ASMIRT Vic Branch

WINTER EDUCATION WEEKEND BENDIGO | VIC GOLDEN OPPORTUNITIES





PROGRAM SATURDAY 26 JULY 2025

JOIN US FOR WELCOME DRINKS 6PM FRIDAY 25 JULY 2025 AT A VENUE TO BE ANNOUNCED

TIME	SESSION
0800	ACTIVITY Central Deborah Gold Mine tour (including light breakfast) 76 Violet St, Bendigo
1000	MORNING TEA AND REGISTRATION
	Session 1 Chair – Steve Lacey (CEC chair)
1030	WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION Chair
1035	Patient lived experience presentation
1105	All aboard to recruit, retain and retrain Chris Parsons – Northeast Health Wangaratta
1120	Relocating to a Regional centre: A Radiation Therapist's Perspective and an overview of an upcoming multi-centre study Vishal Santhosh Kumar – Peter McCallum Bendigo
1135	Lost in translation: A personal story of how CALD patient navigates cancer care with limited support Chris Nguyen – RMIT student
1150	Preparing future radiographers for person-centred practice Nirusha Surendran, Dr John McInerny, Dr Catherine Cook – Monash University
1205	Grace in the Med Rad space Esther Kerr – Bendigo Radiology
1220	LUNCH
	Session 2 Chair – Jenna Dean (CEC)
1300	ASMIRT VIC BRANCH COMMITTEE MEETING
1330	The next generation in modulated arc therapy Kenton Thompson – Peter McCallum
1345	Paediatric CT: How we can all play a part in offering a child-friendly CT service Fiona Ramanauskas – The Royal Children's Hospital

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1400	Paediatric imaging: Practical tips and tricks Gus Benson – The Royal Children's Hospital
1415	Through the lens of my grandmother's scleroderma: Medical Imaging Jaspreet Singh – RMIT student
1430	To repeat or not repeat, that is the question: Highlighting the value of clinical reasoning Sophie McKenzie – Western Health
1445	AFTERNOON TEA
	Session 3 Chair – Jessica Watson (CEC)
1515	Behind the scenes: Unveiling ASMIRT's toughest questions Steve Lacey & Min Ku - ASMIRT
1530	How can you sit at a desk all day? My non-clinical journey Mariz Hanna – The Royal Children's Hospital
1545	Reirradiation: Navigating complexity in modern cancer care Catherine Laferlita – Peter McCallum & University of Melbourne
1600	Clinical education at Monash Health Vinay Mudumbi – Monash Health
1615	Exploring student radiographers' perspectives and experiences of simulation-based educational interventions: A review Jenny Tran & Theresa Truong – Monash University students
1630	From radiographer to educator: A clinical and academic perspective Karim Yacoub & Godson Samuel - RMIT
1645	Clinical education values commonly perceived by clinical radiographers: Are we getting it right? Adam Steward – Western Health
1700	DAY ONE SESSIONS CLOSE
1900	Saturday Evening Gala Dinner Hotel Shamrock



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TIME	SESSION
	Session 1 Chair - Karim Yacoub (CEC)
0900	A novel image critique strategy for radiographers Anthony Menna – RMIT student
0915	ABC – Aneurysmal Bone Cyst John Farquhar – The Royal Children's Hospital
0930	Mask anxiety Tahlia Worrell & Jen Fraser – Peter McCallum
0945	The role of immersive VR in reducing anxiety in radiotherapy: A rapid systematic review Chris Nguyen – RMIT student
1000	Lymphoma treatment using surface-guided radiation therapy and a faceless cast – a case study Gabriella Leo – Olivia Newton John Centre
1015	Tips, tricks and cheats to get the best results Rob Hayes – Cabrini Hospital
1030	MORNING TEA
	Session 2 Chair – Sabrina Lewicki / James Rohan (CEC)
1100	Development and 5-year utilisation of a secure file transfer solution for previous radiation therapy details
	Kenton Thompson – Peter McCallum

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1115	The value of simulated professional position interviews for undergraduate MRS students Karim Yacoub & Paul Kelly - RMIT
1130	Training future radiographers through simulation in the undergraduate medical imaging curriculum Renee French – RMIT
1145	From patients to pets and back again: What radiographers can learn from veterinary imaging Nicholas Crawford – Monash University
1200	No need for (planning) CT! Implementation of simulation-free radiation therapy at Bendigo Amanda Oates – Peter McCallum Bendigo
1215	Interprofessional roles and responsibility in health informatics and digital health Dr John McInerny & Selina Van – Monash University & Royal Melbourne Hospital
1230	Small but mighty: The shorter radiographer experience Ivy Trieu – RMIT student
1245	Captivating conferences: Mastering the art of engaging presentations Steve Lacey – ASMIRT
1300	PRIZES AND CLOSING REMARKS
1315	CONFERENCE CLOSE

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