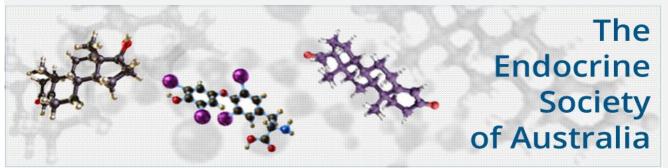


# ESA e-Bulletin



## 14 August 2014

## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Annual General Meeting of ESA will be held at Melbourne Convention Centre on Tuesday 26th August 2014 at 5.00pm. All members are encouraged to attend this meeting.

Click on the link to download the following documents.

#### ESA Audited Accounts 2014

## ESA AGM Agenda 26 August 2014

## ESA AGM minutes 27 August 2013

## **ESA Scholarships**

## **ESA Postdoctoral Award**

The purpose of the Award is for research in any area of endocrinology by recent post-doctoral scientists. The research must be conducted in Australia.

Deadline: 31 October 2014

Apply: <a href="http://www.endocrinesociety.org.au/awards-and-grants.asp#postdoc">http://www.endocrinesociety.org.au/awards-and-grants.asp#postdoc</a>

## **ESA Research Higher Degree Scholarship**

The purpose of the Scholarship is for research in any area of endocrinology. The research must be conducted in Australia.

Deadline: 31 October 2014

Apply: http://www.endocrinesociety.org.au/awards-and-grants.asp#schol

#### The ESA Ken Wynne Memorial Postdoctoral Research Award

The purpose of the Award is for research in endocrinology by post-doctoral scientists. The research must be conducted in

Deadline: 15 November 2014

Apply: http://www.endocrinesociety.org.au/awards-and-grants.asp#ESAKenWynne

#### PITUITARY FELLOWSHIP 2015

Applications are now invited for this position, suited to an endocrine trainee wishing to gain clinical and research expertise in pituitary disease. Applications must be submitted by Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> August, 2014. Please send cover letter with CV by email to:

Dr Ann McCormack Staff Specialist Endocrinology St Vincent's Hospital and Garvan Institute of Medical Research a.mccormack@garvan.org.au

Queries are welcome: (02) 9295 8489 (Dr Ann McCormack)

(02) 9295 8482 (Suzanne Emery, department secretary)

## Position description:

- 1 year full time (9am-5pm) from beginning of clinical year 2015 until beginning of clinical year
  2016, within Department of Endocrinology, St Vincent's Hospital and Garvan Institute of Medical Research
- · Suitable for endocrine trainee or post FRACP award
- · Clinical duties
  - o Active role in pituitary/endocrine outpatient clinics
  - o Attendance and presentation of clinical cases and journals at department and Sydney meetings
- Research
  - o Primary involvement in 1-2 clinical or translational pituitary and related research projects
  - o Option to extend to PhD
- Fellow may elect to take up after hours on call on a separate contract with the hospital

## **Elsevier Post Doc Access Program for scholars in between contracts**

Elsevier have announced free journal access to researchers in between contract or if they are independently sub-contracting.

The initiative stemmed from the International Consortium of Research Staff Associations (ICoRSA) discussion with Elsevier regarding the difficulty facing researchers in between contracts.

- In a large majority of cases after a researcher contract is over, researchers are cut off from academic journal access, and thus are not able to continue their research, until they start another contract.
- Similar problems are faced by researchers that make the big jump to become independent subcontractors, who sub-contract themselves back to a university. Journal access for research could be prohibitively expensive.

## Following is the link:

http://www.elsevier.com/journal-authors/an-opportunity-for-postdoctoral-scholars

## ESA Clinical Weekend 2014, 22-24 August, Peppers The Sands, Torquay, Victoria



The Organising Committee have pleasure in welcoming clinical endocrinologists and trainees to the Clinical Weekend. The program will follow the successful format of previous years, featuring the presentation of high quality clinical cases by Advanced Trainees in an interactive small group setting. The focus of this year's meeting will be in the areas of Pituitary and Bone endocrinology.

Website: <a href="http://www.esaclinicalweekend.org.au/">http://www.esaclinicalweekend.org.au/</a>

Convenor: A/Professor Shane Hamblin

## **ESA/SRB Annual Scientific Meeting**

The Annual Scientific Meeting of the Endocrine Society of Australia and the Society for Reproductive Biology





24th - 27th August, 2014 Melbourne Convention & Exhibition Centre, VIC



The 57<sup>th</sup> ESA and 45<sup>th</sup> SRB Combined Annual Conferences are being held at the Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre from Sunday 24<sup>th</sup>until Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> August 2014.

The aim of these joint conferences is to showcase the breadth of Reproductive Biology and Endocrinology research occurring within Australia and around the world.

Website:

## ESA Future meetings – dates for the diary

ESA Seminar Meeting 2015, 1-3 May, Novotel Manly Pacific, Sydney

ESA Clinical Weekend 2015, 21-23 August, Adelaide

ESA/SRB ASM 2015, 23-26 August, Adelaide Convention Centre

#### The CEN Educational Modules

In 2013, the Endocrine Society of Australia joined the Society for Endocrinology (UK) in adopting Clinical Endocrinology (CEN) as their Society's official journal.

This was a stimulus for the Editors to activate an initiative, which had been planned for 2 years to "unlock the educational potential" of the Journal. Although the Journal's Impact factor (currently 3.4) remains the key benchmark, the Editors believe that articles published in a Society's clinical journal should also be tailored for continuing education and specialist training.

CEN Educational modules are based on articles which are in press or recently published in CEN. The module expands the paper into a topic by including:

Revision Material to provide background, Take Home messages to emphasise the clinical points, Expert Commentary to integrate the material from the article into the current literature - useful for preparation of Journal Club presentations. Multiple Choice Questions (using FRACP format and standard) to test understanding of the module content.

Historical Context to provide a broader understanding of the Art and History of Endocrinology. The modules identify the components of the RACP and RCP's curricula which are covered by the module and each module has clearly defined Learning Objectives. On completion of the module, a printed certificate documenting time spent on the module can be downloaded for CPD purposes.

#### The modules are accessible by registering at:

www.wileyhealthlearning.com/cen

To date the website contains the following modules:

Module 1. Giant Prolactinoma

Module 2. Metabolic consequences of long menstrual cycles

Module 3. Pheochromocytoma crisis.

**Module 4**. Maternal hypothyroxinaemia and it's effects on the child.

Modules completed ready to be released:

Module 5. Pubertal Gynaecomastia. (August 1st)

**Module 6.** Insulin autoimmune syndrome. (September 1st)

**Modules 7** Fetal programming and maternal nutrition (October 1st)

Module 8. Bone markers, Skeletal mineralisation and Small for Gestational Age (October 1st)

Modules assigned and in preparation

Module 9. Mineralocorticoid replacement and 21 Hydroxylase deficiency and Transition

care. (November 1st)

Module 10. Thyroid cancer markers and prognosis (December 1st)

**Module 11.** Primary Hyperaldosteronism (December 1st).

Each module is written by either an advanced trainee or a consultant endocrinologist with an interest in the particular topic from Australia or the UK. The module is then reviewed by an expert in the field to ensure balance and validity of the material. Stephen Judd is the CEN senior editor, overseeing the project. He welcomes feedback on the modules and invites anyone interested in writing a module to contact him.

Stephen.Judd@flinders.edu.au

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

#### 2014

#### 17-20 August 2014

The International Congress of Neuroendocrinology 2014 including the 18th Annual Meeting of the Society for Behavioural Neuroendocrinology

Hilton Sydney

http://www.neuroendocrinology2014.org/

#### 25-28 August 2014

ESA/SRB ASM

Melbourne Convention Centre http://www.esa-srb.org.au/

#### 27-29 August 2014

ADS/ADEA ASM

Melbourne Convention Centre

www.ads-adea.org.au

#### 7-10 September 2014

24<sup>th</sup> ASM of ANZBMS

Queenstown, New Zealand https://www.anzbms.org.au/

## 12-15 September 2014

ASBMR 2014

Houston, Texas, USA

http://www.asbmr/meetings

#### 22-26 September 2014

2014 AANMS MasterClass

Rarotonga, Cook Islands

Programme and Registration

## 25-27 September 2014

14th International Workshop MULTIPLE ENDOCRINE NEOPLASIA and other rare endocrine tumours.

Vienna

Website:www.worldmen2014.at

#### **26-28 September 2014**

18<sup>th</sup> Congress of the Australasian Menopause Society Auckland, New Zealand

 $\frac{http://www.menopause.org.au/health-professionals/ams-congress-2014}{}$ 

#### 15-18 October 2014

7th International Congress of the GRS and IGF Society Singapore

http://www.grs-igf2014.org/default.aspx

#### 16-18 October 2014

Australian New Zealand Obesity Society (ANZOS) ASM in conjunction with the Australian Lifestyle Medicine Association (ALMA)

Brighton Beach, Sydney

Website: http://www.anzos2014.org.au/

#### 16-19 October 2014

7<sup>th</sup> International conference on Osteoporosis and Bone research

Xiamen, China

www.csobmr.org.cn/2014

#### 29 October - 1 November 2014

Asia Pacific Paediatric Endocrine Society (APPES) & Australasian Paediatric Endocrine Group (APEG) Joint

Darwin, Australia

Website:http://www.appes2014.com/

#### 14-16 November 2014

IOF 5<sup>th</sup> Asia Pacific Osteoporosis Meeting

Chinese Taipei

Website: http://iofbonehealth.org/taipei-2014

#### 14-15 November 2014

11<sup>th</sup> Asia Pacific Conference on Diabetic Limb Problems

Monash University, Melbourne Website: www.apcdlp2014.com

## 16-19 November 2014

AHMRC

Melbourne

Website: http://www.ahmrcongress.org.au/

## 5-7 December 2014

The 2<sup>nd</sup> World Congress of Clinical Lipidology

Vienna, Austria

Website: www.clinical-lipidology.com

#### 2015

## 5-8 March 2015

ENDO 2015

San Diego, CA, USA

https://www.endocrine.org/meetings/endo-annual-meeting-

related-pages/past-and-future-endo-meetings

## 16-17 April 2015

Sydney Diabetic Foot Conference

Liverpool Hospital, Sydney

**Flyer** 

#### 25-28 April 2015

ECTS IBMS Joint Meeting

Rotterdam, The Netherlands

Website: http://www.ects-ibms2015.org/

#### 26-29 March 2015

WCO-IOF-ESCEO

Milan, Italy

Website: http://www.wco-iof-esceo.org/

## 26-29 March 2015

The 6th International Conference on Fixed Combination in the Treatment of Hypertension, Dyslipidemia and Diabetes Mellitus

Berlin, Germany

Website: http://2015.fixedcombination.com/

#### 1-3 May 2015

ESA Seminar Meeting

Novotel, Manly Pacific, Sydney

Website: http://www.esaseminar.org.au/

#### 27-30 June 2015

7<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Children's Bone Health

Salzburg, Austria <a href="http://www.iccbh.org/">http://www.iccbh.org/</a>

#### 21-23 August 2015

ESA Clinical Weekend

Adelaide, SA

Website: http://www.esaclinicalweekend.org.au/

#### 23-26 August 2015

ESA/SRB ASM

Adelaide Convention Centre Website: <a href="http://www.esa-srb.org.au/">http://www.esa-srb.org.au/</a>

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ADS/ADEA ASM

Adelaide Convention Centre

Website: http://www.ads-adea.org.au/

#### 7-10 October 2015

ISPAD/APEG Annual Meeting

Brisbane, QLD

http://www.ispad-apeg.com/

#### 9-12 October 2015

ASBMR 2015

Seattle, Washington, USA <a href="http://www.asbmr/meetings">http://www.asbmr/meetings</a>

#### 1-4 November 2015

ANZBMS ASM

Hobart, Tasmania

Website: https://www.anzbms.org.au/

#### 2016

## 1-4 April 2016

ENDO

Boston, MA

Website: https://www.endocrine.org/meetings/endo-annual-

meetings

## 19-21 August 2016

ESA Clinical Weekend

Queensland

Website: http://www.esaclinicalweekend.org.au/

#### 21-24 August 2016

ESA/SRB Annual Scientific Meeting Gold Coast Convention Centre Website: http://www.esa-srb.org.au/

#### 25-28 August 2016

ADS/ADEA Annual Scientific Meeting

Gold Coast Convention Centre

Website: http://www.ads-adea.org.au/

#### 31 August - 4th September 2016

ICE/ENDO

Beijing, China

Website: http://www.endosociety.com/events.html

#### 16-19 September 2016

ASBMR Annual Meeting

Atlanta, Georgia, USA

Website: <a href="http://www.asbmr.org/meetings/annualmeeting.aspx">http://www.asbmr.org/meetings/annualmeeting.aspx</a>

## 6-9 November 2016

**AHMRC** 

Gold Coast Convention Centre

Website: http://www.ahmrcongress.org.au/

#### 2017

#### 25-28 March 2017

ANZBMS/IBMS Joint Meeting

Brisbane, Queensland

Website: https://www.anzbms.org.au/

#### 1-4 April 2017

**ENDO** 

Orlando, Florida

Website: https://www.endocrine.org/meetings/endo-annual-

meetings

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