

**NHMRC Centre for Excellence in Medical Workforce Dynamics  
Medicine in Australia - Balancing Employment and Life (MABEL)**

**Program, 3rd MABEL Research Forum – Friday 24 April 2015**

Venue: MLR2 Theatre, Melbourne Business School, The University of Melbourne

9.15 - 9.30am	Coffee and Registration
9.30 - 9.45am	Introduction and CRE-MABEL update and overview Anthony Scott, The University of Melbourne
9.45 - 10.30am	<b>SESSION 1: What do we want from our medical workforce?</b>
	<b>Chair:</b> Judy Searle, Medical Deans Australia and New Zealand
	<b>Panel Discussion:</b>
	Wendy Southern, Commonwealth Department of Health Brendan Murphy, Austin Health Philip Davies, Department of Health, Queensland Leanne Wells, Consumers Health Forum of Australia
	<i>Q&amp;A to panel</i>
10.30 - 11.00am	Morning Tea
11.00am - 12.15pm	<b>SESSION 2: MEDICAL CAREERS AND WORKFORCE PARTICIPATION</b>
	<b>Chair:</b> Mukesh Haikerwal, General Practitioner
	<i>Overview of MABEL Research: Guyonne Kalb, The University of Melbourne</i>
	<i>Q&amp;A to overview</i>
	<b>Short Presentations:</b>
	1. Barbara Broadway, The University of Melbourne <i>Do financial incentives influence GPs' decisions to work after hours?</i>
	2. Danny Hills, University of Canberra <i>In harms' way. Workplace aggression in Australian clinical medical practice.</i>
	<i>Q&amp;A to presentations</i>
12.15 - 1.15pm	Lunch
1.15 - 2.15pm	<b>SESSION 3: INTEGRATING RESEARCH AND EVALUATION INTO HEALTH WORKFORCE POLICY</b>
	<b>Chair:</b> Stephen Leeder, Editor-in-Chief, Medical Journal of Australia
	<i>Lessons from MABEL: John Humphreys, Monash University</i>
	<b>Panel Discussion:</b>
	Maureen McCarty, Department of Health Louisa Jorm, The University of New South Wales Caroline Laurence, University of Adelaide
	<i>Q&amp;A to panel discussion</i>

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2.15 - 2.45pm	Afternoon Tea
2.45 - 4.15pm	<b>SESSION 4: RURAL MEDICAL WORKFORCE</b>
	<b>Chair: Anthony Wall, Rural Health Workforce Australia</b>
	Overview of MABEL Research: Matthew McGrail, Monash University
	<b>Research paper:</b>
	Belinda O'Sullivan, Monash University <i>The stability of rural outreach: a national longitudinal study of medical specialists.</i>
	<b>Panel Discussion:</b>
	Jenny Johnson, Rural Doctors Association of Australia Paul Cutting, Department of Health Lesleyanne Hawthorne, The University of Melbourne Lucie Walters, Australian College of Rural and Remote Medicine
4.15pm	<b>Closing remarks: Anthony Scott, The University of Melbourne</b>

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