

New Adventures

27 February 2026
ANZCA office, Hobart



Program

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
8.30–8.55am	Registration	
8.55–9am	Welcome	Co-conveners: Dr Jennifer Wright Dr Lisa Loubser
Session 1: Perioperative communication		
9–9.45am	“Therapeutic language”	Dr Chris Wilde, Consultant paediatric anaesthetist (RHH)
9.45–10.30am	Obstetrics communication	Speaker to be confirmed
10.30–10.45am	Morning tea	
Session 2: Exam preparation		
10.45–11.45am	Part 1 exam for pre-primary attendees	Dr Greg Bulman, Consultant anaesthetist (NWRH) and primary examiner
	Part 2 exam for post-primary attendees	Dr Vida Viliunas, Consultant anaesthetist (ACT), President of the ASA, and previous chair of the fellowship exam
11.45am–12pm	Panel with examiner and recent successful candidate/s	Part 1: candidate/s Part 2: candidate/s
12–12.15pm	Sponsor talk by Avant representative	
12.15–1.15pm	Lunch	
Session 3: Trauma/retrieval/overseas work		
1.15–1.55pm	Tasmanian Trauma Network/retrieval in Australia	Dr Rohan Lynham, Consultant anaesthetist and trauma specialist (RHH)
1.55–2.35pm	Trauma anaesthesia in South Africa	Dr Natalie Botha, Consultant anaesthetist and director of surgery (NWRH)
2.35–3.15pm	Aid work in Ukraine	Dr Rowena Grice, Consultant anaesthetist (RHH)
3.15–3.30pm	Afternoon tea	

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Session 4		
3.15-4pm	Decision-making in paediatric airway management	Dr Aylin Seven, Consultant anaesthetist and airway co-lead (Royal Children's Hospital, Vic) (TBC)
4-4.45pm	Opportunities outside of the OT/rural anaesthesia	Associate Professor Deborah Wilson, Consultant anaesthetist (NWRH) and ANZCA Treasurer
4.45-5pm	Meeting close and evaluation	
5-7.30pm	Evening social event	