri Kulkarni
1245-1300	Congress closing address