

2026 AOA Victorian Branch Winter Welcome

7th August 2026, Royal Australian College of Surgeons, Hughes Room.

1:30 Registration and Lunch

2:00 Welcome- Alasdair Sutherland

2:05 Bongiorno Presentation

SESSION 1-HIP & KNEE ARTHROPLASTY: INNOVATION AND OPTIMISING OUTCOMES

- 2:10** Does Robotic Assistance Improve Restoration of Native Hip Anatomy? A Radiographic Comparison of Conventional and Robotic-Assisted Total Hip Arthroplasty - **Daniel Youlden (St Vincent's)**
- 2:18** Is the Direct Anterior Approach Associated with Undersizing of the Femoral Stem? A Comparative Study of the Anterior and Posterior Approaches - **Jaffer Al-Haidary (St Vincent's)**
- 2:26** Complication Profile of Uncemented Femoral Component Revision Total Hip Arthroplasty: A Systematic Review - **Aubrey Sima (Northern)**
- 2:34** Perioperative Local Infiltration, Intravenous and Intra-articular Administration of Dexamethasone in Diabetic Patients Undergoing Hip and Knee Arthroplasty - **Krunal Kathawadia (Ballarat)**
- 2:42** Patient-Reported Outcomes Following Elective Total Joint Arthroplasty: An Orthopaedic Unit Audit - **Benjamin Carmody (Southwest Healthcare)**
- 2:50** aERAS in Orthopaedics: An Update on a Total Joint Arthroplasty Protocol - **Darci Green (Geelong)**
- 2:58** The Cost-Effectiveness of Single-Use Incisional Negative Pressure Wound Therapy in Primary Total Hip and Knee Arthroplasty - **Devam Modi (Werribee Mercy)**
- 3:06** The Effect of Implant Constraint Design on mid-term Patient-Reported Outcomes Following Total Knee Replacement - **Zachary Coxon (Western)**
- 3:16** Evidence-Based Joint Statement: Perioperative Bone Optimisation in the Arthroplasty Candidate from Seven National Societies - **Roberto Enrique López Cervantes (RMH)**

3:22 AFTERNOON TEA

3:55 Fellowship Reflection - Adrian Talia

SESSION 2- SPORTS KNEE & JOINT PRESERVATION

- 4:05** Defining Normal Trochlear Morphology Relative to Patellar and Distal Femoral Anatomy to Guide Patient-Specific Trochleoplasty Planning - **Aya Basam (Linacre Private Hospital)**
- 4:13** Cooled Genicular Nerve Radiofrequency Ablation for Knee Osteoarthritis: The Effect of Patellofemoral Compartment Severity - **Jack Bounds (Austin)**

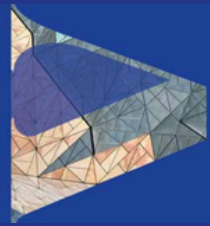
SESSION 3- CLINICAL OUTCOMES, AUDITS AND INNOVATION

- 4:21** 10-Year Outcomes of Subtalar Fusion Following Ipsilateral Pre-existing Ankle Fusion - **Nina Chua (Box Hill)**
- 4:29** Early Outcomes of the TOUCH Dual-Mobility CMC Joint Prosthesis for Thumb Carpometacarpal Osteoarthritis - **Annabel Fraser (Peninsula University Hospital)**
- 4:37** Optimising the Suspected Deep Vein Thrombosis Pathway in Orthopaedic Inpatients: A Clinical Audit of Timeliness, Anticoagulation and Patient Flow - **Karanvir Sandhu (Northern)**
- 4:45** MSK-Wellness Program: A RE-AIM Evaluation - **Lin Tong (Northern)**
- 4:53** OWL Essay Winner Presentation - **Mahalakshme Thiagarajan**
- 5:03** VOF Update
- 5:13** Welcome 2027 Trainees and Awards
- 5:23** Closing- **Sam Lynskey**

5:30-7:30 Social Function- "The Tea Room"- The European
(Included in registration)



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