This one day seminar, held by The Royal Australasian College of Physicians, the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons and the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, will explore the subject of revalidation for medical practitioners and discuss potential development and approaches with input from international faculty.
On behalf of the Organising Committee we welcome you to the “Revalidation” Conjoint Medical Education Seminar at Hilton On The Park, Melbourne.

The Medical Board of Australia has ‘opened for discussion’ the topic of whether formal revalidation needs to be introduced in Australia. We will continue the discussion and explore potential development and approaches with input from our international faculty.

We believe the theme, “Revalidation”, and the discussion will generate enormous interest not only from medical practitioners but also regulators, industrial bodies and all involved in medical education and training.

This Seminar is designed for senior health educators, policy makers, policy advisors, regulators and others working in the area of specialist education and training. Participants will include delegates from the three host colleges, other medical colleges, associations, councils and Government.

We hope you will find this to be an inspiring Seminar.

Mr Graeme Campbell FRACS  
Chair, Professional Standards  
CMES 2014 Convener

Associate Professor Stephen Tobin FRACS  
Dean of Education  
CMES 2014 Convener

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MR BARRY BEILES
Clinical Director, Victorian Audit of Surgical Mortality (VASM). Mr Barry Beiles has recently been appointed as Clinical Director of VASM. He has had a keen interest in audits since designing the vascular surgical database for the Melbourne Vascular Surgical Society and administering it from 1999 to 2009. He was instrumental in adapting this into the Australian and New Zealand Society for Vascular Surgery audit from 2010 which he administers. He is a vascular surgeon in Melbourne in two public hospitals, having recently retired from private practice.

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR LESLIE BOLITHO
Associate Professor Leslie E Bolitho AM is a consultant physician in internal medicine and has been practising in Wangaratta, northeast Victoria since receiving his FRACP in 1983. He is currently President of The Royal Australasian College of Physicians (RACP). Associate Professor Bolitho has been a keen advocate for improving patient healthcare outcomes in rural and remote communities, including the important role of the general physician. Associate Professor Bolitho has been involved with the RACP as Council member (2001-2003) and then Board Director (2005-2008). He has also served on various State Health Department committees. From 2001 to 2003, Associate Professor Bolitho held the position of President of the Internal Medicine Society of Australia and New Zealand (IMSANZ). From 2005 to 2009 he was President of the Australian Association of Consultant Physicians (AACP), an advocacy body representing consultant physicians. Associate Professor Bolitho AM was appointed as a Member of the Order of Australia in 2010 for services to internal medicine, education and rural and regional health services in Victoria. He was awarded the RACP Medal for Outstanding Service to Rural and Remote Areas, and in 2008 was presented with the Victorian Rural Doctors Award for Outstanding Contribution to Rural Communities (RWAV).

DR CRAIG CAMPBELL
Dr. Campbell is a specialist in Internal Medicine, Associate Professor of Medicine at the University of Ottawa, and is the Director of Continuing Professional Development in the Office of Specialty Education at the Royal College. Dr. Campbell leads the national Maintenance of Certification (MOC) Program, serves as Registrar for the Royal College and has oversight for the ePortfolio development project within the Competence by Design strategic initiative, the Affirmation of Continuing Competence for Physicians in Practice scoping review, the International Academy of CPD Accreditation, and promoting scholarship and research in continuing professional development (CPD). Dr. Campbell’s research and development interests are focused on the role of ePortfolios in supporting lifelong learning, developing and implementing tools and strategies to promote ‘informed’ self-assessment and workplace based assessments of competence and performance of individuals, groups or health care teams. Dr. Campbell is the past President of The Society for Academic Continuing Medical Education (SACME) and chaired the Society’s Research Committee.

MR GERAEME CAMPBELL
Graeme Campbell is a General Surgeon based in Bendigo, Victoria. He trained at the Royal Melbourne Hospital and in the United Kingdom. His principal interests are treatment of colorectal and breast cancer, and surgical education. He is currently the Chief Surgical Officer at Bendigo Health, a RACS Councillor since 2007, and Chair of the RACS Professional Standards Committee.

MR ANDREW CONNOLLY
Andrew Connolly is a Fellow of the RACS and is a General Surgeon from Middlemore Hospital in Auckland. He has been HOD of General and Vascular Surgery since 2003 and is a ministerial appointment to the Medical Council of New Zealand and is a member of the MCNZ Education Committee. Andrew has strong interests in clinical governance, education and training and has sat on various ministerial and hospital review committees.

PROFESSOR RICHARD DOHERTY
Richard Doherty was appointed Dean of The Royal Australasian College of Physicians in March 2011. He trained initially in Paediatrics in Queensland, then undertook Fellowship training in Paediatric Infectious Diseases at the Children’s Hospital, Boston as a Harkness Fellow of the Commonwealth Fund, New York. Following appointments as a consultant paediatrician at the Royal Children’s Hospital in Melbourne and Deputy Director of the Macfarlane Burnet Centre (the Burnet Institute) he was appointed Head of the Department of Paediatrics at Monash University in 1994. His research interests have included basic and clinical virology, particularly of HIV, HTLV-I and Herpes Simplex virus as well as studies of immunological responses to viruses in vitro and in vaccine studies. He is a member of the Infectious Diseases Editorial Committee for the journal Paediatric Research. His university roles have included leadership in medical curriculum development and a period as Associate Dean for Teaching Hospitals. He has also served as Medical Director of the Children’s Program and as Head of the Department of Infectious Diseases, Monash Children’s (Southern Health, Victoria). He chairs the Board of Examiners of the Australian Medical Council and remains an Adjunct Professor in the Department of Paediatrics at Monash University.
**Invited Speakers**

**MS Holly Donaldson**
Holly Donaldson is the Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Manager at the Australasian College for Emergency Medicine (ACEM). Holly led the redevelopment of the CPD program, online platform upgrade and has implemented a range of quality improvement processes. Previous appointments include working at the University of Calgary, the Canadian Partnership for Quality Radiotherapy, RANZCP and RACS. Holly has recently completed a Masters of Public Health at the University of Melbourne, with a research project on consumer perceptions of Australian afterhours primary health care reforms.

**Professor Liz Farmer**
Professor Liz Farmer is an Honorary Professor at Adelaide, Flinders, and Wollongong Universities, and an independent health sector consultant at Liz Farmer Associates. Before becoming a consultant, Liz was the Executive Director of Workforce Innovation and Reform at Health Workforce Australia and prior was the Dean and Roberta Williams Chair of Medicine at Wollongong University. Liz chairs the Pre-Vocational Accreditation Committee of the Australian Medical Council and chairs the AMC Vernon C Marshall National Test Centre Research and Development Committee. Liz has extensive experience in medical and health sciences education and her special interests include the assessment of clinical-decision making skills, workplace based assessment and assessing the performance of practising doctors. She is an Associate Editor for the journal Advances in Health Sciences Education. Liz has over 130 peer-reviewed publications and abstracts in the field of health sciences education, has been an international keynote speaker on assessment and innovation and has undertaken a number of commissioned reviews on regulatory issues such as performance assessment and revalidation in the health professions.

**Dr Joanna Flynn**
Dr Joanna Flynn is a general practitioner in Melbourne, Victoria. She has been involved in medical regulation for more than 22 years. In August 2009 she was appointed the inaugural Chair of the Medical Board of Australia, which is now responsible for registration and regulation of all doctors in Australia. Prior to 2010, Australia had medical boards in each state and territory. Dr Flynn was first appointed to the Medical Practitioners Board of Victoria in 1989. From 2000 to 2008 she was President of the Victorian Medical Board. She was President of the Australian Medical Council from 2003 to 2008. She became the first female President for both the Victorian Medical Board and the AMC. She has also chaired the Postgraduate Medical Council of Victoria and was chair of the Victorian Intern Accreditation Committee for six years in the 1990s. She was the Director of the Royal Australian College of General Practitioners (RACGP) General Practice Training Program in Victoria from 1989 to 1997. In 2009 she was appointed Chair of the Board of Eastern Health, one of Melbourne’s largest metropolitan public hospitals. In 2012 she was appointed Chair of the Independent Advisory Council for the Personally Controlled Electronic Health Record (PCEHR). Dr Flynn was made a Member of the Order of Australia in June 2011 for services to medical administration and the community. In 2012 the University of Melbourne conferred on her an Honorary Doctorate of Medical Science.

**Associate Professor Michael Grigg**
Professor Michael Grigg is the Monash University Professor of Surgery based at Eastern Health - a position that he has held for 14 years. He is also the Executive Clinical Director of Surgical Services at Eastern Health. Professor Grigg is a Vascular Surgeon and has been President of the Australia and New Zealand Society of Vascular Surgery and remains a member of the Executive of that Society. He is also the Vice President of the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons. Professor Grigg founded the Surgical Research Group at Eastern Health and has been a reviewer for numerous journals and the NHMRC.

**Associate Professor Michael Hollands**
Michael is a General Surgeon at Westmead Hospital, and is Clinical Associate Professor of Surgery in the Western Clinical School of Sydney University. He had post-graduate training in gastro-oesophageal and hepatopancreatobiliary surgery. Michael trained at St Vincent’s Hospital in Sydney and later at The Royal Postgraduate Medical School and Guy’s Hospital in London. He then worked in Beth Israel Hospital and Harvard Medical School, Boston and Queen Mary’s Hospital, Hong Kong before joining the staff at Westmead in 1986. He has Fellowships in surgery from The Royal Australasian College of Surgeons, the Royal College of Surgeons of England and the American College of Surgeons. He was formerly Chair of the EMST Committee and the NSW Regional Committee of RACS. He was elected to the Council of RACS in 2006, served as Treasurer 2010-2011 and was elected President in 2012. In addition he currently chairs the Committee of Presidents of Medical Colleges.
 Invited Speakers

Professor John Kolbe
John Kolbe is a graduate of the University of Queensland. His postgraduate training was undertaken in Auckland and then at Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions, Baltimore MD. He is currently a respiratory physician at Auckland City Hospital and Professor of Medicine, Department of Medicine, Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences, University of Auckland. Previous roles have included; President of the Thoracic Society of Australia & New Zealand, and more recently President, The Royal Australasian College of Physicians (2010-2012). He is Chair of the RACP Revalidation Working Party.

Dr Jocelyn Lockyer
Jocelyn Lockyer, PhD is Senior Associate Dean Education and Professor in the Department of Community Health Sciences at the University of Calgary. Her work at the University of Calgary currently includes leadership and oversight for all of the Faculty’s educational portfolios in Undergraduate Health and Science Education, Graduate Studies, MD, PGME, and CME & PD along with Distributed Learning and Rural Initiatives and Global Health and International Partnerships. As well she is an active supervisor in the MSc/Phd Medical Educational Specialization Program where she teaches the curriculum design and evaluation and qualitative methods courses and is currently supervising 2 PhD and 6 MCH students. Dr. Lockyer’s research work focuses on the development, psychometric assessment and use of multi source feedback (360 – degree evaluation) for practising physicians; the impact of the short course or educational intervention on physician/health care professional behaviours and practice; the impact of provision of clinical data to physicians on practice; and physician learning during practice and life transitions.

Dr William Pope
Winnipeg-born, Dr. Bill Pope completed his medical school and Anaesthesiology training at the University of Manitoba. He has been section head of Adult Anaesthesia at the HSC, program director in Anaesthesiology and undergraduate associate dean at the University of Manitoba, as well as chief oral examiner in Anaesthesia for the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada. He took a law degree in “late youth” and was executive vice-president, Medical Services for St. Joseph’s Hospital in Hamilton, Ont., returning to Winnipeg to be assistant registrar (Complaints) at the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Manitoba. For the last thirteen years, he has been registrar and CEO of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Manitoba and has been president of the Federation of Medical Regulatory Authorities of Canada. In the past, Dr. Pope has been a member of the Credentials and Accreditation committees of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, as well as a member of the Written Examination Committee and Chief Oral Examiner for Anaesthesia. Dr. Pope sits on the Council of St. John’s College (Anglican) of the University of Manitoba and the Board of PLAN Canada (formerly Foster Parents Plan) where he is chair of the Planning and Program Committee. For the last six years, he has been a member of the selection committees for the Rhodes Scholarship winners for Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta; the Future Leaders of Manitoba, and the winner of the Winnipeg Walk of Fame.

Dr John Quinn
Dr John Quinn is the RACS Executive Director of Surgical Affairs for Australia. Dr Quinn is the Director of Vascular Surgery at the Princess Alexandra Hospital in Brisbane, one of the largest and busiest Vascular Surgery Units in Australia. He was a Councillor of the College, but resigned from Council to take up the EDSA position. He is the President of the Australian and New Zealand Society of Vascular Surgery and has been a member of the Training Board of Vascular Surgery, and subsequently Chair of that Board for 4 years. He has also been an examiner and then Senior Examiner in Vascular Surgery for the Fellowship exam. Dr Quinn graduated from the University of Melbourne and gained his Fellowship in General Surgery in Melbourne before training in Vascular Surgery and subsequently moved to Brisbane.

Dr Undy Roberts
Dr Roberts is a Specialist Anaesthetist and Specialist Pain Medicine Physician at Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital, Western Australia, the current President of the Australian and New Zealand College of Anaesthetists (ANZCA), and an ANZCA director since 2004. In 2013, under her leadership, ANZCA and its Faculty of Pain Medicine (FPM) revised their CPD standard and program, commencing from 1 January 2014. She had a leadership role in the ANZCA curriculum review that resulted in a redesign of the ANZCA vocational training program, underpinned by an outcomes-based approach and implemented from 2013. She is a member of the Committee of Presidents of Medical Colleges (CPMC) executive and a CPMC representative to the Australian Medical Council Specialist Education Accreditation Committee. Her clinical interests include ENT anaesthesia, acute pain management in patients with complex pre-existing issues such as chronic pain or addiction, and teaching at the bedside.
INVITED SPEAKERS

PROFESSOR SIR PETER RUBIN
Sir Peter Rubin is Professor of Therapeutics at the University of Nottingham and a consultant physician at the Queen’s Medical Centre. He has been Chair of the General Medical Council since 2009. Sir Peter grew up in Cornwall and was the first member of his family to go to University. He graduated in medicine from Cambridge and the Oxford Clinical School and his postgraduate training was in general medicine and clinical pharmacology. He was an American Heart Association Fellow at Stanford University and a Wellcome Trust Senior Fellow in Glasgow. His main research and clinical interests have been in the treatment of high blood pressure, particularly in pregnancy. He has published many research papers and is the author of several books on clinical pharmacology. Sir Peter was Dean of the Nottingham Medical School and led the development of a new, graduate-entry medical school from concept to completion. He has had a major involvement in medical education and chaired the GMC Education Committee and the Postgraduate Medical Education and Training Board, overseeing major reviews and modernisation of undergraduate and postgraduate education and training. Sir Peter has been a member or chairman of several Medical Research Council committees. He was a Board Member of the Higher Education Funding Council for England and co-chaired the Joint Implementation Group which oversaw the expansion of dental student numbers and the creation of the new dental school in the South West. He has been a keen photographer since his school days; enjoys hill walking; and he is an enthusiastic rugby supporter and for many years has been a season ticket holder at the Leicester Tigers.

DR TONY SCOTT
After initially working as a Pharmacist, Tony attended Auckland Medical School, completing his internal medicine training in Auckland and Rochester, New York. His cardiology training began at Green Lane hospital in Auckland and was completed at Thomas Jefferson University in Philadelphia. He is a Fellow of the Royal Australasian College of Physicians, the Cardiac Society of Australia and NZ and the American College of Cardiology. Tony joined the New Zealand CPD Committee as chairman in late 2008. He has since become involved in the RACP Expert Advisory Group for CPD, the Joint Subcommittee on CPD, the MyResources Gateway Working Group, the MyCPD Working group and more recently the RACP Revalidation Working Group. He has been involved in the development of the Service Review and Professional Development Review concept for the RACP response to the Medical Council of NZ’s request for proposals for a Regular Practice Review framework from the Colleges. This has subsequently been piloted in the Cardiology Service at North Shore Hospital in Auckland. Clinically he works as cardiologist for Waitemata DHB at North Shore and Waitakere hospitals where he has been Clinical Director since 2003. In early 2013 he was appointed Clinical Leader of the Northern Region Clinical Cardiology Network.

He represents the College of Physicians and Cardiac Society on the NZ Resuscitation Council and is a task force member of the International Liaison Committee on Resuscitation Science (ILCOR).

DR LINDA SNEIL
Linda Snell is a Professor of Medicine and Core Faculty member of the Centre for Medical Education, McGill University. She completed her undergraduate and medical education at the University of Alberta, her internal medicine residency at McGill University, and has a Master’s degree in Medical Education from the University of Illinois at Chicago. At McGill University she has served in many leadership positions including from Vice Chair (Education) in the Department of Medicine, to Director of the Postgraduate Core Competencies program, and Associate Physician-in-Chief of the McGill University Health Centre. At the Royal College, Dr. Snell is the Senior Clinician Educator for CanMEDS. In this role, she is co-chair of the International Conference on Residency Education, recently led the Latin American Conference on Residency Education, chairs the CanMEDS Professional 2015 working group, and is involved in multiple initiatives related to competency based education. She has also been President of the Canadian Society of Internal Medicine, Quebec Governor of the American College of Physicians and has served on the executive of the Canadian Association of Medical Education. She has contributed to both the AFMC and Royal College ‘Future of Medical Education in Canada’ papers on Professionalism, Resident-as-Teacher, Faculty Development and Generalism. Dr Snell is active in teaching, education leadership and education research at all levels of medical training. Her current research and education interests include: implementing a national advanced training diploma for clinician-educators; learning, teaching & assessing CanMEDS competencies; leadership in medicine and medical education; and education scholarship. She has received teaching and education awards, and presented workshops and invited lectures across Canada and internationally. Dr Snell has a busy internal medicine practice.

PROFESSOR DAVID WATERS
David Watters is Professor of Surgery at Deakin University, and Director of Surgery at the Geelong Hospital. He originally trained in Edinburgh and is a general surgeon with special interests in endocrine, emergency and colorectal surgery. His previous appointments include being Professor of Surgery at the University of Melbourne (2000-2010) and Professor of Surgery at the University of Papua New Guinea in Port Moresby (1992-2000). David’s most recent appointments in RACS include: Director for the Pacific Islands Project (2002-2012) and Chair of the Professional Development and Standards Board (elected in 2012). He has just completed a book Stitches in Time that covers the history of surgery in PNG (1800-2000) and is an active member of the RACS section of Surgical History.
The Australian Medical Council Limited (AMC) is an independent national standards and assessment body for medical education and training. Its purpose is to ensure that standards of education, training and assessment of the medical profession promote and protect the health of the Australian community.

Under the Health Practitioner Regulation National Law, the AMC is the accreditation authority for medicine. The AMC accredits primary medical education programs offered by university-based medical schools, and specialist medical education and continuing professional development programs offered by specialist medical colleges. It also reviews the authorities that assess and accredit intern posts and programs.

In 2013-2014 the AMC is reviewing the accreditation standards for specialist medical training programs and continuing professional development programs. The AMC is seeking feedback on its plans as they develop. Information on the review and invitations to contribute are posted on the AMC website:


The AMC has accredited specialist programs and professional development programs since 2002. Until July 2010, colleges participated in this quality assurance and quality improvement process voluntarily. From July 2010, AMC accreditation of programs was linked to the decision by the Medical Board of Australia to approve the program for the purposes of specialist registration.
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The industry exhibition is located in the Grand Ballroom Foyer, level 1, Hilton On The Park.

Lunch, morning and afternoon tea will be served in the Grand Ballroom Foyer.

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