



# 2025 USANZ TASMANIAN SECTION MEETING



## Friday 31 October UROLOGY NURSES & ALLIED SPECIALTY PROGRAM

Venue: Hotel Grand Chancellor, Launceston



12:00

**Registration opens**

**Scientific Sessions: Chancellor Room 5**

12:45 - 13:00

**Welcome and housekeeping**

Courtney Lockhart *Convenor*

13:00 - 13:20

**The value of exercise in prostate cancer treatment**

Katie-Jane Brickwood *Body Connect Exercise Physiology*

13:20 - 13:40

**Case studies on delivering intravesical and intrarenal  
gemcitabine/docetaxel**

Felicity Petricola *Urology Clinical Nurse Consultant*

13:40 - 14:00

**The prostate cancer nurse specialist managing erectile dysfunction: a case study**

Sharon Huett *Prostate Cancer Nurse*

14:00 - 14:20

**Lived experience for men on active surveillance for prostate cancer**

Russell Briggs *Prostate Cancer Specialist Nurse*

14:20 - 14:25

**B. Braun Presentation**

14:25 - 14:30

**Reflections from USANZ and ANZUNS ASM 2025**

Linda Xepapas & Rosita van Zetten *Urology Operating Room Nurses*

14:30 - 14:35

**Mundipharma Presentation**



14:45 - 15:30

**Afternoon Tea & Trade Display: Chancellor Rooms 3&4**

15:30 - 15:50

**Teamwork, technology and the future of surgical care**

Kailey Jamieson *Clinical Nurse Consultant, Robotics*

15:50 - 16:10

**What's new in GU?**

Prof Fiona Maclean *Deputy Director of Histopathology at  
Douglass Hanly Moir Pathology*

16:10 - 16:40

**After cystectomy: bladder or bag?**

Dr Stephen Brough *Urology Consultant*

16:40 - 17:10

**What's new in prostate cancer?**

Prof Phillip Stricker AO *Urologist & Prostate Cancer Specialist*

17:10

**Close session**



19:00

**Networking Dinner**

*Peppers Silo*

For consultants, registrars, nurses, allied health and industry partners



# 2025 USANZ TASMANIAN SECTION MEETING



## Saturday 1 November UROLOGICAL SURGEONS PROGRAM



**08:15** Registration opens

**08:30 - 11:00** Industry Display including Breakfast: Chancellor Room 3&4

**Scientific Sessions: Chancellor Room 5**

**11:10 - 11:15** Welcome and Housekeeping

Dr Victor Ilie *Convenor*

**11:15 - 11:45** Focal therapy with IRE – the versatile option

Prof Phillip Stricker AO *Urologist & Prostate Cancer Specialist*  
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**11:45 - 12:00** The committee will see you now – buying a robot in Public Health

Dr Richard Cetti *Urologist & Head of Unit, Launceston General Hospital*

**12:00 - 12:15** What makes a good Urology training rotation

Dr Jake Tempo & Dr Catalina Palma *Registrars*



**12:15 - 13:00** Lunch

**13:00 - 13:30** Prostatectomy – surgical tips for optimising potency, continence and cure

Prof Phillip Stricker AO  
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**13:30 - 14:00** What's new in GU / oncology and other hot topics

Prof Fiona Maclean *Deputy Director of Histopathology,*  
*Douglass Hanly Moir Pathology*

**14:00 - 14:20** Delivering a sustainable medical workforce that meets community needs

Dr Kristen Bell *Clinical Director Surgical & Periop Services, Royal Hobart Hospital*

**14:20 - 14:40** Advanced pharmacology in ED

Damian Scott *Owner, Complete Care Pharmacy and Mens House Downunder*



**14:45 - 15:00** Afternoon Tea



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### 15:00 - 16:45 Registrar Presentations for Robbie Roberts Prize

- 15.05-15.15 Restoring the Flow: Evolving Trends in Surgical and Minimally Invasive Therapies for BPH in Australia**  
Abdullah Al-Khanaty
- 15.15-15.25 Use of Intradetrusor Botulinum Toxin in the Geriatric Population for Refractory Overactive Bladder**  
William Chui
- 15.25-15.35 Systemic treatment intensification using Androgen Receptor Pathway Inhibitors for metastatic Hormone Sensitive Prostate Cancer: a survey of Australian and New Zealand Urologists**  
Daniel Crisafi
- 15.35-15.45 Unusual Presentation of Recurrent Pseudomonas Urinary Tract Infections (UTIs) in a Patient with Seminal Vesicle Calculi**  
Sulleyman Felemban
- 15.45-15.55 Assessing the feasibility and validity of a cross-specialty bleeding simulation model in robotic surgery – a pilot study**  
Henry Yen-Cheng Pan
- 15.55-16.05 Radical Cystectomy mortality in older patients. A systematic review and meta-analysis**  
Jake Tempo
- 16.05-16.15 Antibiotic prophylaxis in urodynamic studies: a systematic review of randomized controlled trials**  
Ninan Tharakan
- 16.15-16.25 The Arrival of Single-Port Robotic Surgery in Australia: Early Clinical Cases and Frameworks for Safe Adoption**  
Abdullah Al-Khanaty
- 16.25-16.35 A midline extraperitoneal approach to perform a nephrectomy and kidney autotransplantation**  
Matthew Pritchard

### 17:00 Presentation of the Robbie Roberts Prize

### 17:10 USANZ Tasmanian Section Annual Business Meeting

### 19:00 Dinner

*Josef Chromy Winery*

*Coach departs Hotel Grand Chancellor at 6.30pm sharp*

