



2024 Symposium Programme



08:00 – 9:30	Registration opens – tea/coffee available – doors open to main session at 09:30am
08:30 – 09:30	CLOSED SESSION Senior Leadership Round Table Session: <i>Please note, this session is only open to Senior Leaders by expression of interest.</i>
09:30 – 09:45	Doors open to all delegates – Open Teams call for virtual attendees
09:45 – 10:00	Welcome from NZACRes President – Dr Meghan McIlwain
10:00 – 10:30	Elisabeth Thorn, Callahan Innovation & Cassandra Findlay, Inland Revenue <i>Research and Development Tax Incentive (RDTI)</i>
10:30 – 11:00	Morning Tea
11:00 – 11:30	Dr Tim Vines Therapeutics, Strategy, Policy and Legislation, Ministry of Health Manatū Hauora <i>Update on the Repeal of the TPA and next steps</i>
11:30 – 12:15	Keynote Address: Prof Robyn Whittaker Health New Zealand Te Whatu Ora
12:15 – 13:00	Lunch
13:00 – 13:45	Rochelle Style, National AI and Algorithm Expert Advisory Group Independent Bioethics Consultant <i>Artificial Intelligence in Research</i>
13:45 – 14:15	Elizabeth Bohm, Ethics Team, Ministry of Health Manatū Hauora <i>How Research is Changing in New Zealand – view from the HDECs</i>
14:15 – 14:30	Proud Science Alliance – Healthcare and Life Sciences Sector LGBTQ+ Network
14:30 – 15:00	Afternoon Tea
15:00 – 15:55	Site Best Practices – Panel discussion <i>Featuring a presentation by Marina Dzhelali (HiRO / MRINZ) – Case Studies in Clinical Trials Quality Assurance</i> Chair: Erica Currie (Beigene) Panellists: Sophie Goodger (Auckland Cancer & Blood) Rosane Joseph (Bay of Plenty Clinical Trials Unit) Maureen Blackemore (Research Office, Wellington)
15:55 – 16:00	Meeting Close and Switch to AGM Teams Stream – Dr Meghan McIlwain
16:00 – 17:00	AGM – Dr Meghan McIlwain <i>Note: AGM is free for all NZACRes members to attend. Symposium registration is not required for this session. AGM papers & Teams link circulated to NZACRes members on 26-Jul-2024.</i>