CONTROVERSIES IN CIVIL AND MILITARY TRAUMA
“A BLAST FROM THE PAST”

Saturday 7 May 2016
Brisbane Convention & Exhibition Centre

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It is with great pleasure that I invite you to attend the upcoming conference
*Controversies In Civil and Military Trauma “A Blast From The Past”* to be held on Saturday 7 May 2016 at the Brisbane Convention & Exhibition Centre, Queensland.

This multidisciplinary conference is presented by TRAUMALINK in conjunction with Australasian College for Emergency Medicine (ACEM), Australasian Trauma Society (ATS), Australian and New Zealand Association for the Surgery of Trauma (ANZAST), Australian Society of Anesthetists (ASA), CareFlight, Queensland Ambulance Service, RBWH Trauma Service, Royal Australasian College of Surgeons (RACS) and St John Ambulance Australia.

The conference will focus on the effect of disasters on resources; site control and coordination; strategies for future disasters in Australia; hospital coordination; military experience and damage control surgery. The organising committee has put together an outstanding program for all medical and non-medical personnel involved in responding to trauma or caring for trauma victims.

Invited speakers include Professor Steven Jeffery, Associate Professor Chad Ball, Brigadier Timothy Hodgetts and Professor Eric Elster as well as a number of Australian and New Zealand speakers who will provide a number of perspectives to the many interesting and complex topics.

We also wish to acknowledge the support of our Conference Sponsor BleedSolv and to all the companies participating in the industry exhibition.

We look forward to welcoming you to the conference.

Sincerely,

Dr Peter Sharwood FRACS
A/Prof Clifford Pollard FRACS
Co-Conveners

**BACKGROUND AND AIM**

A conference for medical personnel caring for and interested in the management of casualties from major trauma incidents. The interactive program will discuss issues of control, coordination and communication.

**WHO SHOULD ATTEND?**

This conference would interest first aiders to senior surgeons and anaesthetists, emergency services personnel, ambulance coordinators, ground and aero medical transportation providers, emergency medical specialists and hospital coordinators.

**INVITED FACULTY**

Featuring an international faculty from the United Kingdom, Canada and the USA, including Professor Steven Jeffery, Associate Professor Chad Ball, Brigadier Timothy Hodgetts, Professor Eric Elster along with a number of Australian and New Zealand speakers.

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0800  Opening And Welcome

SETTING THE SCENE
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0815  KEYNOTE LECTURE
The Ravenshoe Incident - The Effect Of A Local Disaster Upon Local Resources
Dr Nathan Brunott

0835  KEYNOTE LECTURE
On Site Command, Control Coordination And Common Sense - The Who, Where And How?
Brigadier Timothy Hodgetts

0850  Queensland Ambulance Service
Mr Danny Murphy

0857  Air Retrieval
Dr Brydie Edwards

0904  St John Ambulance - The Role Of Volunteers
Mr Noel Gillard

0911  Hypothetical With Audience Interaction
"Who Is In Charge here?"
Panel: Dr Steve Rashford, Brigadier Timothy Hodgetts, Professor Chad Ball, Mr Danny Murphy, Mr Noel Gillard, Dr Nathan Brunott and Dr Brydie Edwards

0950  Summary And Conclusion

1000  Morning Tea

WHEN IT HAPPENS HERE

1030  How Do We Prepare For When It Happens Here?
Professor Colonel Eric Elster

1045  Queensland Health Queensland Responses
Dr Peter Aitkin

1052  Air Resources
Dr Mark Elcock

1059  A Predictable Surprise: The Orthopaedic Footprint In The Hospital Response To Mass Casualty Events Following Civilian Terror Attacks
Dr Andrew Ellis

1106  Blood Resources
CMDR Anthony Holley

1113  The Surgical Response - How Many Is Too Many?
Professor Steven Jeffery

1120  Shock Trauma Platoon
2GHB Rep

1200  Hypothetical With Audience Interaction
"The Best Laid Plans of Mice and Men"
Panel Of Speakers Including International Faculty And Local Experts - Topics Include Loss Of Hospital, Traffic Chaos, Role Of Volunteers And Military.

1230  Lunch

HOW WE DEAL WITH IT

1315  KEYNOTE LECTURE
Hospital Planning For A Disaster "The Canadian Experience"
Professor Chad Ball

1330  Emergency Department Set-Up And Coordination
Who Calls The Shots?
Dr Emmeline Finn

1337  Hospital Coordination And Administration
Dr Amanda Dines

1344  The Operating Room
Theatre Nurse, Ms Emma Babao
Anaesthetics Group Captain, David Scott
Trauma Director, Dr Darryl Wall

1415  Hypothetical With Audience Interaction
"Who Does What, When And For How Long"
Panel: Professor Chad Ball, Professor Steven Jeffery, Dr Mark Midwinter, Dr John Rowell, Professor Eric Elster and Professor Anthony Brown

1445  Afternoon Tea

WHAT WE NEED TO DO

1500  Wound Debridement
"Damage Control Surgery From Blast Injury, An Experience From Balad, Iraq"
Dr Peter Sharwood

1510  KEYNOTE LECTURE
Burn Disaster Planning
Professor Steven Jeffery

1525  Intensive Care Coordination And Control
"To Whom Do These Patients Belong?"
Dr Anthony Holley, Dr Michael Rudd Burns, Dr Mark Midwinter and Professor Steven Jeffery

1550  Summary And Close
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