



BRAIN INJURY

Creating Collaborations and Opportunities Workshop

13 August 2021 | 8:30am – 1:45pm Auditorium, Education Centre, RBWH

SESSION ONE Mild TBI Panel: Dr Gary Mitchell, Prof Karen Barlow, A/Prof Jaimi Greenslade			
		Prof Michael O'Sullivan	
8:45 - 9:00	Ethics in recruiting TBI patients	Dr Gordon McGurk (PhD)	
9:00 - 9:20	The knowledge gap:		
	What we know and what we don't know	Prof Lindy Fitzgerald	
	- pitfalls and opportunities from collaborations		
9:20 – 9:50	Current Research	Sandy Schultz &	
	The Monash Group - Biomarker research	Stuart McDonald	
	 ccf-DNA BRAIN Study 	Anna- Lisa Lyrstedt	
9:50 – 10:30	Future Directions & Opportunities	Andrew Gardner	
	Updates from the professional sporting world	Oliver Smith	
	Neuropsychology and concussion		
10:30 – 11:00	Morning Tea		

SESSION TWO Moderate – Severe TBI			
Panel: Fatima Nasrallah, Michael O'Sullivan, Michael Redmond			
11:00 – 11:15	Opening talk		
	Lived Experience, Consumer Representation	Tim Cudmore	
	and the importance of collaboration		
11:15 – 11:30	Diagnostics and Innovation		
	1. Extracellular Vesicles from Peripheral	Rebecca Lane	
	Blood as a Window into Brown Pathology		
	2. Extracellular Vesicle Phenotype Analyser	Zhen Zhang	
	Chip (EPAC) for Sensitive Multiplexed		
	Detection of EV-associated Makers of		
	Brain Disease		
	3. Opportunities for Treatment of Brain	Richard Lobb	
	Pathologies with Bioengineered		
	Extracellular Vesicles		
11:30 – 12:00	Rehabilitation in TBI		
	1. Mapping spatial attention following brain	David Painter	
	injury using virtual reality		
	2. Cognitive and memory rehabilitation	Emmah Doig	
	research in adults with traumatic		
	brain injury		
12:00 – 12:30	Opportunities and Collaboration		
	 Supporting Aboriginal and Torres Strait 	Synapse Michelle McIntyre	
	Islander peoples with cognitive disabilities		
	2. Bionic Innovations in Response to Brain	Dr Robyn Stokes	
	Trauma: Boosting the Conversation	CEO, Bionics Queensland	
12:30 – 12:45	Close		
12:45 – 1:45	Lunch & Networking		