

## Advanced Clinical Skills Course

**"So you want to be a Specialist Pain Medicine Physician - refining your skills!"**

Saturday 7th & Sunday 8th July 2018

*Michael J Cousins Pain Management and Research Centre,*

*Royal North Shore Hospital, Ground level Douglas Building, St Leonards NSW 2065*

Saturday July 7, 2018		
TIME	TOPIC	SESSION COORDINATOR
9-9.30am	Registration & wakeup coffee	
9.30-9.45am	Welcome, orientation & program	<b>Dr Paul Wrigley</b> Specialist pain medicine physician and anaesthetist
<b>Advanced Skills 1: Communication &amp; interviewing</b> <i>Managing challenging communication, providing effective feedback and the role of mental state examination</i>		
9.45-10.45am	Introduction/Skills practice	<b>Dr Paul Wrigley</b> Specialist pain medicine physician and anaesthetist
<b>10.45-11am</b>	<b>Morning tea</b>	
11am-1pm	Skills practice	
<b>1-2pm</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	
<b>Advanced Skills 2: Advanced examination skills</b> <i>Integrated physical examination and sensory testing</i>		
2-4pm	Skills practice	<b>Prof Milton Cohen</b> Specialist pain medicine physician and rheumatologist
<b>4-4.15pm</b>	<b>Afternoon tea</b>	
4.15-4.45pm	Skills session debrief	
4.45-5pm	Complete feedback forms	
<b>5-6pm</b>	<b>Drinks &amp; canapes</b>	
Sunday July 8, 2018		
TIME	TOPIC	SESSION COORDINATOR
8-8.15am	Wakeup coffee	
8.15-8.30am	Orientation to day	
<b>Advanced Skills 3: Patient assessment &amp; case formulation</b> <i>Long case presentation, diagnostic formulation, case examples</i>		
8.30-9.30am	Introduction	<b>Dr Paul Wrigley</b> Specialist pain medicine physician and anaesthetist
9.30-10.30am	Skills practice	
<b>10.30-11am</b>	<b>Morning tea</b>	
11am-12pm	Skills practice	
<b>Advanced Skills 4: Facilitating patient pain self-management</b> <i>Skills to assist a person with pain to engage in a process of positive change</i>		
12-1pm	Introduction	<b>Prof Michael Nicholas</b> Specialist pain medicine physician and clinical psychologist
<b>1-1.45pm</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	
1.45-3.15pm	Skills practice	
<b>3.15-3.30pm</b>	<b>Afternoon tea</b>	
3.30-4pm	Skills practice	
4-4.30pm	Debrief, feedback forms & what's next	<b>Dr Paul Wrigley/Dr Martine O'Neill</b> Course coordinators

Note: program & speakers subject to final confirmation