

# MASTERS HIP & ACETABULAR COURSE

## DATE:

Saturday 27th – Sunday 28th June 2026

## VENUE:

Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, Macquarie University,  
Sydney NSW 2109

## FACULTY:

**Professor Ton Tran**, Berwick Orthopaedic and Sports Services, Berwick, VIC (Convenor)

**Professor Mark Rickman**, Royal Adelaide Hospital, Adelaide, SA

**Dr Joseph Isaacs**, Orthopaedic Trauma Surgeon, Royal North Shore Hospital, Sydney NSW

**Dr Rick Steer**, Deputy Director Orthopaedic Surgery, Gold Coast Health, QLD

**Dr Pierre Navarre**, Southland Hospital, Invercargill, New Zealand

**Dr Ravi Dissanayake**, Orthopaedic Surgeon, Monash Health, VIC

## PROGRAM:

### SATURDAY 27 JUNE

08.30 – 09.00 Registration

#### SESSION ONE – LECTURES & CASE DISCUSSIONS – LECTURE ROOM

09.00 – 09.15	Introduction to OTC & Course Aims	Ton Tran
09.15 – 10.15	Case Discussions – Proximal Femur and Pelvic & Acetabular Cases	Ravi Dissanayake & Joe Isaacs / All Faculty
10.15 – 10.30	AIP access – Tips, Tricks & Land Mines Avoidance	Mark Rickman
10.30 – 10.45	Direct Anterior Approach Access	Ton Tran
10.45 – 11.00	Open Anterior SIJ plating – When, Why and How	Pierre Navarre
11.00 – 11.15	The Middle Window – When and How	Rick Steer
11.15 – 11.30	Morning Tea	

#### SESSION TWO – CADAVER SESSION 1 – LABORATORY

11.30 – 12.30	AIP and Symphyseal Plating Direct Anterior Approach	Mark Rickman Ton Tran
12.30 – 13.00	Lunch	

#### SESSION THREE – CADAVER SESSION 2 – LABORATORY

13.00 – 15.00	Middle Window Open Sacroiliac Joint Plating Demonstrations: -AC Antegrade and Retrograde Screw -PC Antegrade	All Faculty
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15.00 – 15.30 Afternoon Tea



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#### SESSION FOUR – CASE DISCUSSIONS – LECTURE ROOM

15.30 – 17.30	Case Discussions: The Difficult Proximal Femoral Fractures	Mark Rickman/ Ravi Dissanayake/ All Faculty
17.30	Day 1 Wrap up & Close	
19.30 – 22.30	Course Dinner – Green Moustache Rooftop Bar & Restaurant, 100 Miller Street, Level 10, North Sydney	

#### SUNDAY 28 JUNE

#### SESSION FIVE – LECTURES & CASE DISCUSSIONS – LECTURE ROOM

08.30 – 09.30	Case Discussions – Posterior Wall/Posterior Column Fractures	Pierre Navarre/ All Faculty
09.30 – 09.45	Transverse Acetabular Fractures	Joe Isaacs
09.45 – 10.00	Surgical Dislocation – When, How & Why	Rick Steer
10.00 – 10.20	Posterior Pelvic Injuries – Open, Percutaneous or SPF	Mark Rickman
	Posterior Approach to Sacrum and SIJ	
10.20 -10.40	Morning Tea	

#### SESSION SIX – CADAVER SESSION 3 – LABORATORY

10.40 – 12.30	Kocher Langenbeck Surgical Dislocation Posterior Approach to Sacrum and SIJ	All Faculty
12.30 – 13.00	Lunch	

#### SESSION SEVEN – LECTURES & CASE DISCUSSIONS – LECTURE ROOM

13.00 – 13.30	Combined Pelvic and Acetabular Cases	Pierre Navarre/ All Faculty
13.30 – 13.45	Acetabular Fracture Outcome – What to Tell Your Patients and How Do We Improve	Rick Steer
13.45 – 14.00	How to Handle Intra-op Acetabular Fracture	Ravi Dissanayake
14.15 – 14.30	Periprosthetic Acetabular Fractures	Joe Isaacs
14.30 – 14.45	Geriatric Pelvis & Acetabular – Similarities & Differences	Mark Rickman
14.45 – 15.00	Acute THR in Geriatric Acetabular Fracture – How I Do It	Ton Tran
15.00 – 15.30	Course Wrap up & Close	