



A blend of discovery and translational research

ANZPRA 2024 SATELLITE MEETING

Thursday 14th November

8:20	Registration open		
9:00	Welcome & Acknowledgements		
Sessio	Session 1		
Chair:	Claire Roberts		
9:10	Keynote presentation		
	Alison Care, The University of Adelaide		
	Immune and Vascular Interactions in Early Pregnancy: Implications for Health and Disease		
9:55	Panel discussion: Maternal Endothelial Dysfunction: Placental or Predestined?		
	Laura Parry, Alison Care, Jess Gehlert, Natalie Hannan		
10:30	Morning tea		
11:00	Icebreaker activity		
Sessio	n 2		
Chairs	Chairs: Ashley Meakin & Lucy Bartho		
11:15	Sreeparna Bhaumik, The University of Queensland		
	Glucocorticoid receptor (GR) α -D1 expression increases with inflammation and glucocorticoid treatment		
	in placental explants, ex vivo		
11:35	Bianca Fato, The University of Melbourne		
	High glucose availability alters the proteomic profile of small placental extracellular vesicles and their		
	ability to induce endothelial dysfunction		
11:55	Emmanuel Godinho, University of Leeds		
	Investigating miR-200c in the human placenta		
12:15	Melanie Young, Queensland Institute of Medical Research		
	The smoking-preeclampsia paradox: possible role of nicotine in reducing the risk of preeclampsia		
12:22	Elly Walters, The University of Adelaide		
	Derivation of cynomolgus monkey induced trophoblast stem cells via nuclear reprogramming		
12:30	Lunch		
	Student Workshop: Lucy Bartho & Claire Richards		
Sessio	n 3: Discovery, science and cohorts		
Chairs	Jess Williamson & Sarah Marshall		
1:30	Caitlin Wyrwoll, The University of Western Australia		
	Nitrate contamination of Australian drinking water and pregnancy outcomes: placental considerations		
	and beyond		
2:00	Olivia Holland, Griffith University		
	The Placental Health Study — Mapping Health Across Pregnancy		
2:30	Kirsty Pringle, The University of Newcastle		
	New strategies to address renin-angiotensin system dysregulation in pregnancy		





3:00	Afternoon tea			
Sessio	Session 4			
Chairs	Chairs: Demi Georgiou & Natalie Binder			
3:30	Anya Arthurs, Flinders University			
	Genetically editing placental organoids to uncover molecular mechanisms underpinning gene			
	associations			
3:55	Siddharth Acharya, The University of Newcastle			
	The mechanisms underpinning mitochondrial remodelling in cytotrophoblasts and the			
	syncytiotrophoblast			
4:08	Ananya Raman, University of Technology Sydney			
	Development of the first trimester vascularised placental organoids with tuneable extracellular matrices			
4:21	Sunhild Hartmann, The University of Melbourne			
	Investigating the Contribution of P300 to Preeclamptic Senescence			
4:34	Veronica Botha, The University of Newcastle			
	Deciphering Placental Iron-Sulfur Cluster Assembly in Fetal Growth Restriction			
5:00	Meeting close			
6-10	Conference dinner Serafino Wines			

Friday 15th November

Session 5: New techniques for viewing the placenta		
Chair: Evie Lovell & Amy Wooldridge		
9:00	Jo James, University of Auckland	
	Integrated imaging approaches to improve understanding of the feto-placental circulation	
9:30	Janna Morrison, University of South Australia	
	Seeing the placenta and the fetus	
10:00	Claire Richards, University of Technology Sydney	
	Advanced microscopy techniques for assessing 3D cell models of the placenta	
10:30	Morning tea	
Session 6		
Chair: India Brooker & Melanie Smith		
11:00	Amy Wooldridge, The University of Adelaide	
	Advanced maternal age: consequences for vascular adaptations to pregnancy	
11:25	Ashley Meakin, University of South Australia	
	The impact of betamethasone and sex on ovine placental androgen signalling	
11:45	Jessica Williamson, Flinders University	
	High folic acid dysregulates placental hormone secretion: a potential pathway to Gestational Diabetes	
	Mellitus (GDM)?	
12:00	Lunch	
Session 7: 2023 ANZPRA ECR Awardee presentations		
Chair: Ananya Raman & Josh Fisher		
1:00	Bianca Fato & Amy Garrett	





	Assessing the role of gap junctions in the initiation of labour using primary ex vivo models of myometrial contractility (Natasha De Alwis) & Rebecca Brady Investigating the effect of thyroid antibodies on migration and function of first trimester placental cells
1:30	Panel discussion: Collaborations, Consumers & Grants
	Tu'uhevaha Kaitu'u-Lino, Lauren Perry, Tony Perkins
2:30	Afternoon tea
3:00	ANZPRA AGM Natalie Hannan, Sarah Marshall, Kirsty Pringle
4:00	Closing Remarks
4.05	Networking and drinks Serafino Cellar Door
5:00	Meeting close