



The Hub

What's on this month

July 2017

Event Calendar

Get involved! The below events are open to all Hub partners. [Click here](#) to find out more info and see what other events are coming up throughout the Hub!

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
03	04	05	06	07	08	09
		4pm - 5pm Flow Cytometry User Group meeting (WIMR)	12 - 1pm WIMR Seminar Series - Associate Professor Tracy Bryan (WIMR Seminar Room) 2pm-5pm The University of Sydney Cancer Research Network Microenvironment and Metabolism Special Interest Group Cholesterol and Cancer Meeting (Level 6 Seminar Room, Charles Perkins Centre)	12:30 - 1:30pm CMRI Seminar: The lipid transfer protein STARD3 links (CMRI Seminar Room)		
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1:30pm - 2:30pm WIMR Immunohistochemistry 101 seminar (WIMR L2 conference room)	12:00pm - 1:00pm The Westmead Infectious Diseases and Immunology Seminar Series (WIMR Seminar Room) What qualities do PhD graduates need? (Westmead Hospital, Lecture Theatre 2) 2:00pm - 4:00pm Advanced Microscopy at CMRI Discovery Day (CMRI Seminar Room 1), please RSVP to Scott Page (spage@cmri.org.au)					
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
5:30pm - 7:30pm Sydney Ideas, Westmead - Scientific Fraud and Truth (WIMR) Register online	3pm - 4pm Image Analysis & Microscopy Special Interest Group (CMRI Seminar Room) Scott Page: spage@cmri.org.au		12 - 1pm WIMR Seminar Series - Associate Professor Meredith O'Keeffe (WIMR Seminar Room) KRI seminar series (Doreen Dew Lecture Theatre, Level 4 Education Centre, CHW) 5pm - 9pm StResS Games Night (WIMR Hall)			
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	12pm - 1pm The Westmead Infectious Diseases and Immunology Seminar Series (WIMR Seminar Room)	11am - 12pm NCIRS Seminar - Tuberculosis & the Bacille Calmette-Guérin (BCG) vaccine: global burden and Australian immunisation programs (CMRI Seminar Room)		12:30 - 1:30pm CMRI Seminar: speaker TBC, (CMRI Seminar Room)		
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Childhood Cancers Defy Current Understanding

Cancer is still surprising researchers, making the pathway to urgently-needed new treatments more difficult to predict. A combined team of researchers from Sydney Children's Hospitals Network (SCHN) and Children's Medical Research Institute (CMRI) studied an aggressive category of neuroblastoma, which is the most common solid cancer of childhood, and made a very surprising discovery that transforms our thinking about one of the 'universal features' of cancer.

Dr Loretta Lau (SCHN) and Professor Roger Reddel (CMRI) jointly led the research team and collaborated with Professor Michelle Haber's team at Children's Cancer Institute.

[Click here to read the full story...](#)

Sydney Ideas - Design-led thinking improving health and wellbeing

This special Sydney Ideas, Westmead panel took place at 530pm, Tuesday June 27 at The Westmead Institute for Medical Research.

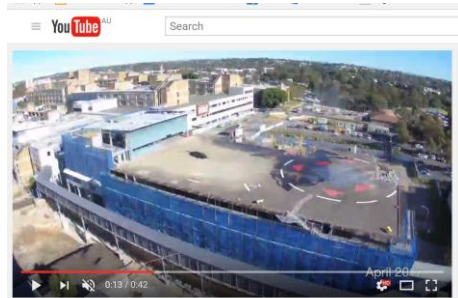
A panel of designers and health professionals from Redbank House, Kids' Research Institute, and The Design Lab at the University's School of Architecture, Design and Planning came together for a discussion on 'How can design-led thinking improve health and wellbeing?' How can experts in design contribute to healthier lives for all? What can engineers, designers, and computer scientists do to transform how we access, understand and deliver better health?

Principles of design and engineering underpin our everyday lives, and their proper application can have a significant impact on the health of individuals and communities.

These issues and more were discussed by our expert panel, moderated by Jennifer Brankin, Lecturer in Photomedia at Western Sydney University and consumer representative at The Children's Hospital at Westmead.

Westmead Redevelopment time-lapse site preparation for new hospital building¹⁵

Click below to see time-lapse footage of the site preparation work underway at the Westmead Redevelopment. A building has been demolished to make way for the new central acute services building.



Hub Calendar: How to subscribe and get your events included

Did you know that a full Hub-wide events calendar is only [a click away](#)?

Hosted on the Westmead Research Hub website, westmead.org.au/events, you can easily look at all Hub events available for you to attend! Seminars, workshops, fundraisers – you name it. You could be going to free events across Westmead at your neighboring Hub Institutes and getting the most out of your affiliation with the Hub.

You will also find instructions on how to subscribe to the calendar so all new events are fed straight to your native calendar as soon as they are uploaded. What's more, you can include YOUR events easily, by simply creating an invitation to your event and inviting "info@wrh.org.au" to the event.

For any more questions about this, please contact Hub Program Manager James Linton at jlinton@wrh.org.au

For example.... KRI Seminar Series!

Join KRI in the Doreen Dew Lecture Theatre, Level 4 Education Centre, CHW from 1-2pm on the 20th July for the KRI Seminar Series! The focus of the seminars is to particularly highlight research within KRI, but also across the Westmead Hub and to hear from local collaborators.

They are held monthly so check the Hub Calendar for upcoming Seminars.

CMRI Microscopes now available to Hub

Ten microscopes at CMRI are now available to scientists from Westmead Research Hub partners. For more information please contact Scott Page at spage@cmri.org.au.



StResS Games Night

Bring your friends and your favourite game to the Student Research Society (StResS) Games Night! Pizza and drinks provided. Vegetarian options available. The venue is WIMR cafeteria. RSVP essential to stress.westmead@gmail.com

Visiting Professor Scheme Winners Announced

Due the outstanding and inseparable qualities of the applicants to the first ever WRH Visiting Professor Scheme, The Hub decided to award the grant to two applicants, with one to visit Westmead in 2017, and the other in 2018.

Dr Natasha Rogers' applicant Professor Angus Thompson from the University of Pittsburgh will come in August 2017. Prof Thompson's work is in the field of Dendritic cells, Cell therapy, Immunology and Transplantation.

Professor Patrick Tam's applicant Professor Chi Wai Eric So from the University of London will visit in 2018.

The Hub will hold the visiting Professor Scheme again in 2019.

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