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**2010 ASM Perth - Early Bird Rates closing soon**

College members are invited to register  
to attend the College's  
**2010 Annual Scientific Meeting in Perth**  
from 14-17 October 2010  
[www.ranzcr2010.com](http://www.ranzcr2010.com)

**Early Bird registration closes over the weekend  
Don't miss out!**



**International guests include:**

**Radiology**

**Marc Levine** - 2010 Carestream Professor and Gastrointestinal Radiologist, Pennsylvania Hospital, USA.

**James Earls** - Cardiovascular CT and MRI, INOVA Fairfax Hospital & Fairfax MRI Center, Falls Church, VA., USA

**Ashley Guthrie** - Gastrointestinal and Abdominal Radiology, Leeds University, UK

**Lindsay Machan** - Interventional Radiologists, Vancouver Hospital & Health Sciences Centre, Vancouver, Canada

**Sudhakar Kundapur Venkatesh** - Abdominal Radiology, National University Hospital, Singapore

**Radiation Oncology**

**Louis B Harrison** - Head & Neck Cancer, Sarcomas and Intraoperative Brachytherapy, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, USA

**Vincent Khoo** - Multimodality imaging and technical radiotherapy, Royal Marsden Hospital, UK

**Colin Orton** - Bioeffect does Modelling, School of Medicine Michigan, USA

## Nisbet Orator

**Andy Adam** - President of the Royal College of Radiologists, UK

For more information and registration details visit  
[www.ranzcr2010.com](http://www.ranzcr2010.com)

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## NZ Branch ASM - Two weeks to go!

Registrations are still open for the NZ Branch 2010 ASM  
visit [www.ranzcr2010.co.nz](http://www.ranzcr2010.co.nz)

The NZ Branch invites you to join them in Queenstown  
from 6-8 August 2010. The impressive list of  
international experts includes Prof Adrian Dixon (UK), Dr  
Sudhakar Venkatesh (Singapore) and Prof Wilfred Peh (Singapore).

Information about the program and registration is available at  
[www.ranzcr2010.co.nz](http://www.ranzcr2010.co.nz)



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## Trainees Committees Nominations 2011

Nominations are currently being sought from radiology and radiation oncology  
trainees who will enter their 2nd, 3rd, 4th or 5th year of training in 2011 to be  
part of the Trainees' Committees in 2011.

The Trainees' Committees were established to represent trainees' interests  
within College structures and facilitate opportunities for communication and  
information sharing between trainees and with the College.

Trainees wishing to nominate need to complete and return a nomination form  
accompanied by a brief statement (not more than 200 words) outlining their  
qualifications and objectives.

### **Radiology Nominations**

[Download form](#)

The Radiology Nomination Form needs to be returned by:  
**4.00 pm Monday 26 July 2010**

### **Radiation Oncology Nominations**

[Download form](#)

The Radiation Oncology Nomination Form needs to be returned by:  
**4.00 pm Wednesday 4 August 2010**

If you have any queries regarding these nominations, please contact Ms Kylie  
Davis at the College on [kylie.davis@ranzcr.edu.au](mailto:kylie.davis@ranzcr.edu.au)

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## Varian Medical Systems Educational Grants

Varian Medical Systems is providing sponsorship to enable radiation oncology junior registrars to take part in the 2010 Annual Scientific Meeting being held in Perth from 14-17 October 2010.

**Radiation oncology registrars in the first or second years** of an accredited training from any centre in Australia, New Zealand or Singapore are eligible to apply. There are 10 registration grants to be won (to the value of no more than \$1,000 AU).

**Application deadline - Friday 6 August 2010**

Application forms are available on the College website at [www.ranzcr.edu.au/about/awards/asmprize.cfm](http://www.ranzcr.edu.au/about/awards/asmprize.cfm)

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## RANZCR Online Media Site

The College's online media catalogue provides members with access to recorded College CPD events including:

- Victorian Branch monthly CPD Presentations
- NSW Branch Presentations
- 2009 ASM Presentations
- 2009 RO Statistics and Methods Research workshop

Visit: [www.ranzcr.edu.au/mediasite](http://www.ranzcr.edu.au/mediasite)

Earn additional CPD points by completing the Presentation Review Questions available for the Victorian Branch presentations. Questions can be downloaded at: <http://www.ranzcr.edu.au/collegegroups/branches/VIC/index.cfm>

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## OSSIE Guide To Clinical Handover Improvement

The Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care's finalised edition of the OSSIE Guide to Clinical Handover Improvement is now available on its website at [www.safetyandquality.gov.au](http://www.safetyandquality.gov.au)

The Commission notes that "the Guide assists with the implementation of a standardised process for handover that is customised to suit the local context. Standardised processes for clinical handover improve the flow of critical information between healthcare professionals. This helps to ensure patient safety and continuity of care."



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## ABS Healthcare Services Survey

**Australian Bureau of Statistics  
Health Care Services Survey 2009-10**

The Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) is conducting a survey of Health Care Services industries in respect of the 2009-10 financial year.

The survey questionnaire will be despatched in August 2010 to a representative sample of organisations in the non-government sector (including for-profit and not-for-profit organisations) involved in the provision of health care services. These services include: Medical Services; Pathology and Diagnostic Imaging Services; Allied Health Services; and Other Health Care Services.

The information sought is collected under the authority of the *Census and Statistics Act* and remains confidential to ABS. Survey data will be released in aggregate form to ensure that details of individual contributors cannot be identified. ABS greatly appreciates the time and effort required to make an effective contribution to this survey.

Further information on the survey can be obtained by contacting Sean Crick, Assistant Director, Annual Integrated Collections, ABS Victoria (ph: 03 9615 7583).

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### Upcoming Branch Meetings

**NSW Branch** Committee Meeting - Tuesday 10 August

**QLD Branch** Annual General Meeting - Monday 26 July

**SA Branch** Meeting - Tuesday 27 July

**VIC Branch** Meeting - Thursday 19 August

**WA Branch** Meeting - Wednesday 18 August

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### Your 2010 RANZCR Member Advantage Benefits Program

#### Need to rent a car?

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- Great negotiated rates



Visit the [Member Advantage website](#) or call 1300 853 352.

\* Promotional rates available under options 1 and 2 are only available if you travel within Australia before 31 December 2010. Option 1 also available if you travel within New Zealand before 31 December 2010. Prices include GST and are quoted per day. Standard terms and conditions apply.  
^ Passenger vehicles only. For commercial, 4WD and prestige vehicles, a higher Damage Liability Fee and Loss Damage Waiver Fee may apply. GST inclusive. Correct as at 1 December 2009.



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**New Zealand Branch  
Annual Scientific Meeting  
Millennium Hotel, Queenstown, NZ  
6-8 August 2010**



[www.ranzcr2010.co.nz](http://www.ranzcr2010.co.nz)

**RANZCR 2010 Annual Scientific Meeting  
14-17 October 2010  
at the  
Perth Convention Exhibition Centre**



[www.ranzcr2010.com](http://www.ranzcr2010.com)

[Register now](#)

**Interventional Radiology Society of Australasia (IRSA)  
Annual Scientific Meeting  
29 August-2 September 2010  
Hotel St Moritz, Queenstown, New Zealand**



[www.irsaconference.aot.com.au](http://www.irsaconference.aot.com.au)

**The Australasian Conference on  
Error in Medical Imaging:  
Making Imaging Safer**

**Swiss Grand Bondi, Sydney  
11 and 12 November 2010**

[Meeting website](#)



**The Australasian Conference  
on Error in Medical Imaging:  
Making Imaging Safer**

**Meetings and Events 2010**



The following is a list of some of the events in the calendar on the College website. Please visit [www.ranzcr.edu.au/newsandevents/calendar/index.cfm](http://www.ranzcr.edu.au/newsandevents/calendar/index.cfm) for further information on these and other meetings.

[RANZCR New Zealand Branch ASM 2010](#) 6-8 August - Queenstown, NZ

[HIC 2010](#) 24-26 August - Melbourne, VIC

[18th Zurich Course on Interventional Radiology](#) 26-29 August - Switzerland

[17th IRSA Conference 2010](#) 29 August-2 September - Queenstown, NZ

[ANZHNCS 12th Annual Scientific Meeting](#) 2-4 September - Sydney, NSW

[ANZBMS Clinical Bone Densitometry Course](#) 3-4 September - Adelaide, SA

[ACORD Workshop 2010](#) 12-17 September - Sunshine Coast, QLD

[ESTRO 29](#) 12-16 September - Barcelona, Spain

[ASUM Annual Ultrasound Congress 2010](#) 23-26 September - Gold Coast, QLD

[International Skeleton Society](#) 29 September - 2 October - Athens, Greece

[Meet the Experts in Africa \(SAMSIG\)](#) 4-8 October - Chobe, Botswana

[American Society of Head and Neck Radiology](#) 6-10 October - Houston, USA

[3rd Australian Lung Cancer Conference](#) 7-9 October - Melbourne, VIC

[AIR/BreastScreen WA Meeting](#) 9-10 October - Perth, WA

[RANZCR ASM 2010](#) 14-17 October - Perth, WA

[ANZSPR 2010](#) 17-20 October - Margaret River, WA

[The 66th Korean Congress of Radiology 2010](#) 18-20 October - Seoul, Korea

[Breast MRI Course](#) 5-7 November - Melbourne, VIC

[Global Telehealth 2010](#) 10-12 November - Fremantle, WA

[RSNA 2010](#) 28 Nov-3 Dec - Chicago, USA

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