

27 June 2018

Queen's Birthday 2018 Honours - Congratulations to ESA members

Member (AM) in the General Division

Professor Iain James CLARKE Malvern East Vic 3145 For significant service to medicine in the field of endocrinology and neuroendocrinology, and to medical research into reproductive biology.

Medal (OAM) in the General Division

Dr Simon John GRANT Mittagong NSW 2575 For service to medicine, particularly to endocrinology.

Medal (OAM) in the General Division

Mr Ian Starr WHEATLEY Tea Gardens NSW 2324 For service to pharmaceutical science.

Medal (OAM) in the General Division

Professor Margaret Rosemary ZACHARIN Surrey Hills Vic 3127 For service to medicine, particularly to paediatric endocrinology.

John Coghlan 22.3.1934 - 19.5.2018

[Obituary Notice, John Coghlan 22.3.1934 - 19.5.2018](#)

RACP/ESA Webinar – Dr Ada Cheung – Transgender Medicine

You are invited to a Zoom webinar.

When: Jun 27, 2018 6:00 PM Canberra, Melbourne, Sydney

Topic: ESA Webinar 1 - Dr Ada Cheung

Register in advance for this webinar:

https://racp.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_ufKzUFrcSPsrcKzRQ9uUKg

RACP/ESA Webinar – Associate Professor Carolyn Allan

You are invited to a Zoom webinar.

When: Tuesday, 10 July 2018 at 5:00 PM (Canberra, Melbourne, Sydney)

Topic: ESA Webinar 2 - Associate Professor Carolyn Allan

Register in advance for this webinar: https://racp.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_hLqPSBj4SeSwUPuFynvfCg

ISE Education Needs Assessment Survey

Please see below a link to complete a Needs Assessment survey we are conducting to help identify unmet education needs for endocrinologists within our global community and shape our exciting new online hub - linking our live and online education resources with member materials and networking tools for the benefit of our unique federation of National Endocrinology societies.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/69RWMGR>

We really value the opinion of you and your committees and kindly request you to complete and share the needs assessment with your colleagues to complete by **Wednesday 4th July**.



18TH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF ENDOCRINOLOGY
JOINTLY WITH THE 53RD SEMDSA CONGRESS

1-4 DECEMBER | CAPE TOWN | SOUTH AFRICA

PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME ONLINE

The local and international Program Organising Committee have worked hard to put together an outstanding scientific program for **ICE 2018** consisting of 13 parallel sessions comprising 11 plenary lectures, 75 symposia and 90 MTPs across 3 1/2 days of endocrinology education and networking set to the back drop of captivating Cape Town.

Download the day by day program-at-a-glance from the official congress website [here](#) or browse the preliminary program, [here](#).

MEET THE SPEAKERS



A world-class speaker line-up is set to present their latest research at **ICE 2018**.

Almost 300 global experts will gather in Cape Town in December this year to share their perspective and up-to-date advances in their specialist areas of Diabetes, Obesity, Lipids, Cardiovascular, Adrenal, Thyroid, HPA axis, Reproduction, Bone, Calcium, Metabolism, GH/IGF-I/Growth Factors, Neuroendocrinology, Pituitary, Aging, Pediatrics, Receptors and more.

Visit the official congress website to browse the confirmed speakers and their biographies here:

<http://www.ice2018.org/index.php/programme/meet-our-speakers>

DISCOUNTED REGISTRATION FEE FOR ALL YOUR MEMBERS!



ALL individual members of ISE National Societies (that's approximately 55,000 endocrinologists!) are eligible to register at the ISE Member rate and benefit from **\$150 discount** in addition to significantly discounted rates for trainees and nurses. Registration includes access to all sessions, exhibition, refreshment breaks and an unmissable Welcome Reception taking place on Saturday 1 December 2018.

[For the best value, register at the Early Bird rate by 31st July!](#)

Evolve

Three RACP Evolve training resources are now available, which provide examples of how to include the Evolve Top 5 List recommendations in 'difficult conversations' between:

- [a patient and a physician \(A/Prof Mark Lane\)](#)
- [a carer and a physician \(Dr Sarah Dalton\)](#)
- [an Advanced Trainee and a Fellow \(Dr Brendan Ng, Dr Nick Buckmaster\)](#)

These can be accessed on the Evolve website at: <https://evolve.edu.au/resources>

Diabetes Management Journal, the official journal of Diabetes Australia, is calling for urgent help.

A writer has fallen through at the 11th hour and they are in need of an endocrinologist to write a short article for the August issue on Managing a Hypoglycaemic Episode. The publication audience comprises members of RACGP, ADS, ADEA as well as APNA and Pharmacy Guild of Australia.

Please urgently contact editor, Justin Coleman (dmjeditor@tangelo.com.au) if you have the time and inclination to contribute to the journal in the next couple of weeks (by 12 July). Below is the article brief:

I am a GP at Inala Indigenous Health in Brisbane (my bio is [here](#)) and also Editor of the Diabetes Management Journal (DMJ), which is posted to all Australian GPs – the latest online version is [here](#) with password DADMJ2018

The DMJ is a 3-monthly journal and I would like to feature an article about the management of hypoglycaemic episodes.

Hence, I am wondering whether you would be available to write an article, consisting of two pages (1000-1200 words) of background text and then a double-page pull-out diagram which our art department would design, based on a flow chart or algorithm for how to manage hypos.

The sort of dot-points that occur to me are:

- We're after practical suggestions for GPs. The DMJ aims to be as practical as possible – we leave the focussed research to the research journals and try to make DMJ an interesting, useful read for ordinary clinicians rather than academics.
- The pull-out diagram would be an illustrated flow chart which GPs might put on the wall of their procedure room.
- I would imagine (although we would discuss) that the illustrations might be divided into levels of severity – ranging from the alert patient who feels early symptoms or notes a low BGL, through to a confused patient who can't follow instructions, through to an unconscious patient requiring IV access. However, we would stop short of a fully equipped ED...this is aimed at standard GP equipment and a doctor who only sees an occasional emergency.
- The text before the pull-out would provide a background to hypoglycaemia. Things that spring to mind as being of interest to GPs are perhaps a little on some basic glucose pathophysiology; consistency of relationship between BGL and symptoms; frequency of hypo episodes in Australian adults/kids; the degree of culpability of insulin vs that of food/exercise; what degree of hypo it takes to 'cause damage'.
- You will have your own thoughts on other points, no doubt – happy to chat

RACP Specialty Society Webinar Series - Metabolic Bone Health (ANZBMS)

Dear Endocrinologists and Advanced Trainees,

We are pleased to announce that this year the ANZBMS was selected by the RACP to participate in a Specialty Society Webinar Series to promote and improve education in metabolic bone health.

The webinar series will consist of the 3 important topics presented by experts in the field:

- 1. Prof Peter Ebeling – Wednesday 18 July. Post-transplant osteoporosis/bone health (including solid organ and bone marrow transplant)**
- 2. Prof Emma Duncan – Tuesday 18 September. Pre-menopausal osteoporosis (including POI and the female athlete)**
- 3. Prof John Eisman – Wednesday 17 October. Stopping osteoporosis mediations- when, why and how.**

Please save the date. Further details will be provided closer to the time of presentation.

Kind regards, Sabashini Ramchand and Jasna Aleksova
ANZBMS ECIC Clinical Representatives

Survey

Prescribing Endocrinologists and Physicians to gain knowledge of their treatment rational used in medication selection and adjustment in GDM.

[Link for specialists and prescribers](https://survey.its.uq.edu.au/Checkbox/Survey-for-medical-practitioners-in-MetGD-study.aspx)

<https://survey.its.uq.edu.au/Checkbox/Survey-for-medical-practitioners-in-MetGD-study.aspx>

Link for Diabetes Educators

<https://survey.its.uq.edu.au/Checkbox/Survey-for-diabetes-educators-in-MetGD-study.aspx>

FUNDING GRANTS FOR WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

Women & Leadership Australia (WLA) is administering a national initiative to support the development of female leaders across Australia's health care sector.

The initiative is providing women working in the sector with grants to enable participation in a range of leadership development programs.

The leadership development programs are part-time and delivered nationally via WLA's blended learning model. Scholarship funding is strictly limited and will be awarded based on a set of selection criteria being met.

Expressions of Interest

Find out more and register your interest by completing the Expression of Interest form here prior to September 7, 2018:

www.wla.edu.au/health

PATIENT RESOURCES IN ENDOCRINOLOGY- a partnership between ESA and the US Endocrine Society



Hormone Health
NETWORK®
FROM THE ENDOCRINE SOCIETY

<http://www.endocrinesociety.org.au/patient-resources/index.asp>

The Endocrine Society of Australia have established an international collaboration with the US Endocrine Society to adapt patient information to the Australian setting and make them readily available.

These resources are rigorously developed, evidence based and aimed to support patients to understand their endocrine condition with the support of their doctor.

Click for resources

These are available in both English and Chinese.

*This information is designed to be informative and educational. It is not intended to provide specific medical advice or replace advice from your doctor.

*Please note that only the information on the Australian link below is adapted to national settings including medications and tests. Other resources on the US website may be helpful but may not be consistent with Australian practice.

2018

30 June – 3 July 2018

8th International Workshop on Advances in the Molecular Pharmacology and Therapeutics of Bone and other Musculoskeletal Diseases (MolPharm)
Oxford, UK
Website: <http://www.molpharmworkshop.org>

15-18 July 2018

9th International Congress of Neuroendocrinology
Toronto, Canada.
www.icn2018.org

27-28 July 2018

Obesity Management Workshop for Health Professionals
The University of Sydney, Camperdown
https://sydney.onestopsecure.com/onestopweb/VWQ/tran?DS_ACTION=DEFAULT&UDS_ACTION_DATA=1307

29 July – 1 August 2018

APEG Annual Scientific Meeting
Newcastle, NSW
Website: <https://apeg.org.au/>

17-19 August 2018

ESA Clinical Weekend
Adelaide Convention Centre
Website: <http://www.esaclinicalweekend.org.au/>

19-22 August 2018

ESA/SRB ASM
Adelaide Convention Centre
Website: <http://www.esa-srb.org.au/>

31 August – 2 September 2018

Australasian Menopause Society Congress - "Menopause: Making Choices"
Brisbane
Website: <http://ams2018.org/>

2-5th September 2018

ANZBMS ASM
Rydges Hotel, Queenstown, New Zealand
Website: <http://anzbms.qteventmanagement.co.nz/>

14-17 September 2018

International Congress of GH and IGF
Seattle, USA
Website: <http://grs-igf2018.com/home.aspx>

16-18 October 2018

ANZOS
Melbourne Convention Centre
Website: <http://www.anzos-mdo2018.org/>

9-11 November 2018

APNETS 2018
Melbourne
Website: <http://apnets2018.org/>

1-4 December 2018

ICE 2018
Cape Town, South Africa
Website: <http://www.endosociety.com/events.html>

2019

18-21 August 2019

ESA/SRB ASM
ICC Sydney
Website: <http://www.esa-srb.org.au/>

2020

9-3 October 2020

ICE 2020
Buenos Aires, Argentina
Website: <http://www.endosociety.com/events.html>

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