



**Australasian Pancreatic Club
(APC)
Annual Meeting**

2016

**Sofitel Sydney Wentworth, 61-101 Philip Street
Sydney**

**Saturday 12th November 2016 and
Sunday 13th November 2016**



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The Australasian Pancreatic Club wishes to acknowledge and sincerely thank our generous supporters who have helped make this meeting possible.



Welcome

Welcome to the 16th Annual Meeting of the Australasian Pancreas Club (APC) at the Sofitel Sydney Wentworth, NSW. The Australasian Pancreatic Club (APC) was established in 2002 to provide a forum for clinicians and scientists with an interest in clinical and basic research into diseases of the exocrine pancreas. Current members of the APC include eminent gastroenterologists, surgeons and researchers from Australia, New Zealand, Germany, Japan, India, USA and UK.

The APC is pleased to spread the program over one and half days with the annual dinner taking place on Saturday evening. This year we have more sessions for Free papers, including both long and short presentations. We will be calling for Abstracts for free papers shortly.

This year's Annual meeting precedes the Cook Medical and RPA Pancreatico-Biliary Workshop and provides a great opportunity for clinicians to enjoy a truly exceptional 3 day educational program.

With limited seating arrangements early registration is a must. Attendance at this meeting for is free for APC members. Please indicate once you renew your membership if you will be attending the annual meeting. Membership for Members can be completed within minutes for July 1st 2016 to June 30th 2017 online at <http://pancreas.org.au/membership/>

<p>Membership Before September 1st 2016</p> <p>Students \$30</p> <p>Basic Scientist \$75</p> <p>Clinicians \$150</p>	<p><i>Membership After September 1st 2016</i></p> <p><i>Students \$50</i></p> <p><i>Basic Scientist \$100</i></p> <p><i>Clinicians \$200</i></p>
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For those wishing to attend the Cook Medical and RPA Pancreatico-Biliary Workshop don't forget to register on line : <https://vista.cookmedical.com/pancreatico-biliary>

We hope that you will also have the opportunity to bring your family and enjoy what Sydney has to offer.

Thank you for your participation and support of the APC and we look forward. Enjoy the meeting, Sydney and meeting up with old friends and making new friends.

APC Executive Committee

Brief Preliminary Program

Saturday November 12, 2016: 8.15am-5:00pm	
8:15-8:30	Convenor's Welcome and Program Outline
Session 1: Personalised medicine for pancreatic cancer	
8:30-8:45	Molecular subtypes of pancreatic adenocarcinoma TBA
8:45-9:00	Novel techniques of monitoring cancer response to chemotherapy Paul Timpson
9:00-9:15	Pancreatic cancer models –Role of organoids cultures Tracy Putoczki
9:15-9:30	Novel Botanical treatments for pancreatic cancer Chris Scarlett
9:30-10:00	Genetics and pancreatic cancer targeting Greg Neely
10:00-10:30	Morning Tea
Session 2: Pancreas – Stroma, Immunity and inflammation	
10:30-10:45	Stromal remodelling in pancreatic cancer Minote Apte
10:45-11:00	Manipulating the tumour microenvironment for treating pancreatic cancer Tracy Putoczki
11:00-11:30	New drug targets for pancreatic cancer Des Richardson
11:30-12:30	FREE PAPERS
12:30-1:30	Lunch
Session 3: Pancreas – Stroma, Immunity and Inflammation Continued	
1:30-1:45	Chronic Pancreatitis – What's the Story with Alcohol and Smoking Minote Apte
1:45-2:00	New insights into Acute pancreatitis John Windsor
2:00-3:00	FREE PAPERS
3:00-3:30	Afternoon Tea
Session 4: Screening/Genetics/Centralisation/Other	
3:15-3:30	Pancreatic Cancer Screening in Australia Alina Stoita
3:30-3:45	New Biomarkers for pancreatic cancers Lorraine Chantrill
3:45-4:00	Pancreatic Cancer Registries Dan Croagh
4:00-5:00	FREE PAPERS
END OF SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS	
5:15-6:00	APC Annual General Meeting
7:30	APC Dinner: Venue to be confirmed

Sunday November 13, 2016: 8.00am-12:30pm	
Session 1: Borderline Resectable and Locally Advanced Pancreas Cancer	
8:00-8:15	Defining Borderline Resectable and locally advanced Cancer Kourosh Haghighi
8:15-8:45	Neoadjuvant options for borderline and locally advanced pancreatic cancer Peter Grimison
8:45-9:00	Arterial approaches and role of arterial resection in pancreatic cancer David Yeo
9:00-9:15	Venous resection for pancreatic cancer and outcomes Jas Samra
9:15-10:15	FREE PAPERS
10:15-10:30	Morning Tea
Session 2: Improving Outcomes of Pancreatic disorders	
10:30-10:45	Centres of excellence to manage pancreatic disorders – Is there a role? John Windsor
10:45-11:00	Quality of Care of Pancreatic cancer patients in Australia Rachel Neale
11:00-11:15	Approach to the patient with severe pancreatitis and fluid collections: Percutaneous or Endoscopic Options? Sujie Chandran
11:15-11:30	Robotic and laparoscopic pancreaticoduodenectomy: Is there any short or long-term benefit? Charbel Sandroussi
11:30-12:15	FREE PAPERS
12:15-12:30	APC research prize Award

Special Clinical Session: ANZ Network of Pancreatology Centres	
1300: 13:40	Background and concept of Pancreatology Centres Dan Croagh
13:40-14:20	What makes up a Pancreatology centre? Anubhav Mittal
14:20-15:00	What are the benefits of a network of pancreatology centres? Nam Nguyen
1500-15:20	What governance is needed? Mehrdad Nikfarjam
15:20-15:30	Closing Remarks John Windsor

15:30- 18:00 7th Annual Cook Medical and RPA Pancreatico-Biliary Workshop Commences