

# SIOG®

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ADVANCED  
COURSE  
IN GERIATRIC  
ONCOLOGY

VIRTUAL FROM  
CANBERRA

22-23 JANUARY, 2022



## SIOG 2022 ADVANCED COURSE IN GERIATRIC ONCOLOGY – VIRTUAL from CANBERRA SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

### DAY 1 (January 22, 2022) *Important: times are expressed based on Canberra time zone*

OPENING SESSION: Chairperson: *Divyanshu Dua (AU)*

08:30 – 09:00 **Welcome remarks**  
*Divyanshu Dua (AU)*

09:00– 09:15 **Keynote Address**  
*Dorothy Keefe, CEO Cancer Australia*

09:15 – 09:40 **Course History & Introduction: Challenges in Geriatric Oncology**  
*Etienne Brain (FR)*

**09:40 – 10:00 BREAK**

10:00 – 10:40 **Biology of Aging**  
*Holly Holmes (US)*

10:40 – 11:20 **Geriatric Syndromes**  
*Anupama Roy Chowdhury (SG)*

11:20 – 12:00 **Comprehensive Geriatric Assessment (CGA)**  
*Holly Holmes (US)*

12:00 – 12:30 **Frailty**  
*Anupama Roy Chowdhury (SG)*

**12:30 – 13:30 BREAK**

13:30 – 14:15 **Geriatric Oncology; Medical Oncology perspective and recent advances**  
*Christopher Steer (AU)*

14:15 – 15:00 **Nutrition & Bone health Issues in Older Adults: A Geriatrician and Medical Oncologist Perspectives**  
*Divyanshu Dua (AU)*

15:00 – 15:30 **Pre-habilitation and its role in Geriatric Oncology: A Surgeons perspective**  
*Kwok Leung Cheung (UK)*

**15:30 – 16:00 BREAK**

16:00 – 16:45 **Prediction of Toxicity of Chemotherapy in Older Patients and integration in day-to-day practice**  
*Tanujaa Rajasekaran (SG)*

16:45 – 17:30 **Geriatric Oncology and Haematology**  
TBC

**DAY 2 (January 23, 2022) Important: times are expressed based on Canberra time**

08:30 – 10:00 **Multi-Disciplinary Team Case Study: Early & Metastatic Breast Cancer**

**Chair: Etienne Brain (FR)**

Medical Oncology Perspective: *Etienne Brain (FR)*

Radiation Oncology Perspective: *Angela Rezo (AU)*

Surgical Perspective: *Kwok Leung Cheung (UK)*

Geriatrics Perspective: *Anupama Roy Chowdhury (SG)*

Nursing Perspective: *Michelle Hannan (IE)*

**10:00 – 10:30 BREAK**

10:30 – 12:00 **Multi-Disciplinary Team Case Study: Early & Metastatic Lung Cancer**

**Chair: Ravindran Kanesvaran (SG)**

Medical Oncology Perspective: *Ravindran Kanesvaran (SG)*

Radiation Oncology Perspective: *Angela Rezo (AU)*

Psychology Perspective: *Haryana Dhillon (AU)*

Geriatrics Perspective: *Holly Holmes (US)*

Nursing Perspective: *Simon Chen (SG)*

12:00 – 13:00 **Australian Geriatric Oncology Update**

*Divyanshu Dua (AU)*

**13:00 – 14:00 BREAK**

14:00 – 15:30 **Multi-Disciplinary Team Case Study: Early & Metastatic Genitourinary Cancer**

**Chair: Ganes Pranavan (AU)**

Medical Oncology Perspective : *Ganes Pranavan (AU)*

Radiation Oncology Perspective : *Farhan Syed (AU)*

Psychology Perspective : *Haryana Dhillon (AU)*

Geriatrics Perspective: *Heather Lane (AU)*

Nursing Perspective *Catherine Paterson (AU)*

**15:30 – 16:00 BREAK**

16:00 – 17:30 **Multi-Disciplinary Team Case Study: Early & Metastatic Colorectal Cancer**

**Chair: Christopher Steer (AU)**

Medical Oncology Perspective: *Christopher Steer (AU)*

Radiation Oncology Perspective: *Farhan Syed (AU)*

Surgical Perspective: *Kok-Yang Tan (SG)*

Geriatrics Perspective: *Anupama Roy Chowdhury (SG)*

Nursing Perspective: *Mary Salazar (US)*

**18:30 – 19:00 CONCLUDING REMARKS**