



## **IPITA 2017 Nurses and Allied Health Professionals Pre-congress symposium**

**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> June 2017, Mathematical Institute, University of Oxford**

### **Programme**

This symposium highlights work achieved by the coordination and support teams in pancreas and islet transplantation units internationally. The intention of these sessions are both interactive and educational, leaving you with some thought provoking concepts and ideas as we venture through the journey of pancreas and islet transplantation. As Nursing and Allied Health professionals, we reap the benefits of attending this meeting and embrace professional developmental progression. These benefits are not limited to the gaining of knowledge and the networking process of such a widespread collaboration of professionals but will also enable us to provide support to others within the pancreas and islet transplantation field as they showcase their achievements through their presentations

Welcome - Rob Crookston and Toni Radford

#### First Session: 14:00-15:40 Pancreas and Islet transplant Update:

14:05-15:05

- Prof Toby Coates - Adelaide - Current immunosuppression in islet/pancreas transplantation.
- A/Prof Shane Grey - Sydney - Future therapeutic approaches to advance islet transplant outcomes.
- Prof Greg Korbitt - Alberta - Alternative sources of islets/pancreas to increase clinical audience.
- Questions and panel discussion.

15:05-15:20 Louise Berry - Minnesota - Auto-islet transplant Research - An update from the world leaders.

15:20-15:30 Toni Radford - Adelaide - Auto-islet transplant - Setting up a program; the Australian experience.

15:30:15:40 Rob Crookston - Oxford - AHP involvement in research. Is there a role for us in leading research?

Break 15:40-16:00

Second Session: 16:00-17:10 Psychology and support in diabetes and transplant:

Issues to be discussed:

Psychology in transplantation

Psychology in diabetes

Psychology of pain for auto-transplant patients

The role of the AHP in providing support for transplant patients

17:10-17:15. Final Comments and close.