



The NSW Stem Cell Network, Australian Stem Cell Centre & Stem Cells Australia proudly present Stem Cells and their Clinical Applications Now & Future - Melbourne

Stem cells have been around for fifty years, with application to the clinic for a long time being restricted to haematological malignancies and disease of the immune system. Stem cell science is moving forward and clinical trials are underway around the world utilising different stem cell types for a variety of indications such as corneal disease, multiple sclerosis, spinal cord injury, stroke and osteoarthritis. However, strong media coverage and high expectations has led many to believe that therapies are available now or are just around the corner and are participating in experimental and potentially risky treatments mostly offered overseas.

This seminar will provide physicians with a detailed introduction into stem cell research, current clinical applications, clinical trials and the concerning phenomenon that is 'stem cell tourism'. We invite you to join us for this **free** seminar to learn more about this exciting area of medical research.

WHO

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WHERE

Level 5, Melbourne Brain Centre, At Genetics Lane, Royal Parade,
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WHEN

Wed, Dec 7th, 2011

6.30 - 7.00pm: Registrations and Refreshments

7.00 - 9.00pm: Presentations and Discussion

R.S.V.P to s.mustafa@stemcellnetwork.org.au by Thu 1st of Dec, 2011. For more information, please visit our site at www.stemcellnetwork.org.au. This presentation is supported by a grant from the Royal Australasian College of Physicians and can be used to assist physicians in CPD.



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