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Vitamins and Well-being - From Womb to Tomb

InterContinental Sydney
8 - 10 August 2018

Program at a Glance

| Tuesday 7 August | Wednesday 8 August | Thursday 9 August | Friday 10 August |
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| | Opening Ceremony (0830 - 0900) | | |
| | <p>Session 1: Vitamins for optimal health through all life stages Keynote Address - Ian Darnton-Hill (Tufts University, USA)</p> | <p>Session 3: Emerging Vitamins in disease prevention Programs and activities in the Vitamin Research space funded by the Gates Foundation Keynote Address - Dr. Ken Brown (University of California Davis)</p> | <p>Session 5: Key Vitamins and Healthy Ageing <i>Relationship between riboflavin, MTHFR and hypertension</i> - Prof. Helene McNulty (Ulster University, Coleraine, Northern Ireland)</p> |
| | <p>Vitamins in Pregnancy and first 1000 days after birth <i>Folate status in Aborigines before and after fortification of flour</i> - Prof. Carol Bower (Telethon Kids Institute, WA) - Dr. Heather D'Antoine (Telethon Kids Institute, WA)</p> <p><i>Relationship between Niacin Deficiency and Miscarriages</i> - Prof. Sally Dunwoodie (Victor Chang Institute, Sydney)</p> | <p>Emerging vitamins in disease prevention <i>Vitamin A Independent Biological Function of Provitamin A Carotenoid Beta-cryptoxanthin</i> - Prof. Xiang Dong (Tufts University, Boston, USA)</p> <p><i>The Importance of Vitamin D During Pregnancy and in Early Life</i> - Prof. Tim Green (University of Adelaide, SA)</p> <p><i>Vitamin K and chronic renal disease: chicken or the egg?</i> - Sarah Booth (Jean Mayer USDA Human Nutrition Research Center on Aging, Boston)</p> | <p>TBA - Dr. Michael Fenech (University of South Australia)</p> <p><i>Vitamin effects on Brain and Behaviour</i> - Prof. Andrew Scholey (Swinburne University, Melbourne, VIC)</p> <p><i>Role of skeletal muscle in maintaining vitamin D status in winter</i> - Prof. Rebecca Mason (University of Sydney)</p> |
| | Morning Tea | | |
| | <p>Session 1 (cont): Oral Commucation and Posters</p> | <p>Session 3 (cont): Oral Commucation and Posters</p> | <p>Session 5 (cont) Oral Commucation and Posters</p> |
| | Lunch | | |
| | <p>Session 2: Modern and Emerging methodology for metabolic bioefficacy <i>Proteomics, Metabolomics and Systems Biology to determine and understand the molecular effects of vitamin deficiency and excess</i> - Prof. Martin Kussman (University of Auckland, New Zealand)</p> <p><i>Choline and B-vitamins modify epigenetic marks and microRNA expression</i> - Prof. Steven Zeisel (Gillings School of Global Public Health & School of Medicine, University of North Carolina)</p> | <p>Session 4: Food vitamin methodology- content and bioavailability <i>Challenges in the quantification of food from a Chines perspective?</i> - Prof. Ren Yi Ping (Zhejiang CDC, China) (TBC)</p> <p><i>Carotenoids – vitamin A activity and other activities?</i> - Alida Melse-Boonstra (Wageningen University, Netherlands) (TBC)</p> <p><i>Enhancement of vitamin D in our food as a benefit for human but also animal</i> - Jette Jakobsen (National Food Institute, Technical University of Denmark)</p> | <p>Session 6: Cost-effectiveness of vitamin research and economic impact of inadequate intake <i>Update on Vitamin C recommendations</i> - Dr. Anitra Carr (Centre for Free Radical Research, Department of Pathology, University of Otago, Christchurch, NZ)</p> <p>TBA - Dr. Manfred Eggersdorfer (DSM Nutritional Products, Switzerland)</p> <p>TBA</p> |
| | Afternoon Tea | | |
| | <p>Session 2 (cont) Oral Commucation and Posters</p> | <p>Session 4 (cont) Oral Communication and Posters</p> | <p>Closing Ceremony</p> |
| <p>International Welcome and Drinks InterContinental Sydney 1900 - 2100</p> | <p>Welcome Reception InterContinental Sydney 1900 - 2000</p> | <p>Conference Dinner STUDIO, Sydney Tower 1900 - 2200</p> | |

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