

CICM 2013 Annual Scientific Meeting Program

DOWN WITH DOGMA: CHALLENGING THE FUNDAMENTALS OF CRITICAL CARE

Friday 31st May

8.00 – 8.15 Welcome: Dr Ross Freebairn & Dr Paul Young

TOPIC		SPEAKER
8:15-10:15 SESSION 1: Down with dogma: Time for some radical thinking		
8:15-8:40	Thirty years of failed sepsis trials: are we stupid or what?	Prof Derek Angus
8:40-9:05	Cults, memes, gizmo idolatry, 'Wiki-truth' and the rise of magical thinking	Dr Stephen Streat
9:05-9:30	How practice misalignment creates illusions of knowledge.	Dr Charles Natanson
9:30-9:55	Is it time to think outside the box? - an iconoclastic view of current practice	Prof Luciano Gattinoni
9:55-10:15	Discussion	
10.15 – 10.45 MORNING TEA		
10:45-12:15 SESSION 2: Dogma in ICU research		
10:45-11:10	Centoxin and Xigris – What did we learn?	Dr Charles Natanson
11:10-11:35	Clinical trials – collateral benefit and the misguided pursuit of P<0.05	Prof Simon Finfer
11:35-12:00	Time to rethink trial design?	Prof Roger Lewis
12:00-12:15	Discussion	
12:15 – 13:15 LUNCH		
13:15– 14:15 SESSION 3: The Felicity Hawker Presentations		
14:15-15:45 SESSION 4: Sepsis		
14:15-14:40	Fluid resuscitation in sepsis: a talk arguing against the prevailing dogma that fluid resuscitation is the first line therapy for septic shock	Dr Andrew Hilton
14:40-15:05	A one week course of antibiotics – another misguided myth?	Prof Jeff Lipman
15:05-15:30	Blood pressure targets in sepsis: a talk arguing that common blood pressure targets are not evidence-based and supporting the use of beta blockers for sepsis (de catecholaminisation)	Prof Rinaldo Bellomo
15:30-15:45	Discussion	

15:45-16:15	AFTERNOON TEA	
16:15-17:20	SESSION 5: Toxicology and Kidneys	
16:15-16:40	Toxicological myths and half-truths	Dr Chris Nickson
16:40-17:05	Fluid boluses for oliguria: a trip into renal mythology	Prof Rinaldo Bellomo
17:05-17:20	Discussion	
17:30-18:00	Annual General Meeting	
18:00-19:30	Welcome Reception	

Saturday 1st June

7.45-8.45	Primary Exam Information Session	
9:00-10:30	SESSION 6: Oxygenation and ventilation: dogma breath?	
9:00-9:25	Extracorporeal CO2 removal	Prof Luciano Gattinoni
9:25-9:50	Neuromuscular paralysis in acute lung injury: dead dogma bouncing or good dogma that you can't keep down?	Dr Ross Freebairn
9:50-10:15	Recruitment manoeuvres: more studies or just more PEEP?	Prof Luciano Gattinoni
10:15 -10:30	Discussion	
10:30 – 11.00	MORNING TEA	
11:00-12:30	SESSION 7: ICU quality: time for a new paradigm	
11:00-11:25	Hallelujah It's Reigning Men?	Ass Prof Di Stephens
11:25-11:50	Bundles of care – treatment option or reflection of local logistic failure?	Prof Derek Angus
11:50-12:15	Bundled Care for Central Line Infection Prevention, Ventilator Associated Pneumonia and Sepsis: A good or bad idea?	Dr Charles Natanson
12:15-12:30	Discussion	
12:30 – 13:30	LUNCH	
13:30-14:30	SESSION 8: Free paper presentations (Concurrent Session)	SESSION 9: Free paper presentations (Concurrent Session)
14:35-15:40	SESSION 10: Processes of care	
14:35 -15:00	Regionalisation, telemedicine and community outreach	Prof Derek Angus
15:00 –15:25	Working on the system not just in the system	Dr David Galler
15:25 – 15:40	Discussion	
15:40 – 16:10	AFTERNOON TEA	
16:10-17:15	SESSION 11: Neurointensive Care	
16:10-16:35	An iconoclastic view of neurocritical care	Dr Oliver Flower
16:35-17:00	Decompressive craniectomy: never (for anything)	Dr Andrew Davies
17:00-17:15	Discussion	

Sunday 2nd June

7.45-8.45	Update on the Curriculum Review	
9:00-10:05	SESSION 12: Dogma tucker and dogma doo doo	
9:00-9:25	Feeding in critical illness: are the critically ill actually hungry?	Dr Andrew Davies
9:25- 9:50	If you don't poo every three days you die...or do you?	Prof Rinaldo Bellomo
9:50-10:05	Discussion	
10:05-10:30	MORNING TEA	
10:30-12:00	SESSION 13: Intensive care training and education: the dogma ate my homework	
10:30-10:55	Clinical examination in the modern era – what do we really need to teach?	Prof Bala Venkatesh
10:55-11:20	Social media and the internet: the future of medical education?	Dr Chris Nickson
11:20-11:45	The myth that shorter working hours happen and help	Dr John Morgan
11:45-12:00	Discussion	
12:00-12:15	2014 ASM Presentation	
12:15-12:30	2013 ASM Close	

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