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# Special Perkins and WAHTN Translational Seminar



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Western Australian Health Translation Network

**WEDNESDAY 16 NOVEMBER**



## **Dr Bernard Gersh, MB ChB DPhil**

Professor of Medicine at Mayo Clinic College of Medicine  
Rochester, Minnesota.

**“Stem Cells: Hype or Hope”**

An avid reader with interests with a variety of outdoor hobbies,  
Dr Bernard Gersh, MB ChB DPhil, is Professor of Medicine at  
Mayo Clinic College of Medicine in Rochester, Minnesota.

Born in Johannesburg, South Africa, he received his MB ChB from the University of Cape Town and later was awarded a Rhodes Scholarship and obtained a doctorate in philosophy from Oxford University. Striking a balance between teaching, Investigation, and active clinical work, his major interests include natural history and therapy of acute and chronic coronary artery disease; clinical electrophysiology; cardiomyopathies; acute and chronic coronary artery disease; clinical electrophysiology; hypertrophic cardiomyopathy; and valvular heart disease.

Today, he plays a key role at the renowned Mayo Clinic, a centre where clinical cardiology is structured around a large outpatient practice with a corresponding inpatient practice and most cardiologists participating in both.

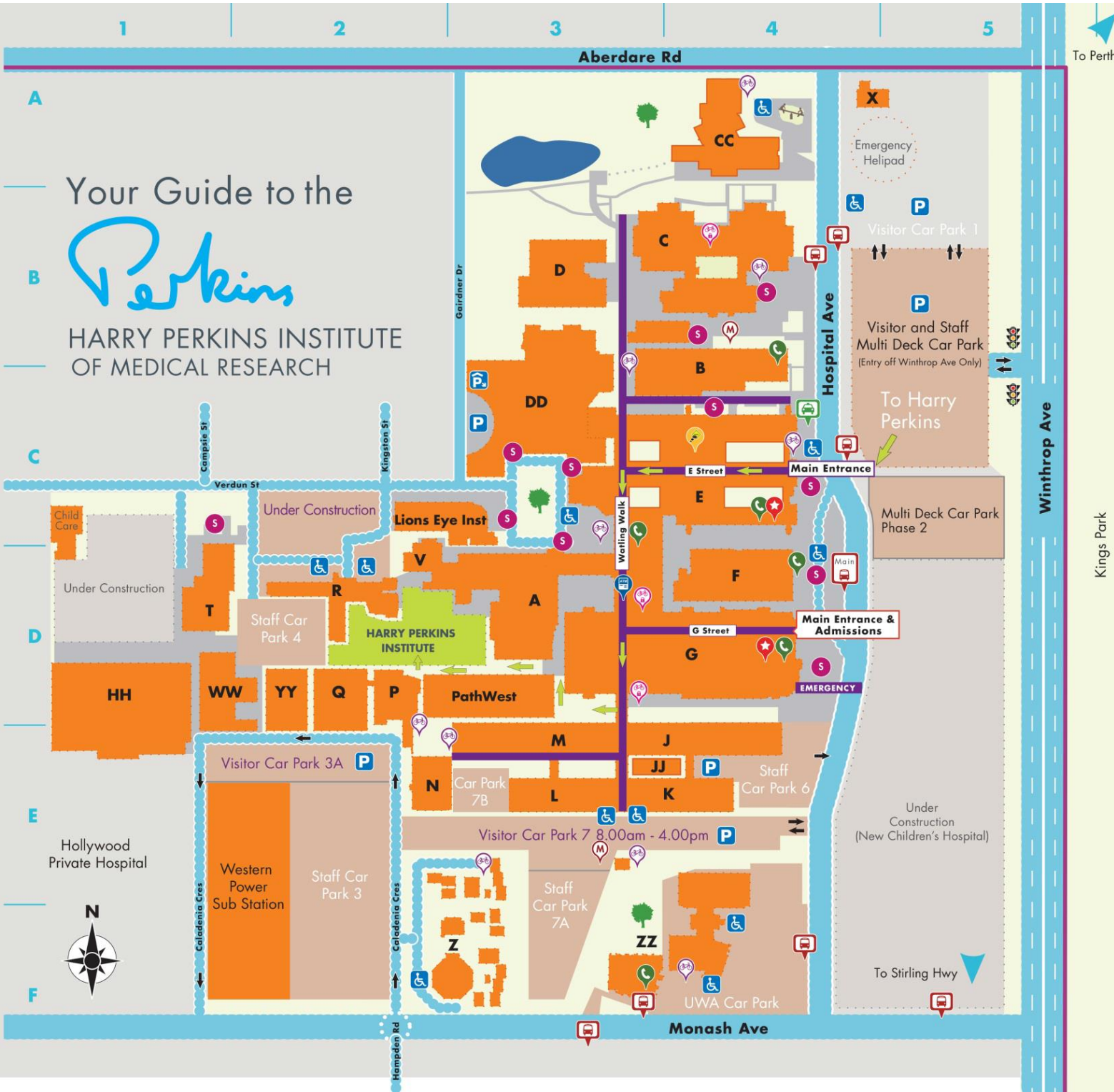
Dr Gersh has written more than 650 articles and 125 book chapters during his career. He is also the editor of 11 books and sits on the editorial boards of 25 scholarly journals, including the European Heart Journal and has a H Index >100. Over the years, he has won a number of academic and teaching honours which have included the Teacher of the Year award from the Division of Cardiovascular Diseases at the Mayo Clinic and the Hatter Award for the Advancement of Cardiovascular Sciences from University College London and the University of Cape Town.

12noon – 12.40pm

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