



AGES XXXV
ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC MEETING 2025

Foundations, Finesse, Frontiers

AGES ASM 2025 PROGRAM Thursday 28 February – Saturday 1 March 2025

THURSDAY 27 FEBRUARY		
0700 - 0800	Conference Registration	<i>Crown Ballroom Foyer</i>
0800 - 0930	Session 1: Opening Plenary	<i>Crown Ballroom 1</i>
0800 - 0815	Welcome to Country & Introduction to the ASM – Rachel Green & Jennifer Pontre	
0815 - 0835	The Five Stages of Surgical Training – Sven Becker	
0835 - 0900	Just Do It! Harness Surgical Videography to Boost Your Career - Inside and Outside the OR - Jeffrey Woo	
0900 - 0925	Does the Ovary Stay or Go? Rethinking the Guidelines Around Adnexectomy – Stuart Salfinger	
0925 - 0930	Panel Questions	
0930 - 1030	Session 2: Chairmans Choice	<i>Crown Ballroom 1</i>
1030 - 1100	Morning Tea, Trade Exhibition & Digital Free Communications	<i>Crown Ballroom 2 & 3</i>
1100 - 1230	Session 3A: Menopause Speed Updating	Session 3B: The Ovary Speed Updating
	<i>Crown Ballroom 1</i>	<i>Astral 1</i>
1100 - 1112	Menopause after Cancer: Symptom Control – Lesley Ramage	Oophoropexy: To Let it Be or Not Let it Be? – Lenore Ellet
1112 - 1124	PMDD and Progesterone Sensitivity in Menopause - Sunita Chelvanayagam	What's the Goss with PCOS? – Helen McNamara
1124 - 1136	Mood and Menopause – Michelle Cotellessa	AMH: Are My Eggs Fried? – Lauren Hicks
1136 - 1148	New and Old: Update on Best Practice – Lucy Williams	Progesterone Pearls – Alison Bryant-Smith
1148 - 1200	Premature Ovarian Insufficiency: An Update - Ashley Makepeace	Chocolate Cysts and the Baby: An Endometrioma Story – Keryn Harlow
1200 - 1212	Menopause: An Integrated Approach - Lucy Caratti	Post Menopausal Cysts - What's the Risk? - Charlotte Reddington
1212 - 1230	Panel Discussion	Panel Discussion
1230 - 1330	Lunch, Trade Exhibition & Digital Free Communications	<i>Crown Ballroom 2 & 3</i>

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	Session 4A: Fertility	Session 4B: International Society Partner
1330 - 1500	<i>Crown Ballroom 1</i>	<i>Astral 1</i>
1330 - 1350	Fibroids and Fertility: Evidence Not Opinion – Pippa Robertson	Establishing a Program for Training in Robotic Hysterectomy – Ted Anderson (AAGL)
1350 - 1410	Caesarean Scar Niche and Fertility: Truth or Fiction – Anusch Yazdani	Tips & Tricks for Robotic/Laparoscopic Myomectomy – Sita Ayu Arumi
1410 - 1430	Deeply Infiltrating Endometriosis and Infertility: What to do in '25 – Jenni Pontre	Robotic Approaches to Managing Colorectal Endometriosis – Zeiad El-Gizawy
1430 - 1450	Endometrioma Treatment Options in the Infertile – Krish Karthigasu	Neuropelveology: Where do we go with Pelvic Nerves? – Benoit Rabischong
1450 - 1500	Panel Discussion	Panel Discussion
1500 - 1530	Afternoon Tea. Trade & Digital Free Communications <i>Crown Ballroom 2 & 3</i>	
1530 - 1700	Session 5: Complex Surgery <i>Crown Ballroom 1</i>	
1530 - 1550	Trouble in the Lower Uterine Zone: Tackling Isthmococele and Scar Ectopic, One Stitch at a Time! – Jeffrey Woo	
1550 - 1610	Ovary on the Edge: Surgical Solutions for Residual Ovaries – Jim Tsaltas	
1610 - 1630	When the Vault Breaks: Insights into Vaginal Vault Dehiscence – Amani Harris	
1630 - 1650	Laparoscopic Hysterectomy Redefined: Navigating Complex Cases with Confidence – Albert Jung	
1650 - 1700	Panel Questions	
1700	Close of Day One	
1700 - 1800	Welcome Reception <i>Medtronic Suturing Café Competition</i>	Crown Ballroom 2 & 3



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FRIDAY 28 FEBRUARY			
0700 - 0745	Sponsored Breakfast Sessions		
0700 - 0745	 Robotic Gender Inequity for Australian and New Zealand Patients - How did we get here and how can we fix it?	 <i>AI scribes – an overview of both technical and practical issues</i>	 <i>SPY Fluorescence</i>
0730 - 0830	Conference Registration		<i>Crown Ballroom Foyer</i>
0800 - 0835	Annual General Meeting (<i>Members Only</i>)		<i>Crown Ballroom 1</i>
0900 - 1000	Session 6: Keynote and Dan O'Connor Lecture		<i>Crown Ballroom 1</i>
0900 - 0930	Surgical Effectiveness: Perception Versus Reality - Ian Harris		
0930 - 1000	Dan O'Connor Lecture - Reflections on Gynaecological Endoscopy – Ray Garry		
1000 - 1030	Morning Tea, Trade Exhibition & Digital Free Communications		<i>Crown Ballroom 2 & 3</i>
1030 - 1200	Session 7: Pain		<i>Crown Ballroom 1</i>
1030 - 1050	Microbiome & Pain - Elizabeth Gannon		
1050 - 1110	Placebo or Nocebo – Damien Finnis		
1110 - 1130	Pain Relief or Pitfall? Reassessing Opioids in Pelvic Pain – Sonya Ting		
1130 - 1150	Clinical Hypnotherapy – Matt Jenke		
1150 - 1200	Panel Discussion		
1200 - 1315	Lunch, Trade Exhibition & Digital Free Communications		<i>Crown Ballroom 2 & 3</i>
1315 - 1445	Session 8: The Anatomy of Complications M&M		<i>Crown Ballroom 1</i>
	Chairs: Krish Karthigasu, Robyn Leake & Yee Leung		
1315 - 1445	Panellists: Jason Abbott, Richard Naunton Morgan, Marina Wallace & Jess Yin		
1445 - 1515	Afternoon Tea, Trade Exhibition & Digital Free Communications		<i>Crown Ballroom 2 & 3</i>
1515 - 1645	Session 9: Not So Live Surgery		<i>Crown Ballroom 1</i>
	Chairs: Emma Readman & Michael Wynn-Williams		
1515 - 1645	Presenters: Jorg Keckstein & Mario Malzoni		
1645	Close of Day Two		
1900 - 2300	AGES Annual Black-Tie Gala Dinner, Awards & Charity Auction		<i>WA Museum Hackett Hall Gallery</i>

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SATURDAY 1 MARCH		
0830 - 0900	Conference Registration	<i>Crown Ballroom 2 & 3</i>
0900 - 1030	Session 10: Complex Reproductive Surgery	<i>Crown Ballroom 1</i>
0900 - 0920	To Cut or Not to Cut: That is the Septum – Roger Hart	
0920 - 0940	Asherman's: Prevention in the Fertility Patient – Devini Ameratunga	
0940 - 1000	Mullerian Anomalies – Rebecca Deans	
1000 - 1020	Beyond the Binary: Gynaecology Care for Gender Diverse People – Jennifer Beale	
1020 - 1030	Panel Discussion	
1030 - 1100	Morning Tea & Trade Exhibition	<i>Crown Ballroom 2 & 3</i>
1100 - 1230	Session 11: Endometriosis	<i>Crown Ballroom 1</i>
1100 - 1120	Lighting the Way: ICG in the Surgical Management of Endometriosis – Tanushree Rao	
1120 - 1140	Adenomyomectomy: Easier to Perform Than Pronounce – Tips for Smooth Sailing! – Jeffrey Woo	
1140 - 1200	A Preoperative Optimisation Map to Enhance Endometriosis Surgery Outcomes - Shamitha Kathurusinghe	
1200 - 1220	Surgical Innovation - A Framework for Change – Naomi Holbeach	
1220 - 1230	Panel Discussion	
1230	Conference Close	
1230 - 1330	Lunch	