

ERA 2006 CONFERENCE - November 21st 2006

7.45 – 8.45	Registration in main foyer				
8.45 – 9.10	<p>Welcome to Land from Allen Madden, representing the Metropolitan Local Aboriginal Land Council</p> <p>Welcome from Professor Carol Amour, Pro-Vice Chancellor (Research), University of Sydney</p> <p>Welcome from Lee Chin, Post Graduate Student, University of Sydney</p> <p>Address from Representative of Australian Government Department of Health and Ageing</p>				
9.10 – 9.40	<p>Keynote Address: The importance of research to inform knowledge, policy and education, and the role of emerging researchers <i>Professor Victor Minichiello</i></p>				
	Room 110A	Room 110B	Room G04	Room G05	Room G07
	<p>Session A: FALLS PREVENTION & MANAGEMENT</p> <p>Chair:</p>	<p>Session B: RESIDENTIAL CARE 1</p> <p>Chair:</p>	<p>Session C: LEARNING IN LATER LIFE</p> <p>Chair:</p>	<p>Session D: PROFESSIONAL & ORGANISATIONAL DEVELOPMENT</p> <p>Chair:</p>	<p>Session E: RISK ASSESSMENT & MANAGEMENT</p> <p>Chair:</p>
9.45	<p>The development of a validated falls risk screening assessment for use in clinical practice. <i>Anne Tiedemann</i> <i>University of New South Wales</i></p>	<p>Prevalence and course of depression in cognitively intact and cognitively impaired nursing home residents. <i>Kate McSweeney</i> <i>Monash University</i></p>	<p>The role of computers in community health: linking tuition with students' states of health. <i>Michael Nycyk</i> <i>University of Queensland</i></p>	<p>An action research approach to identifying change and partnership opportunities in a community based aged care organisation. <i>Ross Clifton</i> <i>University of Western Sydney</i></p>	<p>Medication safety management for older people across the continuum of care through the use of participatory action research within the context of Complex Adaptive System. <i>Anita Ko</i> <i>University of Sydney</i></p>
10.00	<p>How older people perceive their risk of falling compared to others: a qualitative study. <i>Joanne Dollard</i> <i>University of Adelaide</i></p>	<p>Nursing home placement in Taiwan: the decision-making process for the family care giver. <i>Szu-Yao Wang</i> <i>University of Queensland</i></p>	<p>Senior Australians at university: voices in the wilderness? <i>James Cook</i> <i>Australian Catholic University</i></p>	<p>Predictors of motivation to work with older clients amongst Australian psychologists. <i>Deborah-Anne Koder</i> <i>James Cook University</i></p>	<p>"I'm a good driver": The importance of insight for safe driving performance. <i>Lynette Kay</i> <i>University of Sydney</i></p>

10.15	A profile of fallers, falls and falls related fractures in residential aged care. <i>Anna Barker</i> <i>University of Queensland</i>	Everyday Worlds of Elderly rest home residents in New Zealand: a multi-method study. <i>Liz Kiata</i> <i>University of Auckland</i>	The Internet, social life and well-being. <i>Shima Sum</i> <i>University of Sydney</i>	Indigenous research partnerships. <i>Wendy Hampshire</i> <i>Southern Cross University</i>	Strategies to minimise adverse events during transfer in elderly patients. <i>Martha Mansah</i> <i>University of Western Sydney</i>
10.30	Estimation of slipping risk during level walking. <i>Tuire Karaharju-Huisman</i> <i>Victoria University</i>	Clinical indicators of quality for Australian residential aged care facilities: establishing reliability, validity and quality thresholds. <i>Maria O'Reilly</i> <i>Queensland University of Technology</i>	The lived experience of later life computer learners. <i>Helen Russell</i> <i>Charles Sturt University</i>	Developing a Leadership Capability Framework for non-profit organisations providing aged care services. <i>Jacqueline Kelly</i> <i>Southern Cross University</i>	
10.45–11.10	Morning Tea Poster presentations on display in the foyer – see below for details				
	Room 110A	Room 110B	Room G04	Room G05	Room G07
	Session F: OLDER PERSONS' EXPERIENCES Chair:	Session G: SOCIAL POLICY Chair:	Session H: RETIREMENT Chair:	Session I: HEALTH ASPECTS 1 Chair:	Session J: RESIDENTIAL CARE 2 Chair:
11.15	Linking stories and meaning in conversation: a study about depression in elderly nursing home residents using the Geriatric Depression Scale (GDS-FM). <i>Taylor Dong</i> <i>University of Sydney</i>	Governance in the grey area: engaging Australia's seniors in local policy processes. <i>Andrea Petriwskyj</i> <i>University of Queensland</i>	Tourism experiences and life satisfaction: life sphere post retirement. <i>Christina Hagger</i> <i>University of South Australia</i>	The trajectory of decline – a report of the literature. <i>Suanne J Lawrence</i> <i>University of Tasmania</i>	Professionalism in palliative care: an exploratory investigation of nursing practice in residential aged care facilities. <i>Jung-Ying Tan</i> <i>University of Sydney</i>
11.30	Happy Campers? The interface between older people and retirement village environments. <i>Zena O'Connor</i> <i>University of Sydney</i>	Positive ageing and preparation for later life in the Twenty First Century <i>Jennifer Buckley</i> <i>University of Adelaide</i>	Life after work: a qualitative exploration of the meaning of retirement in a regional Australian industrial community. <i>Ellinor-Maree Porter</i> <i>University of Sydney</i>	Mature osteoblasts shift early precursor cell lineage commitment from osteoblast to adipocyte in a glucocorticoid-dependent manner. <i>Wendy Mak</i> <i>University of Sydney</i>	Living in residential aged care with a lifelong disability. <i>Natalie Berg</i> <i>University of Sydney</i>

11.45	'It's never too late': the counseling experiences of ageing female sexual assault survivors. <i>Joyce Westerman</i> <i>University of Queensland</i>	A utilization study of post acute care services in a Singapore hospital. <i>Soon-Noi Goh</i> <i>University of Melbourne</i>	Taking the sea change: who makes the decision and why? <i>Felicity Barr</i> <i>University of Sydney</i>	Sleep quality-related self-categorisations in elderly women: a social comparison phenomenon. <i>Brooke Davis</i> <i>Victoria University</i>	Ethnography: a companion for nurses engendering care to residents in residential aged care facilities. <i>Sonia Allen</i> <i>Monash University</i>
12.00	The associations between grandmother role-identity and grandmother-grandchild involvement according to grandmothers' responsibility for raising their grandchildren. <i>Kerrie Haines</i> <i>Monash University</i>	The effects of increase to concession card income thresholds on health care consumption. <i>Peter Siminski</i> <i>University of New South Wales</i>	The Older People and Living Project (OPAL): a proactive look at the transition from work to retirement in Australia for a multicultural population. <i>Caroline Howe</i> <i>University of Sydney</i>	Physical and psychological variables vie for the upper hand in frail older adults. <i>Christina Bryant</i> <i>University of Melbourne</i>	Dying in a rural nursing home: an action research and reflection project to improve end of life care to people with a non- malignant disease. <i>Joanne Rowley</i> <i>Southern Cross University</i>
12.15	Storytelling about ageing and caring. <i>Sue Gillieatt</i> <i>Curtin University of Technology</i>	Integrated landscapes for healthy ageing in place: an Australian perspective <i>Helen Elizabeth Kendall</i> <i>University of New South Wales</i>	Early retirement of Australians: do they prefer to work or not? <i>Hazel Lim-Applegate</i> <i>University of Canberra</i>	Inspection time as a biological marker for functional age. <i>Tess Gregory</i> <i>University of Adelaide</i>	Supporting quality use of medication in residential aged care. <i>Susan Hunt</i> <i>La Trobe University</i>
12.30	Glimpses of becoming – Old. <i>Trish Carroll</i> <i>University of South Australia</i>		Baby boomers and retirement. <i>Myra Hamilton</i> <i>University of Sydney</i>	Calorie restriction prevents age-related changes in the liver sinusoidal endothelium. <i>Hamish Jamieson</i> <i>University of Sydney</i>	OPERA (Older people entering residential accommodation). <i>Diane Jorgensen</i> <i>University of Auckland</i>
12.45 – 1.25	LUNCH Poster presentations on display in the foyer – see below for details				
	Room 110A	Room 110B	Room G04	Room G05	Room G07
	Session K: BEING ACTIVE Chair:	Session L: DEMENTIA CARE Chair:	Session M: HEALTH ASPECTS 2 Chair:	Session N: GENDER – RELATED ISSUES Chair:	Session O: SOCIAL PARTICIPATION & SPIRITUALITY Chair:
1.30	Exercise and dietary behavior change in midlife and older women. <i>Rhonda Anderson</i> <i>Queensland University of Technology</i>	The view of nurses regarding pain assessment for older people with dementia. <i>Pamela Johnson</i> <i>La Trobe University</i>	Assessing risk factors for depression in Parkinson's disease. <i>Nadeeka N W Dissanayaka</i> <i>University of Queensland</i>	Ageing men, ageing masculinities: negotiating identities over the life course. <i>Tony Coles</i> <i>University of Tasmania</i>	Uncovering a non-religious language of spiritual care. <i>Anna Bloemhard</i> <i>Southern Cross University</i>

1.45	Body composition and bone mineral density changes in older adults following high-intensity resistance training. <i>Tim Henwood</i> <i>University of Queensland</i>	Spaced retrieval techniques improves prospective memory among healthy and possible early dementia adults. <i>Dr Sesil Ozgis</i> <i>Australian Catholic University</i>	Continuity of care provisions for older persons admitted to acute care with chronic lung disease: current constructions, understandings and concerns. <i>Helen Courtney-Pratt</i> <i>University of Tasmania</i>	We are aged, we are here, we are queer: older gay men and home care provision. <i>Charles Lo</i> <i>University of New South Wales</i>	Club-going as a strategy for managing change and maintaining social connectedness in later life: an ethnographic account of the day-to-day life of the older club-goer. <i>Virginia Simpson-Young</i> <i>University of Sydney</i>
2.00	Active leisure lifestyles as a factor in mental health and well-being of older individuals. <i>Elisabeth Lord</i> <i>University of Queensland</i>	Improving the psychological well-being of professional dementia carers: a mindful approach. <i>Julie Borninkhof</i> <i>Murdoch University</i>	An integrated approach to healthy ageing. <i>Sandra Grace</i> <i>University of Sydney</i>	When I grow up I want to be an old woman. <i>Lesley Pope</i> <i>Southern Cross University</i>	The lived experience of older adults participating in a social support network group. <i>Regina McDonald</i> <i>Australian Catholic University</i>
2.15	Improving treatment effectiveness of shoulder disorders in the ageing community. <i>Ross Yiasemides</i> <i>University of Sydney</i>	Conditional comfort: nursing approaches to pain management in residents with dementia in long term care. <i>Anne Pitcher</i> <i>La Trobe University</i>	Establishing pre-clinical symptoms of Parkinson's disease. <i>Stephen Roman Duma</i> <i>University of New South Wales</i>	Men in retirement: community engagement and identity. <i>Anthony Brown</i> <i>University of Western Sydney</i>	Landscapes of rural ageing: the methodological challenges in exploring social networks. <i>Helen Feist</i> <i>University of Adelaide</i>
2.30	Barriers specific exercise self-efficacy in postmenopausal women resident in the tropics. <i>Fiona Barnett</i> <i>James Cook University</i>	Developing nursing practice around a palliative approach for people with dementia in a residential special care unit. <i>Sharon Andrews-Hall</i> <i>University of Tasmania</i>	Bone resorption due to secondary hyperparathyroidism promotes tumor establishment and growth in a murine model of breast cancer bone metastasis. <i>Yu Zheng</i> <i>University of Sydney</i>	Voices of Australian baby boom career women: preliminary findings from focus groups. <i>Lyn Courtney</i> <i>James Cook University</i>	Mature age workers: the role of social capital in effective management strategy. <i>Mark Keogh</i> <i>Queensland University of Technology</i>
2.45 – 3.10	Afternoon Tea and Poster presentations on display in the foyer – see below for details				
3.15	Keynote Address: Capacity building in ageing: pathways and prospects for emerging researchers <i>Professor Helen Bartlett</i>				
3.45	Panel discussion and questions from the floor Panel: <i>Prof Helen Bartlett, Prof Victor Minichiello, Prof Hal Kendig, Prof Tony Broe, Prof David LeCouteur, Mr Kevin Vassarotti</i>				
4.15	Awarding of Prizes and Closing Addresses				
5.00 – 6.00	DRINKS				

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<p>Acculturation aged care survey in Iranian elderly community <i>Mahtab Alizadeh Khoei</i> <i>University of Sydney</i></p>	<p>Implications of the 2007 Superannuation Reform: A Life-Cycle Model Evaluation <i>George Kudrna</i> <i>The University of Sydney</i></p>	<p>Of brides and grandmothers: the case for gender and ageing of Filipino migrants in Australia <i>Mila Abenoja Cichello</i> <i>RMIT University</i></p>	<p>Physiological changes of astrocytes in the ageing central nervous system <i>Hussein Mansour</i> <i>University of Sydney</i></p>
<p>Effects of footwear characteristics on standing balance in older people <i>Jasmine C. Menant</i> <i>University of New South Wales</i></p>	<p>Representations and use of social support across the lifespan <i>Nikos Thomacos</i> <i>University of Melbourne</i></p>	<p>Apolipoprotein E distribution in HepG2 cells under oxidative stress <i>Tharani Sabaretnam</i> <i>University of Sydney</i></p>	<p>The role of formal and informal support in the maintenance of physical and psychological health in later life <i>Natalie Chan</i> <i>Australian National University</i></p>