ANZSOM NSW / ACT Branch Weekend Meeting 2018

Canberra: Not just for politicians

Work, Art, Travel, and Sport in the National Capital

Date: Saturday 11th August (afternoon & evening) & Sunday 12th

August 2018 (morning)

Venue: East Hotel, located in Manuka Shopping Precinct,

69 Canberra Ave Kingston ACT

Special conference rate of \$220/night for the best room available. Please arrange directly with the hotel and mention "ANZSOM" - the special rate is only available until July 27, so book early to avoid disappointment. https://easthotel.com.au/ Free parking under the hotel is available to all delegates (including day delegates).

Cost: Full registration: \$230 ANZSOM members, \$260 non-members

Partner dinner and tour registration (Saturday): \$130 Sunday registration: \$100 members, \$130 non-members

RSVP: Please register and pay online via TryBooking

(www.trybooking.com/WGSG) by Friday 3rd August

Enquiries: Please contact the ANZSOM Secretariat on 1300 666 515 or

email secretariat@anzsom.org.au

Refer overleaf for program details.



Program

Saturday 11th August

3pm Meet at the National Gallery Australia for a behind the scenes tour of the

gallery

6pm Gin and vodka tasting from a boutique local distillery with canapes

Followed by the Conference Dinner with fine wines

Sunday 12th August

8.30am Breakfast served in Conference Room

9am - 1pm Guest speakers:

Dr Trish Bachelor: Expatriate health: Where occupational and travel medicine

meet

Dr Doug Randell: The challenges of working in remote areas

1pm Lunch

There will also be more fantastic speakers, with details to follow.

About Dr Trish Bachelor

Dr Trish Batchelor is Principal Medical Adviser at the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT) and was previously Consultant Medical Adviser to the Australian Federal Police. She has an extensive background in travel medicine, including working in expatriate clinics in Kathmandu and Ho Chi Minh City, and was founder of the Travel Doctor group of clinics in New Zealand. She teaches doctors and nurses undertaking the University of Otago Travel Medicine diploma, and is currently a Stage C trainee on the AFOEM program.

She will talk about expatriate health issues. An expatriate is defined as someone who is taking up residence in another country for occupational purposes, and returning to their country of origin when their assignment is over. Complexity is added when organisations are also responsible for the health of accompanying families. The talk will cover general preparation issues, expatriate health risks, air pollution, and mental health issues, including the stress involved with our changing world security situation.



About Dr Doug Randell

Dr Randell is the Group Medical Director for Aspen Medical, a global healthcare provider providing services to the government, defence, oil & gas, mining and resources, and humanitarian sectors in 13 nations. Dr Randell is a physician leader whose clinical background includes specialist qualifications in aviation medicine, military medicine and general practice and significant experience in corporate health, travel and tropical medicine, aeromedical retrieval and primary health care in remote and rural areas. Dr Randell has worked in Papua New Guinea, East Timor, Nepal, India, and the UAE. He is a qualified diving medicine examiner, rail medical examiner and aviation medical examiner.