

October 2017

Event Calendar

Get involved! The below events are open to all Hub partners. [Click here](#) to find out more info and see what other events are coming up throughout the Hub!

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sa	Sun
02	03	04	05	06	07	08
	<p>12 - 1pm The Westmead Infectious Diseases and Immunology Seminar Series (WIMR Seminar Room)</p>	<p>4pm - 5pm Flow Cytometry User Group meeting (WIMR)</p>	<p>10 - 11am Westmead Hub Bioinformatics and 'Omics Seminar (CMRI Seminar Room)</p> <p>12 - 1pm WIMR Seminar Series - Professor Jonathan Kalman Professor of Medicine, University of Melbourne Director of Cardiac Electrophysiology, Royal Melbourne Hospital (WIMR Seminar Room)</p> <p>1:30 - 2:30 pm CMRI Seminar Thursday 5th October Speaker: Keith Ashman, PhD Title: Senior Field Specialist, SCIEX ANZ Seminar Title: Current Clinical Applications of Mass Spectrometry Hosts: Val Valova and Phil Robinson (Children's Medical Research Institute Seminar Room)</p>	<p>11 - 12:30pm CMRI Seminar Friday 6th October Time: 12:30-1:30 pm Speaker: Chris Hodgkins Title: Market Development Manager, SCIEX ANZ Seminar Title: The Evolution of Mass Spectrometry to Enable the Future of Precision Medicine Hosts: Val Valova and Phil Robinson (Children's Medical Research Institute Seminar Room)</p>		
09	10	11	12	13	14	15
			<p>1 - 2pm KRI seminar series (Doreen Dew Lecture Theatre, Level 4 Education Centre, CHW)</p>			
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	<p>12pm - 1pm The Westmead Infectious Diseases and Immunology Seminar Series (WIMR Seminar Room)</p> <p>Westmead Imaging Community - Image Analysis & Microscopy Special Interest Group</p> <p>Contact: Scott Page (spage@cmri.org.au) for more information or to be added to an email list to receive reminders</p>	<p>5:45pm - 7:15pm Sydney Science Forum - Why nature persists in urban environments' Subject: Sydney Science Forum - Why nature persists in urban environments' Sydney Science Forum is a series of public events exploring key issues in science. This October event, Associate Professor Dieter Hochuli from the School of Life and Environmental Sciences will discuss 'Why nature persists in urban environments'. (Loewenthal Auditorium, Westmead Education and Conference Centre at Westmead Hospital)</p>	<p>12pm - 1pm WIMR Seminar Series - Professor Nick King Professor of Viral Immunopathology, Pathology, School of Medical Sciences, Bosch Institute, University of Sydney (WIMR Seminar Room)</p>	<p>12:30 - 1:30pm CMRI Seminar: Understanding the relationship between telomerase, telomeres, and G-quadruplexes , Aaron Moye (CMRI Seminar Room)</p>		
23	24	25	26	27		
		<p>11am - 12pm NCIRS Seminar – Topic TBC (CMRI Seminar Room)</p>				

The Changing Landscape of Funding for Medical and Health Research Videos Now Available

The session held on 31 August titled “*The Changing Landscape of Funding for Medical and Health Research*” [has been uploaded to the WSLHD You tube channel.](#)

For your convenience, the videos have been broken the session up into its four components as four separate videos.

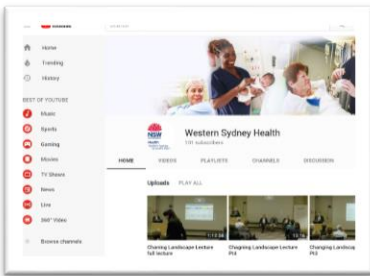
Professor Bruce Robinson AM, Chair NHMRC and immediate past dean, Sydney Medical School. On changes to NHMRC Grant Funding.

Dr Antonio Penna, Executive Director, the Office of Health and Medical Research, NSW Ministry of Health. On NSW Health Research Funding Schemes.

Professor Don Nutbeam, Professor of Public Health, School of Public Health, The University of Sydney. Representing Sydney Health Partners and commenting on MRFF

Q&A Session with the Panellists

We hope you find the session of use. Please feel share the link with others.



Regular Seminars in the Hub

Did you know that across the Hub, there are so many great educational seminars that you could be attending for free?!

It is often hard to find professional development opportunities, but the hub is rife with great seminars you can attend to help you upskill and/or network. Here are just a few you could attend:

- KRI Seminar Series
- Westmead Hub Bioinformatics and ‘Omics Seminar
- The Westmead Infectious Diseases and Immunology Seminar Series
- WIMR Seminar Series
- NCIRS Seminar Series
- CMRI Seminar Series

For more information, please check the Hub Calendar on page 1

StResS Shut Up and Write session!

I interviewed event organizer, Isabella Breukelaar, about the session held on the 21st September and what you could expect if you go to their next one!

What is a ‘Shut Up and Write’ session? *It’s about having a shared quiet place to write where you can see everyone else writing and you are encouraged write*

How many people came? *15 people maybe? It was a good amount of people!*

How long did you write for? *3 hours*

Was there a break? *Yes. It is 45 minutes of writing and 15 minutes of break time*

What did you do in the breaks? *We chatted, hung out, stretched- just relaxed basically*

What did you write? *I was doing a literature review*

Would you recommend it to other students? *Of course!*

Kids Research Institute - Stage 1

From westmeadproject.health.nsw.gov.au
Staff at the Kids Research Institute at The Children’s Hospital at Westmead began work in their refurbished office space for the first time on 8 October, 2017.

Marking the completion of Stage 1 construction, staff today moved into a completely refurbished flexible work environment that boasts 10 new meeting spaces, a high focus work zone and a Staff Hub for socialising, collaborative work, meals and events. The meeting rooms include a combination of bookable rooms with advanced AV capabilities and rooms for focused work and informal discussions.

[Click here to read the full story...](#)

Hub Calendar: How To Subscribe And Get Your Events Included

Did you know that a full Hub-wide events calendar is only [a click away?](#)

Hosted on the Westmead Research Hub website, westmead.org.au/events, you can easily look at all Hub events available for you to attend! Seminars, workshops, fundraisers – you name it.

For any more questions about this, please contact Hub Program Manager James Linton at jlinton@wrh.org.au

Behind The Scenes In The Hub

Sometimes people ask me, what is the Hub and what do you do? The work the Hub does is quite varied and aimed at bringing all the Hub Partners together. This often means strategising, building up Hub resources and much more. Some examples of work the Hub is doing now are:

- Hub Strategic Planning Workshop- This will bring the Hub strategy up to date with all the changes going on around the campus, this will also help inform all the work we do for the next 5 years or more!
- New appointments in Research Commercialization – The Hub partners now have a team of 3 excellent new members working on taking Hub research Intellectual Property out to markets to partner with. Stay tuned for more about this work soon!
- New equipment- Another one to watch out for, our Hub partners and Major Equipment committee are working hard to bring in new hi-tech equipment for you all to use. Did someone say New Super Resolution Microscope?!!

Art in Science Comp Reminder

Don’t forget to submit your entry to the ‘Art in Science’ competition!

The winners in each category of the WRH Art in Science will win \$200 cash and a pair of Bose headphones.

THE COMPETITION CATEGORIES ARE:

- Olympus Digital imaging (still images i.e. microscopy images)
- Data visualisation (graphs, charts, tables, infographics)
- Zeiss Science life (fun in the lab, the Westmead landscape etc)
- Viewer’s Choice

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