SCT Newsletter

January- February 2014



Hello, welcome to February's Newsletter.

We hope that everyone has had a great holiday and that you are enjoying the start to this new year.

Firstly, we would like to thank the SCT council, education committee and registration board for all the work they have done for our group over the previous year, and we would like to extend our thanks for the work they continue to do .

We would also like to welcome this years' SCT council, including the new members Gary Zealand and Viki D'Arth. Council roles will be assigned in the coming month.

The NZ annual scientific meeting CSANZ is in Dunedin later on in the year, but now is the time to start thinking about going to this great event. Especially, as we still have 4 fellowships of 500 dollars left to help you on your way.

This will be a great opportunity to hear the latest from the various disciplines within Cardiology, to network with your peers and hear the latest research and new approaches practiced within Australasia.

The Cardiac Society (CSANZ) annual scientific meeting is from the 5th-7th June 2014. The physiologists meeting will be taking place on Thursday 5th June.

This CSANZ physiologist meeting will be on the topic 'AF, stroke and cardiac technology'. Please send your fellowship application in by the **7**th **March**.

The World Congress of Cardiology is replacing CSANZ Australia. It will be taking place Melbourne $4^{th} - 7^{th}$ May 2014. There are no fellowships remaining for this meeting.

SCT YEARLY CALENDAR 2013-2014

February: Council meeting Wednesday 19th

Membership subscription renewal

Final applications for CPM course Friday 14th

March: Council meeting Wednesday 19th

CSANZ abstracts

April: Council meeting Wednesday 23rd

May: Council meeting Wednesday 21st

Council nomination forms Friday 30th

June: Council meeting Wednesday 25th

CSANZ NZ meeting – Thursday 5th to Saturday 7th

CCP exam Wednesday 11th

• Education Committee meeting Thursday 19th

Newsletter with exam results and CSANZ talks - Fri 28th**

July: Council meeting Wednesday 23rd

August: Council meeting Wednesday 20th

AGM minutes and treasurer audit

Newsletter – dates of exams and AGM.

• CPM block weekend Saturday 23rd and Sunday 24th

September: Council meeting Wednesday 24th

October: Council meeting Wednesday 22nd

AGM held Wednesday 29thNew council 3rd November

November: Council meeting Wednesday 26th

• CCP exam Wednesday 12th

• Education Committee meeting Thursday 20th



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SCT CSANZ FELLOWSHIP (NZ)

(Four available)

SCT is providing funds for 5 SCT members to contribute towards the CSANZ Dunedin conference up to a maximum of 500 NZD. Funding is available for the Cardiac Society of Australia and New Zealand Annual Scientific Meeting in New Zealand.

Conditions -

You must include estimates of the cost involved in attending the meeting.

You must be an ordinary or affiliate current financial member of SCT.

Applications must be received by the 7th March 2014.

Applications will be discussed by the SCT council at the following meeting after this date. Applicants will be advised within 1 week of the outcome of their application.

If accepted, you will be required to send a copy of your conference registration form and original receipts for reimbursement to a maximum of \$500.

By accepting this funding you agree to submit a written conference report to the SCT Council within 1 month of attendance. This report may be used in the SCT newsletter.

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SCT CSANZ FELLOWSHIP (NZ MEETING)

1.	Full name:
2.	Position:
3.	Work address
4.	phone number
5.	Email:
6.	Please provide your years of relevant work experience:
7.	Are you presenting at the main CSANZ meeting or at the SCT/MTEX meeting?
	Yes / No
If so, please attach details of the presentation title and CSANZ presenting session time to this application form.	
8.	Please provide a list of the previous meetings you have attended in the past 5 years (national and international) to this application form.
9.	What do you wish to gain from this course/conference?
10.	Have you previously applied for SCT funding?
	YES / NO Date:
11.	If you were successful, which meeting were you funded to attend?
12.	Has leave been approved by your manager in order to attend this course/conference?
	YES / NO
orio You	our application is accepted you will be required to send a copy of your registration form and ginal receipts for reimbursement. u will be required to submit a written conference report to the SCT Council within 1 month of endance – this report may be used in the SCT newsletter.
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	Date:

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Contributions to the newsletter

All contributions are welcome.

This may be in the form of a case study from any discipline within the fields of cardio-respiratory. A detailed description and interpretation of your findings should be included.

Contact - Jcadogan@adhb.govt.nz

A case study written for the Newsletter earns 10 points towards your continued professional Development. Remember, case studies are to be made confidential.

Thank You

James Cadogan