

RANZCR Trainee SMART Workshop Program DRAFT Study Design Concepts Tuesday 12 March 2024

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Open to Accredited RANZCR Trainees and limited spots for non-RANZCR Trainees

| 8.30am | Welcome and Introduction | |
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| | President of TROG Cancer Research | |
| 8.50am | Study Design | Cohort / case control |
| | | Aspects of bias |
| | | Phase 1 and phase 2 designs |
| | | Randomised controlled trials |
| | | Randomisation and stratification |
| | | Non-inferiority / equivalence designs |
| 9.30am | Small Group Session 1 | |
| 10.30am–10.50am Morning Tea | | |
| 10.50am | Selecting | Outcome to endpoint |
| | endpoints | Endpoint selection |
| | | Hazard ratios and Kaplan Meier |
| 11.10am | Small Group Session 2 | |
| 12:00pm | International Guest speaker – Professor Stephane Supiot, Institut de Cancérologie de l'Ouest, University of Nantes, France. | |
| 12.30pm –1:30pm Lunch | | |
| 1.30pm | Other issues | Sample size considerations |
| | | Non-compliance |
| | | Confounders |
| | | Appropriate follow up time |
| | | Frequency of data collection |
| | | Dealing with missing data |
| 2.25pm | Small Group Session 3 | |
| 3.25pm–3:45pm | | |
| 3.45pm | National Guest Speaker – TBC | |
| 4.15pm | Critical appraisal wrap-up | |
| 4.35pm - 5:00pm | Close | |
| 5:00pm – 6:00pm | Networking function | |

*Please note this program is subject to change