



MELANOMA RESEARCH AND THERAPY IN NEW ZEALAND: RAISING THE BAR THROUGH COLLABORATIVE ACTION

9 September 2017 - Rydges Hotel - Queenstown

| Time | Details |
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| 8.00am | Opening: Professor Peter Shepherd Challenge to participants: (Consumer/patient voice): Paul O'Neil Scene setting/meeting aim: Dr Rosalie Fisher (Melanoma New Zealand) & Professor Mike Eccles (MelNet) |
| 8.30am – 9.15am | Melanoma Risk Assessment Professor David Whiteman, QIMR Berghofer Medical Research Institute |
| 9.15am – 10.00am | Melanoma Diagnosis Blood-based diagnostics: Professor Melanie Ziman, Edith Cowan University School of Medical Sciences |
| 10.00am-10.30am | Morning Tea |
| 10.30am-11.15am | State of Play Treatment & Clinical Trials Dr Mark Shackleton, Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre |
| 11.15am-12.00pm | Consumer Involvement in Research Video presentation from Melanoma UK Presentations: Dr Michelle Wilson & Paul O'Neil Panel discussion: Michelle Wilson, Paul O'Neil |
| 12.00pm-1.00pm | Lunch Posters/Discussion |
| 1.00pm-3.00 pm | NZ Speakers: Dr Mary Jane Sneyd, Professor Mike Eccles, Professor Rod Dunbar, Professor Cris Print, Professor Peter Shepherd, Dr Jacqui Gardner |
| 3.00 pm-3.30 pm | Afternoon Tea |
| 3.30pm-4.15pm | NZ Speakers: Dr Rosalie Stephens, Dr Sanjeev Deva, Mr Richard Martin |
| 4.15pm-5.00pm | Discussion of draft consensus statement and meeting recommendations: Professor Cris Print |
| 5.00pm-6.00pm | Social hour |

This highly focused one-day event, featuring leading international clinicians and scientists as well as New Zealand's top experts in melanoma treatment, clinical trials and scientific research, will identify priorities for action and inspire collaboration. Organised by MelNet, Melanoma New Zealand and the Queenstown Research Week, this is a must attend event for health professionals and scientists with a commitment to improving outcomes for patients with melanoma in New Zealand.

Further information, including a link to registration: www.melnet.org.nz