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Brain and Mind Centre Symposium 2021



Day 1 program – Thursday 4th November, 9:15 AM – 1 PM

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Session 1	Keynote session chaired by Professor Matthew Kiernan	
9:15 - 9:30	Introduction	
	Matthew Kiernan, Brain and Mind Centre Academic Co-director	
	Welcome to Country	
	Auntie Yvonne Weldon, Metropolitan Local Aboriginal Land Council	
9:30 – 10:00	Commencement address	
	Professor Mark Scott AO , The University of Sydney Vice Chancellor and Principal	
10:00 – 10:30	Guest keynote presentation	
	Professor Sarosh Irani , University of Oxford Nuffield Department of Clinical Neurosciences	
	and Head, Oxford Autoimmune Neurology Group	
	What do we mean by neuroimmunology? Translational immunology and neuroscience	
10:35 – 11:00	Brain and Mind Centre keynote speaker	
	Professor Iona Novak , Research Chair, Cerebral Palsy Alliance Chair of Allied Health,	
	University of Sydney	
	Lost in Translation: Uncovering Rosetta Stones	
Break		
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Day 2 program - Friday 5th November, 1:30 - 5 PM

1.30 – 5 PM	Friday 5 th November 2021	
Session 1	Keynote session chaired by Professor Ian Hickie	
1:30 - 1:40	Introduction and opening remarks	
	Professors Ian Hickie and Matthew Kiernan, Brain and Mind Centre Academic Co-directors	
1:40 – 2:00	Commencement address	
	Hon. Julia Gillard, AC, Chair of Beyond Blue and former Prime Minister of Australia	
2:00 – 2:15	Keynote session	
	Professor Yun-Hee Jeon , Susan and Isaac Wakil Professor of Healthy Ageing, The University of	
	Sydney School of Nursing, Charles Perkins Centre and Brain and Mind Centre	
2:15 – 2:30	"Are WE ready for dementia rehabilitation in routine practice?	
	Professor Jakelin Troy , University of Sydney Professor of Linguistics and Director, Aboriginal	
	and Torres Strait Islander Research Portfolio	
2:30 – 2:45	Translation session Q&A with Professor Yun-Hee Jeon and Professor Jakelin Troy	
Break		
Session 2	Speaker session chaired by Professor Leanne Togher	
2:55 – 3:05	Dr Jacob Crouse , Brain and Mind Centre, The University of Sydney	
	Rest-activity rhythms and depressive symptoms among adolescents in the community	
3:05 – 3:20	Associate Professor Susanna Park, Brain and Mind Centre, The University of Sydney	
	Nerve damage following Cancer Treatment: Translating research into practice	
3:20 – 3:30	Dr Nicholas Everett , Brain and Mind Centre, The University of Sydney	
	Identification of the neural mechanisms of KNX100, a novel therapy for opioid withdrawal"	
3:30 – 3:40	Dr Robert Heirene , Brain and Mind Centre, The University of Sydney	
	Leveraging online gambling account data to improve consumer protection	
3:40 – 3:50	Dr Claire O'Callaghan, Brain and Mind Centre, The University of Sydney	
	Translating norodranergic drugs to neurodegenerative diseases	
3:50 – 4:00	Dr Micah Goldwater , Brain and Mind Centre and co-director of the Sydney SEEDLing child	
	development lab	
	The persistence of anecdotes and misconceptions in thinking about health	
Break		
Session 3	Panel discussion chaired by Associate Professor Fiona Kumfor	
	- Dr Eleanor Drummond, Brain and Mind Centre, The University of Sydney	
4:10 – 4:50	- A/Prof Rebekah Ahmed, RPA Hospital, The University of Sydney	
	- Dr Kirrie Ballard, The University of Sydney	
	- Dr Jane Thompson, Sydney Dementia Network Lived Experience and Expert Advisory Panel	
4:50 – 5:00	Symposium closing	
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