

SPUMS ASM 2024 Programme at a glance

Monday 13 th May 2024		
Session 1		
Chair: Dr Neil Banham		
Time	Talk Title	Speaker
1400-1405	Welcome	
1405-1500	Persistent (Patent) Foramen Ovale (PFO) Diving- History and current practice	Dr Peter Wilmshurst (Keynote Speaker)
1500-1515	Questions and Discussion	
1515-1600	PFO Closure (Video): Practical tips and problems	Dr Mark Turner
Break 1600-1630		
Session 2 (Free Papers)		
Chair: Dr Ian Gawthrop		
1630-1700	HBOT for a patient on ECMO	Dr Bridget Devaney
1700-1730	PFO, DCI and Right Ventricular Dilatation	Dr Jeremy Mason
1730-1830	Sudden cardiac arrest – Could it be you?!	Dr Mark Salib

Tuesday 14 th May 2024		
Session 1		
Chair: Prof David Smart		
Time	Talk Title	Speaker
1400-1500	PFO Diagnosis and management	Dr Peter Wilmshurst
1500-1515	Questions and Discussion	
1515-1540	PFO Case reports	Dr Sarah Lockley
1540-1600	Overview of Colonial War Memorial Hospital Suva	Dr Luke Nasedra
Break 1600-1630		
Session 2		
Panel: David Smart, Simon Mitchell, Peter Wilmshurst, Neil Banham, Mark Turner		
1630-1800	SPUMS / UKSDMC PFO and Diving JPS update	
1800-1830	SPUMS PFO Patient Information e-Brochure for consensus	Dr Elisabete da Silva

Wednesday 15 th May 2024		
Session 1		
Chair: Dr Cathy Meehan		
Time	Talk Title	Speaker
1400-1500	Update on Decompression Illness	Prof Simon Mitchell
1500-1510	Questions and Discussion	
1510-1530	Five consecutive cases of hearing loss associated with inner ear barotrauma from diving successfully treated with hyperbaric oxygen	Prof David Smart
1530-1600	Full-face snorkel masks increase incidence of hypoxaemia and hypercapnia	Dr Hanna van Waart
Break 1600-1630		
Session 2 (Free Papers)		
Chair: Dr Bridget Devaney		
1630-1700	Snorkelling deaths 2000 to 2019	Dr John Lippmann
1700-1720	Hyperbaric services in Fiji	Dr Akuila Waqanicakau
1720-1810	SPUMS AGM & Diploma Presentation Ceremony	
1810-1830	SPUMS ASM 2025 Bali Information	

Thursday 16 th May 2024		
Session 1		
Chair: Prof Simon Mitchell		
Time	Talk Title	Speaker
1400-1500	Immersion Pulmonary Oedema- Overview	Dr Peter Wilmshurst
1500-1515	Questions and Discussion	
1515-1530	Immersion Pulmonary Oedema Case report	Dr Sarah Lockley
1530-1545	Experiences on managing diving injuries in Lautoka Hospital	Dr Raymond Vuniwa
1545-1600	Experiences of managing diving injuries in Colonial War Memorial Hospital Emergency Department	Dr Saula Tunisau
Break 1600-1630		
Session 2		
Panel: David Smart, Simon Mitchell, Peter Wilmshurst, Neil Banham, Mark Turner		
1630-1800	SPUMS / UKSDMC Immersion Pulmonary Oedema and Diving JPS	
1800-1830	SPUMS Immersion Pulmonary Oedema Patient Information e-brochure for consensus	Dr Elisabete da Silva

Friday 17 th May 2024		
Session 1 (Free Papers)		
Chair: Dr Lizzie Elliott		
Time	Talk Title	Speaker
1400-1430	Evaluation of clinical outcomes of HBOT among patients at Colonial War Memorial Hospital	Dr Katarina Moceleka
1430-1500	Controlled exposure to hypoxia enhances subsequent hypoxia awareness in divers	Dr Xavier Vrijdag
1500-1600	Update on Commercial Diving	Dr Phil Bryson
Break 1600-1630		
Session 2 (Free Papers)		
Chair: Dr Sarah Lockley		
1630-1700	Free diving cases	Dr Andrew Waring
1700-1730	SPUMS ASM – The way we were	Dr Cathy Meehan
1730-1810	Shark attacks on divers in Australia	Dr John Lippmann
Close		
1900-late	Conference Dinner – Fiji Theme!	