

AuSFO Symposium Oct 23-26, 2019 - Identification in the 21st Century

Wednesday 23 October 2019 - Optional Day Trip

AFTER-Australian Facility for Taphonomic Experimental Research, Yarramundi, NSW, Australia

This day trip will be limited to 25 (+Selina) people

This trip must be pre booked-See registration form

0930 | Departure from Royal Automobile Club of Australia-89 Macquarie St Sydney 2000

1100 | Guided Tour of AFTER facility

1230 | **Lunch**

1445 | Return travel to Sydney

1615 | **Approximate Arrival back in Sydney**

1800 | AuSFO 2019 Symposium - Welcome Cocktail Evening

VENUE: NSW Art Gallery, Sydney

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Thursday 24 October 2019 : Technology update - Where are we now?

0800	Registration Tea/Coffee
0830	Official Welcome: AuSFO President Professor Jane Taylor OAM
0845	Official Symposium Opening
0900	In Memoriam
0915	Keynote Speaker: Mr Howard Way OBE, Coordinator - National Disaster Victim Identification Presentation: Introduction and Missing Persons Investigation
0945	Speaker: A/Prof. Sigrid Kvaal Presentation: Age assessments - methods and statistics
1015	Speaker: Dr. Lauren Stow Intraoral radiographic superimposition and decision making in dental identification
1030	Morning Tea
1050	Speaker: Chris O'Donnell Presentation: CT scanning as it applies to Identification with particular application to the whole process of identification
1130	Speaker: Dr. Lyndall Smythe Presentation: The Use of Post-Mortem Computed Tomography (PMCT) in Forensic Odontological Case Work
1145	Speaker: Professor David Ranson Presentation: Presenting Imaging in courts
1230	Lunch
1330	Speaker: Dr David White Presentation: Identifying with Images: Expertise in Facial Comparison or related
1430	Speaker: Associate Professor Jodie Ward Presentation: The use of DNA to predict externally visible characteristics including face shape
1500	Afternoon Tea
1520	Speaker: Lisa Ditlef-Nielsen Presentation: CT scans and the Odontologist in the identification of human remains
1540	Speaker: Dr Selina Leow Presentation: Use of CT in identification - An Australian Research study
1600	Speaker: Dr Harry Perkins Presentation: The Comparison Of Digital 3-Dimensional Dental Models For Identification Purposes
1620	Speaker: Dr Thomas Corfield Presentation: Evaluating the Radiographic appearance of the Maxillary sinus floor to assist in Forensic Identification
1640	Speaker: Dr. Mari Metsäniitty Presentation: Comparison of permanent tooth development in Finnish and Somali children and subadults
1700	Finish
1900	Networking Dinner Venue: Altum Restaurant, Luna Park, North Sydney

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Friday 25 October 2019 : Police and Forensics working together

0830	Registration Tea/Coffee
0900	Speaker: Mr Howard Way OBE Presentation: Scene Investigation
0930	Speaker: Disaster Media Team Presentation: Problems in Management of DVI
1015	Morning Tea
1035	Speaker: Dr Jodie Leditschke Presentation: Problems in Management of Disaster Victim Identification
1115	Speaker: Dr. Catherine Sims Presentation: Dental Identification by Pattern Matching – Variation and Reliability of Techniques
1130	Speaker: Dr. Denice Higgins Presentation: The use of interjurisdictional collaborative trials as a tool for forensic odontology
1145	Speaker: Senior Sergeant Richard Callaghan Presentation: Policing and DVI
1230	Lunch
1330	Speaker: Ben Lamont, Acting DVI Director, AFP Presentation: Shortfalls in MH17
1415	Workshop 1: Police and FOs working as a team OR Workshop 2: Understanding the BIG picture - Police and Forensics working better OR Workshop 3: Tooth and Root Identification workshop
1530	Afternoon Tea
1600	Workshop 1 continued Workshop 2 Continued Workshop 3 Continued
1700	Finish
1730	AuSFO Annual General Meeting ISC Room, RACA

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Saturday 26, October 2019 : Humanitarian involvement - Today and beyond

0830	Registration Tea/Coffee
0900	Speaker: Mr Howard Way OBE, Coordinator - National Disaster Victim Identification Unit Presentation: Mortuary & Reconciliation Investigation
1100	Morning Tea
1115	Speaker: Professor Stephen Cordner AM Presentation: Some reflections on human identification, including in large scale fatalities
1145	Speaker: Professor Jane Taylor OAM Presentation: ICRC
1215	Speaker: Dr Sakher AlQahtani Presentation:
1245	Lunch
1345	Workshop: Howard Way OBE Workshop 4: Reconciliation isn't always straightforward! Challenging cases
1515	Afternoon Tea
1530	Workshop: Howard Way OBE - cont
1630	Closing Ceremony/Poster and Oral presentation awards
1700	Finish
1900	VENUE: The STUDIO Restaurant, Sydney Tower Dinner Speaker: Musings of a Grave Digger