

# ACTA 2024 CLINICAL TRIALS AND REGISTRIES SYMPOSIUM

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2-4 DECEMBER 2024  
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## Monday 2 December 2024

7.30am-8.30am	Registration			
8.30am-10.30am	<b>Plenary 1 – Enhancing national clinical trial, and cohort study capability and capacity</b> <b>Chair: Chris Reid</b>			
8.30am-8.50am	Welcome	Prof Chris Reid Welcome to Country – Bunurong Land Council Aboriginal Corporation Invited Departmental Speaker - TBC		
8.50am-9.05am	Potential Contribution of Electronic Clinical Quality Registries as an Approach to Improve Clinical Trials and Their Translation into Clinical Practice	Dr Jean-Frederic Levesque Clinical Innovation and Research NSW Ministry of Health		
9.05am- 9.20am	Therapeutic Goods Administration (TGA) - Clinical Trials Initiatives	Dr Iga Policinska- Australian Government Department of Health and Aged Care		
9.20am – 9.35am	Health Studies Australian National Data Asset (HeSANDA)	Rosie Hicks Australian Research Data Commons		
9.35am – 9.50am	How to Transform the Way we Deliver Large-Scale Pragmatic Clinical Trials	Prof Otavio Berwanger The George Institute for Global Health		
9.50am – 10.10am	Strengthening clinical trial capacity: an international perspective	Prof Marion Campbell University Of Aberdeen		
10.10am- 10.30am	Panel discussion and Q&A	Anne McKenzie AO		
10.30am-11.00am	<b>Morning tea and poster session</b>			
11.00am-12.30pm	<b>Plenary 2 - Consumers at the centre of clinical trials: what does this mean for researchers?</b> <b>Chair: Janelle Bowden</b>			
11.00am– 11.20am	Health Technology Assessment	Karen van Gorp		
11.20am -11.40am	Funding of consumers	John Stubbs		
11.40am – 12.00pm	The STOP trial	Asha Bowen		
12.00pm – 12.30pm	Panel discussion and Q&A	Anne McKenzie AO, Mitch Messer, Shyamsundar Muthutamalingham		
12.30pm-1.30pm	<b>Lunch and poster session</b>			
1.30pm – 3.00pm	<b>Concurrent session – 1A Bringing data together</b> <b>Chair: Shyamsundar Muthutamalingham</b>		<b>Concurrent Session 1B – Equity, diversity and inclusion in clinical trials</b> <b>Chair: Karen van Gorp</b>	
1.30pm– 1.45pm	Harnessing the value of clinicogenomic data from multiple phase 3 prostate cancer trials	Prof Chris Sweeney South Australian Immunogenomics Cancer Institute	Women’s Heart Health Matters: Addressing Inequities and Advancing Inclusive Cardiovascular Research	Prof Linda Worrall-Carter Her Heart
1.45pm – 2.00pm	Population Health Research Network on data linkage for clinical trials	Dr Felicity Flack The University of Western Australia	Achieving Equity: A balancing act	Dr Hashim Periyalil Department of Health and Aged Care
2.00pm-2.15pm	Digital health	Prof Clair Sullivan	Barriers and enablers of cancer clinical trial participation among Arabic-speaking Australians	Dr Rayan Saleh Moussa University of Technology Sydney
2.15pm-2.30pm	Decentralised trials	Prof Monika Janda The University of Queensland	Clinical trials in prison populations	Scientia Prof Gregory Dore Kirby Institute
2.30pm-2.45pm	Consumer Engagement Within A Clinical Data Registry	Jasmin Mazis ANZDATA	Improving participation of Culturally and Linguistically diverse participants in research	Anne Woollett TrialHub
2.45pm – 3.00pm	Panel discussion and Q&A	Kris Peirce	Panel discussion and Q&A	Annie McPherson
3.00pm-3.30pm	<b>Afternoon Tea and poster session</b>			
3.30pm-5.00pm	<b>Concurrent Session 2A – Contributed abstract session</b> <b>Chair: Nadine Foster</b>		<b>Concurrent Session 2B – Contributed abstract session</b> <b>Chair: Rachael Morton</b>	
3.30pm-3.45pm	Automating Clinical Trial Workflows through AI to Improve Patient Safety Outcomes	Dr Rishi Verma Pfizer and Stethy	Adaptive Platform trial in Chronic Kidney Disease (CAPTIVATE)	Dr Enmoore Lin The George Institute for Global Health

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3.45pm – 4.00pm	A factorial cluster randomised trial of feedback to reduce overuse of pathology test requests in general practice	Prof Denise O'Connor Monash University	Beyond the protocol: Navigating ethics and governance in the multisite QASC Australasia Trial	Ms Simeon Dale Nursing Research Institute, Australian Catholic University & St Vincent's Hospital
4.00pm-4.15pm	A comprehensive look at the value of innovative trial designs: what about stakeholders?	Dr Alisa Higgins Australian And New Zealand Intensive Care Research Centre, Monash University	Enabling equity of access through national collaboration to co-design the Teletrial Supervision Plan	Nadine Herren WA Country Health Service
4.15pm-4.30pm	Incorporating Frequentist Group Sequential Methods in Bayesian Trial Design	Patrick Maher ULTRA: The University of Queensland's cLinical TRials cApability	Quality and quantity of Nurse- and Midwife-led randomised controlled trials in Australia and New Zealand	Richard Gray La Trobe University
4.30pm – 4.45pm	How is implementation science used in hybrid effectiveness-implementation randomised controlled trials? A state-of-the-art review of early adopters.	Dr Mark Liu University Of Queensland	Building successful collaborations and recruitment strategies: Learnings from a Sydney-based community-embedded intergenerational trial to recruit older adult participants	Amelia Trippas The George Institute For Global Health
4.45pm – 5.00pm	The semiparametric accelerated failure time model to accommodate non-proportional hazards	Dr Ding Ma ULTRA: The University Of Queensland's cLinical TRial cApability	Are we ready for a nursing and midwifery clinician researcher career pathway? A qualitative study	Prof Sandy Middleton St Vincent's Health Network Sydney, St Vincent's Hospital Melbourne and Australian Catholic University

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## Tuesday 3 December 2024

7.30am-8.30am	Registration				
8.30-10.30am	<b>Plenary 3 – The National Clinical Trials Governance Framework in action</b> <b>Chair: Anne McKenzie</b>				Registry Symposium Workshop 1 – Fundamentals of Impact for Registries  Workshop 2 - Translating registry outputs into community resources to improve health
8.30am-8.50am	National Clinical Trials Governance Framework: government / regulator perspective		Suchit Handa Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care		
8.50am-9.10am	National Clinical Trials Governance Framework: Perspective of the hospital		Dianne Tucker Murdoch Children's Research Institute		
9.10am-9.30am	National Clinical Trials Governance Framework: Perspective of the site-investigator		Prof Prahlad Ho Northern Health		
9.30am – 9.50am	National Clinical Trials Governance Framework: Assessors' perspective		Keith Love Australian Council on Healthcare Standards		
9.50am–10.10am	Coordinating Centre accreditation		Helen Monaghan The George Institute		
10.10am-10.30am	Panel discussion and Q&A		Shyamsundar Muthutamalingham		
10.30am-11.00am	<b>Morning tea and poster session</b>				
11.00am-12.30pm	<b>Concurrent Session 3A – The ACTA community: past, present and future</b> <b>Chair: Kate Lee</b>		<b>Concurrent Session 3B – Innovations in clinical trials</b> <b>Chair: Rachael Morton</b>		Registry Symposium Workshop 1 & 2 cont.
11.00am-11.15am	ACTA over the last 10 years and future direction	Prof Chris Reid ACTA	Innovative trial designs	Paul Mouncey Intensive Care National Audit & Research Centre	
11.15am - 11.30am	Trial of the Year Award winner	Prof Trisha Peel Monash University	Maintaining scientific quality in the era of innovative designs	Prof Ian Marschner University of Sydney	
11.30am-11.45am	The statistical journey of the BRACE trial	Francesca Orsini Murdoch Children's Research Institute	Innovations in health economics in trials	Prof Mike Drummond University of York	
11.45am-12.00pm	TRIPSIG introduction	Dr Nicola Straiton Australian Catholic University and A/Prof Ingrid Hickman University of Queensland	Consumer view on innovative designs	John Stubbs	
12.00pm-12.15pm	Effective Together: Clinical Registries achieve impact through collaboration	Prof Susannah Ahern Monash University	Enhancing national clinical trial, and cohort study capability and capacity	Prof Marion Campbell University Of Aberdeen	
12.15pm-12.30pm	Panel discussion and Q&A	Anne McKenzie	Panel discussion and Q&A		
12.30pm-1.30pm	<b>Lunch and poster session</b>				
1.30-3.00	<b>Concurrent Session 4A – Contributed abstract session</b> <b>Chair: Karen van Gorp</b>		<b>Concurrent Session 4B – Contributed abstract session</b> <b>Chair: Shyamsundar Muthutamalingham</b>		
1.30 pm – 1.45pm	Piloting clinical trial ambassadors in regional Victoria	Rebecca McLean TrialHub Alfred Health	Inclusion of Chinese-speaking Australians in the MEDITATEPallCare feasibility trial	Dr Angela Rao-Newton University Of Tasmania	Registries Symposium Workshop 3 - Fundamentals of Impact for Registries
1.45pm – 2.00pm	Creating accessible information for research participation:	Fleur O'Hare Centre For Eye Research Australia	Equitable access to primary care research through a	Dr Suzanne Harte University of Melbourne	Workshop 4 - Reporting Patient Reported Measures for quality

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	an overview of the MAIN project.		national rural practice-based research network: The PARTNER Network		improvement purposes in Australian Clinical Quality Registries
2.00pm - 2.15pm	Exploring clinical trials awareness, information access and participation amongst Australians with ovarian cancer: a qualitative study	Natalie Williams Ovarian Cancer Australia	Use of an "Expertise" design for evaluating surgery: A 10yr Multicentre RCT Assessing Total Versus Partial Knee Replacement (TOPKAT)	Prof David J Beard University of Sydney	Registries Symposium Workshop 3 - Fundamentals of Impact for Registries
2.15pm - 2.30pm	The Most Premature Babies Priority Setting Partnership	Dr Stacey Peart The Royal Women's Hospital	Handling of intercurrent SARS-CoV-2 infections in COVID-19 vaccine immunogenicity trials	Dr Cattram Nguyen Murdoch Children's Research Institute	Workshop 4 - Reporting Patient Reported Measures for quality improvement purposes in Australian Clinical Quality Registries
2.30pm - 2.45pm	Establishing an ambitious data-enabled clinical trial in UK critical care (UK-ROX)	Paul Mouncey Intensive Care National Audit & Research Centre	Facilitating up-to-date clinical trials information: a case for collaboration between ethics and the Australian New Zealand Clinical Trials Registry (ANZCTR)	Angie Barba NHMRC Clinical Trial Centre	
2.45pm - 3.00pm	Digital feasibility assessment for clinical trials: from clinical assumptions to EMR reality	Alannah Rudkin Murdoch Children's Research Institute	Sharing or non-sharing individual participant data: how valid are randomised trials evaluating induction of labour? and what next?	Dr Malitha Patabendige Monash University	
3.00pm-3.30pm	<b>Afternoon tea and poster session</b>				
3.30pm-5.00pm	Plenary 4 <b>Chair: Nadine Foster</b>				Registries Symposium Workshop 3 & 4 cont.
3.30pm - 4.45pm	The great debate: the traditional randomised trial design is dead	Mitch Messer, Prof Steve Webb, Prof Kate Lee, Paul Mouncey, Prof Ian Marschner, Prof Marion Campbell			
4.45pm - 5.00pm	ACTA Symposium Closing	Prof Chris Reid			
5.00pm-6.30pm	<b>ACTA soiree</b>				

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## Wednesday 4 December 2024

	Clinical Registries Day	Platform Trials Workshop	Data Safety Monitoring Boards Workshop	Accreditation of Australian Clinical Trial Coordinating Centres – is it time? Workshop	Cluster Randomised Trials Workshop	Implementation Science in Clinical Trials Workshop	Consumer Workshop	ARCS Summit
7.30am-8.30am	Registration							
9.00am-11am	Plenary 1	Platform Trials Workshop	Data Safety Monitoring Boards Workshop	Accreditation of Australian Clinical Trial Coordinating Centres – it is time? Workshop	Cluster Randomised Trials Workshop	Implementation Science in Clinical Trials Workshop	Consumer Workshop	ARCS Summit
11.00am-11.30am	Morning tea and poster session							
11.30am-1.00pm	Plenary 2	Platform Trials Workshop cont	Data Safety Monitoring Boards Workshop cont	Accreditation of Australian Clinical Trial Coordinating Centres – it is time? Workshop	Cluster Randomised Trials Workshop	Implementation Science in Clinical Trials Workshop cont	Consumer Workshop cont	ARCS Summit cont
1.00pm-2.00pm	Lunch and poster session							
2.00pm-3.10pm	Concurrent session – contributes abstracts	Platform Trials Workshop cont						ARCS Summit cont
3.10pm-3.40pm	Afternoon tea and poster session							
3.40pm-4.50pm	Plenary 3 and symposium close	Platform Trials Workshop cont						ARCS AGM