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Friends4Fiji

2016 Pacific Health Education Night

The F4F Education Night has a broad focus on health in the Pacific region, aiming to educate medical students about the different burdens of disease and healthcare models in Australia, Fiji and other nations. The Night presents a unique opportunity to hear from globally renowned Australian doctors, including Prof Paul Zimmet, Prof Andrew Steer, Dr Margot Whitfeld and Prof Robert Moulds. The topics discussed will cover Non-Communicable Diseases, Infectious Diseases and research/exchange opportunities for medical students in the Pacific region.

Time: 21st March 2016

Venue: Central 1 Lecture Theatre Monash University Clayton

Schedule and Presentations

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| 5:45 P.M. | Fijian Dinner |
| 6:30 P.M. | Welcome to the Night |
| 6:35 P.M. | <u>'The Diabetes Epidemic from the Pacific to the Indian Ocean'</u>
presented by <i>Professor Paul Zimmet</i> , Monash Dept of Medicine & formerly Director Emeritus, BakerIDI & Honorary President, International Diabetes Federation |
| 7:05 P.M. | <u>'Exchange Opportunities: Sai Camp, Anatomy Tour and Coral Coast Rehabilitation'</u>
presented by <i>Aidan Kashyap</i> , Chair of Friends4Fiji, and <i>Shane McSweeney</i> , Occupational Therapist and President of Coral Coast Rehabilitation in Fiji |
| 7:15 P.M. | <u>'RHD Public Health Program and Control of Endemic Scabies in Fiji'</u>
presented by <i>Professor Andrew Steer</i> , Principal Research Fellow for University of Melbourne Centre of International Child Health |
| 7:45 P.M. | <u>'First Fiji Albinism Awareness Symposium'</u>
presented by <i>Dr Margot Whitfeld</i> , Consultant Dermatologist, Director, Dermatology Department, St Vincent's Hospital and Senior UNSW Lecturer |
| 8:05 P.M. | <u>'Research Opportunities across the Pacific & LEARN, a research skills learning initiative'</u>
presented by <i>Dr Margot Whitfeld</i> , <i>Professor Andrew Steer</i> and <i>Aidan Kashyap</i> |
| 8:15 P.M. | <u>'Friends4Fiji's collaboration with Health Education Australia Limited (HEAL)'</u>
presented by <i>Professor Robert Moulds</i> , the former Professor of Medicine of Fiji National University and author of Australian Therapeutic Guidelines |
| 8:20 P.M. | Thank you |