



# Neurosurgical Society of Australasia 79th Annual Scientific Meeting

19 - 22 AUGUST 2024

DARWIN CONVENTION CENTRE, DARWIN NT



## Provisional Program (subject to change)

Monday, 19 August 2024	Tuesday, 20 August 2024	Wednesday, 21 August 2024	Thursday, 22 August 2024
<b>Business Meetings &amp; Exhibition Build</b>  <b>SET Board Members Only</b> 8.30am to 11.00am  <b>NSA Board Members Only</b> 11.30am to 1.00pm  <b>Shunt Registry Committee Members Only</b> 1.00pm – 2.00pm  <b>Annual General Meeting (Provisional)</b> 2.00pm – 3.00pm	7.30am – 8.00am Brainlab Neuronavigation Utilising Intraoperative Ultrasound and Brain Segmentation	7.30am – 8.00am BK Medical Utilisation of Navigated Ultrasound	7.30am – 8.00am Business Meetings
	8.15am – 8.45am Sponsor Breakfast	8.15am – 8.45am Sponsor Breakfast	8.15am – 8.45am Sponsor Breakfast
	8.45am – 9.00am Coffee Break	8.45am – 9.00am Coffee Break	8.45am – 9.00am Coffee Break
	9.00am – 10.00am Contemporary Management of Brain Tumours Hamish Alexender	9.00am – 10.00am The latest advances in neurovascular Amal Abou-Hamden	9.00am – 10.00am Artificial intelligence in neurosurgery Antonio Di Ieva
	10.00am – 10.30am Eccles Lecture	10.00am – 10.30am Free Papers Andrew Law	10.00am – 11.00am Simple stuff gone bad!
	10.30am – 11.00am Morning Tea	10.30am – 11.00am Morning Tea	11.00am – 11.15am Prize Presentations
	11.00am – 12.30pm Fine tuning MIS thoracolumbar fusions Partnered with AO Spine Mitchell Hansen	11.00am – 12.00pm Photons, protons, and when to use what? Sarah Olson	11.15am End of Meeting
	12.30pm – 1.00pm Free Papers	12.00pm – 1.00pm Craniopharyngioma Patrick Lo	12.00pm – 4.00pm Invitation Only SET Surgical Supervisors, and Board Members Workshop
	1.00pm – 2.00pm Lunch	1.00pm – 2.00pm Lunch	
	2.00pm – 3.30pm Management of aneurysms – surgical and endovascular perspectives Rodney Allan	2.00pm – 3.30pm New technology and advances changing spinal surgery Partnered with AO Spine Wayne Ng	
3.00pm – 3.30pm Afternoon Tea	3.30pm – 4.00pm Afternoon Tea	3.30pm – 4.00pm Afternoon Tea	
3.30pm – 5.30pm Key issues facing neurosurgery	4.00pm – 5.00pm Neurosurgery Imaging Gemma Olsson	4.00pm – 5.30pm Research advances that may soon change our practice Kate Drummond	
5.30pm – 7.30pm Welcome Reception in Exhibition	7.00pm – 10.30pm Conference Dinner	5.30pm Exhibition Close	