

AUSTRALIA NEW ZEALAND GYNAECOLOGICAL ONCOLOGY GROUP



*Inaugural Joint Conference*

Noosa Sheraton Resort and Spa 1-5 April 2009



Australian Society of Gynaecologic Oncologists **ASGO**

## ANZGOG ASGO 2009 Program

### WEDNESDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> APRIL

12.30pm – 1.30pm	Lunch Lillypond
12.30pm – 3.00pm <i>Laguna 2</i>	ANZGOG Executive Meeting  <i>Workshops Sponsored By Pfizer and Roche</i>
2.00pm - 5.00pm <i>Noosa Ballroom 1</i>	Trainees and Fellows Course - Gerry Wain, Jim Nicklin, Marcelo Nascimento, James Scurry and Geoff Otton <i>Session Chair: Geoff Otton</i>
3.00pm - 4.30pm <i>Noosa Ballroom 3</i>	Medical Oncology: Management of toxicities of targeted therapies - Howard Gurney, Veronica Preda and Louise Creati <i>Session Chair: Michael Friedlander</i>
3.00pm - 4.30pm <i>Noosa Ballroom 2</i>	Surgical Course Coding - Russell Land Surgery in Upper Abdomen - A/ Prof Dennis Chi <i>Session Chair: Andreas Obermair</i>
3.00pm - 4.30pm <i>Laguna 1</i>	Working together: Study Coordinators Workshop 1 <i>Session Chair: Belinda Egan</i>  (1) RECIST, responses and reporting: minimising queries, maximising efficiency – an interactive workshop - Michelle Cummins (2) Help us to help you: how can we improve the site activation process? - Kerri Carlton (3) A guide to clinical centre responsibilities under GCP - Belinda Egan and Julie Martyn
4.30pm - 5.30pm <i>Laguna 2</i>	NBOCC / NGCC update <i>Session Chair: Alison Brand</i>
5.45pm	Bus departs the Sheraton
6.00pm – 9.00pm	Schering Plough Welcome and Sponsors Crackerjack Night <i>Moderator: Jim Nicklin</i>

THURSDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> APRIL

8.20am - 8.30am  
Noosa Ballroom  
Welcome  
Andreas Obermair (Chair organising Committee) Michael Quinn (Chair of ANZGOG) & Jonathan Carter (Chair of ASGO)

8.30am - 9.30am  
Noosa Ballroom  
Keynote address: Ovarian Cancer Debulking - A/ Prof Dennis Chi  
Session Chair: Jonathan Carter



9.30am – 10.30am  
Noosa Ballroom  
Debate: “Ovarian Cancer... Drugs Are Best”  
Moderator: Michael Quinn  
Debating panel: **Affirmation:** Michael Friedlander and Michelle Vaughan  
**Negative:** Jim Nicklin and Dennis Chi

10.30am – 11.30am  
Morning Tea

11.30am – 12.35pm  
Noosa Ballroom  
Abstract presentations - Bench to Bedside: Basic Science, Clinical Trials and Diagnosis  
Session Chair: Christopher Steer



PRESENTER	TOPIC
Peter Sykes	Endometrial cancer, hypoxia, angiogenesis and food derived compounds
Martin Oehler	Proteomics of Ovarian Cancer implantation
Anna De Fazio	Genetic determinants of clinical outcome in ovarian cancer
Prue Cowin	Determinants of acquired chemoresistance in ovarian cancer
Penny Webb	Pathways to diagnosis of ovarian cancer in Australia
Janine Lombard	Resource Management Strategies for a Sustainable Clinical Trials Unit


12.35pm – 1.30pm  
Lunch

12:35pm – 1:30pm  
Noosa Ballroom  
CCC meeting working lunch

1.30pm – 3.00pm  
Noosa Ballroom  
Abstract Presentation – Treatment: Decisions and Consequences  
Session Chair: Selvan Pather

PRESENTER	TOPIC
Andreas Obermair	Prospective, non-randomised phase 2 clinical trial of radical surgery followed by carboplatin plus paclitaxel plus sequential radical pelvic radiotherapy for uterine serous papillary cancer
Corona Gainford	Malignant transformation within ovarian dermoid cysts. An audit of treatment received and patient outcomes. A gynaecologic cancer intergroup (GCIG) study.
Srinivas Kondalsamy-Chennakesavan	Incidence of and risk factors for surgical adverse events in gynaecological oncology
Caroline Anderson	Where there is no evidence to guide> :the development and pilot of a decision aid to improve communication and decision making about treatment options for asymptomatic ovarian cancer patients with rising CA125

Kailash Narayan	Patterns of failure and prognostic factor analyses in locally advanced cervical cancer patients staged by Positron Emission Tomography and treated with curative intent: Implications for clinical trials in epithelial cancer patients.
Ilna Juraskova	The good, the bad and the dilator: Information needs and acceptance of vaginal dilators following radiation for gynaecological cancer
Penelope Schofield	Effectively discussing complementary/alternative medicine in a conventional oncology setting
Jessica Koehler	Genetic referrals from gynaecological oncology multidisciplinary teams and outcomes

3.00pm – 3.30pm	Afternoon Tea	
3.30pm – 5.00pm <i>Noosa Ballroom</i>	ANZGOG Clinical Trials Updates	Chair Michael Friedlander
5.00pm – 6.00pm <i>Noosa Ballroom</i>	ANZGOG AGM (ANZGOG Members Only)	Chair Michael Quinn
6.30pm – 10.30pm	Genzyme Beach Party Poolside Sheraton Noosa	

**FRIDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> APRIL**

7.00am – 8.00am  
*Laguna 2* Breakfast Consumer / Community Workshop (Invite Only)

8.00am – 9:00am  
*Noosa Ballroom* Trainees and Fellows Presentations  
*Session Chair: Deborah Neesham*



PRESENTER	TOPIC
Jason Tan	Decreasing Morbidity of Hysterectomies: A Randomised Controlled Surgical Trial
Kym Reid	Management of Uterine Desmoid Tumours During Pregnancy: A Case Study and Review of Literature
Naven Chetty	Patterns of recurrence and mode of diagnosis of recurrent disease of patients with stage 1 epithelial ovarian cancer
Michael Bunting	Primary uterine Ewing's Sarcoma-primitive neuroectodermal tumour.
Davina Tai	A prospective study on patient satisfaction with the Oncology/Dysplasia Service at the Sydney Cancer Centre
Charlotte Lemech	Clear Cancer of the Ovary- from resistance to response

9:00am – 10:20am  
Noosa Ballroom

Abstract presentation – Surgery: Can we do it even better?  
Session Chair: Andreas Obermair

PRESENTER	TOPIC
Martin Oehler	Integrating robotic surgery into a gynaecology oncology unit
Jonathon Carter	Fast Track Surgery in Gynaecological Oncology. A Clinical Audit
Martin Oehler	Panniculectomy as part of gynaecological cancer surgery
Lewis Perrin	Diaphragmatic Muscle or Peritoneal Resection: Is there a place?
Marcelo Nascimento	Assessment of feasibility and morbidity following peritonectomy in patients with advanced intraperitoneal malignancy.
Alex Crandon	Optimising adjuvant intraperitoneal chemotherapy – safety and feasibility of HIPC
Tom Jobling	Discussant

10.20am – 10.40am

Morning Tea

10.40am – 11.20am  
Noosa Ballroom

Abstracts presentation – The Patient, The Family, The Doctor: Caring for them all  
Session Chair: Martin Stockler



Presenters	Topic
Lesley Stafford	Occupational wellbeing among Australian Gynaecological Oncologists
Dianne Harker	The informational and emotional needs of women having treatment for gynaecological cancers in the South Island of New Zealand
Kathryn Nattress	Do current follow up practices meet the needs of gynaecological cancer survivors?
Lesley Stafford	Long term quality of life in survivors of gynaecological cancer and their partners

11.20am – 12.30pm  
*Noosa Ballroom*

New Trial Concepts  
*Session Chair: Michelle Vaughan*

**PRESENTER**

**CONCEPT**

Janine Lombard

What is the feasibility and toxicity of administering 3 cycles of adjuvant intraperitoneal chemotherapy following neoadjuvant chemotherapy and optimal cytoreductive surgery in patients with stage III ovarian epithelial or primary peritoneal or fallopian tube carcinoma?

Danny Rischin

A phase 2 trial of sunitinib in patients with selected recurrent/metastatic gynaecologic malignancies

Madeleine King

PROMIS: The Next Generation of Quality of Life Assessment

Kerwyn Foo

An observation study to find dose and volume predictors of bowel toxicity from gynaecological external beam radiotherapy

Andrew Dean

Can concurrent use of biological and chemotherapeutic radiosensitisers improve outcome for carcinoma of cervix treated with radiation

Winston Liauw

Randomised Controlled Trial of Intravenous Chemotherapy Preceded by either Peritonectomy and Hyperthermic Intraperitoneal Chemotherapy (HIPEC) or Conventional Cytoreduction in Recurrent, Platinum-Sensitive Ovarian Cancer

Michael Friedlander

Intra-peritoneal bevacizumab for recurrent ascites

12.30pm – 1.30pm

Lunch

1.30pm – 3:30pm  
*Laguna 1*

Study Coordinators Workshop 2

How to Mentor others – more than merely “showing the ropes” - Cynthia Carr

*Session Chair: Belinda Egan*

1.30pm – 5.00pm  
*Laguna 2*

ANZGOG RAC Meeting

3:30pm – 4.30pm  
*Laguna 1*

Study Coordinators Committee Meeting

3.30pm – 4.00pm

Afternoon Tea

**SATURDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> APRIL**

6.50am	<i>Continental breakfast</i>
7.00am – 8.00am <i>Noosa Ballroom</i>	Vulva Reconstruction Presenter: Frank Kimble <i>Session Chair: Geoff Otton</i>
8.00am – 11.00am <i>Laguna 1</i>	ASGO AGM (ASGO Member only) <i>Chair: Jonathan Carter</i>
8.00am – 10.00am <i>Laguna 2</i>	Oncology Nurses workshop <i>Session Chair: Judy Eddy</i> a) Surgical intervention, neoadjuvant therapy and interval debulking - Judy Eddy b) Chemotherapy and how women cope - Mary Ryan c) Women coping with treatment in rural and remote settings - Pauline Tanner
9.00am – 10.30am <i>Noosa Ballroom</i>	Surgical Anatomy: A/Prof Dennis Chi <i>Session Chair: Linda Mileskin</i>
10.30am – 11.00am	Morning Tea
11.00am – 1.00pm <i>Noosa Ballroom</i>	Tumor Board Noosa Ballroom <i>Session Chair: Ian Hammond</i>
1.00pm - 1.30pm	Lunch
6.15pm	Bus departs the Sheraton for Noosa Lakes
6.30pm - 11.00pm	CSL Alan Ferrier Tribute: Black Tie Dinner

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