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If you have an article, reference or any newsworthy exposé please forward to Nelly (musirinofa@ukzn.ac.za)



FAREWELL BREAKFAST
Farewell to all staff leaving the dept. at the end of June.

Please join us after the Combined Academic Meeting to bid farewell and to wish them well for the future.

LATEST PUBLICATION

Paruk F, Kisson N, Hartog C, Feldman C, Hodgson E, Lipman J, Guidet B, Du Bin, Argent A, and Sprung C. Withdrawing Mechanical ventilation - The approach should be individualized Journal of Critical Care 2014; (In press).

NRF SCHOLARSHIPS FOR 2015

The National Research Foundation (NRF) Scholarships for 2015 are now open. As College scholarship funds continue to dwindle because of increased number of students against a backdrop of decreased institutional funds we encourage students to seek alternative funding. All students eligible to apply for the NRF funding are encouraged to do so. Scholarships will only be renewed in 2015 if evidence of having applied and not being successful is submitted to the College Research Office. Applications must be submitted through an online application process to the National Research Foundation.

Enquiry: Ms J Ngcobo/ T Pillay
Tel: 012 481 4930/ 012 481 4241
E-mail: june-rose.ngcobo@nrf.ac.za
thashni.maistry@nrf.ac.za
Closing date: 15 Aug 2014
Link: <https://nrfsubmission.nrf.ac.za/>



**PART I
MOCK**

EXAMS

Date: 12 July 2014
Venue: IALCH (Seminar room)
Time: Paper 1 – 09h00 – 12h00
Paper 2 – 13h00 – 16h00

MANAGE TRIAL - IALCH

Please note, Anaesthetists at IALCH please be aware that patients who have had a postop troponin leak may be in the MANAGE trial. They are potentially anticoagulated, and the study drug needs to be stopped ideally for 24 hours prior to a second surgery.

All patients in the study will have a note above their bed and clinical notes in their medical records.

Thank you, Bruce Biccadd

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY COURSE

ATTENTION: First year Mmed The Research methodology module (PMED801) will close on **25 June 2014**. Students registered on the module are requested to complete all tasks and submit their protocol for approval to the PG administration **before 25/06/ 2014**.

Enquiries: Dr Serela Ramklass – Research methodology Coordinator: ramklass@ukzn.ac.za

Operation Smile

Probable dates of mission sites for the next two months are:

Dates	Mission
01 -10 August	Malawi, Lilongwe
04 -14 September	Madagascar, Tamatave

Specialists should apply to go on any mission that best suits their timetable of travel. Once you've decide on the dates of your choice, send applications to Erin Fairly@operationsmile.org Registrators preferably grade III or later are invited to apply to Mrs Pillay. Unfortunately, registration can only be chosen if there is a suitable mentor also signed up from that mission. This means dates cannot be finalised early.
Contact: Arun Pillay 031 2402450 / Dr Osborn osborn@ukzn.ac.za

DEPARTMENT DATABASE

All doctors who have recently changed their email addresses, phone numbers, and residential addresses etc, please contact Nelly or Natasha so that the database can be updated.

DOCUMENTS REQUIRING HOD SIGNATURE



Staffs are advised to please submit documents requiring HOD signature to admin staff.

Please allow three days from receipt of form for this process to occur. Admin staff will email or call doctors once the documents is signed. It will be the responsibility of the doctor to collect or advise admin staff otherwise.

VACANCIES

MEDICAL SPECIALIST (Anaesthesiology)

Grade: 1, 2&3 [Ref GS45/14]
Institution: Greys Hospital
Centre: PMB Hospital Complex
Applications must be forwarded to: The Human Resource Department Greys Hospital, Private Bag x 9001 Pietermaritzburg, 3200 (Attention: Mrs M. Chandulal)
Closing date: 20th June 2014
Enquiries: Dr Z Farina/033 897 3412 or zane.farina@kznhealth.gov.za
Dr R Rodseth / 033 8973413
Rodseth.Durand@gmail.com

UPCOMING EVENTS

SMART CENTRE

Date: 01 July 2014
Time: 15h00
Venue: IALCH (Seminar room)

CONSULTANT MEETING

Date: 01 July 2014
Time: 16h30
Venue: IALCH (Seminar room)

COMBINED ACADEMIC

Date: 20 June 2014
Time: 07h30
Venue: L5 Lecture Theatre, MS

● RESEARCH MEETING

Registrar: Gibbs M
Registrar: Asmal H

● CLINICAL FORUM

Topic: MGMH
Consultant: Reddy S
Topic: General
Consultant: Taylor J

● REGISTRAR MEETING

COLLEGE RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM 2014

Date: 11-12 September 2014

Venue: K1, K2 Susser & Stein Seminar Room, NRMSM

ETHEKWINI MUNICIPALITY NOTICE

Please note that we have been informed by eThekweni Municipality that Umbilo Road, around the Medical Campus, will be closed to traffic from the **9th June – 8th September 2014**. RMS has made arrangements to have the Gates on Glastonbury Road open to be used as entrance and exit points.

CONSULTANT MEETING

Please be advised that the next consultant meeting will be **Tuesday 1st July 2014**.

ADVANCED AIRWAY WORKSHOP - UPDATED

The Advanced Airway workshop is scheduled as follows:

Date: 28 June 2014

Time: 08h30 – 13h00

Venue: SMART Centre & Anaesthetics Seminar Room, IALCH

Enquiry: Dr R Naidoo/ Hannah

rubeshann@yahoo.com

hannahnai@ialch.co.za

NB: Registration is free but limited to 40 candidates. This workshop is CPD accredited.

PLAGIARISM: FMM BOOKLETS

Please note that plagiarism is a serious offence. All Friday morning booklets are checked for plagiarism. **Booklets must be handed 3 weeks prior the presentation date.** Please ensure that you appropriately reference information from other sources.

NEXT SUPER DAMN Mon, 30 June 2014

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THE DOG ATE MY HOMEWORK
- I THOUGHT MAYBE YOU
COULD X-RAY HIM.



7:15 FRIDAY MORNING MEETINGS – L5 LECTURE THEATRE, MEDICAL SCHOOL

DATE	TOPIC	SPEAKER	MODERATOR
20 June	Combined Academic Meeting: Clinical Forum / Research		
27 June	CRM: Improving patient safety in theatre	M Gunning	N Rorke
04 July	Gestational Trophoblastic Disease	A Atarash	M Mudely

MON 23 June	15h00	FCA Part II Musculoskeletal CLINICALS <i>Z Farina</i> <i>Farina/Biccard</i>	IALCH
TUE 24 June	08h30	IALCH ICU M&M	IALCH
WED 25 June	07h00	M & M MEETING: KEH	KEH
	07h00	M & M MEETING: IALCH	IALCH
	07h00	M & M MEETING: PMMH	PMMH
	14h30	FCA PART I Extracorporeal circulation CPB ECMO <i>L Drummond</i>	IALCH
THUR 26 June	07h15	M & M MEETING: RKK	RKK
	07h15	OBSTETRIC ANAESTHESIA Indications and guidelines for platelet transfusions in pregnancy <i>A Atrash</i>	IALCH
	0730	KEH ICU M & M MEETING	Med Sch, VC 1
FRI 27 June	07h15	FRIDAY MORNING MEETING: CRM: Improving patient safety in theatre <i>M Gunning</i>	MS, L5

2014 DIARY

CLINICAL COURSE: DURBAN
IALCH, 15-19 September

DEPT WEBSITE

<http://anaesthetics.ukzn.ac.za/Homepage.aspx>

BIRTHDAYS

Wednesday, 25 June 2014
Pooveshni Govender

Thursday, 26 June 2014
Luansha Naicker

Saturday, 28 June 2014
Guventhiran Govender
Magesvaran Mudely
Paveshni Reddy



Thought for the Day!

“Don’t worry about failures, worry about the chances you miss when you don’t even try.”

Jack Canfield