Research Showcase keynote speaker program

The 2019 Health Beyond Research and Innovation Showcase will be held on 5 and 6 June at The William Inglis – MGallery by Sofitel.

Keynote speaker program:

Wednesday 5 June

- 9am: Professor Iain McGregor, University of Sydney - Medicinal cannabis in Australia: current status and future potential
- 9.30am: Professor Paul Glare, University of Sydney - Psychosocial dimensions of pain in cancer survivors
- 10.30am: Professor Meera Agar, South Western Sydney Local Health District and University of Technology - 'I wish I could eat'. Cannabinoid trials in palliative care.
- 10.45am: Panel discussion - Cannabis and pain management.

Thursday 6 June

- 8.50am: Lucy Brogden, Chair, National Mental Health Commission – A polis: co-design, creativity and co-operation to ensure the wellbeing of the people.
- 9.10am: Professor Evelyne De Leeuw, Professor of Population Health and Director of Centre for Health Equity Training, Research and Evaluation – Building healthy airports of the future.
- 9.55am: Professor Donald McNeill, Western Sydney University - Health innovation precincts: publics, technologies and cities.
- 10.10am: Jana Pittman, Olympian and final year medical student at Western Sydney University - Health, sports and the environment.

In addition, Dr Alice Motion, chemist and science communicator at the University of Sydney, will discuss ‘Breaking good: making medicines with young people’ in her address to high school students at 1pm. Following Dr Motion’s address, high school students will present the findings of their research projects at 1.15pm.