

TSANZ Solid Organ Transplant Symposium - Liver
National Convention Centre Canberra
Preliminary Program - 21-22 June 2025

Saturday 21 June

0930-1045	Registration, Coffee and Morning Tea	
1045-1100	Welcome	Caroline Tallis
<i>Chair: Helen Jahshan (WA)</i> SESSION ONE: INFECTIOUS DISEASES (1100 - 1215)		
1100 - 1125	The Complexity of CMV in Transplantation	Lana Sundac, QLD
1125 - 1150	The Entanglement of EBV in Transplantation	Tina Marinelli, NSW
1150 - 1210	The Mystery of Multiresistant Organisms in Transplantation	Cameron Wolfe, Duke University, USA
1210 - 1215	Panel Discussion	Lana Sundac, Tina Marinelli & Cameron Wolfe
1215-1300	Lunch	
SESSION TWO: SURGICAL ISSUES (1300 - 1500)		
<i>Chair: Claire West (NSW)</i> Machines, Machines, Machines		
1300 - 1400	What is your "Viability Criteria?" What is your Machine "Tips and Tricks?"	
	WA & Birmingham Machine Perfusion perspective - (10 mins)	Arul Suthanathan
	WA & Cambridge Machine Perfusion perspective - (10 mins)	Adam Philipoff
	QLD (10 mins)	Damon Li & Peter Hodgkinson
	NZ (10 mins)	Louise Barbier
	NSW (10 mins)	Carlo Pulitano
	Q&A Panel Discussion	
<i>Chair: Julie Pavlovic (VIC)</i> Transplant Oncology - Lessons Learnt So Far (1400 - 1500)		
	Impact of Pre-Liver Transplant Radiotherapy on Surgical Techniques	
1400 - 1415	Living Donor Program 1	Jerome Laurence
1415 - 1430	APOLT Technique in Australia	Gordon Thomas
1430 - 1445	HCC - Success and Impact of SBRT	Tom O'Rourke
1445 - 1500	Cholangiocarcinoma - Success and Impact of Radiation Therapy	Marcos Perini
1500-1530	Afternoon Tea	
<i>Chair: Geoff McCaughan</i> SESSION THREE: REJECTION-TOLERANCE (1530 - 1700)		
1530 - 1550	Scoring Late Liver Biopsies - Update from Banff 2024	Catriona Mackenzie, NSW
1550 - 1615	Operational Tolerance - Bench to Bedside	Megan Sykes, Columbia University, USA
1615 - 1635	Experimental Liver Transplant Tolerance: Lessons for Clinical Practice	David Bowen
1635 - 1700	Panel Discussion	Catriona Mackenzie, David Bowen, Megan Sykes
1700	Close	

1830 - 2200 **Dinner - The Boat House, Grevillea Park, Menindee Dr, Barton ACT 2600 (ticketed event)**

Sunday 22 June

<i>Chair: Libby John, SA</i> SESSION ONE: SERVICE DELIVERY AND MODELS OF CARE IN LIVER TRANSPLANTATION (0900 - 1045)		
0900 - 0920	Young Adult Care - Fact Versus Fiction. Does it exist in Australia and New Zealand?	Caroline Tallis, QLD
0920 - 0940	Transition Clinics in United Kingdom	Jonathan Hind, QLD
0940 - 1000	ANZ Liver Transplant Units - Benchmarking of Service Delivery	Avik Majumdar, VIC
1000 - 1030	Panel Discussion	Caroline Tallis, Jonathan Hind, Avik Majumdar
1030-1115	Morning Tea	
<i>Chair: Dave Melgar, QLD</i> SESSION TWO: CLINICAL CONUNDRUMS IN LIVER TRANSPLANTATION (1115 - 1245)		
1115 - 1245	Case vignettes (3-min, presented by State Liver Fellow/Trainee) highlighting each of the subsequent topics and subsequent "AUDIENCE VOTING" re accept or reject for transplantation. Each vignette following by 15-minute talk reviewing literature.	
	Severe Alcohol Related Hepatitis	James Thomas / Ellie Van Der List, QLD
	Frailty, Age, Comorbidities	Marie Sinclair / Rachel Shingaki-Wells, VIC
	Obesity, Cardiac/Respiratory Comorbidities	Gerry McQuillan / Paul Armstrong, WA
	Alcohol Related Cirrhosis, Interpretation of PeTH, Impact of Transfusion	Alan Wigg / Katrina Tan, SA
1245	Meeting finishes - Concluding Remarks	Caroline Tallis
1300	Lunch	
1330-1500	TSANZ ASM Registration	
1510-1520	TSANZ ASM Welcome Ceremony	
1520-1530	Official Opening: TSANZ Chair	