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Workshop

28 & 29
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2009

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Dear Trainees,

AGES would like to invite you to the fifth Trainee Workshop and the second to be held in Sydney. This workshop is run in conjunction with RANZCOG. As you are aware the College has an expectation that all trainees on completion of their six years should be able to perform a laparoscopic ovarian cystectomy/oophorectomy as well as being able to deal with an ectopic pregnancy laparoscopically when the anatomy is not significantly distorted. AGES and the College have established this programme to help facilitate the skill steps that are required to perform these procedures.

AGES has assembled an extensive faculty. The programme involves both a didactic and skill labs component. We will also have a strong suturing component at this workshop. I would like to thank my organising committee and faculty for their commitment in putting this meeting together. Please book early as places are limited.

We look forward to welcoming you in Sydney for an exciting two days.

Robert Ford
Director AGES
Chair, Trainee Workshop 2009

The aims of the course are to teach Level 4, 5 and 6 trainees the practice and principles of laparoscopic adnexal surgery and laparoscopic suturing techniques.

The maximum number of delegates is 20. As places are limited, delegates are encouraged to book early.

Dr Robert Ford	New South Wales	Chairman Organising Committee
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Dr Jason Abbott	New South Wales	Dr Alastair Morris	New South Wales
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course program

friday 28 & saturday 29
August

- Friday 28 AUGUST 2009**
- 0845** Registration
- 0900** Laparoscopic training
J Abbott
- 0920** Principals of electrosurgery
A Yazdani
- 0940** AGES entry guidelines
R O'Shea
- 1000** Complications of laparoscopic surgery
R Ford
- 1030** **MORNING TEA**
- 1100** Presentation techniques for O&G trainees – how to do it better
M McEvoy
- 1120** Laparoscopic techniques for ovarian cystectomy and ectopic pregnancy
A Morris
- 1145** Introduction to skills lab
R Ford
- 1230** **LUNCH**
- 1300** Laparoscopic skills workshop
- 1500** **AFTERNOON TEA** – during skills workshop
- 1530** Laparoscopic skills workshop
- 1700** Close
- Saturday 29 AUGUST 2009**
- 0830** Laparoscopic accreditation guidelines
J Tsaltas
- 0845** Application of laparoscopic suturing – total laparoscopic hysterectomy
R O'Shea
- 0915** Introduction to laparoscopic suturing techniques and ergonomics
E Seman
- 0945** Demonstration of intracorporeal suturing
A Lam
- 1015** **MORNING TEA**
- 1045** Description of workstations
E Seman
- 1100** Skills lab workstations – suturing
- 1230** **LUNCH**
- 1330** Laparoscopic skills workshop
- 1500** **AFTERNOON TEA** – during skills workshop
- 1530** Laparoscopic skills workshop
- 1600** Close and feedback
A Lam

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address			
		state	p'code
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e-mail	badge name	trainee level	
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conference costs

AGES/RANZCOG Trainee Workshop	Member AGES	Non-Member AGES	
	\$450	\$550	\$.....

ages membership fees in 2009

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TOTAL PAYABLE (INCL. GST) \$.....

All costs include gst.

Registration Fee Inclusions

- Attendance at sessions on 28 & 29 August 2009
- Workshop satchel
- Conference lunches, morning & afternoon teas

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- Completed registration form must be accompanied by full payment
- All costs are in Australian dollars, and include gst
- Registration fees are payable by cheque, Visa or Mastercard

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booking agreement

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Signature

Date

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