

**2026 SYDNEY WINTER COLORECTAL MEETING**



**SAT. 29 AUG.**

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# 2026 SYDNEY Colorectal



SATURDAY 29 AUGUST | HILTON SYDNEY

# Dear COLLEAGUES,

On behalf of Sydney Colorectal Surgical and the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons Section of Colon and Rectal Surgery, it is with pleasure that we invite you to support the 2026 SYDNEY COLORECTAL MEETING, taking place at the Sydney Hilton on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> August.

This one-day program will provide consultant surgeons and post-fellowship trainees with an intensive update on surgical advancements and innovations in Colorectal Surgery - highlighting the latest techniques and research findings, and sharing ideas that will shape the future of Colorectal Surgery. We are honoured to have an esteemed cohort of speakers including Dr James Kinross from the Imperial College London, joining us for the day - sharing their personal insights and expertise on what will be a broadly-appealing program.

The healthcare industry plays a vital and necessary role in supporting Colorectal Surgery through innovation, education, development and research; we invite you to consider the benefits of joining us again this year - a fantastic platform to showcase your company.

We thank you for your consideration.

Yours sincerely,



A/Prof Cherry  
Koh FRACS



A/Prof Christopher  
Byrne FRACS



Dr Raymond  
Yap FRACS

# ABOUT.

## **SYDNEY COLORECTAL SURGICAL AND THE RACS COLON & RECTAL SECTION**

Sydney Colorectal Surgical is governed by the RACS Colon and Rectal Section, and works in collaboration with CSSANZ to run the Post Fellowship Education and Training Program in Colorectal Surgery.

The Sydney Colorectal Meeting brings together the expertise and knowledge of both societies for what has become an important and respected colorectal surgery-focused meeting. With a strong focus on surgical innovation, clinical research and education, the program continues to attract an every-growing audience of Consultant Colorectal and General Surgeons along with colorectal post-fellowship trainees, and General Surgery trainees interested in a Colorectal Post-Fellowship pathway.

## **VENUE**

HILTON SYDNEY  
488 George Street  
SYDNEY NSW 2000

## **ANTICIPATED DELEGATE BREAKDOWN**

Approximately 140-160 delegates, made up of:

- Consultant Colorectal Surgeons - 50%
- Consultant General Surgeons - 20%
- Post-fellowship Colorectal & General Surgery Trainees - 25%
- Specialised medical personnel - 5%

# Organising COMMITTEE



## **A/PROF CHERRY KOH FRACS SPECIALIST COLORECTAL SURGEON – RPA SYDNEY**

A/Prof Cherry Koh is a Colorectal Surgeon who underwent subspecialty training at the Royal Prince Alfred Hospital in Sydney and John Radcliffe Hospital in Oxford (UK).

Whilst in Sydney, she learned about laparoscopic surgery and pelvic exenteration for advanced pelvic cancers. In Oxford, she worked on the Inflammatory Bowel Disease (IBD) and the Oxford Pelvic Floor units which allowed her to consolidate her laparoscopic skills in addition to learning about TEMS (Transanal Endoscopic Microsurgery) and the management of complex re-operative surgery for IBD.

Additionally, Cherry has a wide academic interest including quality of life after complex pelvic surgery and pelvic floor disorders.

# Organising COMMITTEE



## **A/PROF CHRISTOPHER BYRNE FRACS SPECIALIST COLORECTAL SURGEON - RPA SYDNEY**

A/Prof Christopher Byrne is a specialist colorectal surgeon who completed undergraduate training at The University of Sydney, then trained in colorectal surgery at Royal Prince Alfred Hospital and St Marks Hospital, London.

Chris operates at RPA, The Mater and Sydney Day Surgery. His areas of expertise include colorectal cancer including laparoscopic surgery, recurrent pelvic cancers, perianal sepsis, endometriosis and pelvic floor surgery as well as hernias.

# Organising COMMITTEE



## **DR RAYMOND YAP FRACS SPECIALIST COLORECTAL & GENERAL SURGEON - CABRINI HOSPITAL & ROYAL MELBOURNE HOSPITAL**

Dr Raymond Yap is a consultant Colorectal and General Surgeon with an appointment at Cabrini Hospital and Royal Melbourne Hospital.

He specialises in the care of colorectal diseases such as colorectal cancer, hemorrhoids, fistulas, rectal prolapse and advanced endoscopy. In addition, he received training in the management of hernias including minimally invasive techniques.

In addition to the Australian training he received, he completed advanced training in robotic and transanal techniques (including ta-TME) in the USA. He has conducted numerous studies into colorectal cancer outcomes and surgical education, with a multitude of publications and book chapters.

# International SPEAKER



## **DR JAMES KINROSS FRCS CONSULTANT COLORECTAL SURGEON - IMPERIAL COLLEGE LONDON**

Dr James Kinross is a consultant colorectal surgeon, at Imperial College NHS trust. His clinical interests are in laparoscopic and robotic surgery for the treatment of colorectal cancer and benign conditions of the colon and rectum. He operates on the abdominal wall and treats conditions such as inguinal and incisional hernias. He also has an interest in surgical nutrition and modulation of the gut microbiota by pro and prebiotics for gut health.

James trained in Northwest London, and he was an NIHR Clinical Lecturer in Surgery and an Ethicon Laparoscopic Fellow in Colorectal Surgery. He was awarded a Royal College of Surgeons of England training fellowship during his PhD and he was funded by the Academy of Medical Sciences as an early stage lecturer. He is a visiting Professor at the Royal College of Surgeons of Ireland. He is currently funded by Bowel and Cancer research and the Imperial BRC



# SPONSORSHIP Packages

## INCLUSIONS

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Exhibition Display

Registration of company representatives

\*10 Minute Quick Pitch

\*\*Five (5) Minute Quick Pitch

Tailored splash screen displayed during panel discussions and breaks (*where applicable*)

\*Sponsorship of scientific sessions

Company logo included on Delegate lanyard / name badge

Company logo and acknowledgement included in the Provisional and Final Programs

Company logo and acknowledgement included on meeting advertising

Company logo and acknowledgement on meeting website - with company link

Company advertisement in the digital provisional and final programs (*subject to timing of application*)

Delegate list (name, state and country) where release of details has been granted

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**PLATINUM**  
**\$11,000 INC. GST**

4M X 3M

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DOUBLE-PAGE SPREAD  
INSIDE FRONT COVER



**GOLD**  
**\$8,800 INC. GST**

6M X 2M

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FULL-PAGE



**SILVER**  
**\$7,700 INC. GST**

3M X 3M

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\*Platinum 10 minute quick pitch will be scheduled during the lunch break.  
\*\*Gold five (5) minute quick pitch will be scheduled during morning or afternoon tea.

# Sponsorship ALTERNATIVES

## BREAKFAST SYMPOSIUM | \$6,600 INC. GST

The breakfast symposium opportunity offers a tailored platform for a targeted audience.

- Breakfast symposium will be scheduled to run on Saturday 29 August, prior to program commencing
- Maximum session duration: 90 minutes
- Maximum attendance will depend on requirements and room availability

### INCLUSIONS

- Exhibition booth 3m x 2m
- Workshop space/room including basic AV and room setup
- Choice of workshop theme, program content and speakers (*subject to Organising Committee's approval*)
- Publication and promotion of the symposium on the event website, in Final Program, and event app
- Promotion of the workshop via targeted eCampaigns
- Registration of company representatives x three (3)
- Lunch, morning and afternoon tea to be held in the Exhibition Area throughout the duration of the meeting
- List of delegates (name, state and country only) where permissions has been granted

To apply for this exclusive opportunity, please submit a proposal for consideration of the Organising Committee c/- [sally.erickson@generalsurgeons.com.au](mailto:sally.erickson@generalsurgeons.com.au). Please ensure your proposal includes overall theme, speaker/s, and any other important details.

# Sponsorship ALTERNATIVES

## **BRAND PRODUCT AWARENESS CAMPAIGN** **\$5,500 INC. GST**

Build brand awareness via digital/video promotion via the homepage of the event website:

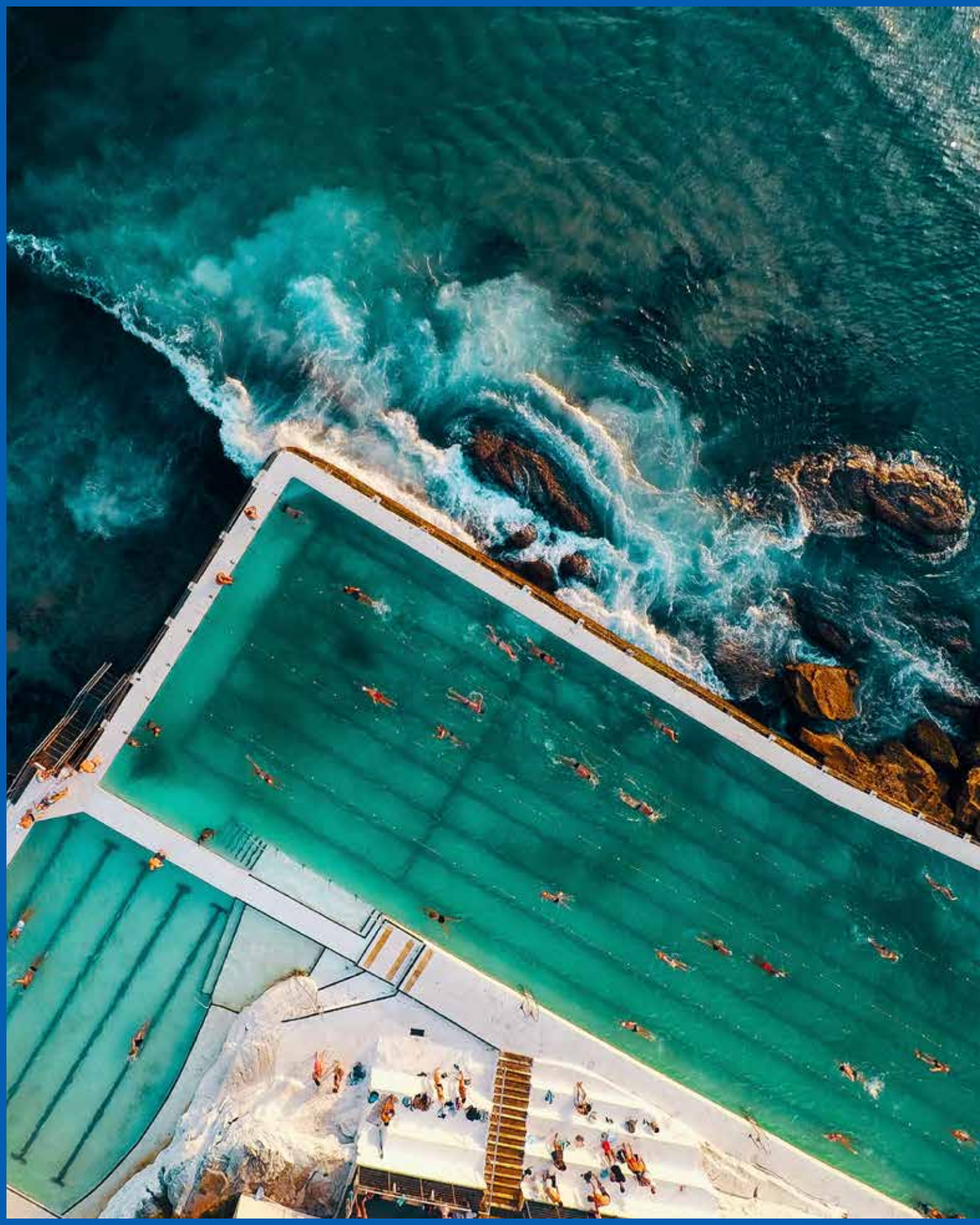
- Promotional video housed on the homepage of the event site, linked to your company website.

*\*Video production costs are at the expense of the supporting company, and must meet event website specifications*

## **TAILORED OPPORTUNITIES** **\$TBD**

We welcome the opportunity to tailor a package that suits your marketing objectives and budget. Please do not hesitate to contact the Event Organiser to discuss how we can work together.

We appreciate your consideration and look forward to developing a mutually beneficial partnership.



# Exhibitor OPPORTUNITIES

The exhibition will be the focal point of the 2026 Sydney Colorectal Meeting

The program is structured to maximise opportunities for delegates to visit the exhibition during all morning and afternoon tea, and lunch breaks, with all catering being served in the Exhibition Area.

*\*\*Applications are taken on a first-come, first-served basis and can be made by completing and submitting the enclosed application form. Display/space will not be confirmed until payment has been finalised.\*\**

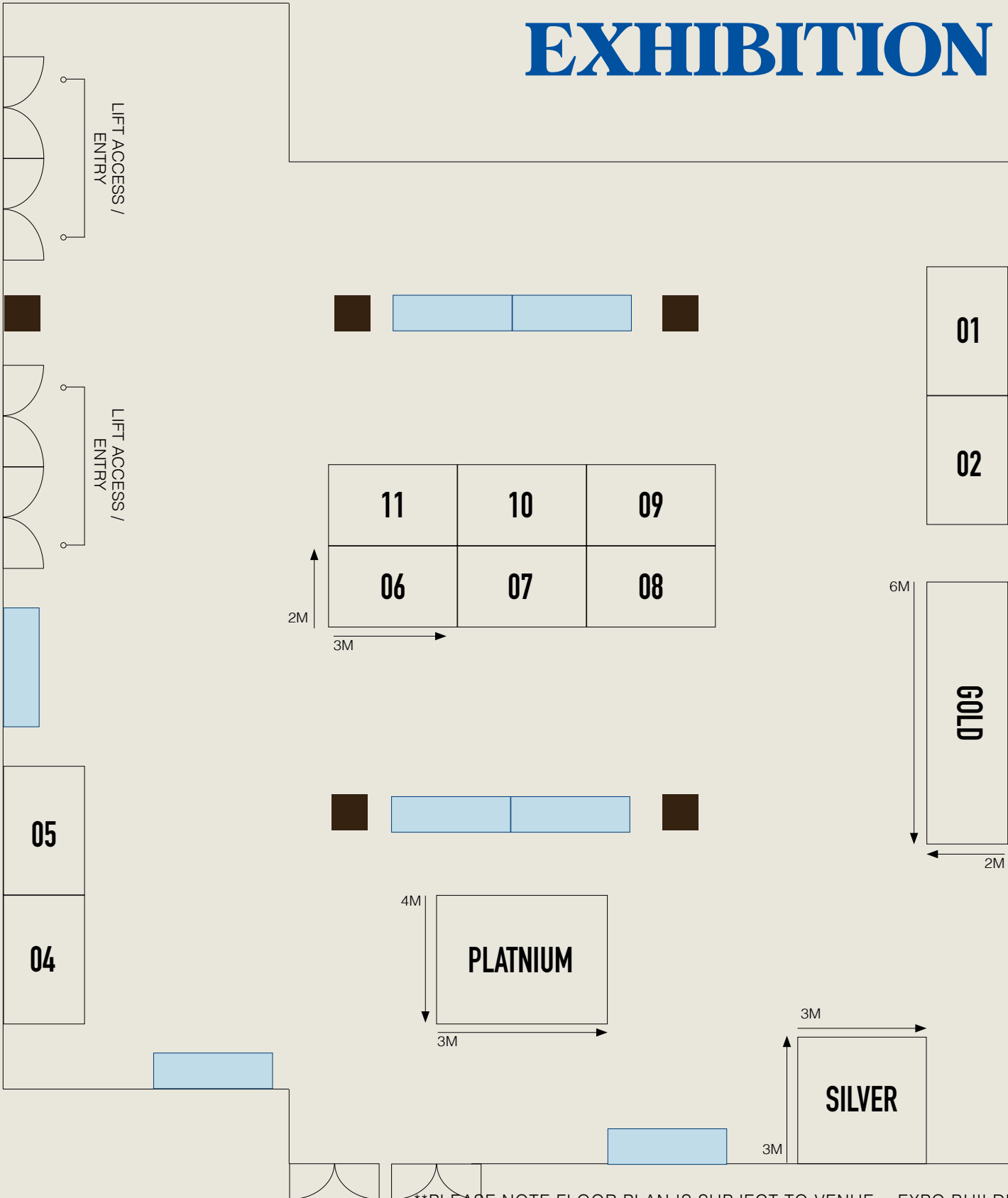
## **EXHIBITION DISPLAY 3M X 2M - \$3,500 INC. GST**

- Back and side 2.4m high walls (two walls for corner booths)
- One (1) x fascia board + One (1) x company name sign (corner stands receive two (2))
- Two (2) x 150w spotlights + One (1) x 4amp power point
- Registration of company representatives x two (2)
- Lunch, morning and afternoon tea to be held in the Exhibition Area throughout the duration of the meeting
- List of delegates (name, state, and country only) where release of details has been granted
- Acknowledgement of exhibition on the dedicated meeting website, and in the Provisional and Final Programs

## **INDUSTRY REGISTRATION - \$440 INC. GST**

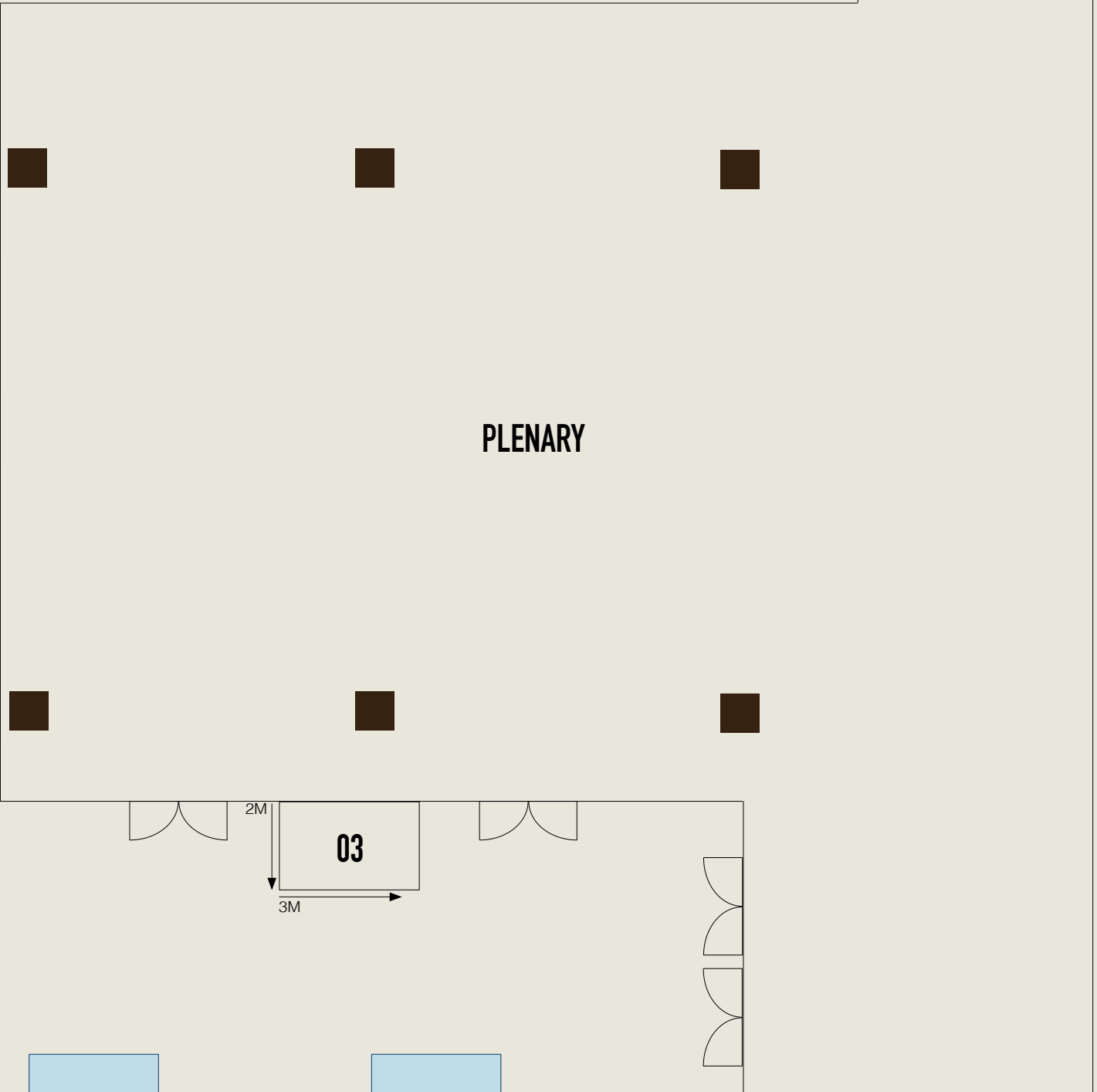
Industry representatives in addition to what is included in your sponsorship or exhibition package can be registered at a cost of \$440 Inc. GST per person, which includes access to the Exhibition Area and catering for the duration of the Meeting.

# EXHIBITION



\*\*PLEASE NOTE FLOOR PLAN IS SUBJECT TO VENUE + EXPO BUILDING  
HOWEVER CHANGES MAY OCCUR

# FLOOR PLAN



FOR APPROVAL IT IS OUR INTENTION TO MAINTAIN THIS FLOOR PLAN  
WHEN AND WHEREVER NECESSARY\*\*

# Application PROCESS

1. Please complete the enclosed application form indicating your sponsorship and/or exhibition preference/s, and return together with your full payment method,
2. Payment can be made by selecting one of the following options:

#### CREDIT CARD:

Please complete the credit card component of the application form. A tax receipt will be supplied upon payment processing.

#### TAX INVOICE/EFT PAYMENT:

Tax invoices will be issued within five business days of receipt of application form where indicated.

3. The application form requests that you list your first three preferred booth numbers. Every effort will be made to accommodate your booth preference/s, however please note that booths will be allocated using the first come, first served method, and the level of sponsorship. The event organiser reserves the right to alter the floor plan without notice. Should the floor plan be altered, exhibitors affected by the change will be notified in writing, by email
4. For sponsors/exhibitors to be acknowledged in the Provisional Program, your application form and payment must be received no later than 25 MAY.

# 2026 SYDNEY COLORECTAL MEETING | APPLICATION FORM

Please return completed form to the event manager at General Surgeons Australia - via email:  
[sally.erickson@generalsurgeons.com.au](mailto:sally.erickson@generalsurgeons.com.au)

## COMPANY DETAILS

|                 |        |
|-----------------|--------|
| Company Name    |        |
| Contact Name    |        |
| Position        |        |
| Company Address |        |
| State           | P/Code |
| Phone No.       |        |
| Mob No.         |        |
| Email Address   |        |

## PAYMENT DETAILS

- I require a Tax invoice to make EFT payment
- Cheque enclosed  
*(please make payable to General Surgeons Australia)*
- Credit Card *(complete card details below)*

MasterCard    Visa    AMEX

Card Number:

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CCV

(3 digit No. on back/AMEX: 4 digit No. on front)

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Exp. Date

Card Holder Name:

Signature:

## SPONSORSHIP

(All prices are listed in \$AUD & are inclusive of GST)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Platinum Sponsor       | \$11,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gold Sponsor           | \$8,500  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Silver Sponsor         | \$7,500  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Workshop Sponsor       | \$6,600  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Brand Digital Campaign | \$5,500  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tailored Opportunities | \$TBC    |

## EXHIBITION

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Exhibition Booth 3m x 2m         | \$3,500 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Additional Industry Registration | \$440   |

TOTAL \$

## EXHIBITION BOOTH/SPACE LOCATION

(Select in order of preference. Allocation will be determined by receipt of payment)

NO. 1

NO. 2

NO. 3

NO. 4

No. 5

## TERMS & CONDITIONS

I have read, understand, and accept the Terms & Conditions as outlined within this Sponsorship Prospectus:

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# Terms & CONDITIONS

## ACCEPTANCE OF APPLICATION

The application of the sponsor/exhibitor to exhibit is an offer which is accepted by the organiser - General Surgeons Australia - of the amount payable on making this application.

## BOOKING CONDITIONS

Acceptance of sponsorship/exhibition applications will be subject to Organising Committee approval. The Organising Committee reserves the right to decline applications based on any association, direct or indirect, that does not uphold the objectives of the meeting.

## CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellations must be made in writing to the Event Organiser. In the case of cancellation of sponsorship and/or exhibition booth(s) space, please note that the Organising Committee reserves the right to retain monies paid in full unless sponsorship and or exhibition booth(s) space is resold. If payment of the full amount indicated on the application form is not received by the due date, your preferred sponsorship package and/or exhibition booth(s) space cannot be held for you. The Organising Committee reserves the right to cancel the exhibition in circumstances beyond their control.

## INDUSTRY REPRESENTATIVE REGISTRATION

The sponsor and/or exhibitor understands that all industry representatives must be officially registered. Any industry representatives attending the Meeting, outside of the allocated registrations included as per each sponsorship package and/or exhibition booth(s) space package, must pay an additional \$440 per representative.

## GENERAL TERMS

The exhibitor agrees to be bound by the sponsorship and exhibition general terms and conditions as set out within this document, which is acknowledged as received.

## EXHIBITION SPACE ALLOCATION

The exhibitor understands that exhibition space will be allocated in order of receipt of payment and that the Organising Committee's decision will be final.

## LIABILITY & INSURANCE

# Terms & CONDITIONS

The exhibitor and the servants, agents, and contractors of the exhibitor occupy and use the exhibition booth(s)/space allocated under this exhibition contract and enter the Hilton Sydney (the 'venue') and act under, or pursuant to, this exhibition contract at their own risk. The exhibitor hereby indemnifies and releases the organiser - General Surgeons Australia ('venue manager') and each of them against all actions, suits, costs, claims, and demands brought against the organiser, and the venue manager by any person, firm, or corporation for any damage or loss caused directly, or indirectly to, or suffered by any person, firm, or corporation as a result of any act or default of the exhibitor or the servants, agents, contractors, or invitees of the exhibitor or resulting directly or indirectly from the attendance of the exhibitor at the exhibition, including travel to and from such venues and without limiting the foregoing of the organiser and the venue manager or any of them shall not in any circumstances be liable for any loss, damage, or injury which may occur to the exhibitor or the servants, agents, or contractors of the exhibitor or for any damage to their property including damage to exhibits, plant equipment, fixtures, fittings, or other property whatsoever or for any loss of profits which they may suffer howsoever caused. It is strongly advised that each exhibitor seek to cover their equipment, exhibits, and display material with adequate insurance and also effect public risk insurance at the expense of the exhibitor.

## IMPLIED WARRANTIES

In the event that any statute implies any term, condition, or warranty into this agreement which cannot be lawfully excluded, such as terms will apply to this agreement, save that the liability of the organiser and each of them for breach of any such implied term will be limited, at the option of the organiser, to any one or more of the following:

1. The placement of goods to which the breach relates or the supply of equivalent goods
2. The repair of such goods
3. The payment of the costs of replacing the goods or of acquiring equivalent goods, or the payment of the cost of having the goods repaired

## CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGE

The organiser will not be liable for any indirect or consequential damages arising from a breach of the Exhibitor contract.

## SECURITY

# Terms & CONDITIONS

The venue's security operations provide fundamental perimeter security within the venue, but beyond this, the Organiser and the venue manager and their offices and employees, separately or collectively, are not responsible for any damage to or for, the loss or destruction of an exhibit, from fire or theft or accidents or injury resulting from such causes. Additional security requirements should be discussed between the exhibitor and the venue manager directly.

## ADDITIONAL CONDITIONS AND REGULATIONS

The exhibitor and the servants, agents, contractors, and invitees of the exhibitor are also to observe the conditions, rules, regulations, and procedures as set by the venue manager. Further details can be obtained by contacting the venue manager directly.

## VARIATIONS

The organiser and/or venue may, in the event of any circumstances which render it necessary, vary the exhibition space allocation and/or floor plan, and the exhibitor will accept such re-allocation without any claim for reduction in charges or otherwise.

## UNAVOIDABLE OCCURRENCES

In the event that the exhibition is cancelled or delayed through no fault of the organiser, the venue manager or the exhibitor, including but not limited to fire, flood, labour disputes, natural disasters, acts of god, civil disorder, riots, insurrections, work stoppages, slow downs, or disputes, or other similar events, then the exhibitor shall not be entitled to any refund or claim for any loss of damage.

## ASSIGNMENT AND SUBLETTING

No exhibitor shall assign, sublet, or share the whole or any part of the allocated space or booth without the acknowledgement and consent of the organiser.

## HOURS

The organiser shall determine the hours during which the exhibition shall be conducted and as to hours of access For exhibitors including variations of such times as shall be necessary.



# ENQUIRIES

All Sponsorship and/or Exhibition enquiries can be directed to the Event Manager as per the following:

SALLY ERICKSON  
Events Manager  
General Surgeons Australia  
250-290 Spring Street  
EAST MELBOURNE VIC 3002

[sally.erickson@generalsurgeons.com.au](mailto:sally.erickson@generalsurgeons.com.au)  
[sydneycolorectalmeeting.org/](http://sydneycolorectalmeeting.org/)

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