

TechNet 2007 National Conference Program

Day 1 - Wednesday 4 July 2007

Time	Location	Event
11.00am	Activities Centre (G07)	Open Day 1
11.00am – 5.30pm	Activities Centre (G07)	Early Conference Registration
1.30pm – 5.30pm	Clinical Sciences 2 (G16)	Parklands and Centre for Medicine and Oral Health Campus Site Tours
12.15pm- 1.15pm	Lecture Theatre 3 (G17)	TechNet Australia Committee Meeting (Peter Kay)
6.00pm	Activities Centre (G07)	Delegate Welcome Function
8.00pm	Activities Centre (G07)	Close Day 1

Day 2 - Thursday 5 July, 2007

Time	Location	Event
8.00am	Activities Centre (G07)	Open Day 2
8.00am – 9.00am	Activities Centre (G07)	Registration & Refreshments
9.00am – 9.10am	Lecture Theatre 4 (G17)	Welcome – Mr John Urquhart, Director, Office of Technical Services, Griffith University
9.10am – 9.15am	Lecture Theatre 4 (G17)	Conference Opening – Professor Ian O'Connor, Vice Chancellor, Griffith University
9.15am – 9.20am	Lecture Theatre 4 (G17)	Conference Patron – Department of State Development, Queensland Government
9.20am – 10.00am	Lecture Theatre 4 (G17)	Plenary Address – Ms. Sharon Coates, Chief Executive Officer, Innovation Business Skills Australia, "Building Capability of our Technical Workforce: From the Technological Revolution to the Creative Economy"
10.00am – 10.10am	Lecture Theatre 4 (G17)	Overview of Day 2 Morning Proceedings – Ms Jane Zamattia, Event Co-ordinator, TechNet 2007
10.10am – 10.20am	Lecture Theatre 4 (G17)	Exhibitor Showcase – Edwards Instrument Co, Rapid Concepts, Millipore, MEP Instruments, Crown Scientific, iit Solutions, K.I. Scientific, Bonnet Equipment Pty. Ltd., United Biosciences, Envirochem Technologies, Roland, Laerdal, Scientrific, Limbs & Things
10.20am – 10.45am	Activities Centre (G07)	Morning Tea & Opportunity to View TechNet 2007 Trade Displays & Poster Displays

Concurrent Oral Session 1

	Stream 1: Technology & Innovation Room: Lecture Theatre 1 (G03)	Stream 1: Technology & Innovation Room: Lecture Theatre 2 (G03)	Stream 3: Workplace Occupational Health & Safety Room: Lecture Theatre 4 (G17)	Stream 4: Organisational Sustainability Room: Lecture Theatre 3 (G17)
10.50am – 11.30am	Title: Phylotrax – The Complete Animal Management Solution Presenter: Colin Sakinofsky (S2F) & Lance Sparrow (Biogenix Ventures)	Title: Evolution to Revolution: Manufacturing for the 21st Century Presenter: Jon James (QUT)	Title: Engaging Academic Staff in Occupational Health and Safety Initiatives: A Newer, Better and Smarter Approach Presenter: Kellie Ridges (UoW)	Title: Thrown in at the Deep End – Establishing and Running a Medicine & Oral Health Store Presenter: Nikki Carr (Griffith)

Concurrent Oral Session 2

	Stream 1: Technology & Innovation Room: Lecture Theatre 1 (G03)	Stream 1: Technology & Innovation Room: Lecture Theatre 2 (G03)	Stream 3: Workplace Occupational Health & Safety Room: Lecture Theatre 4 (G17)	Stream 4: Organisational Sustainability Room: Lecture Theatre 3 (G17)
11.40am – 12.20pm	Title: Nurturing an Artificial Heart Pump Presenter: Mark Hayne (QUT)	Title: The Particular Perils and Positives of Prototyping Presenters: Daniel Della-Bosca & Rudi Van Staden (Griffith)	Title: Three Perspectives in OHS Training Presenter: Sandra Chapman, Linda Deitch & Joanne George (UoW)	Title: University Technical Staff "A Free Good or Fee For Service" Presenter: John Urquhart (Griffith)

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Day 2 - Thursday 5 July, 2007 (continued)

Time	Location	Event
12.30pm – 1.25pm	Activities Centre (G07)	Lunch & Opportunity to View TechNet 2007 Trade Displays & Poster Displays
1.30pm – 2.15pm	Lecture Theatre 4 (G17)	Keynote Address – Professor Richard Taylor, Professor of Physics, University of Canterbury, Address Title: "Nature's Fractal Patterns: an Inter-disciplinary Approach to Reducing People's Stress"
2.15pm – 2.25pm	Lecture Theatre 4 (G17)	Overview of Day 2 Afternoon Proceedings – Ms. Jane Zamattia, Event Co-ordinator, TechNet 2007
2.25pm – 2.55pm	Activities Centre (G07)	Afternoon Tea & Opportunity to View TechNet 2007 Trade Displays & Poster Displays

Concurrent Oral Session 3

	Stream 1: Technology & Innovation Room: Lecture Theatre 1 (G03)	Stream 1: Technology & Innovation Room: Lecture Theatre 2 (G03)	Stream 2: Workforce Room: Lecture Theatre 4 (G17)	Stream 3: Workplace Occupational Health & Safety Room: Lecture Theatre 3 (G17)
3.00pm – 3.40pm	Title: Designers and Operators Post Occupancy Review of a Transgenic Rodent Facility Presenter: Colin Sakinofsky (S2F)	Title: Re-Design of the Exeter V40 Long Stem Femoral Component for Ease of Removal Presenter: Greg Tevelen (QUT)	Title: A Staff Recognition Award Scheme Presenter: Michael Marsh (Griffith)	Title: Technical Staff Involvement with the Institutional Biosafety Committee (Supporting the Genetic Bugs) Presenter: Lynette Wilde (Griffith)

Concurrent Oral Session 4

	Stream 2: Workforce Title: Faculty of Science at the University of Technology Sydney - Restructure Room: Lecture Theatre 1 (G03)	Stream 1: Technology & Innovation Room: Lecture Theatre 2 (G03)	Stream 3: Workplace Occupational Health & Safety Room: Lecture Theatre 4 (G17)	Stream 4: Organisational Sustainability Room: Lecture Theatre 3 (G17)
3.50pm – 4.30pm	Presenter: Cameron Edinger-Reeve & James Phillips (UTS)	Title: Micro'be' Fermented Fashion: From Water into Wine into Dresses? Presenters: Gary Cass (UWA)	Title: Biosafety, Biosecurity and Biotechnology Presenter: Angela Binns (Flinders)	Title: Technicians, The University's Research Advantage Presenter: Ian Linke (UOA)

Time	Location	Event
4.45pm	Activities Centre (G07)	Delegate Transport (Bus Connection to Accommodation in Preparation for the Conference Gala Dinner)
6.00pm	Designated Pick Up Locations	Delegate Transport from Accommodation to Conference Gala Dinner
6.30pm – 12.00am	GCCEC	Conference Gala Dinner, Gold Coast Convention & Exhibition Centre, Cnr Gold Coast Highway & TE Peters Drive, Broadbeach (Foyer F, Banquet Rooms 5,6,7 & 8)
12.00am	GCCEC	Delegate Transport to Designated Accommodation. Gold Coast Convention & Exhibition Centre, Cnr Gold Coast Highway & TE Peters Drive, Broadbeach
12.00am		Close Day 2

Day 3 - Friday 6 July, 2007

Time	Location	Event
8.15am	Activities Centre (G07)	Open Day 3
8.15am – 8.45am	Activities Centre (G07)	Refreshments
9.00am – 9.50am	Clinical Science 2 (G16) Room 1.07	Plenary Address – Dr. Karl Kruszelnicki, "Great Moments In Science and Sustainability@"
9.50am – 10.00am	Clinical Science 2 (G16) Room 1.07	Overview of Day 2 Morning Proceedings – Ms. Jane Zamattia, Event Co-ordinator, TechNet 2007
10.05am – 10.30am	Activities Centre (G07)	Morning Tea & Opportunity to View TechNet 2007 Trade Displays & Poster Displays

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Day 3 - Friday 6 July, 2007 (continued)

	Concurrent Oral Session 5			Special Interest Workshop	
	Stream 1: Technology & Innovation Room: Lecture Theatre 3 (G17)	Stream 1: Technology & Innovation Room: Lecture Theatre 2 (G03)	Stream 3: Workplace Occupational Health & Safety Room: Lecture Theatre 1 (G03)	Stream 4: Organisational Sustainability Room: Lecture Theatre 4 (G17)	Workshop: Part 1 - Queensland Nursing Laboratory Group (QNLG) Room: Clinical Science 2 (G16), 4.09
10.35am – 11.20am	Title: Designing Outside the Square Presenter: Brad Pullen (UoA)	Title: Electronic Laboratory Notebooks: The Pleasure and the Pain Presenter: Greg Young (UQ)	Title: Electrical Safety in the Research Environment Presenter: Lincoln Hudson (QUT)	Title: The BIO21 Institute - A Different Mindset Presenter: Jean-Pierre Gorry (UoM)	Title: Looking Forward – Developing a Nationwide Clinical Skills Technical Support Group Presenters: Queensland Nursing Laboratory Group (QNLG)

	Oral Session	Special Interest Workshops		
	Stream 1: Technology & Innovation Room: Lecture Theatre 1 (G03)	Workshop: Communication and Equality in a Globalized Lab - Sharing Strategies to Make it Work.....for Everyone Room: Business 2 (G27), 1.12 – 1.13	Workshop: Who's Responsible for Health and Safety – A Workshop Room: Lecture Theatre 2 (G03)	Workshop: Part 2 - Clinical Innovations Room: Clinical Science 2 (G16), 2.32
11.30am – 12.30pm	Title: From MICKEY MOUSE to KING KONG: The Ever Increasing Role of Motion Capture in the Entertainment Industry Presenter: Kendra Fairbairn (Griffith)	Presenter: Barbara Kupke (Flinders)	Presenters: Tony Woods & Michael Marsh (Griffith)	Presenters: Queensland Nursing Laboratory Group (QNLG)

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12.40pm- 1.40pm	Activities Centre (G07)	Lunch & Opportunity to View TechNet 2007 Trade Displays & Poster Displays
1.45pm – 2.30pm	Lecture Theatre 4 (G17)	Wrap up of Workshop Presentations & Poster Prize Announced (Jane Zamattia)
2.30pm – 2.45pm	Lecture Theatre 4 (G17)	TechNet Australia Synopsis (Peter Kay)
2.50pm – 3.15pm	Lecture Theatre 4 (G17)	Handover to Host of 2008 TechNet Conference – University of Wollongong (Sandra Chapman)
3.20pm – 3.50pm	Lecture Theatre 4 (G17)	Closing Remarks including Invitation to the Closing Function
3.50pm – 5.00pm	Uni Bar (G07)	Closing Function
5.00pm	Uni Bar (G07)	Delegate Transport (Bus Connection to Accommodation), Close Day 3

Poster Presentations (Posters can be viewed from Day 2 in the Activities Centre (G07))					
Title: Online HPLC Induction Presenter: Martina Mangan (JCU)	Title: Multidisciplinary Laboratories – Multi-skilled People Presenter: Tarita Morais & Peter Hosking (Griffith)	Title: Developing Anatomy Facilities at Griffith University – “The Anatomy Journey” Presenter: Gino Cepon (Griffith)	Title: School of Environmental Sciences Risk Assessment Software Presenter: David Valentine (CSU)	Title: Resource Problem Based Learning - School of Agricultural and Veterinary Sciences Presenter: Natalie Allison (CSU)	Title: Snake Embryo Extraction Presenter: Andrew Beck (UoSA)
Title: The Advantages to Computer Networking Using Virtual Machines Presenter: Tony Schueller (UoA)	Title: 2008 TechNet Conference Presenter: Sandra Chapman (UoW)	Title: Environmental Enrichment – Let Your Imagination Run Wild Presenter: Simone Chmielewski & Anna Orthmann (Griffith)	Title: Plastic Fatigue Presenter: Karen Teague (UoSA)	Title: Marvellous Metals Presenter: Linda Xiao (UTS)	Title: Assessing the Risks in a Technologically Advanced Haematology Laboratory Presenter: Dawn Lonnie (RMIT)
Title: From the Workshop to the Shark Tank Presenter: Alban O'Brien (UA)	Title: Preparation of Animal Material for Dissection Classes Presenter: Joe Price (CSU)	Title: Medical Modelling: Prototyping the Future Presenter: Melissa Johnston (QUT)	Title: Wildlife Population Enclosure Presenter: Sonya Fardell (UQ)	Title: Changing Rooms “Wet Processing Studios to Hospital Wards” Presenters: Sharon Perrett & Susanne Byrnes (Griffith)	