

6<sup>th</sup> August 2013

## FINAL AGENDA FOR MSNA PERTH 2013

### **THURSDAY 5<sup>th</sup> September 2013**

2pm- 4pm  
MSNICB examination 2013  
Boardroom  
Mercure Hotel, Perth

MSNA Executive  
Planning and discussions  
Preparation for AGM

6.30-8.30pm  
Welcome reception for all registrants  
Perth Concert Hall, across the road from the Mercure Hotel

### **FRIDAY 6<sup>th</sup> September**

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| <b>8am</b> | <b>Registrations open</b> |
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| 8.45am          | Opening and Welcome   | Therese Burke<br>President<br>MSNA |  |
| 9-9.45          | Session Chair:<br>Sharon Barlow<br>Vice President<br>MSNA                     | Professor<br>Allan<br>Kermode      | Immunotherapy, Sex and the<br>Whole Damn Thing   |
| 9.45-<br>10.30  |   | A/Prof<br>Michelle<br>Byrnes       | Neuroplasticity in MS  |
| 10.30-<br>11.00 |   |                                    | Morning Tea and poster viewing   |
| 11.00-<br>11.20 | Session Chair:<br>Sharon<br>Stevenson-Hall<br>State Delegate<br>NZ South MSNA |                                    | Nurse Podium 1- Susan Agland,<br>NSW<br>"Breaking new ground- MS Nurse<br>skill development in performing<br>EDSS" |
| 11.20-<br>11.40 |   |                                    | Nurse Podium 2- Peter Cheung,<br>SA "The Young, Fatigued And The<br>Restless"                                      |
| 11.40-<br>12.00 |   |                                    | Nurse Podium 3- Marisa Pinerio,<br>WA<br>"Blurred Lines ...Bent lines...No   |

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|             |  |                    | lines...negotiating professional boundaries in MS care”   |
| Midday-1pm  |  | LUNCH INCLUDED     | Poster viewing  |
| 1-1.40pm    | Session Chair:<br>Tim O’Maley<br>State Delegate<br>Qld MSNA  | Sandra Wallace     | Occupational therapy in action in MS  |
| 1.40-2pm    |  | Narelle Higson     | The MA+ Guide to Adult Oriented Assistive Technology- an overview   |
| 2-2.45pm    |  | A/Prof David Nolan | Immunology refresher: EBV and MS  |
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| 2.45-3pm    | Poster Chairs:<br>Michelle Allan (State Delegate Victoria) and Sue Baker (State Delegate NSW) to co-ordinate and supervise |                    | Poster session: Authors must stand by their posters for questions, session falls into afternoon tea break |
| 3-3.20pm    |  |                    | Afternoon Tea   |
| 3.20-4.30pm |  |                    | MSNA Inc AGM<br>Executive and State Delegate reports and business agenda<br>All welcome                   |
| 6.30        | Pre-dinner drinks commence   |                    |   |
| 7pm         | Dinner sit down  |                    | Celebration dinner 15 years of MSNA, Introduction of 2014 MSNA Executive / State Delegates and awards     |

**SATURDAY 7th September**

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| 8.45AM                           |  |  | Welcome to Day 2<br>Helen McCarl<br>Secretary MSNA  |  |
| 9am-10.30                        | Session<br>Chair: Sue<br>Walters                                     | Prof Souyma<br>Ghosh<br>Dave<br>Hathorn and<br>Bini<br>Rappeport | SYMPOSIUM: The future of<br>Neurorehabilitation- Robotics and<br>Balance  |  |
| 10.30-10.50                      |  | Morning Tea  |   |  |
| 10.50-11.30                      | Session<br>Chair:<br>Pamela<br>Klaer<br>State<br>Delegate<br>SA MSNA | Lisa Papas   | Slam on the Brakes; Boundaries,<br>Breakdowns and Resilience.   |  |
| 11.30-11.50<br><br>11.50-12.10pm |  |  | Nurse podium 4- Maree Canty NSW<br>"All hands on deck- celebrating the<br>multidisciplinary approach "<br><br>Nurse podium 5- Helen Sikkens<br>NSW<br>"It is the Tyranny of Distance" |  |
| 12.15-1pm                        | MSNA<br>Executive  |  | 2012 Scholarship recipient reports<br>Discussion<br>Prize winners best podium and<br>poster presentations 2013<br>announced and overall presentation<br>winner                        |  |
| From<br>12.30pm                  |  |  | Packed lunch to go  |  |