

# 9th

# Postgraduate Course: Advanced Techniques in



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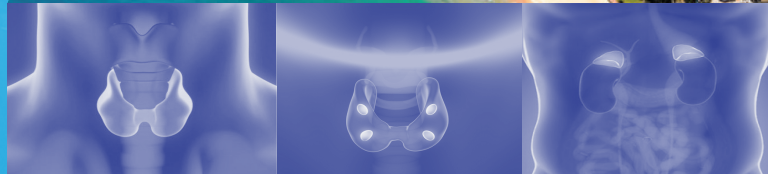
# Endocrine Surgery

11th-12th

November 2022

Manly Pacific Sydney,

Manly, Australia



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The two-day program will include case-based interactive sessions and updates from leading experts in Endocrine Surgery, Endocrinology, Otolaryngology and Anatomical Pathology.

### Sessions will include:

1. Challenging cases in Endocrine Surgery
2. Novel ablative techniques for thyroid nodules
3. "How I do it" video sessions
4. Thyroid cancer symposium and risk stratification
5. Management of voice changes before and after thyroid surgery
6. Advances in Endocrine Surgical Pathology
7. Genetic analysis of thyroid nodules and malignancy
8. Targeted molecular therapies in thyroid cancer
9. New techniques in parathyroid imaging.

This educational activity has been approved in the RACS CPD Program. RACS Fellows, Specialist International Medical Graduates (SIMGs) and surgeons participating in the RACS CPD Program can claim one point per hour in Educational Activities. Participation in this activity will be entered into your RACS CPD which can be accessed through ehub.

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Australian and New Zealand Endocrine Surgeons (ANZES) invite you to join us for the 9th Postgraduate Course on the beautiful Northern Beaches of Sydney for two days of informative presentations and interactive case-based discussions in Endocrine Surgery.

We have assembled an outstanding faculty of National leaders in Endocrine Surgery, Otolaryngology Head and Neck Surgery, Surgical Pathology and Endocrinology. The course will provide a “state-of-the-art” update on advances in surgical techniques, multi-disciplinary management of thyroid cancer, controversies in pathological diagnosis and the use of novel molecular therapies for endocrine tumours.

The course will run as an in-person event. There will also be an online option available.

The program will be of great interest to established Surgeons, Surgical Fellows, Endocrinologists and Surgical Registrars preparing for fellowship examinations. The 9th ANZES Postgraduate Course will be a great opportunity to learn about advances in Endocrine Surgery, network with colleagues and enjoy the natural beauty of the Northern Beaches.

**A/Professor Mark Sywak. MBBS, MMed Sci, FRACS**

**Conference Chair and President Australian and  
New Zealand Endocrine Surgeons**

## Scientific Committee

### A/Professor Christine O'Neill



**A/Prof Christine O'Neill MBBS, (Hons), MS, FRACS**  
**Specialist General Surgeon, Associate Professor,**  
**School of Medicine and Public Health,**  
**University of Newcastle**

**Chairing:** Session 1 - Challenging Cases

### Doctor Steven Craig

**Dr Steven Craig BSc, MBBS (Hons), MS, FRACS**  
**Endocrine Surgeon and Surgical Oncologist**  
**Illawarra Health and Medical Research Institute**



**Chairing:** Session 1 - Challenging Cases

### A/Professor Anthony Glover



**A/Prof Anthony Glover MBBS, BSc(Med), PhD, FRACS**  
**Associate Professor, Program Director, Master of**  
**Surgery, Sydney Medical School Education Office,**  
**University of Sydney, Endocrine Surgical Unit**

**Topic:** Molecular Profiling in Thyroid Nodules and Thyroid Cancer: Impact on Management

### Doctor Christine Lai

**Dr Christine Lai MBBS, DDU, FRACS, FACS, GAICD**  
**Senior Consultant Surgeon, Breast & Endocrine**  
**Surgical Unit, The Queen Elizabeth Hospital,**  
**South Australia, Senior Lecturer, Discipline of Surgery**  
**University of Adelaide**

**Topic:** How to Prevent Endocrine Surgical Mortality



# Faculty



**Professor**  
**Brian Hung-Hin Lang**

**Topic:** Fluorescence in Thyroid and Parathyroid Surgery



**Professor**  
**Leigh Delbridge**

**Topic:** The Evolution of Endocrine Surgery in Australia and New Zealand



**Professor**  
**Julie Miller**

**Topic:** Minimally Invasive Approaches to the Adrenal



**Professor**  
**Stan Sidhu**

**Topic:** Treating Adreno-Cortical Carcinoma: State of the Art



**A/Professor**  
**Catherine Sinclair**

**Topic:** Novel and Non-Surgical Treatments for Thyroid Nodular Disease and RFA for Nodular Goitre



**Doctor**  
**Sze Ling Wong**

**Topic:** PET Endocrine Incidentalomas: Incidence and Management



**Doctor**  
**Magdalena Biggar**

**Topic:** Renal Hyperparathyroidism



**Professor**  
**Anthoy Gill**

**Topic:** Challenges in Endocrine Surgical Pathology and WHO Update



**Professor**  
**Justin Gundara**

**Topic:** The Great Debate - The Incidental 1cm PTC - Extent of Surgery  
Active Surveillance  
Hemithyroidectomy  
Total Thyroidectomy +/- CLND



**Doctor**  
**Meei Yeung**

**Topic:** Parathyroid Ultrasound



# Faculty



**Doctor**  
**Melissa Bochner**

**Topic:** Managing Thyroid Nodules and Thyroid Cancer in the Paediatric Population



**Professor**  
**Jonathan Serpell**

**Topic:** Intraoperative Neuromonitoring in Thyroid Surgery: Technique and Intraoperative Trouble Shooting



**Doctor**  
**Vanessa Tsang**

**Topic:** Post Surgical Management of Differentiated Thyroid Cancer- Dynamic Risk Stratification and RAI



**Doctor**  
**Simon Harper**

**Topic:** ANZ Parathyroid Guidelines



**Professor**  
**Carsten Palme**

**Topic:** Lateral Neck Dissection for Thyroid Cancer: Indications and Technique



**Doctor**  
**Sally Meade**

**Topic:** Parathyroid Surgery: Tips for Maximising Success



**A/Professor**  
**Daniel Novakovic**

**Topic:** Management of Voice Dysfunction after Thyroid/Parathyroid Surgery



**Doctor**  
**Teresa Nano**

**Topic:** Approach to Persistent and Recurrent Hyperparathyroidism



**A/Professor**  
**James Lee**

**Topic:** Medullary Thyroid Carcinoma



**Doctor**  
**Matti Gild**

**Topic:** Targeted Molecular Therapies for Thyroid Cancer

# Faculty



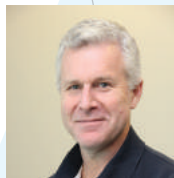
**Doctor  
Emily Perry**

**Topic:** The Great Debate -  
The Incidental 1cm PTC - Extent of Surgery  
Active Surveillance  
Hemithyroidectomy  
Total Thyroidectomy +/- CLND



**Doctor  
Jane Harding**

**Topic:** Surgical Approach to the  
Difficult Thyroid



**Doctor  
Bruce Ashford**

**Topic:** Locally Invasive  
Thyroid Cancer



**A/Professor  
Ming Khoon Yew**

**Topic:** Trans Oral Thyroidectomy



**Doctor  
Laura Wang**

**Topic:** The Great Debate -  
The Incidental 1cm PTC - Extent of Surgery  
Active Surveillance  
Hemithyroidectomy  
Total Thyroidectomy +/- CLND



**Doctor  
David Walsh**

**Topic:** SET Preparation for Fellowship  
Examination



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# FRIDAY 11th November 2022

Manly Pacific Conference room, Level 1

12:00-13:00 **Registration**

13:00-13:10 **Welcome**

**Mark Sywak**

13:10-15:00 **Session 1 - Challenging Cases**

*Chairs: Christine O'Neill and Steven Craig*

15:00-15:30 **Afternoon Tea**

15:30-17:00 **Session 2 - Thyroid Surgery**

*Chairs: Navin Niles and Caitlin Lim*

15:30 **Novel and Non-Surgical Treatments for Thyroid Nodular Disease - Catherine Sinclair**

15:45 **Surgical Approach to the Difficult Thyroid - Jane Harding**

16:00 **Intraoperative Neuromonitoring in Thyroid Surgery:**

**Technique and Intraoperative Trouble Shooting - Jonathan Serpell**

16:15 **Managing Thyroid Nodules and Thyroid Cancer in the Paediatric Population - Melissa Bochner**

16:30 **How to Prevent Endocrine Surgical Mortality - Christine Lai**

16:45-17:00 **Panel Discussion**



# SATURDAY 12th November 2022

Manly Pacific Conference room, Level 1

## 8:00-9:00 SET Preparation for Fellowship Examination

*Chairs: David Walsh, Hayley Waller, Alex Papachristos*

## 9:00-10:30 Session 3: VIDEO SESSION/HOW I DO IT

*Chairs: Andrew Kiu and Fiona Lee*

9:00 Lateral Neck Dissection for Thyroid Cancer: Indications and Technique - Carsten Palme

9:15 Minimally Invasive Approaches to the Adrenal - Julie Miller

9:30 Fluorescence in Thyroid and Parathyroid Surgery - Brian Lang

9:45 RFA for Nodular Goitre - Catherine Sinclair

10:00 Trans Oral Thyroidectomy - Ming Yew

10:15-10:30 Open Discussion

## 10:30-11:00 Morning Tea

## 11:00-12:30 Session 4 - Endocrine Surgery

*Chairs: Stephen Farrell and Kathleen Soeyland*

11:00 The Evolution of Endocrine Surgery in Australia and New Zealand - Leigh Delbridge

11:15 Challenges in Endocrine Surgical Pathology and WHO Update - Anthony Gill

11:30 PET Endocrine Incidentalomas: Incidence and Management - Sze Wong

11:45 Treating Adreno-Cortical Carcinoma: State of the Art - Stan Sidhu

12:00 Management of Voice Dysfunction after Thyroid/Parathyroid Surgery - Daniel Novakovic

12:15-12:30 Panel Discussion

**12:30-13:30** **Lunch**

**13:30-14:00** **The Great Debate**

*Chairs: Bill Fleming and Christine O'Neill*

**The Incidental 1cm PTC - Extent of Surgery**

**Active Surveillance - Laura Wang**

**HemiTx - Justin Gundara**

**Total Thyroidectomy +/- CLND - Emily Perry**

**14:00-15:30** **Session 5 - Thyroid Cancer**

*Chairs: Jenny Gough and Douglas Shaw*

**14:00** **Medullary Thyroid Carcinoma - James Lee**

**14:15** **Locally Invasive Thyroid Cancer - Bruce Ashford**

**14:30** **Targeted Molecular Therapies for Thyroid Cancer - Matti Gild**

**14:45** **Post Surgical Management of Differentiated Thyroid Cancer-**

**Dynamic Risk Stratification and RAI - Venessa Tsang**

**15:00** **Molecular Profiling in Thyroid Nodules and Thyroid Cancer: Impact on Management**

**- Anthony Glover**

**15:15-15:30** **Panel Discussion**

**15:30-16:00**    **Afternoon Tea**

**16:00-17:30**    **Session 6 - Parathyroid Disease**

*Chairs: Kim Isaacs and Edwina Moore*

**16:00**            **Parathyroid Ultrasound - Meei Yeung**

**16:15**            **ANZ Parathyroid Guidelines - Simon Harper**

**16:30**            **Parathyroid Surgery: Tips for Maximising Success - Sally Meade**

**16:45**            **Approach to Persistent and Recurrent Hyperparathyroidism - Teresa Nano**

**17:00**            **Renal Hyperparathyroidism - Magda Biggar**

**17:15-17:30**    **Panel Discussion**

**18:30**            **Cocktail Dinner – Manly Pacific, Level 1**

### **Social Program:**

**Saturday 12th November 2022**

**6:45-8:15**      **Kayak Tour - Manly Beach**