

ANZBMS e-News



28 September 2015

The ANZBMS Career Achievement Award

This esteem award recognises outstanding and major scientific or clinical contributions, and excellence in teaching and service to and within the bone and mineral field.

The award will be widely publicised and presented annually during the society's Annual Scientific Meeting. The awardee will receive free registration to the Annual Scientific Meeting and invitations to the annual and the president's dinner the year the award is received.

Deadline: 30 September 2015

Apply: <https://www.anzbms.org.au/grants-and-awards-anzbms-career-achievement-award.asp>

2014 Recipients

Jill Cornish, Ego Seeman



ANZBMS Annual General Meeting – 3 November 2015

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THE ANZBMS INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL AWARD

This award is offered by the ANZBMS to support travel to attend the **IBMS Herbert Fleisch Workshop**, to be held in Brugge, Belgium, from 28 February to 1 March 2016

Deadline: 31 October 2015

Further information: <https://www.anzbms.org.au/grants-and-awards-anzbms-international-travel-award.asp>

ANZBMS Gap Fellowship

In recent years, funding for mid-career researchers has become increasingly difficult to obtain, jeopardising the future career of many of our colleagues in bone and mineral research. The ANZBMS has therefore created a new Fellowship Award with the intention to bridge shortfalls in salary funding for mid-career scientists.

The Award:

ANZBMS will fund up to two one-year 'Gap Fellowships' of AUD\$50,000. In order to be awarded, the applicant's administering institution must match this amount. Funds will be for salaries only, to be paid in two instalments (initial and at six months). The Award does not cover any on-costs. Successful applicants cannot reapply for the award in subsequent years.

Closing date: 1 November 2015

Apply: <https://www.anzbms.org.au/grants-and-awards-anzbms-gap-fellowship.asp>

New EOI for use of bioDensity equipment for research

Osteoporosis Australia is pleased to announce a new EOI application is now open for Australian researchers.

Applications are specifically for the use of a new bioDensity machine as part of a research study for interested researchers. Please see application form for details.

[About bioDensity equipment](#)

[Application Form](#)

Applications are now open.

Applications close: 6 November 2015



Australian New Zealand Bone & Mineral Society
Annual Scientific Meeting 2015

in conjunction with Molecular & Experimental Pathology Society of Australasia (MEPSA) and Matrix Biology Society of Australia and New Zealand (MBSANZ)



Hotel Grand Chancellor Hobart, Tasmania 1-4 November 2015

BREAKFAST SESSIONS UPDATE



Hologic Breakfast Session – Sponsored by Hologic

DXA and Advanced Applications for Bone Health Assessment

Date: Tuesday 3rd November 2015

Time: 7.00 am – 8.00 am

Cost: Complimentary – includes tea and coffee and a light breakfast

Hologic Australia is hosting a breakfast presentation; DXA and Advanced Applications for Bone Health Assessment. Hologic has introduced the Horizon DXA system to its family of bone densitometry systems. The Horizon DXA system delivers high-resolution images and provides a range of clinical services to help assess bone health.

Simon Tomek is the BMD Product Sales Specialist for Hologic Australia. Simon will give a brief introduction of the Horizon DXA system and highlight the features incorporated that enable advanced assessment of bone health. Simon will be followed by Doris Tran who has a PhD in Biomechanics from the University of Lyon. Doris joined Medimaps group as a scientist in the R&D/Clinical Studies department following her appointment as an Asst Professor of Mechanics at the University of Lyon. Medimaps Group has developed and is commercialising a computer aided diagnostic imaging tool that analyses trabecular bone structure. TBS iNstight is seamlessly applied to existing digital x-rays and the patented algorithm evaluates pixel gray level and spatial variations providing an indirect and yet highly correlated index of trabecular microarchitecture. The company – through more than 90 peer reviewed publications and regulatory approvals – has demonstrated that TBS can be used as an independent predictor of spine fractures in the osteoporosis diagnosis market (via assessment of deterioration of bone tissue). The company is also developing the algorithm for use as a tool to evaluate quality of bone structure for dental and orthopedic implant planning as well as osteo-arthritis diagnostic applications.

Finally Dr Mike Nowitz from Pacific Radiology in Wellington, New Zealand, will present on their experience of the introduction the Horizon A DXA system and TBS. Mike is a member of the Board of Osteoporosis New Zealand, the Senior Lecturer in Radiology at the University of Otago in Wellington and practices as a general radiologist.

Places for the breakfast presentation are limited and we encourage you to RSVP at your earliest convenience to secure a place. Either log back into your registration at <https://meetingpeople.eventsair.com/anzbms-annual-scientific-meeting-with-mepsa-and-mbsanz/anzbms/Site/Register> or contact the Meeting Secretariat on 08 8177 2215 or reg@themeetingpeople.com.au to add to your existing registration.

Meet the Professor Breakfast Session - Lai Guan Ng

“Seeing is Believing-Visualising Living Tissue by Two-photon Microscopy”

Date: Monday 2nd November 2015

Time: 7.00 am – 8.00 am

Cost: \$35 – includes tea and coffee and a plated hot breakfast *Places are limited.

Either log back into your registration at <https://meetingpeople.eventsair.com/anzbms-annual-scientific-meeting-with-mepsa-and-mbsanz/anzbms/Site/Register> or contact the Meeting Secretariat on 08 8177 2215 or reg@themeetingpeople.com.au to add to your existing registration.

Calendar

2015

9-12 October 2015

ASBMR 2015
Seattle, Washington, USA
<http://www.asbmr/meetings>

1-4 November 2015

Joint ANZBMS, MEPSA and MBSANZ Annual Scientific Meeting
Hobart, Tasmania
Website: <https://www.anzbms.org.au/>

15-18 November 2015

ASMR's 54th National Scientific Conference
Adelaide
Website: <http://www.asmr.org.au/>

5-7 December 2015

IOF Regionals 3rd Middle East and Africa Osteoporosis Meeting
Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates
Website: <http://www.iofbonehealth.org/abudhabi-2015>

2016

28 February – 1 March 2016

Herbert Fleisch Workshop 2016
Hotel Novotel Brugge Centrum
Brugge, Belgium
Website: <http://www.ibmsonline.org/>

1-4 April 2016

ENDO
Boston, MA
Website: <https://www.endocrine.org/meetings/endo-annual-meetings>

1-4 April 2016

The Ninth Clare Valley Bone Meeting
In conjunction with ANZBMS
Clare Convention Centre, Clare, SA
Website: <http://www.themeetingpeople.com.au/clare>

28-30 April 2016

Joint Disease by Understanding Crosstalk between Cartilage and Bone Research Symposium
Rosemont, IL
Website:
http://www.aaos.org/research/committee/research/Symposia/symp_crosstalk.asp

30 April-4 May 2016

Australian Rheumatology Association 57th ASM
Darwin, NT
Website: <http://www.rheumatology.org.au/>

14-17 April 2016

World Congress on Osteoporosis, Osteoarthritis and Musculoskeletal Disease
Malaga, Spain
Website: <http://www.wco-iof-esceo.org/>

14-17 May 2016

ECTS 2016
Rome, Italy
Website: <http://2016.ectscongress.org/>

21-23 July 2016

34th Annual Meeting of JSBMR
Osaka International Convention Center
Website: <http://jsbmr.umin.jp/en/basic/>

19-21 August 2016

ESA Clinical Weekend
Queensland
Website: <http://www.esaclinicalweekend.org.au/>

21-24 August 2016

ESA/SRB Annual Scientific Meeting
Gold Coast Convention Centre
Website: <http://www.esa-srb.org.au/>

25-28 August 2016

ADS/ADEA Annual Scientific Meeting
Gold Coast Convention Centre
Website: <http://www.ads-adea.org.au/>

31 August – 4th September 2016

ICE/ENDO
Beijing, China
Website: <http://www.endsociety.com/events.html>

16-19 September 2016

ASBMR Annual Meeting
Atlanta, Georgia, USA
Website: <http://www.asbmr.org/meetings/annualmeeting.aspx>

20-22 October 2016

4th World Congress on Controversies, Debates & Consensus in Bone, Muscle & Joint Diseases (BMJD)
Barcelona, Spain
Website: <http://congressmed.com/bmjfd/>

2017

1-4 April 2017

ENDO

Orlando, Florida

Website: <https://www.endocrine.org/meetings/endo-annual-meetings>

17-21 June 2017

ANZBMS/IBMS Joint Meeting

Brisbane, Queensland

Website: <https://www.anzbms.org.au/>

9-12 September 2017

ASBMR 2017 Annual Meeting

Colorado Convention Center, Denver, Colorado, USA

Website:

<http://www.asbmr.org/Meetings/FutureAnnualMeetings.aspx>

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