
SRACA Vic presents;

Meeting the Challenge –

Let's Get Practical

As a follow on to our highly successful State conference titled 2015 – The year of Challenge,

SRACA (Vic) is proud to present our 2016 Metropolitan seminar/workshop

Program

0900	Welcome
0910-1000	Sue Greig Standard 3 - are we meeting the challenge? Future challenges of the reviewed standard.
1000-1050	Nicole Lapanaitis Approaching the challenge head on. What is Risk and how do you see it?
1050-1130	<i>Brunch</i>
1135-1225	Alison Stewart Meeting the challenge in New Zealand.
1225-1235	Briefing & split up into groups
1235 - 1335	Group work on scenarios <i>with afternoon tea</i>
1335 - 1530	Report back from groups & discussion Where to from here.

Please join **SRACA Vic** and;

Alison Stewart

Alison is the Programme Leader for Sterilising Technology at the Open Polytechnic and was previously the Training & Quality Supervisor and Service Team Leader of the sterile services for Capital & Coast District Health Board (CCDHB), where she worked alongside Infection Control. As an executive member of the New Zealand Sterile Services Association (NZSSA) she is currently both treasurer and the NZ representative on the HE-O23 committee responsible for responsible for AS/NZS 4187:2014 *Reprocessing Reusable Medical Devices in Health Service Organisations*

Nicole Lapanaitis

Mrs. Nicole Lapanaitis is the Senior Technical Associate for Sterilisation in the 3M Infection Prevention Division. Nicole has 20 years' experience spanning across the healthcare and food industry. She has held various roles including a microbiologist where she specialised in developing and practicing microbiological methods, quality assurance programs, risk assessment and sterilisation assurance and practice.

Prior to joining 3M, Nicole graduated from the University of New South Wales with a Bachelor of Science and Maths degree majoring in Microbiology and Immunology. She has also obtained multiple business related certifications.

Nicole represents the Medical Technology Association of Australia on the Australian Standards Committee responsible for AS/NZS 4187 *Reprocessing Reusable Medical Devices in Health Service Organisations*.

She also in a very active member of the ISO TC 198 Committee working groups for Chemical and Biological indicators.

Sue Greig

Sue is currently working as a Senior Project Officer in the National Healthcare Associated Infection (HAI) Prevention Program with the Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care (ACSQHC) where her role has included resource development and support for Standard 3 and development on educational modules for infection prevention and control. Sue has worked for many years in Infection Prevention and Control in the public and private sectors as well as having extensive experience in office practice settings. Sue has provided resources and education for diverse settings in Infection Prevention and Control including primary care and minimally resourced international health care settings.

**Also a great chance to win one of 10 registrations for the WFHSS
in Brisbane this October. (See page 4 for details)**

~Enter our competition to win registration to the WFHSS congress in Brisbane this October~

10 Early Bird registrations will be given away to lucky number holders at this workshop.

- Be there for your chance to win one of these.
- All delegates attending this conference with a paid registration, including committee members are eligible to enter the competition.

8 Early Bird registrations.

- Answer the following question in no less than 100 words.

“What and when was the last conference you attended? What was the most outstanding thing you learnt from it?”

All full financial members of SRACA Vic eligible to enter.

2 Student prizes of Early Bird registrations

- Answer the following question in no less than 100 words.

“Why do you want to attend the World Sterilization Congress in Brisbane 2016? What have you found the most interesting part of your studies so far?”

Current SRACA Vic student members only, eligible to enter.

Rules of the prize draws -

- Prizes are not redeemable for cash
- Winners must be present at the time of the spot prizes draw or the prize will be immediately re drawn
- All winners will be announced at this workshop and notified immediately following
- Evidence of payment of registration for the world forum conference must be submitted to SRACA Vic committee to receive full prize payment for early bird registration

In the event the winner cannot attend, the prize may be transferred to a current SRACA member of your choice and SRACA Vic committee must be notified of same.

**Written competition entries should be sent to the Secretariat – Di Lewington,
dilewington@optusnet.com.au**

Registration

Meeting the Challenge – Let's Get Practical

When **Saturday 21st May 2016**
8.30am for 9.00am commencement and concluding 3.30pm

Where **St Vincent's Hospital**
Aikenhead Building (Building E)
Ground Floor Michael Chamberlain Lecture Theatre
Corner Nicholson St & Victoria Parade
Fitzroy

Morning Tea and Lunch will be served
Please note: Seating is limited therefore pre-booking is required

Payment Schedule

SRACA member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$25
Non-SRACA Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$50
★ Become a member & save	

NOTE: Application for membership form must be completed and can be downloaded from our webpage: www.sracavic.org.au

Name _____

Email _____

Affiliation _____

Payment Method

- Cheque : payable to SRACA (Vic) and return with this form to the address below

Card Payment

- VISA \$ _____
 MasterCard for \$ _____

Name on Card _____

Card Number _____ / _____ / _____ / _____

Expiry Date ____ / ____ CCV: ____

Signature _____

EFT Payments to

Bank Account Name: S.R.A.C.A. Vic
Bank: CBA Flinders & Elizabeth St. Melbourne
BSB: 063 001 Account No. 1002 3363

If paying by EFT - Please quote name and membership No. in transfer details AND send copy of this form through to the secretariat at the following address:

Please return to

SRACA (Vic)
PO Box 2514 Mount Waverley, Vic. 3149
Fax: 03 8686 1495

Email: dilewington@optusnet.com.au

Confirmation of registration will be made following payment and receipt of this form

New / Renewal Application for Membership

1st JULY 2016 – 30th JUNE 2017

Title:	<input type="checkbox"/> Mr	<input type="checkbox"/> Mrs	<input type="checkbox"/> Miss	<input type="checkbox"/> Ms	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
Surname:	First Name:				
Postal Address:					Postcode:
Employer:					
Position:					
Business Phone No:				Mobile No:	
Preferred e-mail address:					

This is a: New Membership Renewal

Membership Type

- Associate Membership: This includes proprietors, members or employees of a business engaged in the production or supply of goods and /or services, directly associated with Sterilisation, Disinfection or Infection Control within any Health Care facility or Community Service.
- Full Membership: This includes people who work within the field of Sterile Services but excludes people who meet the Associate Membership requirements.
- Student Membership includes people engaged in an accredited Certificate 3 sterilising course. Student membership is available 1 year only.

Information You Need to Know

- For new members, Membership is conditional upon approval at the next committee meeting. The application process may take a number of weeks and payment will be processed on approval.
- Associate members have no voting rights and are not eligible to hold office.
- Students are not required to pay an annual fee.
- Renewal of Membership is on 1 July each year. New members who join after March 1st and before June 30th pay the annual fee and receive up to three months membership free.

Declaration

I..... agree to abide by the SRACA (Vic) Inc. Constitution and Bylaws as published on the website at www.sracavic.org.au. I declare the information on this Application for Membership is true and correct.

Applicant Signature..... Date.....

Payment Details

- \$35 Full member 1YEAR (No GST) \$30 Associate member (No GST) \$0 Student Member
- \$90 Full member 3YEARS (No GST)
- Cheque: Please make cheque payable to SRACA (Vic)
- Visa MasterCard Name on Card:.....Signature:.....
- Card Number:.....Expiry Date:.....CCV:.....

For Membership Renewal only

Electronic funds transfer: BSB 063 001 Account Number 1002 3363
Account name: SRACA Vic
Ensure your name and **membership number** are included in the bank transfer details.

Please return this form to:

Di Lewington, Secretariat / Bookkeeper SRACA (Vic)
Post: P.O. Box 1697, Geelong Vic 3220
Fax: To (03) 03 8686 1495
Scan and Email: To dilewington@optusnet.com.au.