



Friday 18 September 2026

| Time              | Session                                                                                           | Speaker                                                                                                                |
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| 8:00am – 8:30am   | Registration & Arrival Coffee                                                                     |                                                                                                                        |
| 8:30am – 8:50am   | Welcome and Industry Pitches                                                                      |                                                                                                                        |
|                   | <b>Session 1: Upper GI &amp; Gastric Motility</b>                                                 |                                                                                                                        |
| 8:50am – 9:20am   | <b>Demystifying Oesophageal Motility:</b><br>Current Concepts and Clinical Practice               | <b>A/Prof Magnus Halland</b><br><i>Gastroenterologist, Newcastle Gastroenterology / Lingard Private Hospital (NSW)</i> |
| 9:20am – 9:50am   | <b>Mastering the EndoFLIP:</b> A Practical Guide to Implementation and Interpretation             | <b>Dr Andrew Lane</b><br><i>Gastroenterologist, Wellington Hospital (Wellington)</i>                                   |
| 9:50am – 10:20am  | <b>Decoding Gastric Rhythms:</b> Clinical Applications of Body Surface Gastric Mapping (Alimetry) | <b>Prof Greg O’Grady</b><br><i>Professor of Surgery, University of Auckland / Auckland City Hospital (Auckland)</i>    |
| 10:20am – 10:50am | Morning Tea                                                                                       |                                                                                                                        |
|                   | <b>Session 2: Mid/Lower Tract Physiology &amp; Endoscopy</b>                                      |                                                                                                                        |
| 10:50am – 11:20am | <b>Beyond the Mucosa:</b> The Role of Endoscopy in Motility Disorders                             | <b>Dr Cameron Schauer</b><br><i>Gastroenterologist &amp; Interventional Endoscopist, Waitemata (Auckland)</i>          |
| 11:20am – 11:50am | <b>Myth Busting for Gastroenterologists</b>                                                       | <b>Anna Sloan</b><br><i>Dietitian, Nutrition Connection / Advanced Clinician, Auckland City Hospital (Auckland)</i>    |
| 11:50am – 12:20pm | <b>Retraining the Core:</b> The Critical Role of Pelvic Floor Physiotherapy                       | <b>To be confirmed</b>                                                                                                 |

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| 12:20pm – 12:50pm | <b>The Final Frontier:</b> Future Directions in Colonic Physiology and Dysmotility     | <b>Prof Phil Dinning</b><br><i>Principal Medical Scientist,<br/>Flinders Medical Centre / Flinders University (Adelaide)</i>           |
| 12:50pm – 1:50pm  | Lunch                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                        |
|                   | <b>Session 3: Systemic &amp; Psychogastroenterology</b>                                |                                                                                                                                        |
| 1:50pm – 2:20pm   | <b>The Reactive Gut:</b> Recognizing and Managing Mast Cell Activation Syndrome (MCAS) | <b>Dr Hannah Giles</b><br><i>Hepatologist &amp; Gastroenterologist,<br/>NZ Liver Transplant Unit /<br/>MacMurray Centre (Auckland)</i> |
| 2:20pm – 2:50pm   | <b>Fueling the Complex Patient:</b> Advanced Feeding Strategies in DGBI                | <b>Dr Tim King</b><br><i>Gastroenterologist, Auckland City Hospital (Auckland)</i>                                                     |
| 2:50pm – 3:20pm   | <b>Mind and Mucosa:</b> Integrating Psychogastroenterology into Clinical Practice      | <b>Dr Chamara Basnayake</b><br><i>Gastroenterologist, St Vincent's Hospital (Melbourne)</i>                                            |
| 3:20pm – 3:50pm   | Afternoon Tea                                                                          |                                                                                                                                        |
|                   | <b>Session 4: Lower GI Diagnostics &amp; Advanced Practice</b>                         |                                                                                                                                        |
| 3:50pm – 4:20pm   | <b>Pressure Points:</b> High-Resolution Anorectal Manometry in Clinical Practice       | <b>Dr Trina Kellar</b><br><i>NeuroGastroenterologist, Royal Brisbane and Women's Hospital (Brisbane)</i>                               |
| 4:20pm – 5:05pm   | <b>The Diagnostic Dilemma:</b> Complex Cases from Top to Tail                          |                                                                                                                                        |
| 5:05pm – 5:15pm   | Closing Remarks                                                                        |                                                                                                                                        |

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