

ANZSOM NSW / ACT Branch

Winter Scientific Meeting

“Back to Quarantine”

Saturday 29th August 2020

The NSW/ACT Branch of ANZSOM is pleased to invite you to the 2020 Winter Scientific Meeting on Saturday 29th August. This much anticipated event is a highlight of our Branch's educational calendar and we're excited to be "Back to Quarantine" at the Q Station in Manly. Featuring topical presentations, a "Quarantine Wander" around the Q Station Wharf Precinct and a two-course lunch.

- **The risks and rewards of practising medicine in quarantine**
by Dr Peter Hobbins, Medical Historian
- **COVID-19 and occupational risk management of hospital staff**
by Dr Ian Cheng, Occupational Physician, Royal North Shore Hospital
- **Nobby's story: the personal impact of COVID-19 & keeping a large petrochemical plant safe in the COVID era**
by Dr Louise Crowle and Amanda Tompson

Date: Saturday 29th August 2020

Venue: Governor Bourke Ballroom, Q Station
1 North Head Scenic Drive, Manly NSW 2095

Cost: Members \$150, Non-member \$180, Partner \$100, Child \$50
Includes full program, morning tea and 2-course lunch
Prices include GST / Excludes accommodation

Register via TryBooking


<https://www.trybooking.com/BKUCI>

Optional overnight stay at Q Station - Book directly through the hotel to get 10% off the best available rate Email: H8773@accor.com



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Winter Scientific Meeting Program

SATURDAY 29 th AUGUST	
10.00am	Welcome speech and morning tea
10.30am – 11.30am	The risks and rewards of practising medicine in quarantine Dr Peter Hobbins, Medical Historian and Honorary Associate, Department of History, School of Philosophical and Historical Inquiry, The University of Sydney
11.45am – 12.45pm	Tour: “Quarantine Wander” Q station Wharf Precinct is the most significant place to understand the arrival and daily operations of residents at the Quarantine Station. You’ll explore the heritage buildings and discover the stories of migrants through the 19th and 20th centuries. Make sure you wear comfortable walking shoes! 
1.00pm – 2.00pm	Lunch
2.00pm – 2.50pm	COVID-19 and occupational risk management of hospital staff Dr Ian Cheng, Occupational Physician, Royal North Shore Hospital
2.50pm – 3.40pm	Nobby's story: the personal impact of COVID-19 & keeping a large petrochemical plant safe in the COVID era Dr Louise Crowle and Ms Amanda Tompson
Please note: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The meeting will be subject to a COVID risk assessment and appropriate controls will be applied.• Should the event be cancelled due to COVID a full refund will be issued.• Due to COVID planning requirements places are strictly limited. Please book via TryBooking as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.• Please book by 15 August 2020	

Speaker profiles

Dr Peter Hobbins, *Medical Historian and Honorary Associate, Department of History, School of Philosophical and Historical Inquiry, The University of Sydney*

Dr Peter Hobbins is a professional historian with research interests in the history of science, technology and medicine. Trained as a pharmacologist, his publications have spanned snakebite and its remedies, infectious diseases, quarantine and immunisation. Peter is an honorary affiliate in the Department of History at the University of Sydney and a Visiting Scholar at the State Library of NSW. His book on Sydney's Quarantine Station, *Stories from the Sandstone*, won a Premier's History Award in 2017.



Dr Ian Cheng, *Occupational Physician, Royal North Shore Hospital*

Ian is a Staff Specialist in Occupational & Environmental Medicine based at Royal North Shore Hospital in Sydney. He also conducts a private practice in Aviation and Occupational Medicine. Ian previously held fractional specialist appointments at QANTAS Aviation Medical Services, IBM and CASA Aviation Medicine. Ian is a Fellow of the Australasian Faculty of Occupational and Environmental Medicine, a Foundation Fellow of the Australasian College of Aerospace Medicine, an academician of the International Academy of Aviation and Space Medicine and a Fellow of the Royal Aeronautical Society.



Ms Amanda Tompson (pictured left)

Amanda Tompson is a registered nurse who has been the occupational health coordinator at the Botany Industrial Park (BIP) for over 10 years. She is responsible for injury management / return to work management, health surveillance activities and health & wellbeing activities for the companies on site.

Dr Louise Crowle (pictured right)

Occupational physician Dr Louise Crowle works in private practice and consults to a number of organisations providing occupational health advice / services including companies at the BIP site.

