



ANZGIG *2007 Scientific Meeting*

AUSTRALIAN & NEW ZEALAND GLAUCOMA INTEREST GROUP



9–10 March 2007
Hyatt Regency Adelaide,
South Australia

Registration Brochure

GLAUCOMA 2007

Invitation

On behalf of the Organising Committee, I would like to invite you to the beautiful city of Adelaide to attend the 2007 Scientific Meeting of the Australia and New Zealand Glaucoma Interest Group (ANZGIG) to be held at the Hyatt Regency Adelaide.

The program will consist of a mixture of glaucoma-based science, epidemiology, clinical studies and a mix of challenging case presentations and discussion.

Our international speaker is world renowned ophthalmic epidemiologist and angle-closure glaucoma expert Dr Paul Foster, Senior Clinical Lecturer, Dept of Epidemiology, Institute of Ophthalmology, University College London.

Associate Professor Jamie Craig from Flinders University will deliver the Gillies Lecture.

We look forward to welcoming you to Adelaide.

Associate Professor Robert Casson

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HOST CITY & CONFERENCE VENUE

Adelaide, South Australia

The capital city of South Australia, Adelaide is the cultural, political and social centre of the state. Adelaide is known for its parklands, its award winning wineries, its innovative cuisine and world class art galleries and museums. The weather in Adelaide during March is ideal.

Venue

The Hyatt Regency Adelaide is situated in one of the city's finest locations, on the picturesque River Torrens. The hotel forms an integral part of Adelaide's spectacular new Riverbank Promenade and is adjacent to the Adelaide Convention Centre, Adelaide Casino and the Festival Centre. Adelaide Airport is just a 15 minute drive from the hotel.

SOCIAL PROGRAM

Please indicate your attendance by ticking the appropriate box on the registration form. Entry to the social functions is by name tag and ticket only.

Conference Dinner

Friday 9th March, 19:00

PLEASE INDICATE ON YOUR REGISTRATION FORM IF YOU WISH TO ATTEND.

The conference dinner will be held at Jolleys Boathouse which is situated on the banks of the River Torrens, only a short walk from the Conference Venue.

The conference dinner is included with all registrations and is a 3 course sit-down dinner and drinks. Additional tickets can be purchased for \$100 each. Please indicate your attendance by ticking the appropriate box on the registration form.

Casual Conference Dinner

Saturday 10th March, 19:00

PLEASE INDICATE ON YOUR REGISTRATION FORM IF YOU WISH TO PURCHASE TICKETS.

An optional dinner has been organised for the Saturday night at the Apothecary 1878 Wine Bar- Restaurant serving excellent food and wine and located in a heritage listed building on Hindley Street, again just a short walk from the Conference Venue.

The cost of the dinner is \$100 which includes a 3 course dinner and beverages. Please indicate your attendance by ticking the appropriate box on the registration form.

Sunday Wine Tour

Sunday 11th March, 9.30am depart from Hyatt and drop off at Adelaide Airport at 2.30pm.

\$88 per person

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A half day wine and cheese tour has been organised in the Adelaide Hills. A coach will collect you from the Hyatt at 9.30am and travelling via Mt Lofty Summit you will visit three wineries; Nepenthe, Bird-in Hand and Hahndorf Hills. A 3 course gourmet picnic hamper is included as you match your cheese with your wines.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Adelaide Airport

The Adelaide Airport is situated 7kms (approximately 20 minutes) from the central business district and major hotels. The Skylink mini bus travels between the airport and major city hotels every half hour from 07:00 to 22:00 (hourly on weekends) at a cost of approximately \$7.00 each way. A taxi from the airport to the CBD will cost approximately \$18.00.

Catering

Morning, afternoon teas, lunches and Friday night dinner are included in the registration fee and apart from Friday dinner will be served in the Exhibition each day. Name badges must be worn to enter this area.

Dietary and Mobility Needs

Should you require any special assistance, catering or transport arrangements to be made on your behalf please indicate this on your registration form.

Name Badges & Tickets

Name badges and delegate satchels will be provided at the registration desk located on the first floor. Admission to all sessions, morning & afternoon teas and lunches is by name badge only. Entry tickets will be provided for the dinner.

Registration Desk

The registration desk will be located in front of the Ballroom on the Lower Ground Floor of the Hyatt Hotel. It will be open at the following times:

Friday 9 th March	0730–1730
Saturday 10 th March	0730–1730

Parking

The Hyatt Hotel offers valet parking for \$21.00 for a 24 hour period. Alternatively there are public carparks located along North Terrace.

Shopping

Trading hours in the central city are:

Monday – Thursday: 0900–1730
Friday: 0900–2100
Saturday: 0900–700
Sunday: 1100–1700

Taxi Services

Adelaide Independent – 132 211; Suburban – 131 008; Yellow Cab Company – 132 227

Privacy

Please complete the section of the registration form relating to privacy if you do not want your personal information to be included in the published participants list, which will be circulated to all delegates and exhibitors at the meeting.

Disclaimer

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SPONSORSHIP AND TRADE EXHIBITION

A trade exhibition will be held in conjunction with this meeting, and any organizations interested in exhibiting or sponsoring the meeting should contact SAPMEA on 61 8 8274 6050 or via email at glaucoma2007@sapmea.asn.au to obtain a sponsorship and exhibition prospectus.

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

Dr Paul Foster

Dr Paul Foster is a Clinical Senior Lecturer at the Department of Epidemiology, Institute of Ophthalmology, University College London.

His Current International Leadership Roles are:

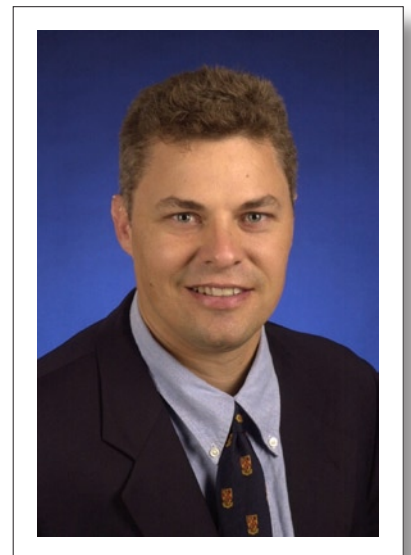
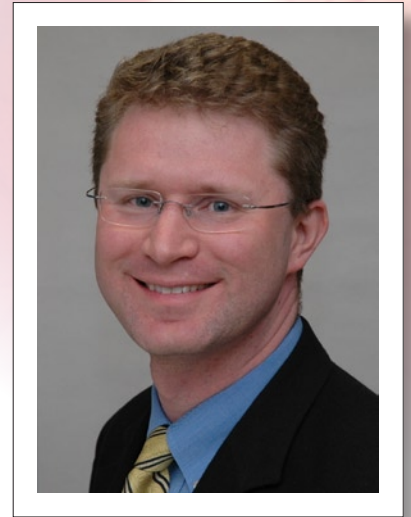
- Elected Member, Glaucoma Society of the International Congress of Ophthalmology
- Council Member, International Society of Ophthalmic Epidemiology (formerly ISGEO)
- Member, Associate Advisory Board, Association of International Glaucoma Societies (AIGS)
- Co-Chair, AIGS Angle-closure Glaucoma Consensus Working Group

Two of his major research projects are:

1. Prevalence and Screening for Glaucoma in Mongolia
2. Singapore 5-Fluorouracil Glaucoma Filtration Study

Dr Jamie Craig

Dr Jamie Craig is an Associate Professor of Ophthalmology at Flinders University and Consultant Ophthalmologist at Flinders Medical Centre. Previously Dr Craig was a Senior Registrar in Ophthalmology at the Royal Victorian Eye and Ear Hospital and a Senior Lecturer in Ophthalmology at the University of Melbourne. Some of the awards that Dr Craig has won are the Lister Medal for the student most distinguished in Clinical Surgery and the Archibald Watson Prize for the candidate who shows the greatest merit in the Distinction Viva in Surgery. In 2001 Dr Craig was presented with the Pharmacia Silver Rooster award, RANZCO Annual Meeting.



REGISTRATION INFORMATION

To attend the congress, please fill in the registration form and return it to the Secretariat. Each delegate must fill in a separate form. Please read this brochure carefully before completing the form.

Delegate Registration

All fees are inclusive of GST, and quoted in Australian Dollars

	before 22/1/07	after 22/1/07
Full Registration	\$450	\$495
Trainees	\$250	\$295

Full Registration and Trainee Registration includes entry to all sessions, satchel and contents, morning & afternoon teas and lunches and Friday night dinner.

Registration and Payment

Payment of fees must accompany all registration forms. Registrations will not be processed until payment is received. Registration and payment can be made by the following methods:

- 1) Online payment by credit card with a secure online server: www.sapmea.asn.au/glaucoma2007
- 2) Fax to +61 (08) 8274 6000
- 3) Post to the Congress Secretariat

Payment Options

The Congress Secretariat can accept the following methods of payment: Cheque/Money Order/Bank Draft- Please make payment payable to SAPMEA. Overseas delegates: personal cheque will not be accepted and will be returned to sender. All major credit cards are accepted via fax or mail registrations. Mail order or fax registration payments will appear as SAPMEA on your credit card statement. Only Visa and MasterCard are accepted for online registration payments and will appear as MIE Software on your credit card statement.

A GST invoice will only be produced once the registration form and payment, or a purchase order, has been received. Alternatively, retain a copy of the registration form, once submitted with payment, which will act as a valid Tax Invoice for GST purposes.

Confirmation and Receipt

Your registration will be acknowledged via email or facsimile within 7 to 10 working day of receipt of the registration form. Registration fees are based on date of receipts of payment (not based on date of receipt of registration forms).

Cancellation

Cancellation of registration must be made in writing to the Secretariat. Cancellations received on or before 22nd January 2007 will receive a refund of registration fees less an administrative charge of AUD100.00. Cancellations after this date will not be refunded, however, a substitute delegate is welcome to attend in your place.

ACCOMMODATION

Reservations have been made at properties within walking distance of the Conference venue. Accommodation bookings for the following rates can only be booked through SAPMEA Conventions. To secure your booking you are required to provide credit card details or a deposit of one night's accommodation which will be sent to the hotel of your choice. Accommodation cannot be guaranteed after Monday 5th February.

Rates are quoted per night per room, include GST and do not include breakfast unless indicated.

***** **Hyatt Regency Adelaide**

North Terrace- Conference Venue
\$225.00 Hyatt Guestroom (Single/Double/Twin)

***** **Stamford Plaza**

150 North Terrace – 2 min walk to Venue
\$215 Superior Room (Single/Double/Twin)

**** ½ **Oaks Embassy Hotel (GST Exclusive)**

96 North Terrace – 2 min walk to the Venue
\$160 Deluxe One Bedroom Suite (Single/Double)
\$215 Deluxe Two Bedroom Suite

**** **Mercure Grosvenor**

125 North Terrace – Opposite Conference Venue
\$130 Mercure Room (Single/Double/Twin)

** ½ \$100 Economy Room (Single/Double/Quad)

Cancellation

No accommodation deposits will be refunded after Monday 5th February. Rooms cancelled after this date will be charged a cancellation fee equal to one night's accommodation by the hotel.

Early and Late Arrival

Check in is from 1400 hrs. Whilst the hotel will do everything possible to accommodate early arrivals, if you wish to be guaranteed immediate access to your room, you will need to pay an extra day's tariff for the night before. Please indicate if you will be arriving at your hotel after 6.00pm. Failure to do so might mean your room could be released.