



Seminar Series – Week Commencing 11 December 2023

Name of Presenter	Title of Presentation	Date	Time	Venue	Further Information	Seminar Series
Rick Filonzi (Bio-Strategy)	Bio-Banking Opportunities in WA	12 December 2023	10:00am – 11:30am	Sarich Neuroscience Research Institute Bryant Stokes Seminar Room Ground Floor	CLICK HERE	Perron Institute
	Australasian Society for Biomaterials and Tissue Engineering – Early/Mid-Career Researcher WA Regional Showcase 14 December 2023			Harry Perkins Institute of Medical Research McCusker Auditorium	CLICK HERE	ASBTE
	9:00am – 5:00pm For enquiries, please contact <u>ASBTEWA@gmail.com</u>					
UWA Loneliness Research Symposium	Social Isolation & Ageing Symposium	14 December 2023	11:00am – 4:00pm	University of Western Australia Forrest Hall	CLICK HERE	ECU Social Ageing (SAGE) Futures Lab
Emeritus Prof Alan Harvey Dr Christina Davies Dr Simone Mariano	UWA Loneliness Research Symposium Public Event The Arts and Music: A way out of loneliness and into connection	14 December 2023	5:00pm – 6:30pm	University of Western Australia Webb Lecture theatre (G21)	CLICK HERE	ECU Social Ageing (SAGE) Futures Lab
UWA Loneliness Research Symposium	Young people, Suicide & Loneliness, Diversity & Loneliness, Community Interventions for Loneliness	15 December 2023	9:30am – 5:00pm	University of Western Australia Arts Lecture Room 4	CLICK HERE	ECU Social Ageing (SAGE) Futures Lab



SEMINAR: Bio-Banking Opportunities in WA

Presentation by Rick Filonzi – Commercial Manager Automation Bio-Strategy Pty Limited

"Challenges and recent advances in achieving optimal sample quality in automated Bio-Banking of biological samples"

Abstract:

In March 2009 Time Magazine described under the title "10 Ideas that are changing the World" that biobanks as instruments of science will revolutionize modern medicine (Time Magazine March 23, 2009 | Vol. 173 No. 11). Since that time, there has certainly been significant growth and implementation of Biobanks and automating the storage process world-wide and their increased importance in modern medicine has progressed rapidly. However, the value of a biobank is really determined by the number of stored, high-quality samples. There are several major steps of the automated biobanking process that are key in the successful achievement of optimal sample quality. The possible pitfalls and emergence of new technological advancements from Hamilton Robotics, Hamilton Storage Technologies and Aksion that have been made in these critical areas of the process are discussed, as well as progress in total integrated workflows form automated sample processing to final storage.

When: December 12, 2023

Time: 10:00am to 11:30am (1hour presentation by Rick then 30min Q&A and group discussion) **Where:** Bryant Stokes Seminar Room, Ground Floor, Sarich Neuroscience Research Institute (SNRI)

building (RR Block, QEII Medical Centre)

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RVSP: By 5th December 2023, click on link to register: https://www.trybooking.com/CNDOU

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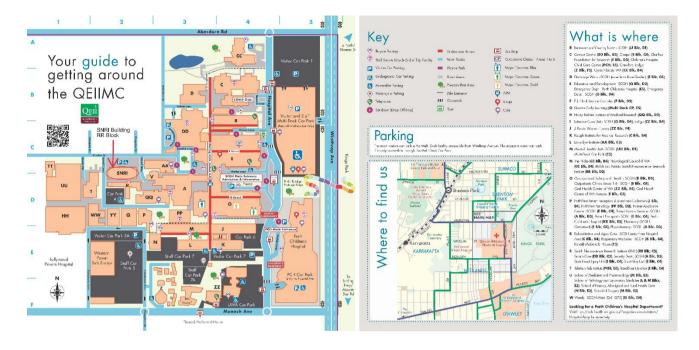


Please note light refreshments will be provided
• All Welcome!









Australasian Society for Biomaterials and Tissue Engineering - Early/Mid Career Researcher WA Regional Showcase

Date: Thursday 14th Dec 2023

Time: 9am – 5pm (TBC)

Venue: Harry Perkins Institute of Medical Research

Abstract & Registration: https://forms.gle/gJE3zXQDqu86CUv6A
For enquiries, please contact ASBTEWA@gmail.com

Abstract submission by Friday 13th October 2023

UWA Loneliness Research Symposium

in collaboration with
ECU Social Ageing (SAGE) Futures Lab

Thursday 14th December 11.00am - 4pm Social Isolation & Ageing Symposium Venue: Forrest Hall, UWA

Thursday 14th December 5.00pm - 6.30pm
Public Event: "The Arts and Music:
A way out of loneliness and into connection"
with Emeritus Professor Alan Harvey, Dr Christina Davies and
Dr Simone Marino
Venue: [G21] Webb Lecture Theatre, UWA

Friday 15th December 9.30am - 5.00pm Loneliness Research Symposium

Young people, Suicide & Loneliness, Diversity & Loneliness, Community Interventions for Loneliness Venue: [G60] Arts Lecture Room 4, UWA









