



## Sports injury prevention in the field Fostering teamwork between researchers and sporting practice

### Seminar Outline

The development of partnerships between researchers and sports organisations is essential for the effective uptake of sports injury prevention strategies.

This seminar includes the perspectives of various sporting industry representatives and sports injury researchers, who share the objective of creating a safer sporting environment.

This event is jointly sponsored by:

- NSW Injury Risk Management Research Centre (IRMRC) at UNSW
- NSW Sporting Injuries Committee
- Australian Injury Prevention Network

Benefits of attending:

- Learn more on *SafeClub* and why it was awarded a 2006 Australian Risk Management Award. Can it be adopted in your sport?
- Learn about some of the issues in sports injury prevention and how they can be overcome.
- Discuss new ideas and develop networks with others who have contributed to sports injury prevention research and its application in the real world.
- Witness the launch of the 2007 NSW Sports Injury Report produced by the IRMRC - gold medal recipients at the 2006 NSW Sports Safety Awards.

### Details

Date: Friday, 3rd August, 2007

Time: 10:00am – 4:30pm

Venue: Lake Room 2  
The Waterview Convention Centre  
Bicentennial Park  
Sydney Olympic Park Precinct

Cost: \$110 per person (incl. GST) including all refreshments

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## Registration form

### Registration Details

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### Payment

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## Program

09:30	Arrival and registration
10:00	Opening address by <b>Michael Clarke</b> Australian cricket representative
10:10	<b>Associate Professor Ann Williamson</b> Acting Director of the IRMRC <i>What are the issues in sports injury prevention?</i>
10:30	<b>Professor Caroline Finch</b> NHMRC Principal Research Fellow, The University of Ballarat <i>Is Australia's approach to sports injury prevention adequate?</i>
11:00	<b>Kristy Abbott</b> , Assistant Executive Officer, Youthsafe <b>Paul Klarenaar</b> , AI Manager, Northern Beaches Health Promotion <i>SafeClub: Improving community sports safety using risk management</i>
11:30	Morning Tea
11:45	<b>Simon Laughton</b> Game Development Officer, AFL NSW/ACT <i>Injury prevention in the AFL</i>
12:15	<b>Associate Professor Andrew McIntosh</b> Director of the Biomechanics and Gait Laboratory, UNSW <i>Developing and assessing sports equipment</i>
12:45	<b>John Searl</b> , Special Projects Manager, Australian Rugby Union <b>Matt Grimison</b> , Community Rugby Development Manager, Australian Rugby Union <i>Injury prevention and research in Australian rugby union</i>
13:15	Lunch
14:00	<b>Stephanie Hollis</b> Research Fellow, The George Institute for International Health <i>Concussion in rugby - using research for improved management in contact sports</i>
14:30	<b>Dr Katherine Rae</b> Sports Physician, Team Doctor Sydney University Football Club <i>Clinical issues in concussion management</i>
15:00	Afternoon Tea
15:15	<b>Dr Rebecca Dennis</b> NHMRC Research Fellow, The University of Ballarat <i>Evidence-based injury prevention for repetitive microtrauma injuries: the cricket example</i>
15:45	<b>Patrick Farhart</b> Physiotherapist, NSW Cricket <i>Adopting injury prevention research into the management of cricket fast bowlers</i>
16:15	Closing remarks by <b>Kenneth Graham</b> Principal Scientist, NSW Institute of Sport <i>Sports injury management in a high performance environment</i>
16:30	Close

## Map & Directions



Located within the grounds of Sydney Olympic Park Waterview is one of Sydney's newest and most unique locations. Purpose built with beautiful surrounds and easy access.

### How to get to Waterview

- Drive along Parramatta Road from the city
- Turn right onto M4 Motorway
- Exit Motorway at Homebush Bay Drive exit and turn right into Homebush Bay Drive
- Take the 1<sup>st</sup> roundabout exit at Australia Avenue (turning left)
- Turn right into Shirley Strickland Avenue (Entrance to Bicentennial Park)
- All parking at Bicentennial Park is free of charge