



**PLASTIC & RECONSTRUCTIVE SURGERY**  
**2012 SET 2 – 5**  
REGISTRARS' CONFERENCE

25 – 26 February 2012  
Anatomy & Surgical Skills Laboratory  
Medical Engineering Research Facility,  
Queensland University of Technology, QLD

27 February – 1 March 2012  
The Sebel & Citigate Hotel  
King George Square, Brisbane, QLD

American In Service Exam – Friday, 2 March 2012  
Practice Exam – Saturday, 3 March 2012



**REGISTRATION BROCHURE**

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# PLASTIC & RECONSTRUCTIVE SURGERY 2012 SET 2 – 5 REGISTRARS' CONFERENCE

## Welcome

The Board of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery looks forward to your attendance at the 2012 SET2-5 Registrars Conference. The Conference will be held from 26 February 2012 – 1 March 2012 at the Sebel & Citigate Hotel, King George Square, Brisbane, QLD.

The conference returns in 2012 with high quality content and will provide examples of leading practice in plastic and reconstructive surgery. It is designed to facilitate extensive networking with four days of conference sessions and a Conference Dinner, allowing plenty of time with delegates. The trade exhibition will be an integral part of the conference, with catering served in this area during each break to maximise interaction between exhibitors and delegates.

### **Attendance at the conference is compulsory for all SET 2-5 Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery Trainees in Australia and New Zealand.**

All trainees are required to present a paper at the state level prior to the conference. A prize will be awarded for the Best Clinical Paper and Best Scientific Paper presented at the 2012 Registrar's Conference. There will be two prizes awarded, one for each category, which will be a travel grant to the value of \$5,000 to support the attendance at a surgery observation program in Europe as a Continuing Medical Education opportunity in 2012, sponsored by Stryker.

In addition, the Emmett Prize of \$1,500 each, may be awarded for the Best Research Presentation and also for the Best Clinical Presentation. For the Best Research Presentation, registrars' should submit a piece of original clinical research which provides analysis of formal research undertaken by the trainee related to Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery.

For the best clinical presentation, registrars' must make a presentation related to any aspect of clinical practice including but not restricted to technique and analysis, new technique presentation review and analysis, morbidity/ mortality data from clinical series, prospective clinical trials and retrospective reviews of case series.



## Venue

The Sebel & Citigate Hotel King George Square  
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## 2012 Registrars Conference Secretariat

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## Key Dates

Medartis Cadaveric Hand Fixation Course	Saturday, 25 February 2012
Johnson & Johnson Medical and the Australasian Foundation for Plastic Surgery Anatomy Course	Sunday, 26 February 2012
Conference Dates	Sunday, 26 February 2012 – Thursday, 1 March 2012
Bongiorno Group Breakfast Workshop	Wednesday, 29 February 2012
Conference Dinner	Wednesday, 29 February 2012
American In Service Exam	Friday, 2 March 2012
Practice Exam	Saturday, 3 March 2012

# Program

## Saturday, 25 February 2012

0800 – 1300 Medartis Cadaveric Hand Fixation Course

## Sunday, 26 February 2012

0700 Registration Open

0800 Conference Opening

0845 – 1600 Johnson & Johnson Medical and The Australasian Foundation for Plastic Surgery Anatomy Workshop *Compulsory SET 2 – 5 Trainees*

	Monday, 27 February 2012	Tuesday, 28 February 2012	Wednesday, 29 February 2012	Thursday, 1 March 2012
0700 – 0800			Bongiorno Group Breakfast Workshop: Planning Now for the Future – Some Do's and Don'ts	
0800	Conference Open	Oral Cavity Reconstruction	Registrar Presentations	Zygomatic Fractures
0815				
0830	Liposuction	Laryngeal Reconstruction		
0845				
0900	Abdominoplasty	Mandibular Reconstruction		
0915				
0930				
0945	Brachioplasty / Thigh Plasty			Maxillary Fractures
1000		Discussion		
1015 – 1045	MORNING TEA	MORNING TEA	MORNING TEA	MORNING TEA
1045	Massive Weightloss Patient Requirements and Considerations, Including Body Lift	Maxillary Reconstruction	Exam Preparation	Nasoethmoidal Fractures
1100				
1115				
1130	Breast Mastopexy / reduction in weightloss patients	Scalp Reconstruction		Complex Facial Fractures
1145				
1200		Discussion		
1215 – 1245	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH

	Monday, 27 February 2012	Tuesday, 28 February 2012	Wednesday, 29 February 2012	Thursday, 1 March 2012
1245	Oral Tumours	Diagnosis & Management of BCC	Lower Limb Trauma	Vaginal and Perineal Reconstruction
1300	Laryngeal Tumours	Diagnosis & Management of SCC	Chronic Osteomyelitis	Abdominal Wall Reconstruction Including Necrotising Fasciitis
1315	Salivary Tumours	Diagnosis & Management of Dermal Tumours	Decision on Salvage and Local Options	Sternal Reconstruction
1330	Management of Head and Neck Tumours	AFTERNOON TEA	AFTERNOON TEA	AFTERNOON TEA
1345	AFTERNOON TEA	Diagnosis & Management of Melanoma	Lower Limb Reconstruction Upper Third	Congenital Facial Paralysis
1400	Management of Neck Nodes	Discussion of Skin Cancers	Lower Limb Reconstruction Middle Third	Acquired Facial Paralysis Causes
1415	Head and Neck Prosthetics		Lower Limb Reconstruction Lower Third	Facial Paralysis Reconstruction
1430	Chemotherapy for Head and Neck		Lower Limb Reconstruction Panel Discussion	
1445	Place of Radiation in Head and Neck Cancer			
1500 – 1515				
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1900 – 2300			CONFERENCE DINNER	

### Friday, 2 March 2012

0730 – 1400 American In Service Exam

1600 – 1800 ASPS Essay Competition

### Saturday, 3 March 2012

0830 – 1600 Practice Exam

# Program Highlights

## Medartis Cadaveric Hand Fixation Course

**DATE:** Saturday, 25 February 2012  
**TIME:** 0800 – 1300 hours  
**VENUE:** Anatomy & Surgical Skills Laboratory Medical Engineering Research Facility, School of Engineering Systems, Queensland University of Technology, Staib Road, Chermside, QLD

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PRECISION IN FIXATION

Medartis will be holding a practical half day course covering surgical approaches, fracture exposure, and specific fixation techniques. The most up-to-date hardware including locking plates will be available. Less common approaches such as volar shotgun and collateral ligament split can be practiced.

Supervising faculty will consist of experienced hand trauma surgeons. Places will be strictly limited in order to maximise the practical experience of each student.

Transport has been arranged from The Sebel & Citigate Hotel King George Square, Brisbane.

An additional fee of **\$150.00** will apply to attend this short course.

## Johnson & Johnson Medical Anatomy Workshop

**DATE:** Sunday, 26 February 2012  
**TIME:** 0800 – 1600 hours  
**VENUE:** Anatomy & Surgical Skills Laboratory Medical Engineering Research Facility, School of Engineering Systems, Queensland University of Technology, Staib Road, Chermside, QLD

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A practical hands-on course using fresh frozen whole cadaver presentation (head/neck) and interactive tutorial.

**Attendance is compulsory for all SET 2 – 5 trainees registered to attend the 2012 Registrars' Conference.**

## Bongiorno Group Breakfast Workshop: Planning Now for the Future – Some Do's and Don'ts

**DATE:** Wednesday, 29 February 2012  
**TIME:** 0700 – 0800 hours  
**VENUE:** Brisbane Room, The Sebel & Citigate King George Square, Brisbane, QLD

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make every day a good day

You will be starting up in Private Practice in the future and may be doing private assisting now.

This is a not to miss session for anyone in SET 2-5 on some essential business matters for you to follow today. You must adhere to the Australian Taxation Office guidelines for Practice Structures and all your allowable claims.

How do you structure your loans correctly now so that you can tax deduct interest payments at a later point? Who should own your assets now and in the future? Should you set up a Trust? Set up a Company? Associateship, Partnership and Sharing Rooms. What do they all mean?

You will leave this session with your head spinning but pointed in the right direction with plenty of great ideas and answers to vital questions.

## Conference Dinner

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**DATE:** Wednesday, 29 February 2012  
**TIME:** 1900 – 2300 hours  
**VENUE:** Connaught Room, The Sebel & Citigate  
King George Square, Brisbane, QLD

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A great evening of food and wine is planned for the Conference Dinner. We hope all delegates and their guests will join us on this occasion to make it an enjoyable evening.

## ASAPS Essay Competition

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**DATE:** Friday, 2 March 2012  
**TIME:** 1600 – 1800 hours  
**VENUE:** Kennedy Room, The Sebel & Citigate, King George Square, Brisbane, QLD

All attendees are invited to participate in the ASAPS Essay Competition. The writer of the best essay will receive \$3,000 in prize money which can be used to attend a training or conference event. This competition is not compulsory for trainees.

## American In-Service Examination

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**DATE:** Friday, 2 March 2012  
**TIME:** 0730 – 1400 hours  
**VENUE:** Training Choice Brisbane, 88 Creek Street, Brisbane, QLD

The American Society of Plastic Surgeons is offering this valuable online examination to plastic and reconstructive surgery trainees. This exam is mandatory for SET 3 – 5 Trainees and is on offer to International Medical Graduates. The cost of sitting the American In-Service Exam is covered by the registration fee and by contributions made by sponsors.

Updated yearly, the In-Service Examination provides the most up-to-date information on the American core curriculum of plastic surgery. The exam offers trainees the opportunity to challenge themselves and assess their knowledge of the entire scope of plastic surgery. Relevant questions in basic science will be included in each of the four categories.

Equal emphasis is placed on:

- Comprehensive
- Cosmetic/Breast
- Cranio/Maxillofacial
- Hand/Extremities

## Practice Examination

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**DATE:** Saturday, 3 March 2012  
**TIME:** 0830 – 1600 hours  
**VENUE:** Bourke Street Campus, Outpatient Department, Princess Alexandra Hospital,  
Cornwall Street, Woolloongabba, QLD

The SET 5 training experience will be held at Bourke Street Campus, Outpatient Department, Princess Alexandra Hospital. Attendance is mandatory for all trainees who will be taking the fellowship exam in 2012. SET 4 trainees wishing to observe should register their interest early by ticking the appropriate box on the registration form. Observation spaces are strictly limited.

# General Information

## Registration Desk

The registration desk will be located in the Medical Engineering Research Facility, School of Engineering Systems, Queensland University of Technology:

- **Sunday, 26 February 2012**  
0700 – 1600 hours

All attendees must register on Sunday, 26 February 2012.

A registration desk will be set up outside the exhibition and catering area at The Sebel & Citigate King George Square and will be open at the following times to assist attendees:

- **Monday, 27 February 2012**  
0700 – 1800 hours
- **Tuesday, 28 February 2012**  
0700 – 1700 hours
- **Wednesday, 29 February 2012**  
0700 – 1700 hours
- **Thursday, 1 March 2012**  
0700 – 1800 hours

Staff at the registration desk will be happy to help with any queries.

## Air Travel

Please visit the following websites for airfares to Brisbane:

- [www.jetstar.com](http://www.jetstar.com)
- [www.qantas.com.au](http://www.qantas.com.au)
- [www.virginaustralia.com](http://www.virginaustralia.com)
- [www.rex.com.au](http://www.rex.com.au)

## Name Badges

All delegates will be issued a name badge at registration. This badge will be the official pass to sessions, refreshment teas and lunches. It is requested that all delegates wear their name badges at all times whilst on-site.

## Messages

A message board will be located next to the registration desk throughout the conference.

## Credit Cards

Credit cards accepted at the registration desk are MasterCard, Visa and American Express. Please note that Diners cards are not accepted. The majority of hotels, restaurants and shops in the vicinity of the conference venue will accept all major credit cards.

## Insurance

Registration fees do not include insurance of any kind. It is strongly recommended that at the time you register for the conference and book your travel, you take out an insurance policy of your choice. The 2012 Registrars' Conference Secretariat cannot take any responsibility for any participant failing to arrange their own insurance. This insurance is to be purchased in your country of origin.

## Disclaimer of Liability

The Organising Committee, including the 2012 Registrars Conference Secretariat, will not accept liability for damages of any nature sustained by participants or loss of or damage to their personal property as a result of the conference or related events.

## Trade Exhibition

A trade exhibition will be held in the Lincoln & Roosevelt Rooms at The Sebel & Citigate King George Square, Brisbane. Morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea refreshments be served in this area to enable you to visit all exhibitors whose support to the conference is much appreciated.

## Accommodation



Accommodation has been reserved at The Citigate Tower (The Sebel & Citigate King George Square) for 2012 Registrars' Conference delegates. To obtain these rates your booking must be made through the 2012 Registrars' Conference Secretariat.

### The Sebel & Citigate King George Square



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Single/Double/Twin room: \$195.00 per room per night



#### PLEASE NOTE:

- Rooms are booked on an availability basis
- Only bookings through the 2012 Registrars' Conference Secretariat will obtain these rates
- These bookings are room only and do not include breakfast
- To secure your accommodation booking, credit card details must be supplied
- The balance of your account (for all room costs and incidentals) must be paid directly to the hotel on your departure
- Late arrivals : if you plan to arrive after 1800 hours, please advise the 2012 Registrars' Conference Secretariat to ensure the room is held for you and not released
- Any alterations and cancellations to accommodation bookings must be made in writing to the 2012 Registrars' Conference Secretariat
- Any accommodation cancelled within 30 days of arrival will incur a 100% cancellation fee. Rooms cancelled 120 – 30 days prior to the conference will be subject to a cancellation fee equal to one night's accommodation.

# Registration Information

## Fees

Registration fees are in Australian Dollars and are GST inclusive.

### PRS SURGICAL TRAINEE \$850.00

Registrations will be acknowledged via email with confirmation of your requirements according to your registration form, together with a tax invoice receipt. Accommodation bookings will only be confirmed when payment or credit card details are received.

## Method of Payment

- Payment of fees must accompany all registration forms.
- All cheques, international bank drafts, money orders must be made payable to **“Australian Society of Plastic Surgeons”**. Bank cheques and drafts must be drawn on any major branch of an Australian Bank in Australian dollars.
- If payment is made by EFT, a remittance advice needs to be sent to the 2012 Registrars’ Conference Secretariat.
- Credit cards accepted are MasterCard, Visa and American Express (please note that Diners card is not accepted).

## Cancellation Policy

Any cancellations or alterations should be put in writing to the 2012 Registrars’ Conference Secretariat.

If the cancellation is received in writing:

- **Before or on 23 January 2012:** 100% of monies paid will be refunded
- **Before 23 January to 6 February 2012:** 50% cancellation fee will apply
- **From 6 February 2012:** No refund of monies paid

Any accommodation cancelled within 30 days of arrival will incur a 100% cancellation fee. Rooms cancelled 120 – 30 days prior to the conference will be subject to a cancellation fee equal to one night’s accommodation.

# Registration Form

ABN: 78 823 025 148

All amounts shown are GST inclusive

Please complete and return to:

2012 Registrars' Conference Secretariat

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Email: 2012registrars@conferenceaction.com.au



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## SECTION A: Participant Details

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Suburb: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

(required for your emailed confirmation details)

Dietary Requirements: \_\_\_\_\_

(this is not dietary preferences but actual requirements such as vegetarian, gluten free, lactose intolerant, etc)

## SECTION B: Registration

PRS Surgical Trainee

\$850.00 (including GST)

## SECTION C: Examinations/Courses

Please indicate your attendance at the below by ticking (✓) the corresponding box:

I would like to attend the Medartis Cadaveric Hand Fixation Course

\$150.00

I will attend the Johnson & Johnson Medical and the Australasian Foundation for Plastic Surgery Anatomy Workshop

Compulsory

Bongiorno Group Breakfast Workshop: Planning Now for the Future – Some Do's and Don'ts

Inclusive

I would like to participate in the ASPS Essay Competition

Inclusive

I am a SET 3 – 5 and will sit the American In-Service Exam

Inclusive

I am a SET 5 and will sit the Practice Exam

Inclusive

I am a SET 4 and would like to observe the Practice Exam

Inclusive

## SECTION D: Conference Dinner

I would like to attend the Conference Dinner  Inclusive  
I would like to purchase a guest ticket/s to the Conference Dinner \_\_\_\_\_ x \$105 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## SECTION E: Accommodation

### THE SEBEL & CITIGATE KING GEORGE SQUARE, BRISBANE

Citigate Tower – Standard Room \$195.00 per room per night

Room type: Please tick (✓)  Single  Double  Twin

Arrival Date: \_\_\_\_\_ / February / 2012 Departure Date: \_\_\_\_\_ / March / 2012 Total no of nights: \_\_\_\_\_

Sharing with: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Requirements (smoking, non-smoking etc): \_\_\_\_\_

*Credit card details need to be provided below to secure your booking, these details will be passed on to the hotel. Accommodation charges will NOT be processed by The Australian Society of Plastic Surgeons.*

## SECTION F: Total Payment

PAYMENT SECTION B	Registration Fees	\$ _____
PAYMENT SECTION C	Examinations/Courses	\$ _____
PAYMENT SECTION D	Conference Dinner	\$ _____
	<b>TOTAL PAYMENT DUE</b>	<b>\$ _____</b>

## SECTION G: Payment Options

### PAYMENT CREDIT CARD:

MasterCard  Visa  AMEX (note Diners is NOT accepted)

Cardholder Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry Date:   /

Card Number:

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### PAYMENT BY CHEQUE:

All cheques and bank drafts must be in Australian Dollars & drawn on an Australian Bank.  
Please make payable to **“Australian Society of Plastic Surgeons”**

**A TAX INVOICE RECEIPT WILL BE EMAILED TO YOU WHEN PAYMENT HAS BEEN PROCESSED.**