



## Safe Walking: A Colloquium on Pedestrian Safety

72 pedestrians were killed and more than tenfold this number were hospitalised as a result of being struck by a vehicle on NSW's roads last year. This Colloquium will present and investigate the issues, current knowledge, research outcomes, pedestrian safety strategies and future studies required to reduce pedestrian impacts and mitigate injury trauma. The latest data and research will be presented and strategies and countermeasures explored. Ample time for discussion will be provided.

- 9:00 Registration
- 9:20 Mary Potter Forbes (Research Fellow and Manager, IRMRC)  
*Introduction and Welcome*
- 9:30 Dr Soames Job (General Manager, Road Safety Strategy, RTA)  
*Trends in pedestrian safety*
- 10:00 Professor Ann Williamson (Acting Director, IRMRC)  
*Pedestrian crashes: what the literature tells us*
- 10:30 Dr. Roslyn Poulos (Senior Lecturer, School of Public Health & Community Medicine, UNSW)  
Dr. Shanley Chong (Research Fellow, IRMRC)  
*What is the picture for the Sydney local area*
- 11:00 *Morning Tea*
- 11:30 Greg Allsop (Manager, Vulnerable Road Users, RTA)  
*Pedestrian safety research currently being undertaken by the NSW Centre for Road Safety*
- 12:00 Professor Raphael Grzebieta (Chair of Road Safety, IRMRC)  
*Pedestrian impact crashes, survivability and crash reconstruction*
- 12:30 Snr Sgt Peter Jenkins (Commander Crash Investigations, NSW Police)  
*At Scene Investigation: challenges and issues*
- 13:00 *Lunch*
- 14:00 Michael Paine (Consultant to the Australasian New Car Assessment Program (ANCAP))  
*Pedestrian impact tests*
- 14:30 Dr Julie Hatfield (Senior Research Fellow, IRMRC)  
*Right of way rules at various pedestrian crossing types*
- 15:00 Harold Scruby (Chair of the Pedestrian Council of Australia)  
*Pedestrian Safety: the view from the walking class heroes*
- 15:30 *Afternoon Tea*
- 16:00 *Plenary*  
Professor Raphael Grzebieta (Chair), Professor Ann Williamson, Dr Soames Job
- 16.30 Close