

# PAIN2020 PROGRAM

14-15 NOVEMBER 2020

Live-streamed during Sydney local  
time (AEDT, daylight savings)



# SATURDAY 14 NOVEMBER

**07:00 - 17:00**      **Virtual Exhibition and Meeting Hub Active**

**08:00 - 09:00**      **Breakfast Session**

**ReActiv8 Restorative Neurostimulation for Musculoskeletal Chronic Low Back Pain**  
Dr Bruce Mitchell,  
Prof. Paul Hodges,  
Dr Matthew Green

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**Breakfast Session**

**Understanding THC & CBD and the benefits of a 1:1 combination for Refractory Pain**  
Prof Andrew McLachlan,  
Dr Peter Georgius,  
Dr Kok-Eng Khor

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**09.10 - 11:20**

**Official Opening and Plenary Session 1**  
Session Chair: Dr Jenny Stevens

**The Pain Landscape in a Post Covid world**  
A/Prof. Michael Vagg

**Effective Telehealth**  
Prof. Arun Aggarwal

**Future Trends in Electrical Neuromodulation**  
Dr Nick Christelis

**Medicinal Cannabis – Getting it Right**  
Dr Marc Russo

**11:20 - 12:15**

**Virtual Exhibition and Meeting Hub Active**

**11:55 - 12:15**

**Gold Sponsor – Meet the Expert Round Tables**

**Abbott**  
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**Algotim / Bioness**  
Expert: Dr Einar Ottestad, Director of Acute Pain service and Clinical Associate Professor at Stanford University Hospital, CA  
Moderator: Mark Geiger, Vice President of Global Marketing at Bioness



**Seqirus**  
A perfect storm – chronic pain and opioid reforms in the COVID era  
Expert: Carol Bennett, CEO of Painaustralia



# SATURDAY 14 NOVEMBER

12:18 - 14:25

## Plenary Session 2

Session Chair: Dr Alix Dumitrescu

Partnering in Research –What is expected of You  
Dom Bailey

Office Based Ultrasound for the Pain Practitioner  
Dr Paul Frank

Diagnosis and Treatment of Fascial Disorders  
Dr Jeni Saunders

A Potpourri of Pain tips and tricks  
Dr Willem Volschenk

14:25 - 14:45

## Virtual Exhibition and Meeting Hub Active

14:25 - 14:45

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### Boston Scientific

1.2kHz Stimulation as a Rescue  
Therapy in Patients with Chronic Pain  
Expert: Dr Georgios Matis

Moderator: Comine Venter, Marketing Manager  
Australia and New Zealand, Neuromodulation,  
Boston Scientific



### Mainstay Medical

ReActiv8 Restorative Neurostimulation  
for Chronic Mechanical Low Back Pain  
Experts: Prof. Paul Hodges, Dr. Bruce Mitchell,  
and Dr. Matthew Green

Moderators: Dr Chris Gilligan and Dr Marc Russo



14:47 - 15:47

## Indivior Sponsored Session

Update on identifying and managing opioid-  
dependent pain patients

Moderator: Dr Martin Lloyd Jones

Dr Clayton Thomas, Dr Simon Holliday (Addiction  
Medicine Specialist)



15:50 - 17:15

## Afternoon Workshop Sessions

15:55 - 16:55

### Radiofrequency above the Umbilicus

Dr Lewis Holford, Dr Vahid Mohabbati, Dr Paul  
Verrills, Dr Rob Wright

15:55 - 16:55

Setting up a new practice/optimising your practice  
Dr Romil Jain

15:55 - 17:15

### Neuromodulation

Dr Ricardo Vallejo, Prof. Dirk DeRidder, John Parker


# SUNDAY 15 NOVEMBER

**09:00 - 16:00**      **Virtual Exhibition and Meeting Hub Active**

**09:30 - 10:30**      **Breakfast Session**                      **Breakfast Session**


**Clinical Update and Innovations in Abbott's Hassle-Free Chronic Pain Solutions**  
Dr Nathan Taylor,  
Dr Richard Sullivan,  
Dr Rob Wright

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**The Pursuit of Better Patient Outcomes with DTM SCS and TDD**  
Dr Krishnan Chakravarthya,  
Dr Joshua Wellington

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 **Medtronic**

**10:45 - 12:22**      **Plenary Session 3**  
**Session Chair: Dr Renata Bazina**

**Expert Medicolegal Reports – lessons from the frontline**  
Dr Dilip Kapur

**Introducing Radiofrequency Capsulorrhaphy**  
Dr Marc Russo

**Advanced Diagnosis & Treatment of the Painful Knee**  
Dr Nathan Taylor

**12:22 - 13:22**      **Virtual Exhibition and Meeting Hub Active**

**12:57 - 13:17**      **Gold Sponsor – Meet the Expert Round Tables**

**Medistar**  
Title: What's new in RF of the Shoulder  
Expert: Dr Robert E Wright, Metro Pain Group, Melbourne  
Moderator: Jeneth Boughen, Medistar

 **Medistar**  
INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGY. EXPERT ADVICE.

**Nevro**  
Evaluation of High Frequency Spinal Cord Stimulation (SCS) on Corneal Confocal Microscopy and Intraepidermal Nerve Fibers in Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy  
Experts: A/Prof. Jeffrey L. Chen, Katie E. Frizzi  
Moderator: Dr David Caraway, MD, PhD- Chief Medical Officer Nevro Medical.

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**Saluda Medical**  
Expert: Dr Nathan Taylor  
Moderator: John Parker, CEO Saluda Medical

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# SUNDAY 15 NOVEMBER

13:22 - 15:36

## Plenary Session 4

Session Chair: Dr Stephanie Davies

Incorporating Nurses and Allied Health into a Pain Practice - Interdisciplinary vs Multidisciplinary - Clinical and Revenue Aspects

Dr Amrita Prasad

Compound Analgesic Prescribing - A Primer

Dr Jane Standen

Part I - Managing Workplace Expectations (Employer and Employee)

Diane Loong

Part II - The Day After ... your Death

A/ Prof Sally Davies

The Science of Lifespan Extension

Dr Marc Russo

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