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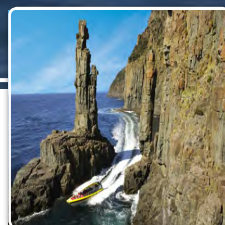
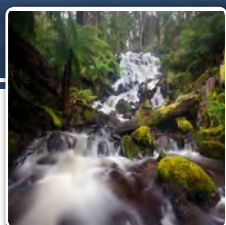
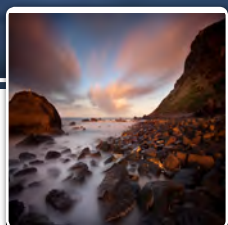
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WELCOME FROM THE COLLEGE PRESIDENT

Dear Colleagues and Friends,

On behalf of the Organising Committee it is my great privilege and pleasure to invite you to Hobart, Australia, for the 16th Annual Scientific Meeting (ASM) of the Australasian College of Phlebology (ACP). We have put together a stimulating scientific program with high quality keynote and symposium lectures that will highlight the latest scientific advances in our field. The four day ASM includes keynote lectures, original papers, panel discussions and the popular 'Controversies in Phlebology' key-pad interactive debates. As usual, the Program's emphasis is on good science and evidence-based medicine. The ASM will be preceded by the Workshops which will involve an interactive format with key members of industry.

Our Honorary Guest



Dr Angelo Scuderi
President, Union International de Phlebologie (UIP)
Phlebologist and Angiologist, Sao Paolo, Brazil

The keynote speakers confirmed include:



Prof. Ken Myers, Phlebologist and Vascular Surgeon, AUS



Prof Andre van Rij, Phlebologist and Vascular Surgeon, NZ



Prof. Marianne de Maeseneer, Phlebologist and Vascular Surgeon, NL



Prof. Michael Gough, Phlebologist and Vascular Surgeon, UK



Dr John Kingsley, Phlebologist, USA



Dr Fausto Passariello, Phlebologist and Physicist, ITA



Prof. Steve Watson, Pharmacologist, UK

As past delegates have come to expect the ASM will offer a great social program including the Welcome Reception and the Conferring Ceremony and Gala Dinner.

I look forward to seeing you all in Hobart, Australia!

Kurosh Parsi, FACP, FACD
President, Australasian College of Phlebology



HONORARY GUEST



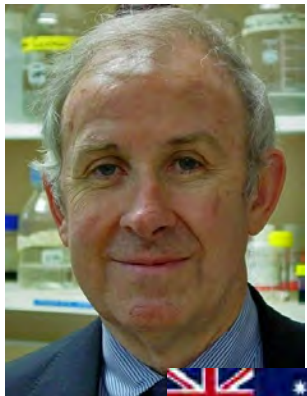
Dr. Angelo Scuderi (BR)
President, Union International de Phlebologie (UIP)
Phlebologist and Angiologist, Sao Paolo, Brazil

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Dr Scuderi is President of the Union International de Phlebology (UIP). He graduated from the University of São Paulo, trained in general surgery under the guidance of Professor Eugenio Luis Mauro and specialized in Vascular Surgery under Professor Mario Degni and Professor R.C. Mayall. He is the author of many publications in Portuguese, Spanish, Italian and English about Phlebology. He is author of a book: "Tudo sobre varizes - All about the Varicose". He was one of the founders of the Brazilian Venous Forum. He was the president and organizer of the XV World Congress of the International Union of Phlebologie (UIP) in 2005 and was the president of the Brazilian Society of Phlebology and Lymphology for which he is currently Honorary President. He is also an honorary president of the Pan America Society of Phlebology and Lymphology and an honorary member of several societies of Phlebology throughout the world.

KEYNOTE & INVITED INTERNATIONAL SPEAKERS



Prof. John Fletcher (NSW)
Phlebologist and Vascular Surgeon
Director of Vascular Surgery, Westmead Hospital

Professor John Fletcher is Professor of Surgery and Head of the University of Sydney Department of Surgery, Chairman of the Division of Surgery and Director of Vascular Surgery at Westmead Hospital, Director of the Westmead Vascular Biology Research Centre and of the Westmead Vascular Laboratory. He was the first Australian and New Zealand Vice-President of the International Union of Angiology (IUA) in 1998-2000 and is an Adviser to the IUA Executive Board. He is a member of the Court of Examiners in Vascular Surgery of the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons and is Chairman of the Australian and New Zealand Working Party on Prevention and Treatment of Venous Thromboembolism. His major clinical interests are the endovascular management of aortic aneurysm, the non-invasive investigation of vascular disease and the prevention and treatment of venous thromboembolism. His basic research interests are the cellular mechanisms in atherosclerotic plaque formation, inhibition of intimal hyperplasia following vascular interventions and prevention of prosthetic vascular graft infection.

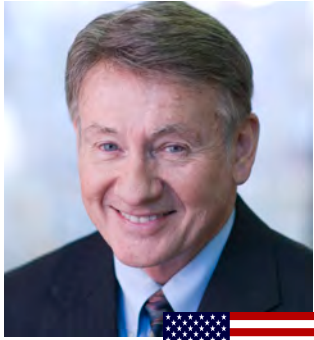


Prof. Michael Gough (UK)
Vascular Surgeon
The General Infirmary, Leeds, United Kingdom

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Prof. Gough is Professor of Vascular Surgery, University of Leeds in 2008 and in 2010 was appointed Head of School of Surgery, Yorkshire & the Humber Postgraduate Deanery. His current clinical interests include; Carotid surgery, endovascular aortic aneurysm and endoscopic thoracic sympathectomy for hyperhidrosis and facial flushing, venous surgery and varicose veins including minimally invasive laser treatment (EVLT). Research interests include; Local anaesthetic carotid surgery and imaging techniques for carotid stenosis, endovenous laser therapy for varicose veins.



Dr John Kingsley (USA)
Phlebologist and Vascular Surgeon
President and CEO
Alabama & Atlanta Vascular & Vein Centers
Alabama Phlebology Training Institute

Dr. Kingsley is a vascular surgeon and full time Phlebologist from Birmingham, Alabama. He is a Diplomat of the American Board of Phlebology, and for most of his career maintained board certifications in both vascular surgery and general surgery. He completed the initial research in intra-operative autotransfusion as a surgical resident, research leading to the development of cell saving technology used in autotransfusion throughout the world today. He has published and presented more than 100 scientific presentations to societies throughout the world. He was the President of the Alabama Vascular Society for 2009 to 2011, and is on the editorial board for the publication Vein Therapy News. Dr. Kingsley is President of the Alabama Phlebology Training Institute. He has participated in training of more than 350 physicians and allied staff from around the world, including Australia, Japan, Canada, London, Dubai, and the U.S. He is the founder and sponsor of the annual seminar “Phlebology Colorado”, a successful and popular case presentation seminar convened each year in the ski resort of Telluride, Colorado.



Prof. David Ma (NSW)
Haematologist
Director of Haematology and Bone Marrow Transplant Department, St Vincent's Hospital

David Ma is the Director of Research at the Department of Haematology, St Vincent's Hospital Sydney and a Professor of Medicine, University of New South Wales. Prof Ma received his undergraduate medical training at the UNSW and is a Fellow of The Royal Australasian College of Physicians and the Royal College of Pathologists of Australasia. He has been an executive member of various national and international medical and scientific organisations. In addition to supervising postgraduate students, Prof Ma lectures undergraduate medical, nursing and medical science students in both metropolitan and rural regions. The study of haemostasis, utilising conventional haemostasis assays, flow cytometry and molecular biology techniques, is his main research focus in phlebology. He published the first report on the incidence of Factor V gene mutation in patients with vascular diseases in Australia and subsequently reported the clinical utility of APC resistance test and genetic polymorphism of clotting factors. His current research projects include the study of anti-coagulant and pro-coagulant effects in sclerotherapy, vascular and haemostatic consequences of electro-stimulation therapy and the procoagulant effect of platelet microparticles. He has over 100 publications in peer reviewed journals.



Prof. Marianne de Maeseneer (NL)
Vascular Surgeon and Phlebologist
Department of Dermatology, Erasmus Medical Centre, Netherlands

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Prof. De Maeseneer is currently in charge of Phlebology at the Department of Dermatology at Erasmus Medical Center in Rotterdam and is an Associate Professor at the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences of the University of Antwerp, Belgium. Her academic interests have focused on treatment strategies for varicose veins, prevention of recurrence, the use of duplex ultrasound before and after intervention, diagnosis and treatment of superficial vein thrombosis, prevention, diagnosis and treatment of deep vein thrombosis and management of postthrombotic syndrome. She has authored and co-authored over 70 articles in peer-reviewed journals and several textbook chapters. She is co-editor of Veins and Lymphatics and is a member of the editorial board of Phlebology. Prof. De Maeseneer acted as Chair of the Benelux Society of Phlebology and has organized their ASM since 2003 as well as the North Sea Meeting on Venous Diseases in 2004, 2007 and 2010. She is past president of the European Venous Forum and has organised their ASM in 2010. She is active in different Consensus Groups of the UIP (International Union of Phlebology) and is a candidate for the vice-presidency of UIP in 2013.





Prof. Ken Myers (AUS)
Phlebologist and Vascular Surgeon, Melbourne, Australia
Emeritus Chancellor, ACP

Prof. Ken Myers has had a major interest in venous disease for more than 25 years. Professor Myers is the Chancellor of the Australasian College of Phlebology and has participated in and organised many international Phlebology meetings. He has been at the forefront of developing new techniques such as echosclerotherapy and endovenous laser therapy.

In May 2012 he was awarded the Gold Medal for Outstanding Contributions to Australasian Phlebology during the ACP Conferring Ceremony.



Dr Fausto Passariello (IT)
Vascular Surgeon and Physicist
Centro Diagnostico Aquarius, Napoli

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Dr Passariello is involved in the study of foam physics, laser and surgery practically for Office Based CHIVA. He has almost 25 years of clinical experience in haemodynamic surgery, and completed 3 international randomised studies and a Cochrane review. He received his Medicine & Surgery degree in 1977 and continued with specialisations in Pneumology (1981), Clinical Biology (1985), Vascular Surgery (1990), and a Physics degree in Cybernetics (2001). He currently practices as a Vascular Surgeon in the private practice Centro Diagnostico Aquarius, Napoli; and in Emergency Medicine at Pellegrini Hospital, Napoli. He is the author of approximately 100 publications, editor of 2 books and is a Scientific Consultant of Aquarius S.R.L., a company which supports and produces tools for scientific research in Medicine.



Prof. Steve Watson (UK)
Professor in Cardiovascular Sciences and Cellular Pharmacology
University of Birmingham, United Kingdom

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Prof. Watson completed his degree in Pharmacology at the University of Leeds in 1980. He completed his PhD at the University of Cambridge in 1983 and his Post-doctoral qualification in North Carolina in 1985. He is currently a British Heart Foundation Professor, Cardiovascular Sciences and Cellular Pharmacology at the University of Birmingham. He has received recognition as a Fellow of the Academy of Medical Sciences (2002); Nature/NESTA mid-career award for creative mentoring in science (2006); ISTH Investigator Recognition Award for Contributions to Haemostasis (2007) Prof. Watson has published over 220 primary research. His research focus is the study of surface receptors and their signalling pathways in platelets and megakaryocytes, and the study of patients with platelet bleeding disorders.



Prof. Andre van Rij (NZ)
Phlebologist and Vascular Surgeon, New Zealand
Chancellor, ACP

André van Rij is Professor of Surgery at the Dunedin School of Medicine, University of Otago where he directs the Vascular Research Unit. His research has focused on venous disease and the biology of varicose vein recurrence and venous thrombosis. His translational research bridges new basic research into the venous clinic. Professor van Rij is a vascular surgeon and President of the NZ Association of General Surgeons. Professor van Rij is the Chancellor of the Australasian College of Phlebology.

ABOUT THE ACP



THE AUSTRALASIAN
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The Australasian College of Phlebology (ACP) is a multi-specialty organisation dedicated to promotion of phlebology research, teaching and training in Australasia.

Our membership includes medical practitioners and other health professionals such as scientists and sonographers dedicated to education and research in the field of phlebology. Our members have a shared interest in phlebology, but represent a variety of medical specialties, including vascular surgery and medicine, dermatology, haematology, interventional radiology, general surgery, and family medicine.

Since its inception in 1993, the ACP has been active in promoting education and research in phlebology and serves the general public as a resource regarding vein disorders. Public educational initiatives such as patient education seminars, GP education workshops and media interviews are undertaken by College Fellows on a regular basis. Our mission is to improve the standards of practice and patient care as it relates to venous disorders.

The ACP is a member of the Union International Phlébologie (UIP), a multi-national organisation that has member phlebology organisations from 35 countries from Europe, North America, Latin America, and Asia.

Annual Scientific Meetings and Workshops of ACP were initiated in 1994. These meetings have been instrumental in disseminating knowledge and experience among specialists from many medical disciplines.



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INVITED INTERNATIONAL SPEAKERS

Prof. Marianne de Maeseneer, Phlebologist and Vascular Surgeon (NL)

Prof. Michael Gough, Phlebologist and Vascular Surgeon (UK)

Dr John Kingsley, Phlebologist and Vascular Surgeon (USA)

Dr Fausto Passariello, Phlebologist, Vascular Surgeon and Physicist (ITA)

Prof. Steve Watson, Pharmacologist (UK)

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& Vascular Anomalies Specialist (NSW)

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Dr David Connor, Platelet and Microparticle Biologist (NSW)

Prof. John Fletcher, Phlebologist & Vascular Surgeon (NSW)

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Anomalies Specialist (NSW)

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Prof. Andre van Rij, Phlebologist (NZ)

Dr Carolina Weller, Senior Research Fellow (VIC)



PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

	SUNDAY 24 MARCH	MONDAY 25 MARCH	TUESDAY 26 MARCH	WEDNESDAY 27 MARCH	THURSDAY 28 MARCH
06.30					Breakfast Session: Editorial Bash - Secrets of Successful Publishing in Scientific Journals
07.00					
07.30					
08.00	Welcome	Venous Interventions (1)	Venous Haemodynamics and Fluid Mechanics	Perforators	Disasters and Complications in Phlebology
08.30	Duplex Ultrasound Workshop		The Great Debate- To Kill or to Preserve (The Saphenous Veins)	The Great Debate: Guilty or Innocent (The Perforators)	
09.00					
09.30					
10.00	Morning Tea				
10.30	EVLA and RFA	Biological Effects of Sclerotherapy	Fluid Mechanics of Sclerosant Foams	Platelets, Sclerosants and Vascular Biology	Deep Venous Disease & CCSVI
11.00					
11.30					
12.00					
12.30	Lunch				
13.00	Compression	CVI and Venous Ulcers	Venous Thromboembolism	Venous Interventions (2)	Lymphatic Disease, Oedema & Lipoedema
13.30					
14.00					
14.30					
15.00	Afternoon Tea				
15.30	Pelvic and Vulvar Veins	Training in Phlebology	Free Time	Embolic Agents in Phlebology	Duplex Ultrasound
16.00					
16.30	The Business of Phlebology	Free Time	Free Time	Sponsored Business Presentation	Closing Ceremony & Presentation of Prizes
17.00					
17.30					
18.00	Workshops Drinks and Canapes	Welcome Reception	Conferring Ceremony & Gala Dinner	Champagne & Guided Poster Presentations	Free Time
18.30					
19.00					Invited Speakers Dinner
19.30					
23.00					
Registration Hours	0730-1700	0700-1700	0700-1530	0700-1800	0600-1730
Exhibition Hours		0800-1900	0800-1600	0800-1600	0800-1600
Poster Viewing		0800-1900	0800-1400	0800-1900	0800-1600

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Sunday 24 March

0800-1700 **REGISTRATION**

825 **Welcome**
Dr Louis Loizou, Vice President, ACP

0830-1000 **Duplex Ultrasound Workshop**
Proudly Sponsored by TOSHIBA

830 **Plenary Lecture**
Principles of Haemodynamic Mapping of the Lower Limb Venous System
Dr Fausto Passariello (ITA)

900 **Practical Ultrasound Mapping of Lower Limb Venous System**
Dr Fausto Passariello (ITA)

1000

1000-1030 Morning Tea

EVLA and RFA		Sponsor
30 minute rotations		
1030	Station 1- Treating Perforators with EVLA Dr Andrew Stirling (TAS)	Biolitec, Regional Health
	Station 2- Radiofrequency Ablation Dr David Huber (NSW)	Device Consulting
	Station 3- EVLA with Venacure 1470 nm Dr Chris Lekich (QLD)	Medical Specialties
	Station 4- Nerve Block for EVLA Dr Peter Paraskevas (VIC)	Philips M4 Healthcare

1230

1230-1330 Lunch

Compression		Product Display
30 minute rotations		
1330	Station 1- Compression and Localised Pressure Enhancement Dr Andrew Stirling (TAS)	Venosan Stockings
	Station 2- Venous Ulcers and Wound Management Dr Carolina Weller (VIC)	Smith & Nephew
	Station 3- Circaid Cris Brown (NSW)	Reis Orthopaedic
	Station 4- Compression and Assessment of Lymphoedema Prof. Neil Piller (SA)	Sigvaris

1530

1530-1600 Afternoon Tea



Pelvic and Vulvar Veins

Plenary Lectures

1600 **The Anatomy of Pelvic Veins**

Dr Sanjay Nadkarni (WA)

1615 **How to Treat Vulvar Veins**

Dr Peter Paraskevas (VIC)

1630 **Embolisation of Gonadal Veins**

Dr Sanjay Nadkarni (WA)

1645 **Questions**

1700

The Business of Phlebology

Plenary Presentations

1700 **Financing**

Investec Bank

1715 **Marketing**

Incredible Marketing

1730 **Software Management**

ISN Solutions

1745 **Long Term Financial Strategies**

JDL Strategies

1830

1830 **Drinks and Canapes**

1930



Salamanca Markets, Hobart

Monday 25 March

0700-1700 REGISTRATION

755 **Welcome**

A/Prof. Kurosh Parsi, President, ACP

Venous Interventions (1)

Chair: Prof. Ken Myers (VIC)

Moderator: A/Prof. Kurosh Parsi (NSW)

800 **State-of-the-Art Lecture**

An Overview of the Management of Superficial Venous Disease

Prof. Michael Gough (UK)

830 **'A la carte' Treatment of Patients with Varicose Veins**

Prof. Marianne De Maeseneer (NL)

845 **Strategies to Treat Varicose Veins**

Dr Angelo Scuderi (BRA)

900 **Long Term Outcomes of Endovenous Ablation**

Prof. Michael Gough (UK)

915 **Does Surgery Still Have a Place in the Treatment of Varicose Veins?**

Dr Glen Benveniste (SA)

930 **Endovenous Laser Therapy: Which Laser?**

Prof. Michael Gough (UK)

945 **Panel Discussion**

1000

1000-1030 Morning Tea

Biological Effects of Sclerotherapy

Chair: Prof. Andre van Rij (NZ)

Moderator: Prof. Michael Gough (UK)

1030 **Keynote Lecture**

Local and Systemic Effects of Foam Sclerotherapy on Blood Cells, Coagulation, Systemic Biomarkers and Cardiac Enzymes.

A/Prof. Kurosh Parsi (NSW)

1100 **The *in vivo* Effects of Sclerotherapy on Saphenous Veins and Attempts to Enhance the Effectiveness**

Prof. Michael Gough (UK)

1115 **Detergent Sclerosants are Consumed by Circulating Blood Cells**

Dr David Connor (NSW)

1130 **Inflammatory and Angiogenic Cytokines are Released Following Exposure to Detergent Sclerosants *in vitro***

A/Prof. Kurosh Parsi (NSW)

1145 **The Effects of Detergent Sclerosants on Human White Blood Cells: Activation, Apoptosis or Oncosis?**

Dr Osvaldo Cooley Andrade (NSW)

1200 **Panel Discussion**

1230

1230-1330 Lunch



Port Arthur, Tasmania

CVI and Venous Ulcers
 Chair: A/Prof. Stephen Shumack (NSW)
 Moderator: Dr Adrian Lim (NSW)

1330	Keynote Lecture Physiological Assessment of Chronic Venous Hypertension Prof. Andre van Rij (NZ)
1400	Compression for Venous Leg Ulcers Simplified: Randomised Controlled Trial Results of a Novel 3 Layer Tubular Compression System That is Cost Effective and Easy to Apply Dr Carolina Weller (VIC)
UIP Consensus	
1415	The C3 UIP Consensus. Final results Dr Angelo Scuderi (BRA)
1430	The ABC of Chronic Wound Management: Principles and Practice Dr Carolina Weller (VIC)
1445	Ossification of Small Saphenous Vein and Septal Panniculitis Presenting with Livedo Racemosa Dr Chris Lekich (QLD)
1500	Wound Dressing Update: What's in a Name? Dr Carolina Weller (VIC)
1515	Panel Discussion
1530	

1530-1600 Afternoon Tea

Training in Phlebology
 Chair: Dr David Jenkins (NSW)
 Moderator: Dr Adrian Lim (NSW)

Keynote Address	
1600	Phlebologists- Who Are We? Dr John Kingsley (USA)
1615	The New Modular Training Program of ACP Dr David Jenkins (NSW)
1625	Phlebology Training in the UK Prof. Michael Gough (UK)
1635	UIP Training Curriculum and International Accreditation of Training in Phlebology Dr Angelo Scuderi (BRA)
1645	Panel Discussion
1700	

1800-1930

<p>Welcome Reception Government House Dress Code: Formal, Suit and Tie</p> <p>1745- Departure from Hotel Grand Chancellor 1800- Welcome Reception by the Governor of Tasmania, His Excellency, The Hon. Peter Underwood</p>	<p><i>A formal Invitation will be issued by His Excellency, The Honourable Peter Underwood, Governor of Tasmania. Please register for the event by 8 March to ensure your invitation to this function. Protocol requires formal attire, suit and tie for gentlemen, formal dress for ladies.</i></p>
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Government House, Hobart

0800-1700 REGISTRATION

Venous Haemodynamics and Fluid Mechanics

Chair: Prof. Masud Behnia (NSW)

Keynote Lecture

800 **Flow in Collapsible Tubes, A Biophysical State Space Model and Classification of Shunts and Pathways in Venous Network**

Dr Fausto Passariello (ITA)

830

THE GREAT DEBATE

To Kill or To Preserve (The Saphenous Veins!)

Chair: Prof. Michael Gough (UK)

Debate Moderator: Dr David Huber (NSW)

Keypad Moderator: Dr David Connor (NSW)

830 **Keypad Interactive Survey of the Audience- Pre**

Dr David Connor (NSW)

840 **State-of-the-Art Lecture**

An Overview of Saphenous Vein Preservation Strategies- CHIVA, ASVAL and More

Dr Fausto Passariello (ITA)

910 **Case to Kill**

Prof. Ken Myers (VIC)

920 **Case to Preserve**

Dr Fausto Passariello (ITA)

930 **Case to Kill- Rebuttal**

Prof. Ken Myers (VIC)

935 **Case to Preserve- Rebuttal**

Dr Fausto Passariello (ITA)

940 **Keypad Interactive Survey of the Audience- Post**

Dr David Connor (NSW)

945 **Panel Discussion**

1000-1030 Morning Tea

Fluid Mechanics of Sclerosant Foams

Chair: Prof. Masud Behnia (NSW)

Moderator: Dr Fausto Passariello (ITA)

1030 **Keynote Lecture**

Physiochemical Factors Influencing Sclerosant Foam Density, Viscosity and Surface Tension

A/Prof. Kurosh Parsi (NSW)

1100 **Physical characterisation of Tessari foam for a Marketing Authorisation**

Dr Mike Watkins (UK)

1115 **Sclerosant Foam Structure is Strongly Influenced by Liquid Air Fraction and the Use of Filters**

Dr David Connor (NSW)

1130 **Flow Visualisation of Sclerosant Foam Spreading in a Model of the Superficial Veins**

Prof. Masud Behnia (NSW)

1145 **The Effect of Temperature on Sclerosant Foam Composition**

Gian Valenzuela (NSW)

1200 **Computational Fluid Dynamics (CFD) Modelling of Sclerosant Foam Behaviour**

Prof. Masud Behnia (NSW)

1215 **Panel Discussion**

1230-1330 Lunch



Little Penguins, Bruny Island



Venous Thromboembolism
Chair: Prof David Ma (NSW)
Moderator: Prof. John Fletcher (NSW)

State-of-the-Art Lecture

1330 **The New Oral Anticoagulants- What is Safe?**
Prof. John Fletcher (NSW)

Review Lecture

1400 **Recommendations for the Diagnosis and Treatment of Deep Venous Thrombosis and Pulmonary Embolism in Pregnancy and the Postpartum Period**
Dr Sanjeev Chunilal (VIC)

1415 **Update on the Management of Superficial Venous Thrombosis**
Prof. Marianne De Maeseneer (NL)

1430 **Recommendations for the Prevention of Pregnancy-associated Venous Thromboembolism**
Dr Sanjeev Chunilal (VIC)

1445 **Update on Thrombolysis**
Prof. Lourens Bester (NSW)

1500 **IVC Filters: Do the Benefits Outweigh the Harms and Costs?**
Dr Sanjay Nadkarni (WA)

1515 **Panel Discussion**

1530

1530-1600 Afternoon Tea

1730-2330 **Conferring Ceremony and Gala Dinner**

Federation Concert Hall

Welcome Speech: His Excellency, The Hon. Peter Underwood, Governor of Tasmania

Opening Speech: The Hon. Michelle O'Byrne, Minister for Health, Tasmania

Ken Myers Oration: Professor Peter Rathjen, Deputy Chancellor, University of Tasmania

1730- Cocktails and Canapes

1830- Conferring Ceremony

Dress Code: Black Tie

1930- Gala Dinner

Theme: Masquerade



ACP Gala Dinner, Cairns, 2012

0800-1700 **REGISTRATION**

Perforators	
Chair: A/Prof. David McClure (VIC)	
Keypad Moderator: Dr David Connor (NSW)	
800	Keypad Interactive Survey of the Audience- Pre Dr David Connor (NSW)
810	The Normal Perforator - Unidirectional and/or Bidirectional ? Prof. Andre van Rij (NZ)
825	Treatment of Perforators with EVLA Dr Andrew Stirling (TAS)
825	Questions
THE GREAT DEBATE	
Guilty or Innocent (The Perforators)	
855	Innocent Dr David Jenkins (NSW)
905	Guilty Dr Andrew Stirling (TAS)
915	Innocent-Rebuttal Dr David Jenkins (NSW)
920	Guilty- Rebuttal Dr Andrew Stirling (NSW)
925	Keypad Interactive Survey of the Audience- Post Dr David Connor (NSW)
930	Panel Discussion

1000-1030 **Morning Tea**

Platelets, Sclerosants and Vascular Biology	
Chair: Prof Andre van Rij (NZ)	
Moderator: A/Prof. Kurosh Parsi (NSW)	
1030	Keynote Lecture Stem Cells and Implications in Vascular Disease Prof. David Ma (NSW)
1100	Keynote Lecture Platelets Prof. Steve Watson (UK)
1130	Detergent Sclerosants Activate Platelets but Inhibit Platelet Aggregation via Inhibition of GPIIb/IIIa Activation Dr David Connor (NSW)
1145	Morphological Changes in Human Platelets and Release of Microparticles After Exposure to Detergent Sclerosants Dr Osvaldo Cooley Andrade (NSW)
1200	Inhibition of GPIIb/IIIa Receptor by Detergents and Other Agents Prof. Steve Watson (UK)
1215	Panel Discussion

1230-1330 **Lunch**



Bruny Island Cruises, Tasmania











Venous Interventions (2)	
Chair: Dr Paul Thibault (NSW)	
Moderator: Dr Stuart McMaster (QLD)	
Review Lecture	
1330	Optimum Techniques for EVLA and An Overview of Other Endovenous Therapies Prof. Michael Gough (UK)
1345	Anomalous High Bifurcation of the Common Femoral Artery at the Groin: Management of GSV Incompetence with Endovenous Laser Ablation Dr Paul Hannah (QLD)
Recurrent Varicose Veins	
1400	Etiology and Pathophysiology of Varicose Vein Recurrence after Different Treatment Techniques Prof. Marianne De Maeseneer (NL)
1415	Endovenous and Adjuvant Treatment for Patients with Failed or Poor Initial Procedures Dr John Kingsley (USA)
1430	Surgery for Recurrent Varicose Veins: Toward a Less Invasive Approach Prof. Marianne De Maeseneer (NL)
1445	EVLA for Recurrent Varicose Veins Prof. Michael Gough (UK)
1500	Foam Sclerotherapy for Recurrent Varicose Veins Prof. Marianne De Maeseneer (NL)
1515	Panel Discussion

1530-1600 Afternoon Tea

Embolic Agents in Phlebology	
Chair: A/Prof. Kurosh Parsi (NSW)	
Moderator: Dr Ivor Berman (VIC)	
1600	Embolic Agents in the Management of Tumours Prof. Lourens Bester (NSW)
1615	Embolic Agents in the Management of Varicocoeles and Ovarian Vein Incompetence- Is There a Role for Sclerotherapy? Dr Sanjay Nadkarni (WA)
1630	An Update on the Management of AVMs Prof. Lourens Bester (NSW)
1645	Panel Discussion

Sponsored Business Presentation	
Host: Dr Louis Loizou (VIC)	
Chair: Dr Louis Loizou	
1700	OK, You Have Worked Hard, But Where is the Money Going?? Julio De Laffitte- JDL Strategies

1800	Champagne, Canapes and Guided Poster Presentations	
	Hosts: Prof. Michael Gough (UK), Prof. Ken Myers (VIC)	
	Best Poster Prize Judges: Prof. Michael Gough (UK), Prof. Ken Myers (VIC)	
	Prof. Marianne De Maeseneer (NL), Dr Fausto Passariello (ITA)	
	3 minute Poster Presentations	
P01		Haemodynamic Measurements Around a Femoral Vein Valve by Duplex Ultrasound Hayley Moore (UK)
P02		Venous Haemodynamics and Electrical Neuromuscular Stimulation - Preliminary Data Katherine Williams (UK)
P03		The Use of Vibration for Pain Reduction in Sclerotherapy: - both Vibro-Anaesthesia and Vibrating Needles Dr John Marx (VIC)
P04		How Should We Treat Complex Deep Venous Obstruction or Reflux? A Consensus Survey Hayley Moore (UK)
P05		Evaluation of Venous Thrombo-Embolic (VTE) Risk and Adequacy of Prophylaxis in High Risk Pregnancy in Saudi Arabia (The Saudi Arabian Pregnancy Venous Thromboembolism Registry) Dr Saud Abu-Harbesh (KSA)
P06		Thrombophilia Biomarkers in Malaysian Patients with Venous Thromboembolism (VTE) – A Cause for Concern? Dr Thiruchelvam Ayadurai (MAL)
P07		Intra Cardiac Thrombosis in a Case of Myelofibrosis Dr Nasim Valizadeh (IRA)
P08		The Burden of Superficial Venous Disease and the Disparity in Treatment Hayley Moore (UK)



BREAKFAST SESSION

Editorial Bash: Secrets of Successful Publishing in Scientific Journals

Chair: Prof David Ma, Head, Hematology Research Laboratory, St.Vincent's Hospital, Sydney

Moderator: A/Prof. Kurosh Parsi, Associate Editor, Australasian Journal of Dermatology (AJD)

Time: 6.30am - 8.00am

Harbourview Room 1



630 **Breakfast**

700 **EJVES: What the Editors Look for**

Prof. Michael Gough (UK)

Chief Editor: European Journal of Vascular and Endovascular Surgery (EJVES)

715 **How to Publish Successfully in a High Impact Factor Journal**

Prof. Steve Watson (UK)

Senior Editor: Journal of Thrombosis and Haemostasis (JTH)

730 **AJD: Impact Factor is Not Everything!**

Prof. Steve Shumack (NSW)

Chief Editor: Australasian Journal of Dermatology (AJD)

745 **Panel Discussion**

Disasters and Complications in Phlebology

Chair: Prof. Ken Myers (VIC)

Moderator: Dr David Jenkins (NSW)

800 **The Mystery of the Retained Laser Fibre- Lessons to be Learnt and a Phlebological Approach to Management**

Dr Chris Lekich (QLD)

810 **Guide Wire in the Jugular Vein after Endovenous Laser Therapy**

Dr John Kingsley (USA)

820 **Deep Vein Thrombosis after Varicose Vein Surgery- Association with Popliteal Vein Compression**

Dr David Huber (NSW)

830 **Deep Vein Occlusion (DVO) After Venous Interventions- Role of D-dimer Evaluation**

Dr Alison Bull (NSW)

840 **Deep Vein Thrombosis after Endovenous Thermal Ablation**

Prof. Marianne De Maeseneer (NL)

850 **Venous Thrombosis Induced by Thermal Ablative Therapy: Can Its Embolic Potential Be Ignored?**

Dr David McClure (VIC)

900 **Prophylaxis of Venous Thromboembolism in Phlebologic Practice**

Prof. Marianne De Maeseneer (NL)

910 **Microemboli are Visible in the Right Heart During Endothermal Ablation of Varicose Veins**

Hayley Moore (UK)

920 **Neurological Complications of Sclerotherapy**

Dr Robert Ma (NSW)

930 **Panel Discussion**

1000-1030 Morning Tea

Deep Venous Disease and CCSVI

Chair: Dr John Kingsley (USA)

Moderator: Dr Fausto Passariello (ITA)

1030 **Keynote Lecture**

Congenital Venous Valve Aplasia, Fox C2 Mutation and Implications for Understanding Venous Function

Prof. Andre van Rij (NZ)

1100 **Chronic Cerebrospinal Venous Insufficiency, Multiple Sclerosis and the Role of Chlamydia Pneumoniae**

Dr Paul Thibault (NSW)

1115 **Patients with Deep Vein Abnormalities Who Benefit from Treatment of Superficial Venous Disease**

Dr John Kingsley (USA)

1130 **Defining Deep Venous Reflux**

Prof. Andre van Rij (NZ)

1145 **Chronic Venous Insufficiency in Patients with Inferior Vena Cava Atresia**

Prof. Marianne De Maeseneer (NL)

1200 **The Case to Close the Femoral Vein after Ablation of the GSV**

Dr John Kingsley (USA)

1215 **Panel Discussion**

1230-1330 Lunch



Lymphatic Disease, Oedema and Lipoedema

Chair: Prof. Neill Piller (SA)

Moderator: Dr David Connor (NSW)

Keynote Lecture

1330	Role of Platelets in Lymphatic Development Prof. Steve Watson (UK)
1400	Measuring Lymphoedema/Oedema; How It Can Help Targeting and Sequencing of Treatment Prof. Neil Piller (SA)
1415	International Lymphoedema Framework Australia and the Broad Consultation Survey Kerryn Tutt (SA)
1430	Ultrasound Internal Volumetry in Lymphoedema Dr Fausto Passariello (ITA)
1445	Herbal Pharmacotherapies for Venous Insufficiency and Secondary Lymphoedema: Efficacy, Safety, and Evidence Based Medicine. Kathleen Wang (SA)
1500	The Lymph Eye Method in Lipoedema Dr Fausto Passariello (ITA)
1515	Panel Discussion

1530-1600 Afternoon Tea

Duplex Ultrasound

Chair: Prof. Ken Myers (VIC)

Moderator: Dr David Huber (NSW)

UIP Consensus

1600	Duplex Ultrasound Investigation of the Veins of the Lower Limbs after Treatment for Varicose Veins-UIP Consensus Recommendations Prof. Marianne De Maeseneer (NL)
1615	An Ultrasound Grading System to Assess Severity of Reflux Prof. Michael Gough (UK)
1630	Contrast Ultrasound in Microvalvular Venous Disease Prof. Andre van Rij (NZ)
1645	Haemodynamic Mapping of the Lower Limb Venous System Dr Fausto Passariello (ITA)
1700	The Functional Assessment of the Extracranial Venous Circulation in Neurological Disease Using Duplex Ultrasound Dr Paul Thibault (NSW)
1715	Assessment of the Venous Calf Pump by Duplex Ultrasound Dr Fausto Passariello (ITA)
1730	Panel Discussion

1745

1745 Closing Ceremony and Presentation of Prizes

1800

Invited Speakers Dinner

Villa Howden

By Invitation

1900 - Departure from Hotel Grand Chancellor





Conferring Ceremony & Launch of the Tasmanian Faculty

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Gala Dinner

The formal proceedings will be followed by the Gala Dinner. This years theme will be 'Masquerade'.

Date & Time

Tuesday 26 March 2013

Meet at 5.30pm at the Federation Concert Hall foyer for pre-ceremony drinks and canapes.



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Morning and Afternoon Tea

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Lunch

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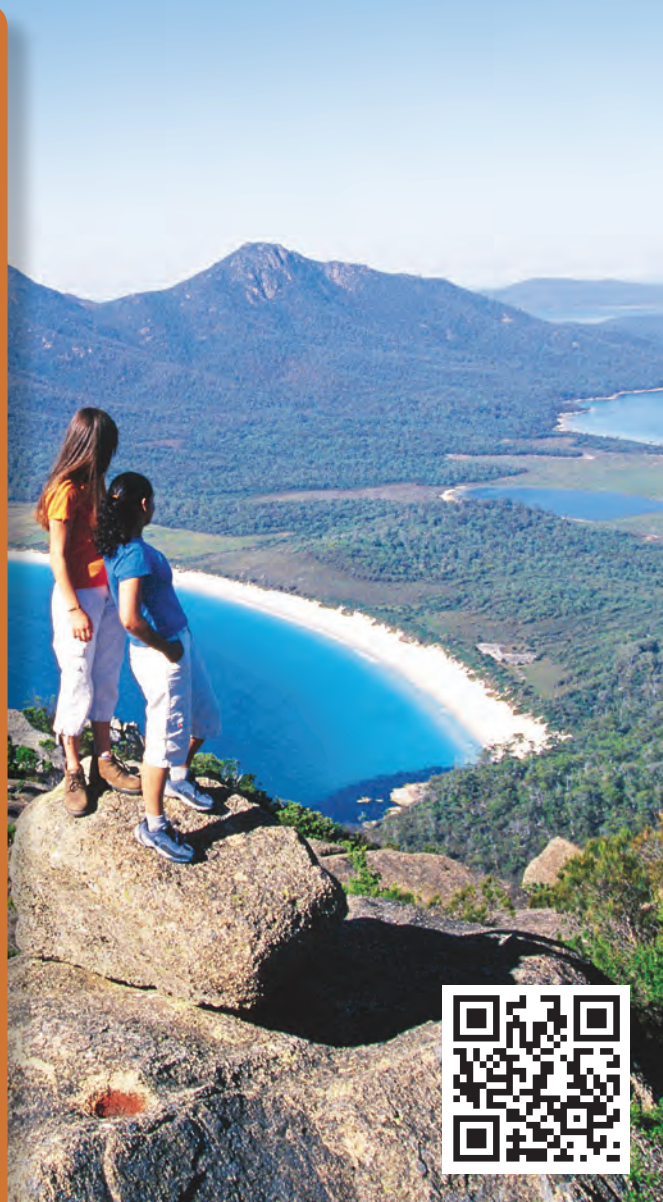
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