

Hyperbaric Technicians and Nurses Association



25th Annual Scientific Meeting on Diving and Hyperbaric Medicine “Back to the Beginning”



17th – 19th August 2017

Adelaide Convention Centre

Adelaide – South Australia



JOIN US IN ADELAIDE

The Hyperbaric Technicians & Nurses Association (HTNA) invites you to attend the 25th Annual Scientific Conference on Diving and Hyperbaric Medicine in Adelaide from 17th to 19th August 2017

Join us in Adelaide, South Australia, home of outstanding food, wine and natural beauty.

“Back to the Beginning”

In 1992 the first HTNA meeting was held in Adelaide. For the 25th annual meeting we go “Back to the Beginning” meeting with fellow Hyperbaric and Diving professionals as we focus on current knowledge and skills and discuss trends and challenges in our work places.

Please click on the link below for more information.

The upcoming program and social events are being arranged with the intention of offering you topics that involve scientific and general narratives from the field of Diving and Hyperbaric Medicine. The HTNA believe an important part of this event is to continue to build upon the strong relationships which exist in our industry and develop new friendships that will enable the sharing of ideas and experiences.

Venue

The venue for the conference is situated on North Terrace, surrounded by the Hospital/Medical Research and Hotels/Adelaide Casino precinct and close to the famous Adelaide Oval. Just a stroll down North Terrace you will find the Museum, Art Gallery and State Library and a short walk to Rundle Mall, Hindley and Rundle streets will give you numerous choices of shopping, eating and entertainment venues.

Special guest speaker Dr David Doolette



Dr Doolette began scuba diving in 1979, was introduced to sinkholes and caves of Australia in 1984. During this time he alternated between studying for his BSc. (Hons.) and working as a dive instructor while developing an interest in diving physiology. He planned and conducted some of the first technical dives in Australia in 1993. Since being awarded his Ph.D. in 1995, he has conducted full time research into decompression physiology, first at the University of Adelaide, and since 2005 at the U.S. Navy Experimental Diving Unit. He has published widely in the scientific and military technical

literature, and produces military decompression procedures. He has lectured widely on topics related to decompression theory and technical diving. He has been a member of the Undersea Hyperbaric Medical Society since 1987, received their 2003 Commercial Diving Award, and is a member of their Diving Committee. He has been a member of the South Pacific Underwater Medicine since 1990 where he was the Education Officer for five years. He is an avid underwater cave explorer and is a member of the Cave Diving Association of Australia, the Australian Speleological Federation Cave Diving Group, Global Underwater Explorers, the Mexico Cave Exploration Project, and the Woodville Karst Plain Project.

Call for Abstracts

Your participating in the program is welcome by submitting abstracts as well as poster presentations. Abstract application form can be found on the HTNA Web Site:

www.htna.com.au

Program and Registrations Forms will be released soon

Social Functions

Cocktail Party

Theme: Silver (25 years)

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Conference Dinner

Adelaide Bowling Club



**The Organising Committee from the Hyperbaric Medicine Unit,
Royal Adelaide Hospital look forward to seeing you in 2017**