18th Symposium on the Forensic Sciences

Forensic Science
Classroom to Courtroom

Esplanade Hotel Fremantle, Western Australia

2 – 7 April 2006

Presented by The Australian and New Zealand Forensic Science Society in association with The Australian and New Zealand Medicine Society and The Australian Society of Forensic Dentistry and The Australian and New Zealand Association of Forensic Science Educators.

Key Date:

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Pre Conference Workshops 1-2 April 2006
Post Conference Workshops 8-14 April 2006

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INVITATION TO ATTEND

On behalf of the organising committee it is our pleasure to invite you to attend the 18th International Symposium of the Forensic Sciences being held from Sunday 2 April 2006 to Friday 7 April 2006 at the Esplanade Hotel, Fremantle (Perth), Western Australia.

The Symposium is a biennial event that is the highlight of the forensic science calendar of Australia and New Zealand. This will be the 5th Symposium presented in affiliation with the Australian Society of Forensic Dentistry (ASFD), the sixth presented in affiliation with the Australian and New Zealand Forensic Medicine Society (ANZFMS) and the first in affiliation with the Australian and New Zealand Association of Forensic Science Educators (ANZAFSE). The 2006 Symposium builds on a very successful international conference held at Wellington, New Zealand in 2004. The theme of the Symposium, Forensic Science: Classroom to Courtroom, emphasises the importance of scientific research and education as the foundation stone of forensic practice.

The Symposium will bring together international and national experts across all of the major disciplines of the forensic sciences. The organising committee has formulated a comprehensive programme of plenary and keynote addresses, long and short papers and posters that will be thought provoking and challenging, to foster debate on important issues facing forensic practice. The Symposium will provide you with a unique opportunity to benefit from the philosophical and technical presentations, and to develop a fellowship with forensic associates from the region and beyond.

Specialist Practitioner Workshops will again be convened on the weekends before and after the symposium.

On behalf of the organising committee, we invite you to be part of the ANZFSS 2006 18th International Symposium, to share with us this celebration of the challenges and achievements of forensic science.

Dr Clive Cooke  Association Professor Ian Dadour
Chair, Organising Committee  Chair, WA State Committee
Welcome from the President of ASFD

The biennial ANZFSS Symposium not only enables Australasian forensic dentists to come together, but also provides the opportunity to meet with our international colleagues. The Asian tsunami, and operations associated with its aftermath, has highlighted the importance of well-established networks between colleagues both nationally and internationally. The 18th ANZFSS Symposium will make an important contribution towards the further strengthening of those networks.

The scientific programme is both innovative and diverse, allowing not only in-depth analysis of dental-related topics but also extending the horizon to related disciplines. I welcome and thank our presenters who make such a valuable contribution to the programme, and encourage all the dental community to fully embrace this exciting event.

Fremantle is the ideal location for delegates to experience the relaxed and informal hospitality of the West coast and early April is the most comfortable time of the year with clear, sunny days and warm nights.

The social programme incorporates the unique features of Fremantle, complementing the scientific programme and providing the setting for social networking.

Welcome to Fremantle and ANZFSS 2006!

Stephen Knott  
President, Australian Society of Forensic Dentistry

Message from the President of the ANZFMS

On behalf of the ANZ Forensic Medicine Society it is my pleasure to invite members and guests to this International Symposium. The parent organisation of the ANZFMS became affiliated with the ANZFSS in 1996 and represents medical practitioners involved in clinical forensic medicine. Members have interests in all fields of medico-legal practice with an emphasis of the forensic medicine of the living with its rich involvement in all aspects of the human condition.

In 2005 the membership of the ANZFMS voted overwhelmingly to merge the organisation into the Australian College of Legal Medicine (ACLM). This meeting will be the last time the ANZFMS has any participation in the ANZFSS conference, but will also be the introduction of the ACLM into the organisation. We are sure this will be a positive step in widening the involvement of medical practitioners involved in our field in the wide and complementary area of forensic medicine and science.

There is much to be gained from including a forensic medical stream in a forensic science conference. Many of the specimens and materials submitted to forensic laboratories have their origins in medical procedures and examinations. The interpretation of laboratory results can be helped enormously by clinical knowledge of the medical issues involved in each case. Both the scientific and medical communities can learn a lot from experiencing discussion of each other’s discipline and understanding the possibilities and limitations that we all work with. This will have an inevitable result of increasing the understanding of the issues by the courts and with it, an improvement of the standards of medical and scientific evidence.

As in previous years there will be a range of fascinating papers presented covering the wide range of interests of members of our society. I encourage all our ANZFMS and ACLM members to contribute toward the success of this event by attending or submitting a paper, and I wish all participants a stimulating and educational time at this symposium.
Dr Morris Odell FACLM. Retiring President of the ANZFMS

Message from the President, Australian College of Legal Medicine

Many of you in the ANZFSS may be unfamiliar with the Australian College of Legal Medicine (ACLM) and it is with pride and pleasure that I introduce you to the College.

The College was founded in 1995 and celebrates its decade annual scientific meeting in 2005, in Surfer’s Paradise, in conjunction with the first intake of students to the Post-Graduate Diploma and Master’s Degrees in Legal Medicine, which the College has initiated in partnership with the new Medical School at Griffith University.

Since the inception of the College it has always been recognised that forensic medicine is an integral part of legal medicine and there has always been a forensic medical stream within the College. We have been very proud to have some of the most eminent people within forensic medicine in Australia be part of the College and we are delighted to see this association strengthen following the merger of the ANZFMS into the structures of the ACLM.

As mentioned, in the message from Morris Odell, the ACLM sees it as a win-win situation for all of us but by far the greatest winner is our speciality within medicine. The College is thrilled to welcome much greater involvement in forensic medical practice within this country. We are also thrilled by the idea that we will be able to work more closely with scientists within forensic medicine and the cross-pollination and fertilisation of this important area of medical practice can only benefit from greater diversity of intellectual input.

The College has been aware of the organisation for this conference for some years and we encourage all of our membership to be actively involved in presenting material of mutual interest. We welcome all our colleagues with an interest in legal and forensic medicine to attend this conference, which will be a focal point for this discipline around the world in the first half of 2006. The Australian College of Legal Medicine is most grateful for the opportunity to be part of this educational exchange and to be able to lend our full support for this most important conference.

Roy G Beran
President, Australian College of Legal Medicine
PLENARY AND KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

The Plenary and Keynote speakers are leading national and international experts in their fields, and will address the Symposium theme, *Forensic Science: Classroom to Courtroom.*

Many will also be participating in pre & pos workshops.

Professor Sue Black    UK  Anthropology and War Crimes  
Dr John Butler    USA  DNA  
Dr Richard Eikelenboom    Holland  Biological Trace Evidence Recovery  
Dr Martin Evison    UK  Computer Assisted Facial Recognition  
Dr Ron Fourney    Canada  DNA  
Dr Gilbert Lau    Singapore  Adverse Medical Events (iatrogenic Injury)  
Dr Richard Pinchin    UK  DNA  
Dr Damian Schofield    USA  Clandestine Laboratories  
Dr Khunying Pornpit Rojanasunan    Thailand  Forensic Science/Post-Tsunami  
Dr Dallas Mildenhall    NZ  Forensic Palynology  
Stuart James    USA  Blood Pattern Analysis  
Pat Latham    USA  Blood Pattern Analysis  
Ben Garrett    USA  CBR  
John Casales    USA  Clandestine Laboratories  
Dr Harry Skinner    USA  Clandestine Laboratories  
Dr Tom Janowski    USA  Drug Profiling  

National Speakers:
Dr Tony Buti    Human Rights Affecting the Aboriginal Population  
Prof John Clement    Human Identification  
Prof Stephen Cordner    Human Rights  
Mr Guy Hall    Methods used to justify detention of high-risk individuals  
Mr Paul Hillier    Laser Scanning for Counter Terrorism and Data Collection  
Dr Ivan Kempson    Synchrotron Research  
Dr John Long    Forensic Fossils  
Prof David Ranson    Presentation of Evidence  
Prof James Robertson    Terrorism  
Mr Kevin Tavener    Civil Atrocities in Sierra Leone  

Local Speakers:
A/Prof. Bill Hutchinson    Software for Ballistics Evidence  
Dr Mike McLauchlin    Environmental Biogeochemistry Stream  
Dr Craig Valli    Internet and Computer Security  
Prof John Watling    Trace Inorganic Analysis  

Trade Exhibition
A three day trade exhibition will run concurrently with the Symposium, providing delegates with a comprehensive overview of products and services available to the Forensic Sciences. All catering breaks will be held in the exhibition area.

Chaired Poster Sessions and Short Papers
Posters will have a high profile in this Symposium. Poster Sessions will be presented in two groups over three days and displayed in the trade exhibition area. Further details on the chaired poster sessions will be available soon.

Short Papers will be presented over four days. Presenters of oral short papers will have a maximum of 15 minutes, including questions. Time limits will be strictly adhered to.
SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships of varying values are available and open to ANZFSS members.

The ANZFSS, the National Institute of Forensic Science (NIFS) and the Senior Managers of Australian and New Zealand Forensic Laboratories (SMANZFL) provide funding for the National Scholarships.

Applications on the official scholarship application form must be forwarded to the secretary of the ANFSS Branch of which the applicant is a member.

For further information, please contact your local branch.

SOCIAL PROGRAM

WELCOME RECEPTION
Sunday 2 April, 5.00pm to 7.00pm

The Welcome Reception will be held at the Esplanade Hotel Fremantle. The cost of the Welcome Reception is included in the full registration fee. Cost for additional tickets is $55.00

THE XTEK XTREME NIGHT OUT
Tuesday 4 April, 7.00pm – 11pm

This event will be held at a surprise venue. The cost of this event is included in the full registration fee. Cost for additional tickets is $50.00.

SYMPOSIUM DINNER
Thursday 6 April, 7.00pm – Midnight

The Symposium Dinner will be held at the Esplanade Hotel Fremantle in the Gala Ballroom. The Symposium dinner is an additional cost and is not included in any of the registration fees. The cost per ticket is $120.00.

CLOSING DRINKS
Friday 7 April, after last session

The Closing drinks will be held after the closing session on Friday, for delegates to say their goodbyes before heading home. The cost of this event is included in the full registration fee. Cost for additional tickets is $30.00
REGISTRATION INFORMATION

EARLYBIRD REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

REGISTRATION FEES
All prices quoted are in Australian Dollars and include GST. Tax invoices will be issued upon registration. The 18th International Symposium on Forensic Sciences ABN is 3160 9150 895.

Please note: It is essential for all participants including invited speakers, delegates, and presenters to send in a completed registration form together with payment of registration fees.

FEES (all prices are in Australian dollars)

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REGISTRATION ENTITLEMENTS:

FULL REGISTRATION
Full registration fees include attendance at all Symposium sessions, morning and afternoon teas, and lunches each day of the Symposium, the Welcome Reception, the XTEK Xtreme Night Out and all Symposium materials.

Those registering as Members must be members of The Australian and New Zealand Forensic Science Society (ANZFSS), The Australian and New Zealand Forensic Medicine Society (ANZFMS) and/or The Australian Society of Forensic Dentistry (ASFD).

The Symposium Dinner is not included in the registration fee. Dinner tickets and guest tickets for Symposium social events can be booked and paid for separately.

STUDENT FULL REGISTRATION
The registration fee for full time students has the same inclusions as the full registration fee. Full time tertiary students must have their Head of Department sign the ‘declaration’ form. This should accompany your registration form. If you register online, we request that you post or fax this separately.
DAY REGISTRATION
The Day Registration fee includes attendance at Symposium sessions on the nominated day as well as lunch and refreshment breaks on the nominated day, and Symposium materials for that day.

Tickets for Symposium social events can be booked and paid for separately.

STUDENT DAY REGISTRATION
The Student Day Registration fee includes attendance at Symposium sessions on the allocated day of registration as well as lunch and refreshment breaks for that day and Symposium materials. Full time tertiary students must have their Head of Department sign the declaration form. This should accompany your registration form. If you register online, we request that you post or fax this separately.

Tickets for Symposium social events can be booked and paid for separately.

ACCOMPANYING PERSONS
The Symposium is not facilitating a partners’ program as such. Delegates can purchase additional tickets to all social events on behalf of their guests. Local touring information is available

A tour desk will also be available onsite at The Esplanade Hotel Fremantle. The hotel or the Symposium Registration Desk staff will be pleased to assist delegates with tourist information.

PAYMENT
- Registration Forms must be accompanied by payment of the registration fees and accommodation deposits. If a Tax Invoice is required before payment can be made, please note this on the registration form.
- All amounts are in Australian Dollars. Overseas registrants should arrange payment by bank draft payable in Australian Dollars at an Australian bank.
- Registration fees may be paid by MasterCard, Visa and Bankcard.
- Delegates will receive a confirmation letter which includes the receipt.
- Speakers are required to send a completed registration form with payment of registration fees to the Conference Secretariat.

GOODS & SERVICES TAX
A Tax Invoice will be issued with the receipt of registration and should be kept for GST records. Unless otherwise requested in writing at the time of sending the registration enrolment form, the Tax Invoice will be in the name of the delegate. Reprints for Tax Invoices will be subject to a $20 administration fee.

For international visitors, a tax refund may be sought at the airport for goods which are taken with them in their hand luggage when leaving the country. A tax refund is not available for goods or services consumed in Australia – and therefore the GST component of conference registration fees, accommodation, tours, etc are not claimable.

CANCELLATION POLICY
1. All cancellations of attendance must be made in writing to the Symposium Secretariat.
2. A full refund, less a cancellation fee of $50 will be made on those received before 31 December 2005.
3. A refund of 50% of the registration fee will be made on cancellations received between 31 December 2005 and 10 February 2006
4. No refund will be made after 10 February 2006.
5. The cancellation policy applies at all time. If registration fees have not been paid at the time of cancellation, a cancellation fee will still be charged, and must be paid.
6. All refunds will be paid at the conclusion of the Symposium.
ACCOMMODATION

A range of accommodation has been reserved for delegates attending the Symposium. The Symposium Organisers have secured attractive rates at the Esplanade Hotel Fremantle and other hotels and apartments in Fremantle and Perth on behalf of registrants. **Hotel rooms in Fremantle and Perth are in short supply and 100% occupancy is not an unusual event. The Symposium Organisers are not able to guarantee accommodation unless bookings are confirmed by 28 February 2006.** Please indicate your choice of hotel in order of preference on the Registration Form and forward a deposit of the first room night’s fee to secure the reservation. Please advise us if you are twin sharing with another person.

1. The first room night’s deposit is required at the time of booking your room, without this the registration request will not be processed.
2. This deposit will be forwarded to the hotel and you will be responsible for settling the balance of the account on checkout of the hotel.
3. Accommodation cancellations received after 28 February 2006 may forfeit the first night’s deposit.
4. Refunds will be subject to the cancellation charges levied by the hotel.
5. Accommodation deposits will also be forfeited if the room is not occupied on the requested check in date.
6. Changes of accommodation requirements must be advised in writing to the secretariat. Do not contact the hotel directly.

**All accommodation is quoted in Australian dollars and is per room or apartment per night and inclusive of GST. Breakfast is not included unless specified.**

**Esplanade Hotel Fremantle**
Corner Marine Terrace & Essex Street, Fremantle WA 6160

- **Standard Room** $175.00 Single/ Double/ Twin

The 4½ star International Esplanade Hotel Fremantle offers guests a choice of 300 well appointed guest rooms and suites, most with private balconies with views overlooking popular parklands tropical gardens and swimming pools.

**Quest Harbour Village Apartments**
Mews Road, Challenger Harbour, Fremantle WA 6160

- **One Bedroom Apartment** $162.00 Fishing Boat Harbour view (One queen bed)
- **Two Bedroom/One Bathroom Apartment** $192.00 Fishing Boat Harbour view (One queen bed, two single beds)
- **Two Bedroom/One Bathroom Apartment** $202.00 Challenger Harbour view (One queen bed, two single beds)
- **Three Bedroom/Two Bathroom Apartment** $221.00 Challenger Harbour view (One queen bed, four single beds)

Uniquely located right on the quay in Challenger Harbour, Fremantle, these apartments are a short walk (approximately 12 minutes) from the Symposium venue.

**Tradewinds Hotel**
59 Canning Highway, Fremantle WA 6158
One Bedroom Apartment  $157.00  
Two Bedroom Apartment  $220.00  
The original Tradewinds Hotel, located in Fremantle, is over 100 years old. The building is Heritage listed and offers tradition, character and warmth.

**Trinity**  
230 Hampden Road, Nedlands WA 6009  

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Each room is equipped with air conditioning, study desk and lamp, refrigerator, television, tea/coffee making facilities and an ISD telephone. Rates include breakfast.

**Perth City Accommodation:**  
Most hotels are within a short walk to the Train Station. The train ride to Fremantle takes approximately 28 minutes – go to [www.transperth.com.au](http://www.transperth.com.au) for ticket fares and timetables. From Fremantle train station, it's a short 10 minute walk to the Esplanade Hotel Fremantle or you can catch the Fremantle CAT bus which is a free.

Driving from the city to Fremantle takes approximately 30 minutes. Pay Parking is available around Fremantle.

**Sullivans Hotel**  
166 Mounts Bay Road, Perth WA 6000  

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Sullivans Hotel overlooks the City and the Swan River. The hotel adjoins Kings Park and the Botanic Garden, with the City, Convention Centre and Ferry Terminal only a 10 minute walk.

**Perth Ambassador**  
196 Adelaide Terrace, Perth WA 6000  

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Perth Ambassador Hotel is located close to the major attractions of Perth, such as the magnificent Swan River, beautiful Kings Park and the majestic Swan Bell Tower. Rates include complimentary breakfast.

**Goodearth Hotel**  
195 Adelaide Terrace, Perth WA 6004  

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The Goodearth Hotel is conveniently positioned for all of Perth’s spectacular attractions. Situated on Adelaide Terrace, overlooking the beautiful Swan River and adjacent to Langley Park. We are within easy walking distance to the WACA, Gloucester Park and just 5 km from Burswood International Casino.
Jewell House
180 Goderick Street, East Perth WA 6004  
www.ymcajewellhouse.com

Single Room $36.00  
Double / Twin Room $46.00  
YMCA Jewell House has been providing accommodation for groups, families, and single men and women for almost two decades. They are situated in quiet surroundings and just a ten minute stroll from the city centre.

Parmelia Hilton
14 Mill Street, Perth WA 6000  
www.hilton.com

Guest Room $245  
Single/ Double/ Twin
Situated in the heart of Perth’s CBD and shopping areas and just minutes from the Swan River and beautiful King's Park.

Hotel Grand Chancellor Perth
707 Wellington Street, Perth WA 6000  
www.ghihotels.com

Standard Room $150.00  
Single/ Double/ Twin
Located at the growing 'West End' of Perth’s CBD, a short stroll will lead you right to the heart of the city, with its vibrant malls and shopping areas. The hotel is close to Northbridge with its exciting nightlife and just a few minutes drive from magnificent Kings Park. The hotel’s convenient location opposite the Perth train station means only a short walk and a 28 minute scenic train ride or a 30 minute drive to Fremantle.

ACCOMPANYING PERSONS ACTIVITIES

There are excellent and unique tourist attractions to experience in Fremantle and Perth. The following are some popular places. The information listed is correct at the time of publishing, but subject to change. Please note that if you would like to visit one of the attractions listed below, you will be responsible for your own transportation and entry fees. This information is provided as a guide only.

A Tour Information Desk will be available at the Esplanade Hotel Fremantle to assist with tour bookings during the Symposium.

TOURIST ATTRACTIONS IN FREMANTLE

WA Maritime Museum
The WA Maritime Museum provides exhibitions on Maritime history and shipwrecks discovered off the Western Australian coast and Western Australia’s Maritime endeavours.

Address: Cliff Street and Victoria Quay FREMANTLE WA 6160  
Phone: 08 9431 8444  
Fax: 08 9431 8490  
web: www.mm.wa.gov.au
Army Museum of WA
The Army Museum of Western Australia is a progressive museum that is part of a national network of museums and collections relating to Army heritage coordinated by the Army History Unit.

Address: Artillery Barracks, Burt Street FREMANTLE WA 6160
Phone: 08 9335 2077
Fax: 08 9430 2519
Web: www.armymuseumwa.com.au

Fremantle Chocolate Factory
The Fremantle Chocolate Factory is now owned and run by the founders of the Margaret River Fudge Factory, a retail outlet for speciality confectionery. Drop in and watch the chocolate being hand crafted on the premises.

Address: 312 – 314 South Terrace SOUTH FREMANTLE WA 6162
Phone: 08 9335 5529
Web: www.freochoc.com.au

Fremantle Markets
Fremantle Markets is not just a collection of exciting shops and stalls and entertainment. With everything from fresh and interesting foods, to fantastic crafts, gifts and the fun of buskers and artists, it's a cultural experience rich in history and tradition.

Address: Corner South Terrace and Henderson Street, FREMANTLE WA 6160
Phone: 08 9335 2515 Fax: 08 9336 1704
Web: www.fremantlemarkets.com.au

Fremantle Motor Museum
Visit Australia’s newest and most exciting motor museum with large banners behind every car, a 1950s diner called Oscar's and a period garage called York Garage.

Address: "B Shed" Victoria Quay FREMANTLE WA 6160
Phone: 08 9336 5222 Fax: 08 9336 5522
Web: www.fremantlemotormuseum.net

Fremantle Prison Tours
The Prison has become a significant attraction since opening to the public in 1992. Visitors can choose to sample the Prison's vivid cultural history in the interactive visitor centre, take a guided tour of the Prison during the day or for a different perspective a candlelight tour.

Address: No 1 The Terrace FREMANTLE WA 6160
Phone: 08 9336 9200 Fax: 08 9336 7188
Web: www.fremantleprison.com

Leeuwin Ocean Adventure
Leeuwin II is Western Australia's own Tall Ship, a 3-masted barquentine with over 810 square metres of sail and a length overall of 55 metres. Book day sails or voyages to destinations including Exmouth, Monkey Mia, Esperance, Broome and lots more.

Address: 'B' Berth, Victoria Quay FREMANTLE WA 6160
Phone: 08 9430 4105 Fax: 08 9430 4494
Web: www.leeuwin.com
Scoot Freo
Hire a zippy bubble shaped Scoot Car for a unique selfdrive experience!

Address: 2 Phillimore Street FREMANTLE WA 6160
Phone: 08 9336 5933 Fax: 08 9246 2940
Trams West Pty Ltd

Relive the romance and nostalgia of yester-year as Trams West takes you on a discovery tour of the historic port city of Fremantle. A regular tour programme operates in Fremantle every day of the year.

Address: 39A Malsbury Street BICTON WA 6157
Phone: 08 9339 8719 Fax: 08 9339 3616
Web: www.tramswest.com.au

TOURIST ATTRACTIONS IN AND AROUND PERTH

Kings Park Free Guided Walking Tours
Wander amongst the unique Western Australian flora and listen to the birds – enjoy a little of the life of Kings Park. Your Guide will highlight botanical features and other items of general interest on a range of scheduled walks (lasting from 1 – 1.5 hours). Full details and schedules are available at www.bgpa.wa.gov.au

Aquarium of Western Australia
Overlooking the stunning sunset coast, this is the only place in Western Australia where you can come face to face with thousands of marine creatures, travel beneath three million litres of Indian Ocean without getting wet, touch stingrays, starfish and even a shark - all in one day! Admission prices: adult $20, children $12.50 (prices correct at time of printing, but subject to change). www.aqwa.com.au

Art Gallery of Western Australia, James St Mall, Perth
The Art Gallery of Western Australia is situated in the Perth Cultural Centre adjacent to the City train station and Northbridge, the City's café and restaurant district. Open daily between 1000 - 1700. Admission is free (an entry charge may apply to special exhibitions). www.artgallery.wa.gov.au

Perth Zoo, Mill Point Rd, South Perth
Perth Zoo is open from 0900 to 1700 every day of the year, and for special evening events as advertised. It is a short drive from the CBD. For other transport options, including ferry, call Transperth on 13 62 13. www.perthzoo.wa.gov.au

Perth Mint, East Perth
The Perth Mint is a world leader in the manufacture and marketing of precious metal coins, medallions and collectables. Housed in one of Australia’s most elegant late-19th century heritage buildings, it is the nation’s oldest operating mint and one of the oldest mints in the world still producing coins from its original premises. The Mint is a national award-winning tourist attraction, with more than 120,000 visitors a year. You can watch the Gold Pour and then take a tour through the Heritage Walk & Gold Exhibition. www.perthmint.com.au
Captain Cook Cruises, Pier 2, Barrack Square, Perth
This service offers visitors to Perth a wide selection of cruises on the picturesque and calm waters of the Swan River. Captain Cook is famous for wine cruises to the Swan Valley, visiting some of the best local vineyards. Offering a range of prices and routes, you should find something to suit your tastes at: www.captaincookcruises.com.au

TRAVEL TO WESTERN AUSTRALIA

DOMESTIC TRAVEL

Book Your Flight

Qantas is the official carrier for the 18th Symposium. Book online with Qantas and save time and money. Online airfares are cheaper than booking over the phone. Plus, you'll have access to all the latest fares.

To book online go to http://www.anzfss2006.org.au/registration/travel

INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL
For assistance with flight bookings from overseas, international delegates can contact Qantas, on the below free-call numbers. All numbers listed below are:

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(Or contact your local Qantas office).

To book international flights online, go to www.qantas.com.au

OTHER TRAVEL OPTIONS
Alternative forms of travel to Western Australia are also available, such as train, bus or car. Information can be found at:

www.westernaustralia.com
www.lookatwa.com.au
GENERAL INFORMATION

DESTINATION FREMANTLE, WESTERN AUSTRALIA
Located just 20 minutes from Perth CBD and 30 minutes from Perth International and Domestic Airports the vibrant port city of Fremantle is known for its rich cultural diversity and cosmopolitan influences. History, heritage, architecture, culture, art and tourism come together in the 19th century port city of Fremantle making it one of Australia's most exciting destinations to visit.

Hundreds of beautiful heritage buildings line the streets many of them flourishing in their new lives as restaurants, museums, boutiques, markets, nightclubs and coffee shops. Fremantle enjoys a Mediterranean climate, with warm to hot summers and cool, wet winters. During April, temperatures range from 13 to 25 degrees.

The port city is located at the mouth of the Swan River on the West Coast of Western Australia and is part of the Perth metropolitan area.

ARRIVING IN WESTERN AUSTRALIA
Perth's international and domestic airports are located 16 km and 11 km respectively north east of the CBD. Shuttle buses, hire cars and taxis operate between the airports and Perth city.

As a general guide, taxi charges from the international & domestic airports are as follows:
- Fremantle $45 / $45 respectively
- Perth $28 / $21 respectively

INFORMATIVE WEB SITES
- Western Australia [www.westernaustralia.com](http://www.westernaustralia.com)
- Perth Airport [www.perthairport.net.au](http://www.perthairport.net.au)

FREE TRANSPORTATION IN FREMANTLE
The easiest way to get around Fremantle is with the Fremantle CAT service. The route is designed especially to assist you to get to all the popular Fremantle destinations and it runs seven days a week. CAT buses complete a circuit around the City of Fremantle stopping at popular places of interest offering easy access to major attractions and venues. The CAT buses run every 10 minutes. A map and further details can be found on the Transperth Website: [www.transperth.wa.gov.au](http://www.transperth.wa.gov.au)

PARKING
Most car parks in the City of Fremantle are operated by on site ticket dispensing machines. Security staff patrol the Point Street multi-level car park.

Queensgate, a multi-level car park in Henderson Street (No. 9) is the only car park currently staffed by cashiers and security officers. Fees are charged on an hourly basis and collected on exit at cashiers office, or at ticket machines located throughout the carpark.

Short-term parking is available in metered areas with time limits varying from 15 minutes to three hours. 15 minute, 30 minute and 1 hour metered bays are provided in high demand.
locations with off street car parks also available within close proximity to the City centre. Two and three hour metres are provided in areas of less demand.

CLIMATE
Fremantle enjoys warm to hot, dry summers and mild winters. During April, average temperatures range from 13°C-25°C Celsius.

DRESS STANDARDS
During the week of the conference delegates may wear smart, casual clothing
Welcome Function - Smart Casual
XTEK Xtreme Night Out – Smart Casual
Gala Dinner - Evening wear

TIME
Perth is on the same time zone as Singapore and Hong Kong and is two hours behind Sydney, Melbourne and Brisbane. During daylight savings, Western Australia is three hours behind AEST.

REGISTRATION CHECK IN
The Registration Desk at the Symposium will be open as follows:

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Delegates will be given their satchel and a personalised envelope at registration check in. The satchel will contain the programme book and other materials of use during their time at the Symposium

THE VENUE
The Esplanade Hotel Fremantle is a 4 star, international business and leisure hotel with simple, elegant and relaxed surroundings offering warm, friendly and professional service.

Address: Corner Marine Terrace and Essex Street FREMANTLE WA 6160
Phone: 08 9432 4000
Fax: 08 9430 4539
www.esplanadehotelfremantle.com.au

OVERSEAS REGISTRANTS
All amounts are in Australian Dollars. Overseas registrants should arrange payment by credit card or bank draft payable in Australian Dollars at an Australian bank.

VISAS
International visitors to Australia require a Visa or an electronic travel authority. It is your responsibility to ensure documentation is correct and complete before you commence your journey. Information on obtaining visas or ETA’s can be found on the web site:
www.eta.immi.gov.au

GOODS AND SERVICES TAX
For international visitors, a tax refund may be sought at the airport for goods beyond the value of $300 which should be carried with them in their hand luggage when leaving the country. A
tax refund is not available for goods or services consumed in Australia – and therefore the GST component of conference registration fees, accommodation, tours, etc are not claimable.

**PRIVACY**
Please complete the section of the Registration Form relating to privacy and inclusion of your name, organisation and state/country in the published Delegate List which will be available to exhibitors, sponsors and delegates.

**INSURANCE**
Participants carry their own risk for personal injury or loss of property, including baggage, during the conference. We strongly recommend that, at the time of booking your travel and tours, you take out a travel insurance policy. This policy should take into account loss of deposit through cancellation, medical insurance, loss or damage to personal property, and financial loss incurred through disruption to accommodation or travel arrangements due to business failures, strikes, or other industrial action. The organisers are in no way responsible for any claims concerning insurance.

**DISCLAIMERS**
The ANZFSS 18th International Symposium, including the Conference organisers, will not accept liability for damages of any nature sustained by participants or their accompanying persons or loss or damage to their personal property as a result of the conference or related events.