

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	Mark Rickman
	Direct Anterior Approach (time permitting)	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 – 13.45	Combined Pelvic and Acetabular Cases	Pierre Navarre/ Rick Steer/ All Faculty
13.45 – 14.05	How to Handle Intra-op Acetabular Fracture	Ravi Dissanayake
14.05 – 14.25	Periprosthetic Acetabular Fractures	Joe Isaacs
14.25 – 14.45	Geriatric Pelvis & Acetabular – Similarities & Differences	Mark Rickman
14.45 – 15.05	Acute THR in Geriatric Acetabular Fracture Cases	Ton Tran
15.05 – 15.15	Course Wrap up & Close	