

<b>2017 CCS BMedSc(Hons) Oral Presentation #2 Program</b>		
<b>Date:</b> Monday 25 September 2017		
<b>Time:</b> 9:20am – 3:10pm		
<b>Venue:</b> Lecture Theatre, Level 5, Alfred Centre		
<b>Opening and welcome by Honours Coordinator: Merlin Thomas</b>		9:20am
<b>Chair: Merlin Thomas</b>		
Speaker	Zelia Karmen Chiu	9:30am – 9:40am
Thesis title	<b><i>Vitamin D status in Uveitis patients</i></b>	
Supervisor	A/Prof Anthony Hall, A/Prof Lyndell Lim	
Department	Department of Surgery	
<b>Question and Answer 9:40am</b>		
Speaker	Louisa Pui Ling Thong	9:45am 9:55am
Thesis title	<b><i>Epidemiology of Scleritis and Episcleritis in metropolitan Melbourne</i></b>	
Supervisor	A/Prof Anthony Hall, A/Prof Lyndell Lim	
Department	Department of Surgery	
<b>Question and Answer 09:55am</b>		
Speaker	Patrick Daniel Maclean	10:00am – 10:10am
Thesis title	<b><i>Use of infra-red spectroscopy to identify the most common microorganisms causing bloodstream infection</i></b>	
Supervisor	Professor Anton Peleg, Phillip Heraud, Christina Change	
Department	Dept of Infectious Diseases	
<b>Question and Answer 10:10am</b>		
Speaker	Darcy Neil Tupper-Creed	10:15am – 10:25am
Thesis title	<b><i>Does creatinine production rate change perioperatively in patients undergoing cardiac surgery ?</i></b>	
Supervisor	Dr David McIlroy, Professor Paul Myles	
Department	CCS	
<b>Question and Answer 10:25am</b>		
Speaker	Chloe Duygu Durukan	10:30am – 10:40am
Thesis title	<b><i>Rectal Mycoplasma Genitalium Infection</i></b>	
Supervisor	Professor Christopher Fairley, A/Professor Catriona Bradshaw, Dr Tim Read, Dr Eric Chow	
Department	Melbourne Sexual Health Centre	
<b>Question and Answer 10:40am</b>		
<b>Morning tea: 10:45am – 11:05am</b>		

<b>Chair: Merlin Thomas</b>		
Speaker	Jacinta Cheng	11:05am - 11:15am
Thesis title	<b><i>Predictors of neuropsychological and emotional cognitive functioning in patients with borderline personality disorder</i></b>	
Supervisor	Professor Jayashri Kulkarni, Dr Caroline Gurchich, Dr Natalie Thomas	
Department	MAPrc	
<b>Question and Answer 11:15am</b>		
Speaker	Joshua Kontrobarsky	11:20am – 11:30am
Thesis title	<b><i>Gene Expression in Schizotypy</i></b>	
Supervisor	Dr Caroline Gurchich, Professor Susan Rossell, Ms Elizabeth Thomas, Dr Kymet Bozaoglu	
Department	MAPrc	
<b>Question and Answer 11:30am</b>		
Speaker	Ned Latham	11:35am – 11:45am
Thesis title	<b><i>Understanding the acceptability of community-based, point of care hepatitis C testing in people who inject drugs'</i></b>	
Supervisor	Prof Margaret Hellard, Dr Joseph Doyle, Dr Alisa Pedrana	
Department	Burnet Institute/Dept of Infectious diseases	
<b>Question and Answer 11:45am</b>		
Speaker	Stephanie Lee Naidu	11:50am – 12:00pm
Thesis title	<b><i>The HIV/HCV co-infection elimination study</i></b>	
Supervisor	Dr Joseph Doyle, Professor Margaret Hellard	
Department	The Burnet Institute & Alfred Dept of Infectious Diseases	
<b>Question and Answer 12:00pm</b>		
Speaker	Michayla Doherty	12:05pm – 12:15pm
Thesis title	<b><i>Trauma among the Elderly</i></b>	
Supervisor	Professor Mark Fitzgerald, Dr Joseph Mattew, A/Professor Biswadev Mitra	
Department	National Trauma Research Institute	
<b>Question and Answer 12:15pm</b>		
<b>Lunch 12:20pm – 1:40pm</b>		
<b>Chair: Merlin Thomas</b>		
Speaker	Tiffany Ying Ling Tie	1:40pm – 1:50pm
Thesis title	<b><i>A brief intervention for obesity in a tertiary hospital</i></b>	
Supervisor	Professor Wendy Brown, Kirstan Corben	
Department	Centre of Obesity Research and Education (CORE)	
<b>Question and Answer 1:50pm</b>		

Speaker	Kishan Nilan Wijesinghe	1:55pm – 2:05pm
Thesis title	<b><i>Examining the inflammatory profile of adipose tissue in oesophageal cancer</i></b>	
Supervisor	Dr Paul Burton, Prof. Wendy Brown, Prof. Matthew Wyatt, Dr Geraldine Ooi	
Department	Centre of Obesity Research and Education (CORE)	
<b>Question and Answer 2:05pm</b>		
Speaker	Donna Almira	2:10pm – 2:20pm
Thesis title	<b><i>Investigating the role of the AT2 receptor in diabetic nephropathy</i></b>	
Supervisor	A/Professor Terri Allen, Dr Bryna Chow	
Department	Department of Diabetes	
<b>Question and Answer 2:20pm</b>		
Speaker	Rachel Morley	2:25pm – 2:35pm
Thesis title	<b><i>Utility of circulating tumour DNA and cell-free RNA for non-invasive therapeutic monitoring of multiple myeloma patients receiving oral azacytidine</i></b>	
Supervisor	Professor Andrew Spencer, Dr Sridurga Mithraprabhu	
Department	ACBD	
<b>Question and Answer 2:35pm</b>		
Speaker	Stevi Harman	2:40pm – 2:50pm
Thesis title	<b><i>To evaluate the role of the fibrinolytic system at influencing outcome in ischaemic stroke</i></b>	
Supervisor	Professor Robert Medcalf, Mr Dominik Draxler	
Department	ACBD	
<b>Question and Answer 2:50pm</b>		
<b>Program end 2:55pm</b>		