



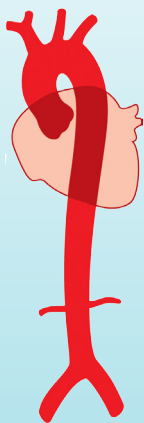
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SAT 01 - TUE 04

APRIL



AUSTRALASIAN THORACIC AORTIC SYMPOSIUM



**ATAS
2023**



SYMPOSIUM
DIRECTOR
GEORGE MATALANIS

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS & REGISTRATION



WELCOME

Welcome from the Organising Committee

It gives me great pleasure to invite you to the 2023 Australasian Thoracic Aortic Symposium on Saturday 01 - Tuesday 04 March at the Sheraton Grand Mirage, Port Douglas.

As in previous years, we have an exciting program covering the spectrum of Thoracic Aortic procedures, with emphasis on current techniques as well as recent technological developments. We are fortunate to have a comprehensive panel of leading international and local experts to share their wisdom with us. Equally importantly, we hope that the warm and relaxed atmosphere will be a conduit for rekindling old and forging new friendships.

Associate Professor George Matalanis
Director Thoracic Aortic Surgery
Cardiac Surgery Department, Austin Health



IMPORTANT DATES

CLOSING DATE for EARLY Registration

Friday 03 March 1200 noon
EST 2023

CLOSING DATE for receipt of ABSTRACTS

Friday 17 February 1200 noon
EST 2023

Confirmation of abstract acceptance forwarded via email ONLY

Friday 03 March 2023

REGISTRATION

The conference has a dedicated secure 24 hour online registration website at your fingertips. Access enables you to update your details instantly.

Visit www.taylorimages.com.au click on "events" scroll to the events schedule & select your conference. To register select 'Register'. If you attended previously your login details will be the same. If you have not previously attended please create an account which can be used to login and at any time to update your registration. If Submitting an abstract select 'Abstract Submission'.

SUSTAINABILITY INITIATIVES

Taylor Images & AHSS are committed to sustainability practice and reducing the impact on the environment. We encourage all attendees, sponsors, exhibitors, and suppliers to also consider environmentally friendly options in attending the event.

Our initiatives to reduce our carbon footprint include:

- Printed materials being kept to a minimum, with attendees encouraged to use electronic resources such as the meeting website.
- Abstract materials & conference proceedings are provided electronically only, via the website or app.
- Name badges use paper and lanyards that can be recycled.
- Sponsors and Exhibitors are requested to reflect positive environmental values and practices in their participation.

Abstract Guidelines



ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

Scientific papers are invited for oral presentations & for the Video Abstract Presentations.

There will be prizes for the Best Video Presentation and the Best Paper.

In order for your abstract to be considered for oral or video presentation it must contain content focusing on novel procedures, interesting surgical techniques and challenging cases.

Authors should submit a standard type abstract written in English for poster presentations & video presentations as well as the actual video content for the video presentation submissions to Taylored Images no later than **1700 (EST) on Friday 17 February 2023.**

All submissions are subject to review by the Scientific Program Committee. The standard abstract should provide sufficient information to allow the reader to fully assess the aims, methods, results and implications of the work undertaken.

(ABSTRACTS WILL ONLY BE ACCEPTED ELECTRONICALLY)

Please ensure you adhere strictly to the abstract formatting guidelines.

Submission as follows via the Taylored Images website:

www.tayloredimages.com.au

(a) Follow the links to 2023 ATAS; click on "Submit Abstract" and follow the prompts

(b) It is essential all photographs and diagrams are embedded within the document, prior to uploading the abstract

(c) On submission, you will create a password which will allow you to view and edit your abstract/s after submission until **1200 Friday 17 February 2023.**

RULES FOR VIDEO SUBMISSION

1. Videos must be narrated in English.
2. Videos may focus on novel procedures, interesting surgical techniques and challenging cases.
3. Videos may be supplemented with several incorporated slides summarizing indications, results, and follow-up.

Layout

- Abstracts must be submitted as an A4 page (210mm x 297mm)
- Portrait orientation
- Margins are all to be 20mm
- Text should be single spaced
- Font should be Arial typeface and 12 point character size

Title and Author

- Each of the below need to be at the top of the abstract, each on a new line:
- The title (UPPER CASE)
- The name(s) of the author(s) – please omit university degrees and titles
- The name of the presenter to be underlined
- Affiliation(s), city and country – please omit street address and postcode
- Leave two lines before commencing the body of the text

Section Headings and Paragraphs

- The title of each section is to be bold & left justified
- Leave a 6-space indentation at the beginning of each new paragraph. Leave a 1 line space between each paragraph
- Graphs, tables and references may be used throughout the abstract but must remain within the defined one-page limit

Disclaimer

All speakers/presenters are to disclose any financial involvement or assistance they have received for their paper.



REGISTRATION FEES

All Fees in \$AUD - Excludes GST

Conference Registration Cancellation & Refund Policy

A full refund less a \$50 service fee will be issued for cancellations received on or before Friday 27 January 2023.

Cancellations received between Friday 27 January 2023 and Friday 10 February 2023 will receive a 50% refund on the registration fees.

No refunds will be issued after Friday 10 February 2023.

Non-payment does not constitute cancellation.

If you have registered to attend and the conference is cancelled due to circumstances beyond our control, your registration will be refunded.

Liability / Insurance

Registration fees don't include insurance of any kind. Neither AHSS nor Taylored Images will accept liability for damages of any nature (including financial) sustained by participants, or loss or damage to their personal property in the event of industrial disruptions or natural disasters.

It is highly recommended you take out a suitable travel insurance policy including coverage for non refundable registration fees when you register for the meeting and book your travel.

2023 Australasian Thoracic Aortic Symposium

Saturday 01 - Tuesday 04 March

	Early Registration Pre 03 March 2023	Full Registration Post 03 March 2023
Cardiac & Vascular Surgeons, Vascular Surgeons, Anaesthetists, Medical Perfusionists & Specialists	\$1,050.00	\$1,155.00
Registrars	\$580.00	\$700.00
Clinical Perfusionists	\$430.00	\$450.00
Nurses	\$330.00	\$390.00

2023 ATAS - SINGLE DAY REGISTRATIONS

Surgeons / Specialists Day Registration	\$630.00
Registrars Day Registration	\$350.00
Clinical Perfusionists Day Registration	\$250.00
Nurse Day Registration	\$150.00

Inclusions:

Attendance at all Scientific Sessions / Lunch, Morning & Afternoon Refreshments as per the program / Symposium Collateral for the day registered



ACCOMMODATION

All Prices in \$AUD

Sheraton Grand Mirage, Port Douglas

Sheraton Grand Mirage, Port Douglas offers a prime location as the only beachfront property to the Famous Four Mile Beach. Surrounded by 147 hectares of lush tropical gardens, 2 hectares of sparkling saltwater lagoon pools and an 18-hole golf course. The 5-star rooms afford captivating views of the lagoon pools or tropical gardens.



Guest Room	\$410.00 per night
Guest Room (Including 1 Breakfast)	\$445.00 per night
Guest Room (Including 2 Breakfasts)	\$480.00 per night

IMPORTANT NOTE:

A credit card must be provided with your registration to guarantee accommodation. Your credit card details will be forwarded to the accommodation venue as guarantee of your booking. It is essential all accommodation bookings / amendments / cancellations are forwarded to Taylored Images. Taylored Images do not charge your card for accommodation. Payments for accommodation is finalised on departure direct with the accommodation venue. Any accommodation cancellations after **Friday 03 February 2023** will be subject to a cancellation fee of 100% of the total accommodation cancelled. Reservations made after this date will be subject to availability at the best rate of the day.

All accommodation bookings & amendments made after **Friday 03 February 2023** will incur a \$33 service fee. Please refer to the Registration Form for details of individual hotels cancellation policies.

GENERAL INFORMATION

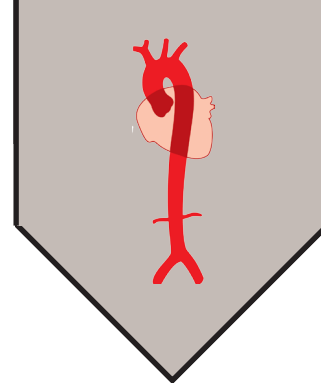
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SYMPOSIUM PROGRAM

Symposium Venue - Sheraton Grand Mirage



Saturday 01 April 2023

0830 - 1000	Workshops Round 1
1000 - 1030	Morning Refreshments
1030 - 1200	Workshops Round 2
1200 - 1300	Lunch
1300 - 1500	Scientific Session 1
1500 - 1530	Afternoon Refreshments - Exhibition Area
1530 - 1800	Scientific Session 2
1800 - 1900	Welcome Reception - Exhibition Area
1900 - Late	Exclusive Faculty Dinner

Sunday 02 April 2023

0830 - 1000	Workshops Round 3
1000 - 1030	Morning Refreshments - Exhibition Area
1030 - 1200	Workshops Round 4
1200 - 1300	Lunch - Exhibition Area
1300 - 1500	Scientific Session 3
1500 - 1530	Afternoon Refreshments - Exhibition Area
1530 - 1800	Scientific Session 4

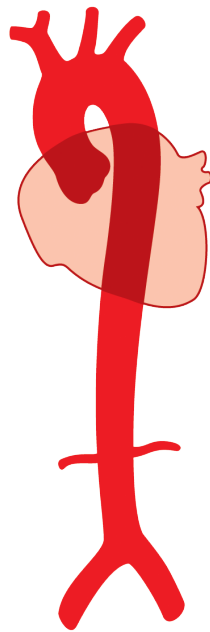
Monday 03 April 2023

0800 - 0945	Scientific Session 5
0945 - 1015	Morning Refreshments - Exhibition Area
1015 - 1230	Scientific Session 6
1230 - 1330	Lunch - Exhibition Area
1330 - 1545	Scientific Session 7
1545 - 1615	Afternoon Refreshments - Exhibition Area
1615 - 1800	Scientific Session 8

Tuesday 04 April 2023

0820 - 1000	Scientific Session 9
1000 - 1020	Morning Refreshments - Exhibition Area
1020 - 1230	Scientific Session 10

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