

**Australian Pancreatic Cancer Genome Initiative Meeting  
Saturday, 6<sup>th</sup> March 2010**

**NAB Auditorium – Garvan Institute of Medical Research  
(Please use the Burton Street entrance)**

**12:00 noon REGISTRATION**

12:30pm Introduction, Andrew Biankin, Garvan Institute of Medical Research

**STRATEGY**

12:35PM *“Pancreatic cancer: a research funding perspective”*  
Greg Ash, Executive Knowledge Development Officer, NHMRC, Canberra

1:05pm *“The Australian Pancreatic Cancer Genome Initiative”*  
Andrew Biankin, Head of Pancreatic Cancer, Garvan Institute of Medical Research, Sydney

**PANCREATIC CANCER – THE CLINICAL PROBLEMS**

1:30pm *“Small steps for pancreatic surgeons but no giant steps for mankind”*  
Jaswinder Samra, Consultant Surgeon, Royal North Shore Hospital, Sydney

1:50pm *“Pancreatic Cancer: A medical oncologist perspective”*  
Jenny Shannon, Medical Oncologist, Nepean Hospital, Sydney

2:10pm *“Pancreatic Cancer: Who, what and where?”*  
Nancy Consoli, Hepatobiliary/Pancreatic Cancer Nurse Co-ordinator, Royal North Shore Hospital, Sydney

**TISSUE AND CLINICAL ANNOTATION**

2:30pm *“The importance of high quality biospecimens to the research enterprise: The Road to Molecular Medicine”*  
Amber Johns, Garvan Institute of Medical Research, Sydney

3:00pm *“Do margins matter? How we access excision specimens of pancreatic cancers”*  
Anthony Gill, Anatomical Pathologist, Royal North Shore Hospital, Sydney

**3:20pm AFTERNOON TEA**

**ETHICAL ISSUES**

3:50pm *“Ethical access to ICGC data: how do we manage everyone’s best interests?”*  
Nikolajs Zeps, Research Manager, St John of God Pathology, Perth

**SEQUENCING & DATA**

4:20pm *“Large scale sequencing of pancreatic genomes”*  
Brooke Gardiner, Sequencing Manager, IMB, Brisbane

4:45pm *“Sequence analysis of a pancreatic genome”*  
Nic Waddell, Research Officer, IMB, Brisbane

5:10pm Conclusion, Andrew Biankin, Garvan Institute of Medical Research, Sydney

**5:20pm Refreshments – Level 8 Café de Novo, Garvan Institute**