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INCLUDING SCIENCE AND HEALTH RESEARCH

Charles Perkins Centre, The University of Sydney

Obesity, diabetes and cardiovascular disease are the leading causes of death, disability and reduced quality of life in Australia, and have become epidemics of global proportions.

The Charles Perkins Centre, a cross-functional, multi-disciplinary research and teaching model that focuses on finding solutions that will create real and lasting change for the health of our nations, was founded as a result of the 2006 10th International Conference on Obesity in Sydney.

At the heart of the Charles Perkins Centre is a \$385 million research and education hub.

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“ Sydney’s got a visionary culture and a feel to it, because it’s not tied up in a lot of old traditions, we’re able to meld different types of traditions and see how they work together and take them forward. We can afford to be really creative and innovative, share those ideas here, get them knocked about with different peoples’ perspectives and come up with things that will really work in the future.”

- Dr Pia Winberg, CEO of Venus Shell Systems and BESydney Future Leader.

SOME OF THE ALIGNED CONFERENCES TO BE HELD IN SYDNEY INCLUDE:

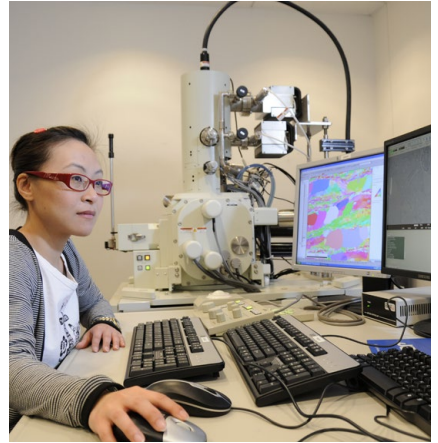
- the 10th Asia-Pacific Conference on Medical and Biological Engineering in 2017
- SimTect & SimHealth in 2017 and 2018
- the International Congress of Behavioural Optometry in 2018
- the 19th International Microscopy Congress in 2018
- the World Congress of Veterinary Dermatology in 2020.

Connect with BESydney Ambassadors and Future Leaders representing Education and Research, such as:

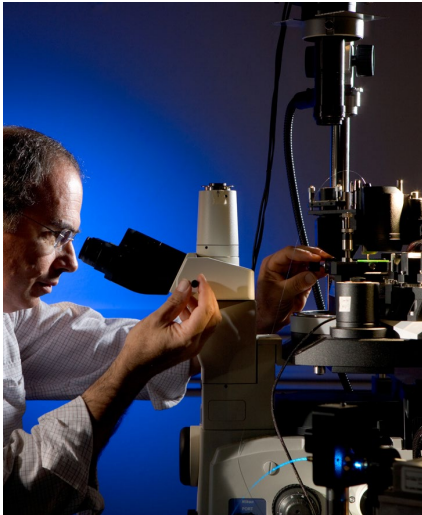
- Prof. Annabelle Duncan, VC and CEO of the University of New England
- Prof. Attila Brungs, VC and President of the University of Technology Sydney
- Prof. Stephen Simpson, Academic Director at the Charles Perkins Centre
- Prof. John Mattick, Executive Director of the Garvan Institute of Medical Research
- Michael Boyer, Chief Clinical Officer of the Chris O’Brien Lifehouse.



FROM NEXT-GENERATION COMMUNICATIONS, ENERGY TECHNOLOGY, ROBOTICS AND BIOTECHNOLOGY TO E-RESEARCH AND HEALTH AND MEDICAL RESEARCH, THE SCOPE OF SCIENCE AND RESEARCH IN NSW IS OUTSTANDING.



Sydney was named the most popular city for international university students by the *2014 Global Cities Index*. Our education system is world-renowned, offering world-class teaching, infrastructure and research facilities, as well as a safe, supportive, inclusive and quality environment.



A LAND OF CREATORS:
AUSTRALIANS INVENTED THE COCHLEAR BIONIC EAR, SPRAY-ON SKIN, THE WORLD'S FIRST ARTIFICIAL PACEMAKER AND THE CERVICAL CANCER VACCINE, TO NAME JUST A FEW.

9TH in the world for quality of its research institutions by the World Economic Forum's *Global Competitiveness Report 2014-15*.

The NSW Government's Medical Devices Fund is a \$5 million per annum, development and commercialisation program that aims to contribute to the discovery of new treatments, techniques and devices.

Work with our world-class health research institutions such as the Garvan Institute of Medical Research, Lowy Cancer Research Centre & Victor Chang Cardiac Research Institute for your Sydney conference.

ASSOCIATIONS CAN CONNECT WITH SOME OF THE WORLD'S LEADING UNIVERSITIES AND RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS, SUCH AS THE UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY AND THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW SOUTH WALES, TO CREATE ENGAGING CONFERENCE PROGRAMS AND TAP INTO POTENTIAL KEYNOTE SPEAKERS.

NSW has two universities featured in the top *100 QS World University Rankings 2014/15*. BESydney actively engages with these universities to profile their research excellence and help our academics attract esteemed international colleagues to collaborate in Sydney (through conferencing).



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