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## Congratulations to ESA 2016 Award winners

ESA Senior Plenary Award	-	Wayne Tilley
Novartis Junior Scientist Award	-	Ashlee Clark
Servier Award	-	Justin Chen
Bryan Hudson Clinical Award	-	Mark Ng Tang Fui
IPSEN International travel award	-	Aneta Stefanidis
		Rajini Sreenivasan
		Alexander Rodriguez
AWE Award	-	Ada Cheung
		Sally Abell

## ESA Scholarships and Fellowships

Website: <http://www.endocrinesociety.org.au/awards-and-grants.asp>

ESA Postdoctoral Award	30 October 2016
ESA Research Higher Degree Scholarship	30 October 2016
The ESA Ken Wynne Memorial Postdoctoral Research Award	16 November 2016

## Metabolic Diseases; breakthrough discoveries in Diabetes and Obesity

Dear All,

I would like to bring to your attention an exciting meeting on Metabolic Diseases; breakthrough discoveries in Diabetes and Obesity.

The meeting will feature some of the leading international scientists in the obesity and type 2 diabetes fields, including **Philipp Scherer**(University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center), **Joel Elmquist** (University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center), **Matthew Rodeheffer**(Yale School of Medicine), **Anton Bennett** (Yale School of Medicine), **Frank Reimann** (University of Cambridge, UK) and **Jun Wu** (University of Michigan), as well as some of the very best Australian diabetes and obesity researchers including **David James**, **Jenny Gunton**, **Leonie Heilbronn**, **Herbert Herzog**, **Stephen Simpson** and **Mark Febbraio** to name a few.

There will be a number of short talks to be selected from submitted abstracts. 3 Poster prizes contributed by Cell Met and FEBS J at the conference.

When: December 1-2

Where: St Kilda, Melbourne

For further information and registration details see <http://www.mdo.events>

**Flyer**

Kind regards, Belinda Henry

(On behalf of the organizing committee)

**WESTERN SYDNEY**  
UNIVERSITY



***Are you interested in getting help to lose weight?***

Researchers at Western Sydney University are conducting a study investigating a new and innovative psychological treatment to help obese people to lose weight. The study is now looking for participants. Treatment during the research trial will involve attending 8 weekly individual sessions with a psychologist followed by 12 (2hr) weekly group weight loss sessions. These sessions are designed to assist people to change their diet and exercise behaviour. Sessions will be held at Bankstown or Kingswood. All treatment is free.

To be involved you need to be between 18-55yrs and have a body mass index (BMI) of 30 or above. You also need to have completed 10 years of education in English.

For more information email the research team at: [weightlosstrialswsu@gmail.com](mailto:weightlosstrialswsu@gmail.com)

*The study is being conducted by Dr Evelyn Smith. (Ethics no: H11475)*

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## The Annual Endocrine Society of Australia Seminar 2017

26 - 28 May 2017  
The Langham Melbourne

[www.esaseminar.org](http://www.esaseminar.org)



On behalf of the Program Organising Committee, I warmly invite you to attend the ESA Seminar 2017 to be held from 26 - 28 May at the Langham Hotel, Melbourne.

This meeting will focus on the management of pituitary disease, with a second theme of bone disease. I am delighted to announce that our international invited speaker is **Prof Ashley Grossmann**, Professor of Endocrinology at the University of Oxford, and current President of the Pituitary Society. Ashley has published 470 peer-reviewed papers in the field of hypothalamo-pituitary regulation, pituitary tumours and endocrine oncology. He will present the Plenary Lecture on Cushing's Disease, co-chair a panel discussion on difficult pituitary cases and present a 'Meet-the-Professor'. Other sessions chaired and presented by a range of nationally and internationally recognised experts will cover hot topics in the management of pituitary and bone disease. I look forward to welcoming you to the Seminar in Melbourne, and anticipate this will continue the succession of successful meetings enjoyed over recent years characterised by their collegiate spirit and convivial atmosphere, as well as relevant and topical educational presentations.

With best wishes



**Bu Yeap**

*University of Western Australia*

*ESA Seminar 2017 Convenor*

### Find an Endocrinologist

The Endocrine Society of Australia receives regular enquiries to recommend an endocrinologist with particular interests or expertise. Endocrinology is a broad field, which includes some very common conditions, but also some very rare ones. As a result, people who have rare conditions may benefit from seeing a specialist with additional experience or expertise. The Society comprises clinical endocrinologists and also scientists, who research endocrine disorders but do not see patients. Clinical members of the Society have been invited to submit their contact details and self-nominated areas of interest. Please note that the Endocrine Society of Australia is providing this as a community service to help patients find a suitable endocrinologist (considering both geographical issues and area of interest). The Society is not endorsing or recommending any of the listed clinicians or their degree of expertise.

The general public will be able to search for an Endocrinologist in this section: <http://www.endocrinesociety.org.au/search-for-an-endocrinologist.asp>

If you would like to be listed in 'Find an Endocrinologist' Log in at the ESA homepage: <http://www.endocrinesociety.org.au/>  
Go to edit my details

## **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.



### **14th Annual Meeting of the Androgen Excess & PCOS Society**

Next annual meeting of AEPCOS Society will be held November 10-12, 2016 in Lorne, Victoria, Australia. The conference venue is the Mantra Lorne Resort, Mountjoy Parade, 3232 Lorne, Victoria, Australia.

The Mantra Lorne Resort is located along the Great Ocean Road, one of the most famous attractions of Australia. Melbourne airport is one hour away. It is the only property in Lorne that has direct beach access and represents an ideal base for exploring the Twelve Apostles, some wonderful beaches and Erskine Falls. Airport transportation information will be sent to all registered people.

The Society is pleased to announce that it will make available funds for Childcare Assistance and travel awards for Early-Stage Investigators to attend the annual meeting.

Those interested in being considered for Childcare Assistance should check the appropriate box on the registration form.

Preliminary Program  
Registration Form

Abstract Submission Form (PDF)

Abstract Submission Form (Word)

Website: <http://www.ae-society.org/sub/meetings.php>

## 2016

### 16-19 September 2016

ASBMR Annual Meeting  
Atlanta, Georgia, USA  
Website: <http://www.asbmr.org/meetings/annualmeeting.aspx>

### 28 September-1 October 2016

World Congress on the Menopause, International Menopause Society  
Prague, Cz  
[http://www.imsociety.org/world\\_congress.php](http://www.imsociety.org/world_congress.php)

### 19-21 October 2016

ANZOS ASM  
Brisbane Convention and Exhibition Centre  
Website: <https://www.anzos.com/>

### 24-26 October 2016

Celebrating the career of Professor Iain Clarke  
Byron Bay, NSW

### 29 October 2016

Introducing GLEEM 2016  
Crowne Plaza, Coogee Beach, Sydney  
Registration: <https://www.trybooking.com/MEMC>  
**Flyer**

### 4-6 November 2016

IOF Regionals 6th Asia-Pacific Osteoporosis Meeting  
Singapore  
Website: <https://www.iofbonehealth.org/Singapore-2016>

### 6-9 November 2016

8<sup>th</sup> International Congress of the GRS and IGF Society  
Tel Aviv, Israel  
<http://www.grs-igf2016.com/>

### 10-12 November 2016

Androgen Excess and PCOS Society's annual meeting  
Lorne, Victoria  
Website: <http://www.ae-society.org/annual-meeting>

### 13-15 November 2016

AHMRC  
Gold Coast Convention Centre  
Website: <http://www.ahmrcongress.org.au/>

### 18-20 November 2016

Australian Menopause Society Congress  
Fremantle. WA.  
Website: <http://www.menopause.org.au/health-professionals/ams-congress-2016>

### 1-2 December 2016

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## 2017

### 10-12 February 2017

Third World Congress of Clinical Lipidology  
Brisbane, Australia  
Website: <http://clinical-lipidology.com/>

### 16-19 March 2017

Asia Oceania Thyroid Association (AOTA) Congress in conjunction with the Annual Scientific Meeting of the Korean Thyroid Association (KTA)  
Busan Lotte Hotel, Busan, Korea  
Website: [www.aota2017.com](http://www.aota2017.com)

### 1-4 April 2017

ENDO  
Orlando, Florida  
Website: <https://www.endocrine.org/meetings/endo-annual-meetings>

### 26-28 May 2017

ESA Seminar Meeting  
Langham, Melbourne  
Website: <http://www.esaseminar.org.au/>

### 17-21 June 2017

ANZBMS/IBMS Joint Meeting  
Brisbane, Queensland  
Website: <https://www.anzbms.org.au/>

### 27-30 July 2017

3<sup>rd</sup> World Congress on Thyroid Cancer  
Boston, USA  
Website: <http://thyroidworldcongress.com/>

### 25-27 August 2017

ESA Clinical Weekend  
Esplanade Hotel, Fremantle, WA  
Website: <http://www.esaclinicalweekend.org.au/>

### 27 August – 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2017

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

## 2018

### 1-4 December 2018

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

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