



# **SURGERY 2018**

## **Planning For Change**

9 – 10 August 2018

Rydges Lakeland Resort, Queenstown

## **Conference Handbook**



## CONVENER WELCOME & ORGANISING COMMITTEE

Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the Organising Committee for Surgery 2018, we are pleased to introduce this year's conference theme: *Planning for Change*.

Surgery 2018 will focus on how to plan for, and tackle the challenges associated with change. Sessions will explore subjects such as challenging patients, challenging situations, and how to manage when things change pre-operatively, intra-operatively and post-operatively. We have brought together an interesting and stimulating collection of international and local speakers. The programme is designed to be pertinent to all surgeons whether their practice is in public or private and regardless of their surgical speciality.

The meeting could not be possible without the support of our exhibitors and Gold Sponsor Medtronic NZ Ltd. We encourage you to engage with exhibitors during the welcome reception and breaks.

We recommend you take this opportunity to meet, discuss and network with colleagues and plan for change.

Sincerely,



**Mr Richard Reid, FRACS**  
2018 Convener

### ORGANISING COMMITTEE

Richard Reid - Convener  
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### MEDTRONIC INTERACTIVE AREA

Transforming patients lives by transforming Healthcare - participate in an interactive session at lunchtime with our latest innovations.

When: Thursday 9 August at 12:30pm

Where: Coronet Room Level 4 - Interactive Area

### PROGRAMME & SPEAKERS ONLINE

Download the delegate app:

1. Search 'Events Air Attendee App' in either the [Google Play](#) or [Apple App](#) store.
2. Once downloaded, enter code 'Surgery 2018' to access the Surgery 2018 meeting app, programme and speaker information.
3. To gain full access of the app, enter the email address used to register for NZ Surgery and the PIN emailed to you to by the NZ Surgery Registration Team.

### SURGICAL PIONEERS - SAVE THE DATE

Friday 9 November, 10:00am – 5:30pm  
RACS office, Wellington

This year Surgical Pioneers is to be held in Wellington at the RACS office on Friday 9 November as a Festschrit to honour our esteemed colleague and historian, Wyn Beasley and to mark the centennial of the ending of the Great War.

### JOIN THE CONVERSATION

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# PROGRAMME

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## THURSDAY 9 AUGUST 2018

- 9:00am Registration Opens  
*Level 4, Coronet Room*
- 10:00am Morning Tea with Industry**  
*Level 4, Coronet Room*
- 10:30am Session 1 - The Big Picture**  
**Chairs: Cathy Ferguson and Andrew Hill**  
**Room: Level 5, Queenstown Room**
- 10:30am Welcome
- 10:35am Rapid Appraisal of Clinical Studies to Inform Clinical Decision Making  
*Rod Jackson*
- 10:55am Building a Registry  
*Stephen Mark*
- 11:15am Improving Health Outcomes for Māori  
*Matire Harwood*
- 11:35am POMRC: National Mortality Data  
*Dick Ongley*
- 11:55am Discussion
- 12:10pm Lunch with Industry**  
*Level 4, Coronet Room*
- 1:10pm Session 2 - Challenging Situations**  
**Chairs: Philippa Mercer and Richard Reid**  
**Room: Level 5, Queenstown Room**
- 1:10pm Abdominal Aortic Aneurysms  
*Justin Roake*
- 1:30pm Pre-op Discussion in the US  
*Claudius Conrad*
- 1:50pm Informed Consent  
*Andrew Connolly*



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## THURSDAY 9 AUGUST 2018 (CONT'D)

- 2:10pm Working Alongside Māori Patients and Whanau - Purpose and Responsibilities  
*Suzanne Pitama*
- 2:30pm Treatment of the Frail Patient  
*John Geddes*
- 2:50pm Discussion
- 3:05pm Afternoon Tea with Industry**  
*Level 4, Coronet Room*
- 3:35pm Session 3 - When the Plan Changes**  
**Chairs: Richard Lander and Sally Langley**  
**Room: Level 5, Queenstown Room**
- 3:35pm Stress in Theatre  
*Ross Roberts*
- 3:55pm Crisis in the Chest  
*Julie Mundy*
- 4:15pm Coping with the Unknown  
*Annette Holian*
- 4:35pm Coping with Haemorrhage  
*Claudius Conrad*
- 4:50pm Discussion
- 5:00pm President's Address  
*John Batten*
- 5:20pm Presentation of Colin McRae Medal - *Nicholas McIvor*  
Presentation of Māori Health Medal - *Gavin Douglas*  
Presentation of Rural Surgeons Award - *William Taine*
- 5:30pm Day Close



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## THURSDAY 9 AUGUST 2018 (CONT'D)

5:30pm - **Welcome Reception**  
6:30pm Rydges Lakeland Resort, Level 4, Coronet Room  
Dress code: smart casual or business attire

6:45pm **Meeting Dinner Departure**  
Meet in Rydges foyer

7:00pm - Skyline Terminal, Brecon Street, Queenstown  
10:00pm Dress code: smart casual

*The dinner is a ticketed event and costs \$145.00 per ticket.  
Please visit the registration desk to purchase tickets (subject to availability).*

## FRIDAY 10 AUGUST 2018

8:00am Registration Opens (Tea and Coffee Served)  
*Level 4, Coronet Room*

**8:30am Session 4 - Building & Managing the Team in Theatre**  
**Chairs: Suzanne Beuker and Howard Klein**  
**Room: Level 5, Queenstown Room**

8:30am Cross Specialty Teams  
*Jane MacDonald*

8:50am The Itinerant Surgeon  
*Kiki Maoate*

9:10am Setting Up a National Unit  
*Richard Wong She*

9:30am Fixing the Team  
*Owen Ung*

9:50am Discussion

**10:10am Morning Tea with Industry**  
*Level 4, Coronet Room*



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## FRIDAY 10 AUGUST 2018 (CONT'D)

**10:45am Session 5 - Louis Barnett Prize**  
**Chair: Andrew MacCormick**  
**Room: Level 5, Queenstown Room**

10:45am Introduction

10:51am Predictors of Surgical Intervention Following Initial Surveillance for Acute Ureteric Colic  
*Mohit Bajaj*

11:02am Intracerebral Haemorrhage in Very Low Birth Weight Neonates Undergoing Peritoneal Drains or Laparotomy for Spontaneous Intestinal Perforation or Necrotizing Enterocolitis – A Retrospective Analysis  
*Anna Lam*

11:13am Foley Catheter Insertion Into Defunctioning Ileostomy to Reduce Post-operative Ileus After Major Colorectal Surgery - A Prospective Randomized Controlled Trial  
*Suheelan Kulasegaran*

11:24am The Effect of Amoxicillin and Clavulanic Acid on the Microbiota of Tonsil Tissue  
*James Johnston*

11:35am Reducing Length of Stay for Patients Presenting to a General Surgery Department with Acute Non-surgical Abdominal Pain  
*Kirsten J de Burlet*

11:46am Bias in Surgical Randomised Trials: A Meta-epidemiological Study Using Laparoscopic Versus Open Surgery as an Example  
*Mohammad Amer*

**12:00pm Lunch with Industry**  
*Level 4, Coronet Room*

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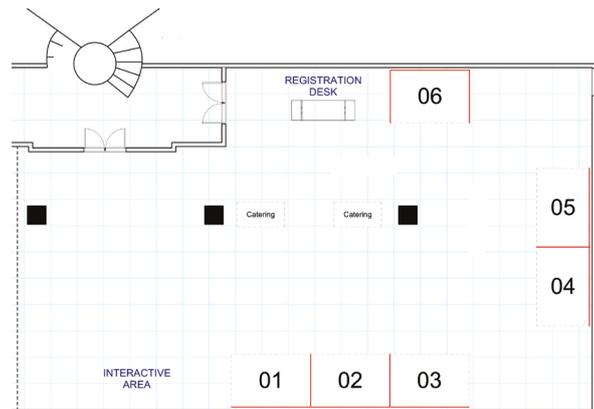
<b>1:00pm</b>	<b>Session 6 - How Do Others Do It</b> <b>Chairs: Dave Adams and Nicola Hill</b> <b>Room: Level 5, Queenstown Room</b>
1:00pm	Presentation of Louis Barnett Prize
1:05pm	Training for Overseas Deployment <i>Annette Holian</i>
1:25pm	NetworkZ - An Update on the National Simulation-based OR Team Programme <i>Jane Torrie</i>
1:45pm	How Sports Teams Improve Performance <i>Andrew Matheson</i>
2:05pm	Planning Ahead with POMRC Data <i>Tony Williams</i>
2:25pm	The Ideal Team <i>Claudius Conrad</i>
2:45pm	Discussion
3:00pm	Meeting Close

# EXHIBITION

## STAND LISTING

Stand Number	Company
1	Southern Cross Health Society
2	Medtronic New Zealand Limited
3	Sanofi
4	Bard Australia
5	Obex Medical
6	Johnson & Johnson Medical (New Zealand) Limited

## FLOOR PLAN



**LEVEL 4 CORONET ROOM**

# SURGERY 2019

## August, Wellington





## EXHIBITOR LISTING

### Stand 1

#### Southern Cross Health Society

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### Stand 2

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## EXHIBITOR LISTING

### Stand 3

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## EXHIBITOR LISTING

**Stand 5**  
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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### VENUE

Surgery 2018: Planning for Change is at Rydges Lakeland Resort, 38-54 Lake Esplanade, Queenstown.

Breaks will be in the exhibition area, located on level 4 in the Coronet Room.

### REGISTRATION DESK

The registration desk is located on Level 4 in the Coronet Room.

Opening hours:

Thursday 9 August 2018 9:00am - 5:30pm	Friday 10 August 2018 8:00am - 1:30pm
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### NAME BADGES

Your name badge is essential for entry into sessions and official functions and must be worn at all times.

### CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellations must be received in writing by the meeting organiser. Cancellations will incur a \$50.00 cancellation fee and any expenses already incurred will be deducted.

### CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

This educational activity has been approved in the RACS CPD Program. Fellows who participate can claim one point per hour (maximum 11 points) in Maintenance of Knowledge and Skills towards 2018 CPD totals. CPD Points will be automatically updated for RACS Fellows.

A certificate of attendance will be emailed to all delegates after the meeting.



## GENERAL INFORMATION

### SPECIAL DIETARY REQUIREMENTS

Please note that the venue is responsible for all catering at the meeting and RACS does not inspect or control food preparation areas or attempt to monitor ingredients used. You should contact the venue directly for all special dietary requirements during the meeting, irrespective of whether details have been provided to RACS.

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Please be advised that photographs may be taken during the meeting and reproduced by the meeting organiser. These photographs may be used for the following purposes:

- Projection onsite
- Reporting on the meeting in online and hard copy publications
- Marketing a future meeting, including online and hard copy publications
- Publishing in RACS publications

If you do not wish to be included in a photograph, please advise the photographer.

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