

**NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY OF AUSTRALIA & NEW ZEALAND  
ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC MEETING  
Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2013**

**PROGRAM**

- 7.45 am      Registration**
- 8.30 am      Opening Comments and President's Welcome - Dr Paul Verrills
- 8.35 am      **Session 1:    Is Faster Better?      Chair: Dr Paul Verrills**
- 8.40 am      European High Frequency Case Series – Dr Jean-Pierre Van Buyten
- 9.00 am      The Australian High Frequency Experience: One Year On -  
Dr Marc Russo
- 9.20 am      Discussion/questions
- 9.30 am      High Frequency Stimulation-a Cautionary Note - Professor Peter Teddy
- 9.50 am      Scientific Case Against High Frequency - Dr Lisa Johaneck
- 10.10 am     Panel discussion – Dr Jean-Pierre Van Buyten, Dr Marc Russo,  
Professor Peter Teddy and Dr Lisa Johaneck
- 10.30 am      Morning Tea**
- 10.45 am      Session 2:    Mechanisms – What Are We Actually Doing?  
Chair: Dr Peter Courtney**
- 10.50 am     Spinal Cord Stimulation - Dr Dongchul Lee
- 11.10 am     High Frequency Stimulation - Dr Gary Heit
- 11.30 am     Deep Brain Stimulation - Professor Richard Bittar
- 11.50 am     Peripheral Nerve Field Stimulation - Dr Dongchul Lee
- 12.10 pm     Expert Panel - we are inviting attendees to pre-submit questions for  
this panel discussion (the above presenters and Dr Liong Liem)
- 12.30 pm      Lunch**
- 1.30 pm      Session 3: Difficult Vignettes      Chair: Dr Bruce Mitchell**

Australian Experts:

- Dr John Salmon, Western Australia
- Professor Richard Bittar, Victoria
- Dr Peter Georgius, Queensland
- Dr Matthew Green, South Australia
- Dr Marc Russo, New South Wales

- 3:00 pm      Afternoon Tea**
- 3.20 pm      Session 4 –Back and Pelvis              Chair: Dr Marc Russo**
- 3.20 pm      DRG Stimulation in the Treatment of Groin Pain-Dr Liong Liem
- 3.40 pm      The Australian Cluneal Peripheral Nerve Stimulation Series -Dr Peter Courtney
- 4.00 pm      Neural Control of the Lumbar Spine–Professor Paul Hodges
- 4.20 pm      Inaugural Lifetime Achievement Award
- 4.25pm      Closing of the Scientific Meeting
- 4.30 pm      Annual General Meeting of the NSANZ**
- 5.00 pm      Close