ASMMIRT 2012 - CONNECTIONS

The Australian Institute of Radiography calls on you to participate in and support the 9th Annual Scientific Meeting of Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy being held at the Sydney Convention and Exhibition Centre.

This Conference will connect all specialties to create a program which enjoins all members of our profession to better connect with each other. Our connections come in many shapes and forms; country and city; therapy and diagnostic; clinical and administration academic and practice. Our profession is made up of many parts; mammography, CT, MRI, Ultrasound, Planning, Nuclear Medicine; all connected and increasingly so.

Our profession connects the art of what we do with the technology which empowers us to do it and this Conference will have an extensive Technical Exhibition where leading industry participants will have the opportunity to showcase their products and services to those attending.

The Technical Exhibition will open on Friday 20 April 2012 at 8.00 am and at the request of the trade the Introduction to the Trade, our traditional ‘happy hour’ function in the exhibition area will be on the evening of Friday 20 April 2012.

All exhibitors will be located in the Bayside Grand Hall. Luncheons, morning and afternoon refreshment breaks will be held in the technical exhibition area.

We look forward to welcoming you to ASMMIRT 2012 in Sydney in April.

James Nol
Conference Chair

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

ASMMIRT is the premier scientific meeting for radiographers and radiation therapists in Australia and attracts registrants from around the country as well as many colleagues from overseas.

Medical Radiation Practitioners connected through:
• Radiation Therapy
• Radiography
• Mammography
• Sonography
• Nuclear Medicine Technology
• Students

CONFERENCE FORMAT

The format is intended to provide all participants with an opportunity to contribute and learn.

The format will include:
• Plenary sessions
• Concurrent paper presentations
• Poster presentations
• Trade displays
• Student Conference

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION CLOSES 24 FEB 2012
INVITED KEYNOTE SPEAKERS INCLUDE

Stuart Mackay PhD
Professor of Radiography
University of Salford, Manchester, England

Stuart Mackay is leading the emotional intelligence research in the Directorate of Radiography at Salford and has recently completed a UK-wide analysis of radiographers’ emotional intelligence, and at ASMMIRT 2012 will be comparing his findings with results from the recent AIR member survey.

Stuart has worked as a radiographer for 10 years, has a Masters degree in Behavioural Biology and Healthcare and a PhD in interprofessional education and problem-based learning. Stuart has over two decades of experience in teaching and research at undergraduate masters and PhD level.

Kerrie Rollo & Gillian Webb
Charge MRT & Radiographer
Christchurch Hospital, New Zealand

Kerrie and Gill are presenting to the ASMMIRT 2012 on their experiences and hands on leadership working through Christchurch’s darkest day, February 22 2011.

It is a time they thought they would never see in their professional career, and a time that has made them proud to be an MRT as part of the hospital team.

Kerrie is the unit Charge MRT in the Emergency Department at Christchurch Hospital, and Gill is currently working part-time at Christchurch Hospital, covering general radiography duties including the Emergency Department.

REGISTRATION INCLUSIONS

FULL DELEGATE
- attendance to all scientific sessions on days of registration
- access to Trade Exhibition on days of registration
- attendance to all social functions**
- daily morning/afternoon tea and lunch
- name badge and lanyard (name badge is not transferrable)
- one conference satchel and meeting handbook

DAY DELEGATE/STUDENT CONFERENCE
- attendance to all scientific sessions on day of registration
- access to Trade Exhibition on day of registration
- morning/afternoon tea and lunch on day of registration
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IV CANNULATION WORKSHOP
Delegates will have an opportunity to participate in an IV Cannulation Workshop. This course is designed specifically for MIT’s to acquire technique and competency in intravenous cannulation. The workshop will comprise the theoretical and practical aspects of peripheral IV cannulation conducted by clinical nurse specialists. This is a very popular course, therefore if the course is over subscribed a waiting list will be created and we will consider adding additional workshops.

HOST VENUE
The Conference will be held at the Sydney Convention and Exhibition Centre, Darling Harbour. This large purpose-built facility is set in 50 hectares of parks, gardens, museums, shopping malls and amusement areas. Nestled on the shores of Darling Harbour, the venue has magnificent views of the city and is only a short walk to several attractions. The Convention Centre is conveniently located within close proximity to the CBD and hotels within the area.

Sydney Convention and Exhibition Centre
Darling Drive, Darling Harbour NSW 2000
www.scec.com.au

ACCOMMODATION
The AIR has negotiated hotel rates for conference delegates. Please refer to the Accommodation Tab of the Conference website for list of detailed information regarding rates and hotel terms and conditions.

Please note that delegates must book their own accommodation with their selected hotel.

(more to be announced in the coming weeks)

(SOCIAL PROGRAM

Friday 20 April 2012
5.00pm – 7.00pm  Exhibitor Showcase
Dockside Darling Harbour
The conference exhibitor showcase will be jam-packed with vendors displaying their products, solutions and services. Join them for a drink and a chat about how they can make your life easier.

7.30pm – 11.00pm Welcome Reception
Dockside Darling Harbour
The welcome reception gives you the opportunity to meet the other conference attendees in the spectacular surroundings of Darling Harbour, just 5 minutes walk from the conference venue.

Saturday 21 April 2012
7.00pm – 12.00am Gala Dinner
Sydney Convention & Exhibition Centre
The Gala Dinner will entertain attendees and provide the opportunity to network and do business with their peers and clients whilst enjoying a lavish dinner and drinks reception.

** If you are unable to attend a function please advise the events teams as soon as possible.
REGISTRATION FORM

DELEGATE DETAILS (Please Print in Capitals)

Prof/ A.Prof/ Dr/ Mr/ Mrs/ Miss/ Ms ________________________________________
FIRST NAME ________________________________________ SURNAME

Preferred First Name (for name tag): ________________________________________
Professional Body (other than AIR): ________________________________________

Postal Address: ___________________________________________________________
Suburb: ___________________________________________________ State: __________ Post Code: __________
Mobile: __________________________ Phone: (____) __________________ Fax: (____) __________

Email (to be used for all communication): _____________________________________

Dietary/Mobility Requirements: ______________________________________________

Company/Organisation/University: __________________________________________
Role/Position: _____________________________________________________________

In compliance with the Privacy Act please indicate with a tick if you do not want your name and organisation details to be published in a conference delegate list available to delegates and exhibitors.

☐ Please DO NOT place my name on the delegate list

I confirm that I wish to register for a place at the conference and have read and agree to be bound by the Terms & Conditions.

Signature: ________________________________________ Date: ________________

REGISTRATION FEES

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ADDITIONAL WORKSHOPS

IV Cannulation Workshop: Sunday 22 April ☐ $150 ☐ $200 N/A N/A N/A

Additional Workshops ☐ I would like to be informed of any additional workshops. Please indicate what additional workshops you would like to attend:

SOCIAL FUNCTIONS

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Please note tickets for attendance to the Welcome Reception at Dockside Darling Harbour and the Gala Dinner are limited. Tickets will be allocated on first come, first serve basis. ** Please advise the events team if you are not attending the social functions

GUEST INFORMATION

Prof/ A.Prof/ Dr/ Mr/ Mrs/ Miss/ Ms ________________________________________
FIRST NAME ________________________________________ SURNAME

Dietary/Mobility Requirements: ____________________________________________
Confirmation of your registration will only be made on receipt of your application form & payment.

☐ EMPLOYER PAYMENT
If your employer is paying on your behalf, please complete the following details and attach a purchase order.

Organisation: ____________________________________________________________
Contact Name: __________________________________________________________
Address: _______________________________________________________________
Suburb: ___________________ State _______ P/C __________
Phone: _______________ Fax: __________________________
Email: ____________________

☐ CREDIT CARD
Credit card type: ________________________________________________________
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CCV: ________________________
(last 3 digits on back of card)

Print Name shown on Credit Card: _________________________________________
Signature: ____________________________

TERMS & CONDITIONS

Behaviour: AIR reserves the right to prohibit entry of any person to an AIR event, or eject any person from an AIR event based on behaviour deemed inappropriate by AIR staff and/or its agents and others working under its authority.

Canvassing: by delegates is strictly prohibited at AIR events and forums. Promotional materials may not be distributed at the event/forum except by event sponsors. Delegates violating this policy will be asked to leave the event and AIR members may have their membership revoked.

Cancellation policy: Registrations must be received by the registration closing date. Cancellations must be received in writing. An administration fee of $100 per registrant will apply for cancellations. Refunds will reflect the following tiers:

> 0-4 weeks before event 0% refund
4 - 8 weeks before event 50% refund
< 8 weeks before the event 100% refund

Disclaimer: AIR will not accept liability for the damages of any nature sustained by participants or their accompanying persons for loss or damage to their personal property as a result of the conference, the exhibition or related events.

Invoices: Invoices must be paid within 7 days or by the registration closing date (whichever comes first) in order to guarantee the booking. If payment is not made prior to the registration closing date and the event reaches capacity, your payment is not guaranteed and may be offered to those on the waiting list. Invoiced Early Bird registrations must be paid in full by the early bird cut off date please see the conditions under Registration and Payment notice.

Image Release: In registering for AIR events and conferences, delegates grant permission to AIR, its agents and others working under its authority, to take and to have full and free use of video/photographs containing their image/likeness. It is understood these images may be used for promotional, news, on-line/multimedia, research and/or educational purposes by and for AIR. Delegates agree that they are not entitled to remuneration, residuals, royalties or any other payment from AIR in respect of their image/likeness or its use. Delegates release, discharge, and hold harmless, AIR and its agents from any and all claims, demands or causes of actions that they may hereafter have by reason of anything contained in the photographs or video. Should a delegate not agree to the above image release, they must advise AIR by emailing at conferences@air.asn.au

Privacy policy: AIR is concerned with the protection of your privacy. We support the Privacy Principles contained in the Privacy Act 1988 (Cth), as amended. AIR collects and stores your personal information for the purposes of providing membership services, education and training programs, and improving and promoting products and services, and membership status in various ways. AIR may distribute a delegate list at the event to conference sponsors. Should you not wish to have your name and company name included in the delegates list please email conferences@air.asn.au

Program: AIR reserves the right to change the program at any time. Every effort will be made to ensure that the program is of equivalent standard.

Recording of CPD Hours:
It is the responsibility of AIR members to register to update their own CPD record manually. Records of attendance are maintained on file by AIR for auditing purposes. For all CPD queries, please contact cpd@air.asn.au

Registration Notice: AIR member registration rates are not transferable to non-AIR members. By selecting a member registration rate, it is agreed that the registrant is a current financial member of AIR and that the registration is made in the AIR member’s name only. A breach of this may result in a cancellation of an event registration and/or AIR membership.

Registration and Payment: Registrations received after the closing date may incur a late fee. Payment in full is required by the event date. Early Bird registrations must be paid in full by the early bird cut off date — if full payment is not received by this date the full registration fee will be applicable. Registration places are limited and will be allocated on a strict ‘first in’ payment basis. In the event that no space is available, you will be notified immediately. If you do not receive a confirmation email, please call AIR Events Department on 03 9419 3336 to confirm that your registration has been received.

Sharing registrations: A conference registration is for one individual to attend the full conference program. One registration may not be utilised by several individuals.

Special Dietary/Physical Requirements: Will not be catered for unless requested before the event registration closing date. Please email conferences@air.asn.au with your requirements, if not listed on your registration form.

Substitutions: Should a registrant be unable to attend, they may send one substitute in their place. AIR must be notified of all substitutions prior to the event. Also see the conditions under Registration and Payment notice.

If you have any queries or would like to discuss registration please contact:
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