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35th CONGRESS OF THE
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Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre

October 15-18, 2015

Featuring the
SIU-ICUD Joint Consultation
on Image-Guided Therapy in Urology
AND

The SIU Inaugural Nurses’ Education
Symposium: Sourcing Information Uniquely

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A scientific programme unlike any other

This year, Scientific Co-Chairs Inderbir S. Gill and Margit Fisch, along with their Programme Committee, have taken the development of the scientific agenda to new levels of excellence. The quality of the science is the SIU’s number one priority, and this year’s Congress will be no exception.

Sessions will feature the latest research and a wealth of practical tips and tricks that truly add value to your attendance. Plus, our condensed Thursday-to-Sunday programme allows you to maximize the education time away from practice.

The SIU continues to work toward providing the best educational opportunities to its members and urologists worldwide, perfecting and fine-tuning the science to bring you what you want and need to know: state-of-the-art learning, close interaction with KOLs, and numerous networking opportunities.

SIU Inaugural Nurses’ Education Symposium

This year, the SIU partners with ANZUNS to offer an afternoon symposium tailored especially to urological nurses.

- Urinary Catheter Management: A Global Perspective
- Castration-Resistant Metastatic Prostate Cancer: A Multi-Professional Approach
- Management of BCG Failure
- Teaching in Developing Countries/Career Opportunities
- Surgical Management of Female Urinary Incontinence
- The Future of Urological Nursing: The Need for a Common Framework—Time Is Running Out
- Nursing Solutions in Challenging Cases

SIU 2015 has submitted an application for CME accreditation from the UEMS-EACCME; response is pending.

BRINGING UROLOGISTS TOGETHER

The SIU congresses help forge strong links and create professional opportunities among members from its 100+ represented countries. As “the friendliest of all the urological societies”, the SIU’s inclusive international scope and ongoing commitment to effecting positive and sustainable change make SIU congresses a unique experience — accessible and welcoming to all.

Cutting-Edge Sponsored Symposia

SIU 2015 will feature sponsored sessions by Industry partners Friday through Sunday.

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The Science

What can you expect from this year’s programme?
A diversified and dynamic scientific agenda that tackles important topics in fresh and exciting formats.

**Parallel Plenaries** highlight the latest information on topics that matter to urologists from around the world.
- Diet and Metabolic Aspects
- ICUD: Image-Guided Therapy in Urology
- RIRS
- Urological Trauma: Guidelines Meet Reality
- Leadership and Mentoring Workshop
- Management of Multifocal, Recurrent, and Locally Advanced Kidney Cancers
- ESWL
- Practical Medical Oncology for Urologists
- LUTS/BPH and Sex

**Shifting Sands** address how important themes and topics in urology have changed and continue to evolve with ongoing surgical and medical research.
- Testosterone Deficiency and Sexual Health
- Salvage Surgery
- Infertility and Men’s Health
- Testicular Cancer
- Bladder Cancer
- Testosterone and Prostate Cancer
- Prostate Cancer

**Master Classes** are advanced sessions led by world experts, and give attendees a large amount of practical information in a condensed timeframe.
- Complex Penile and Urethral Reconstruction Surgery
- Management of the Azoospermic Male
- Troubleshooting in PCNL
- Prevention and Management of Complications in Laparoscopic/Robotic Surgery
- Management of Peyronie’s Disease
- Finding Prostate Cancer

**Global Perspectives** provide a thorough discussion of important issues and case presentations describing patient management in various regions of the world.
- Common Pediatric Urology Problems
- Management of Renal Mass
- Management of Female Urinary Incontinence
- Management of Bladder Cancer

**Debates** cover the latest controversies and ask provocative questions that will shape the future of urology.
- Testosterone and Cardiac Death: Fact or Fiction?
- Is Open Oncological Surgery in Urology Dead?
- Transurethral vs. Simple Prostatectomy in Large Glands

**Surgical Tips** arm attendees with valuable tips and tricks to improve surgical outcomes.
- Nuances of Radical Prostatectomy
- Transplant Surgery
- Urinary Diversion
- Troubleshooting in Laparoscopy
- PCNL

**Surgical Demonstrations** offer interactive learning experiences that are the next best thing to actually being in the operating room alongside an expert.
- Penile Cancer and Phalloplasty
- IVC Thrombectomy
- Radical Cystectomy for Cancer
- Urethral Stricture Surgery

For full programme details, visit the Congress section of our website.

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What makes an SIU Congress an event like no other?

• **Friendly atmosphere:** The SIU believes that each attendee can contribute the knowledge and experience needed to forge valuable links between urologists from developed and developing nations. Take the opportunity at lunch breaks in the Exhibit Hall—or wine and beer-tastings in the evenings—to forge new friendships, share research interests and create professional partnerships.

• **A scientific programme that brings you what you want and need to know:** Over 94% of attendees from SIU 2014 in Glasgow found the programme content relevant to their educational needs.

• **The opportunity to network with some of the biggest names in urology:** SIU is uniquely positioned to provide the highest-quality science in a format that allows for quality interaction among all attendees. The Congress is a forum for the free exchange of ideas and innovative thinking—driven by YOUR participation.

• **Education relevant to YOUR practice:** Over 88% of attendees from SIU 2014 agreed that the knowledge acquired would be immediately applicable in their practice environment.

• **A relaxed and fun social programme:** Where the SIU 2015 scientific programme is challenging and intensive, the social programme is laid-back and festive! From the Opening Ceremonies and Welcome Reception to the famed SIU Night, there are abundant opportunities to meet up with old friends and develop new contacts.

• **A programme that will inspire:** Over 78% of attendees from SIU 2014 indicated that they planned to gather additional information on the subjects featured in the programme.

So take this **unique opportunity** to **join us down under** and experience this one-of-a-kind event. After attending SIU, you have a friend for life.

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Penguins Parade to Phillip Island
Take a walk—or rather a waddle—on the wild side as you watch one of the largest penguin colonies in Australia returning home at sunset.

Yarra Valley Food and Wine Tours
Enjoy the best food and wine of the Yarra Valley on one of most scenic routes in Victoria. Choose a self-guided tour, a guided tour in a luxury automobile, or make the experience truly memorable by touring the region on a Harley, or up and away in a hot air balloon!

Queen Victoria Market
A major Melburnian landmark and the largest open-air market in the Southern Hemisphere.

Wild Melbourne
Melbourne Zoo: Enjoy up-close Wild Encounters tours or gaze at the new arrivals. At the SEA LIFE Melbourne Aquarium, discover life beneath the Southern Ocean, walk under tunnels filled with sharks and rays or ride a simulated underwater rollercoaster.

Melbourne Style
No matter where you go in this city, you will find well-equipped malls, arcades and laneways laden with fashion, homewares, local gemstones and souvenirs. Local design talents are fast becoming international favourites.

Taste Sensations
Melbourne is always preoccupied with its next meal! Make the most of this serious business and treat yourself to a huge array of food and drink, from the lowly to the sublime.

Gateway to the world-class Great Ocean Road coastline. Home of the Australian Open and the Presidents Cup golf event. A fashion, food and culture mecca. These are just a few of the many reasons why Melbourne was recently ranked the world’s most livable city by The Economist—and here are a few more why you and your family should join us here in October.

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Ready, Set, Melbourne!
Getting There: By Air, Sea or Land...
Served by 27 international carriers, Melbourne is easily accessible. The airport is approximately 22 kilometres from the city—less than a 30-minute drive.

Star Alliance has been appointed the Official Airline Network of SIU 2015. Save up to 20% on travel costs. For more information visit the Travel section of our website.

Entry Requirements
All visitors to Australia must have a valid visa. Visit www.immi.gov.au for more details on entry to Australia.

Be sure to have all of your travel documents ready in adequate time to travel, as refunds will not be given to participants unable to obtain the necessary paperwork for entry.

Getting Around: By Train, Bus or Tram!
Melbourne’s grid layout makes it an easy city to navigate, with most attractions within walking distance. Transport options in and around Melbourne include train, tram (absolutely free), bus or bike.

You can also take a water taxi to some of the city’s most popular attractions or take advantage of the visitor shuttle that operates daily and departs every 30 minutes from various destinations around the city.

On your mobile device (and there are several wifi hotspots around the city centre), go to m.visitvictoria.com for a mapped list of attractions, shops, food and wine options close to your current location while you’re out and about.

Where to Stay
The Crown Metropol Melbourne is the SIU 2015 headquarter hotel. Visit the Housing section of our website (www.siu-urology.org) for more information and a complete list of hotels.
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- Supporting SIU symposia and lectureships at annual national and international meetings
- Providing complimentary registration and housing at SIU Congresses for up to 10 young urologists from developing countries

PUBLICATIONS

- An annual online subscription to the World Journal of Urology, the official monthly journal of the SIU
- Access to ICUD (International Consultation on Urological Diseases) publications
- Our quarterly SIU Newsletter (included in the World Journal of Urology)