

# National Health & Innovation Precincts Summit

6 - 7 December 2023 | Aerial UTS Function Centre, Sydney

## INTERNATIONAL KEYNOTE:



Cory Mulvihill, *Chief of Staff, MaRS Discovery District*



Stefano Minini, *Project Director - MIND Milano Innovation District, Lendlease*

## SPEAKERS INCLUDE:



Teresa Anderson, *Chief Executive, Sydney Local Health District*



Andrew Nash, *Chief Scientific Officer, CSL*



Anne O'Neill, *Acting Executive Director, Office for Health and Medical Research, NSW Medical Research*



Deborah Willcox, *Deputy Secretary, Health System Strategy and Planning, NSW Health*



Priscilla Radice, *Deputy Director General, Health Capital Division, Queensland Health*



Stefano Scalzo, *Executive General Manager, Infrastructure Planning, Victorian Department of Health*



Shelley Dolan, *Chief Executive, Royal Melbourne Hospital*



Alex Belcastro, *Senior Vice President - Medical Precincts, Northwest Healthcare Properties*



Professor Robyn Ward, *Executive Dean, Faculty of Medicine and Health, The University of Sydney*



Anna McFadgen, *Chief Executive Officer, St Vincent's Hospital Sydney*



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Dr Iris Depaz, *Country Medical Lead, Sanofi Australia & New Zealand*



Brooke Griffin, *Executive Director, Randwick Health and Innovation Precinct*



Petra Andren, *Head of Innovation Districts, Greater Cities Commission*

## TUESDAY 5 DECEMBER



Pre-Conference Workshop | **SPACE - PLACE - PRECINCT**



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Welcome Reception

## WEDNESDAY 6 DECEMBER

7pm - 9pm



Networking Dinner

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## PRE-CONFERENCE PROGRAMMING: Tuesday 5 December 2023

### PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP

#### SPACE-PLACE-PRECINCT

**Tuesday 5th December, 9am – 12pm, UTS Building 10**

How can Health and Innovation Precincts create high quality public space for the community? What are the common features of successful urban precincts that are distinctive, place-specific, and attractive? What is the role of government, developers, universities, hospitals, and other organisations in co-creating successful precincts?

Alison Huynh, *Architect | Bates Smart, Australian Health Design Council*

Matt Davis, *Studio Director, Bates Smart Architecture, Urban Design, Strategy*

### TECH CENTRAL SITE TOURS

**Tuesday 5th December, 1pm – 2pm & 3:30pm – 5pm**

Where: Tech Central, Sydney

Experience this exciting innovation precinct first-hand and get a closer look at some of the state-of-the-art facilities which are home to a thriving ecosystem.

### WELCOME RECEPTION

**Tuesday 5th December, 5pm – 7pm**

Where: Susan Wakil Health Building, The University of Sydney

Meet up with some industry colleagues for a drink and a chat before the hustle and bustle of the main conference begins the next day.

# National Health & Innovation Precincts Summit

## DAY ONE: Wednesday 6 December 2023 | Plenary Sessions

### BREAKFAST BRIEFINGS | 7:30AM – 9:00AM



This session will include a series of short briefings followed by a breakout to more intimate discussions with Q&A hosted by a range of experts. These briefings offer the opportunity for a deeper dive discussion with experts and service providers on more specialised topics over your morning coffee and a pastry.

**9:00** Opening Remarks from the Chair

**9:20** **INTERNATIONAL KEYNOTE** | **Life on MaRS - from small affair to best-selling show**

 Cory Mulvihill, *Chief of Staff, MaRS Discovery District*

**9:45** **KEYNOTE PANEL** | **Unpacking effective precinct governance**

- What are the steps to take to set a collective vision for growth and common goals?
- Who sits at the table?
- Learnings from different governance structures and how they are managed
- Financing – working toward sustainable models
- What is the role of different players in the precinct?

Moderator: Brooke Griffin, *Executive Director, Randwick Health and Innovation Precinct*

Teresa Anderson, *Chief Executive, Sydney Local Health District*

Shelley Dolan, *Chief Executive, Royal Melbourne Hospital*

Deborah Willcox, *Deputy Secretary, Health System Strategy and Patient Experience, NSW Health*

Professor Robyn Ward, *Executive Dean, Faculty of Medicine and Health, The University of Sydney*

Andrew Nash, *Chief Scientific Officer, CSL*

**10:30** Networking Break

**11:00** **KEYNOTE PANEL** | **Alternative financial and operating models for future precincts and health hubs**

- The challenges with securing the funding to achieve your ambitions
- In this finance constrained environment, how do we get to best practice models?
- How can we ensure sustainable operating models for future precincts and health hubs with the right support services and asset management to last the test of time?
- How can we help ourselves with a range of different models?

Liz Curren, *Executive General Manager Health, Downer*

Di Mantell, *CEO Celsus, Royal Adelaide Hospital*

Paul Crowe, *Chief Investment Officer, Plenary*

**11:45** **KEYNOTE PANEL** | **Private sector perspectives on research and innovation within precincts**

- What benefits do private sector organisations see in health and innovation precincts and what attracts companies them?
- Where is there investment opportunity?
- What might drive more big pharma and big med tech to set up accelerators here?
- What does it take to build more effective industry partnerships which have real impact?
- Innovation and translation – how can we do it better and what impact might that have on increasing industry engagement in precincts and driving outcomes?

Dr Iris Depaz, *Country Medical Lead, Sanofi Australia & New Zealand*

Nicola Ware, *CEO, Ramsay Hospital Research Foundation & Head of Research, Innovation & Integrated Care, Ramsay Health Care*

Alex Belcastro, *Senior Vice President - Medical Precincts, Northwest Healthcare Properties*

**12:30** Networking Lunch



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## Afternoon Tracks

### TRACK 1 | 1:30PM - 3PM

#### 1:30 **CASE STUDY** | Tonsley's bottom up approach and how trust is the key to unlock innovation

- Finding that collective vision
- Achieving alignment through trust
- Facilitating partnerships

Philipp Dautel, *Tonsley Precinct Director, Renewal SA*

#### 2:00 **Transforming healthcare precincts: Enhancing safety and sustainability at night**

- Can we go beyond basics to create safer, more engaging night-time spaces?
- What challenges exist in improving safety for vulnerable groups in precincts?
- Why is user experience crucial in precinct safety design?
- What can the RHIP project teach us about creating safer, inclusive precincts?
- How do we embed and make lasting changes to current process for better outcomes?

Sophie Forbat, *Placemaking Curator & Producer, Randwick Health & Innovation Precinct*

Rebecca Cadorin, *NSW Lighting Leader, Arup*

#### 2:30 **PANEL** | Developing a community first precinct strategy

- How do we configure a precinct around local community and ensuring it meets the needs of the demographics of the area?
- Exploring the factors which influence health and wellbeing i.e. education, health, housing
- Aboriginal perspectives and early stage involvement
- What sort of new approaches can be explored which shift the way communities engage with both public spaces and health facilities?
- Learnings from good examples of collaboration and cross-government or cross agency approaches

Jaymee Beveridge, *Vice-President (Indigenous Strategy & Engagement), University of Wollongong*

Eleni Naude, *Lead – Health Advisory and Infrastructure, Lineaire Projects*

Sam Shepherd, *Founder & Director, BellRinger*

#### 3:00 Networking Break

### TRACK 2 | 1:30PM - 3PM

#### 1:30 **FIRESIDE CHAT** | Case study of a mature precinct

- The experience of a mature precinct compared with emerging precincts
- Light touch but effective governance structures
- Unpacking how impact is achieved
- Formalising collaboration
- Partnerships stretching beyond physical precinct borders

Anna McFadgen, *Chief Executive Officer, St Vincent's Hospital Sydney*

Shona Blair, *Precinct Director,*

*St Vincent's Sydney Health Innovation Precinct*

#### 2:00 **FIRESIDE CHAT** | The state of play in the hospital sector - do precincts provide an advantage?

- What are the current challenges of private & public hospital operators?
- What are the benefits for public and private hospital operators locating in a healthcare precinct?
- How do they better work together to maximise those benefits?

Richard Roos, *Executive Director,*

*NorthWest Healthcare Properties Management*

Matt Hanrahan, *Chief Executive, Healthe Care*

#### 2:30 **PANEL** | Precincts without borders – Exploring the impacts of digital transformation

- How does the emergence of new technologies impact what is provided at the precinct and how do we embed this emerging tech into our precincts of the future?
- What are the impacts of virtual care and telehealth on the way we conceive of a precinct?
- Does a precinct have to include everything in one physical site?
- How are precincts thinking about this?

Moderator: Hediye Vahdat, *Managing Director,*

*Lineaire Projects*

Dr Joy Francisco, *Chief Commercial Officer,*

*Sydney Local Health District*

Dr Salim Memon, *Medical Director - Strategy, Transformation and Major Capital, Gold Coast Health*



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## DAY ONE: Wednesday 6 December 2023

### Governance Roundtables

**Governance Roundtables Host:** Andrew Hoyne, *Founder & Principal, Hoyne*

#### GOVERNANCE ROUNDTABLES SESSION A: 3:30 – 4:30PM

##### INDUSTRY RT1

###### Effectively engaging with government

- What does government look for to invest in precincts?
- How can industry present their opportunities in a way that meets government criteria and speaks to their need?
- What sort of data and detail is government looking for?

Anne O'Neill, *Acting Executive Director, Office for Health and Medical Research, NSW Medical Research*

Mark Sims, *CEO, Cremorne Digital Hub in Melbourne*

Professor Kevin Pflieger, *Director Biomedical and Health Innovation, The University of Western Australia and the Western Australian Life Sciences Innovation Hub*

##### INDUSTRY RT2

###### Industry partnerships and securing private investment

- At what stage should industry be invited to the table and why?
- How do we effectively balance public/private investments, interests and relationships?
- What sort of businesses should smaller precincts be looking for?
- Identifying roles and responsibilities
- What can be put in place to enable trusting relationships between businesses, researchers, educators and the community?

Lance Chia, *Director, Investment & Innovation, Liverpool Innovation Precinct*

Leisl Harris, *Executive Director, Urban Development, Economic Development Queensland*

Claire Sime, *Strategy & Transformation Advisor*

##### INDUSTRY RT3

###### Direction setting, vision alignment and finding a focus

- How do you get multiple partners to fund the same things?
- Ambition and setting expectations
- Who gets invited to the table, when and why?
- Should more stakeholders be involved at an earlier stage?

Mark Ames, *General Manager, Connect Macquarie Park Innovation District*

Melanie Schmidtke, *Director, Northern Adelaide Health and Wellbeing Partnership*

Liz Curren, *Executive General Manager Health, Downer*



#### GOVERNANCE ROUNDTABLES SESSION B: 4:30 – 5:30PM

##### INDUSTRY RT4

###### Assessing and addressing impact of precinct activity

- How should precincts be thinking about impact, outcomes and success?
- Is there a one size fits all approach or is it specific to local precincts, communities and stakeholders?
- How can we think about precinct impact in terms of local community impact?

Rebecca Grasso, *Director, City Futures, Campbelltown City Council*

##### INDUSTRY RT5

###### Funding precinct activity


- How can you get funding allocated to precinct activity?
- How do you work toward a sustainable model of governance with independent revenue streams?
- Exploring funding models through planning settings such as levies/taxes/land
- Exploring examples of good financial models

Vanessa Campbell, *Precinct Director, Suburban Rail Loop Authority*

Phil Callaghan, *Director Operations, Melbourne Connect*

##### INDUSTRY RT6

###### Session to be finalised

5:30 **Networking Drinks** 

7:00 **NETWORKING DINNER**




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## DAY TWO: Thursday 7 December 2023 | [Plenary Sessions](#)

9:15 Opening remarks from Chair

9:20 **INTERNATIONAL KEYNOTE** | Turbocharge innovation in lifescience: the power of public-private ecosystems at MIND - Milano Innovation District

 Stefano Minini, *Project Director* - MIND Milano Innovation District, Lendlease

9:50 **KEYNOTE PANEL** | **Research and innovation – Driving outcomes and charting a course for future impact**

- How can we bridge the gap between research and healthcare in Australia?
- Shifting mindsets and cultures – where have we come from and where are we going?
- Collaboration and partnerships – how do we get this right and better leverage outstanding examples of research that change policy or practice?

Anne O'Neill, *Acting Executive Director, Office for Health and Medical Research, NSW Medical Research*

Professor Julie Cairney, *Pro-Vice-Chancellor (Research Enterprise), University of Sydney*

Prof Jason Kovacic, *Executive Director, Victor Chang Cardiac Research Institute*

Dr Joy Francisco, *Chief Commercial Officer, Sydney Local Health District*

10:30 Networking Break

11:00 **KEYNOTE PANEL** | **Placemaking and embedding sustainability in precincts**

- What makes a good place?
- How do we make precincts an integrated part of our community?
- What sort of sustainability strategies should be embraced and what impact might this have on investment?
- New technologies and strategies to improve connectivity, mobility and sustainability within communities
- How do we create efficiencies in precincts?

Di Dixon, *State Project Lead Lot Fourteen, Department of the Premier and Cabinet, SA*

Enrico Zara, *Global Decarbonisation Leader, Arup*

Cate Cowlshaw, *Regional Managing Principal, HDR*

11:45 **KEYNOTE PANEL** | **What are governments looking for from precincts?**

- What do successful precincts look like to government?
- What role do governments believe private sector have to play?
- What does effective engagement with government on precinct strategy look like?

Moderator: Liza Noonan, *Head of Innovation & Entrepreneurship, Investment NSW*

Stefano Scalzo, *Executive General Manager, Infrastructure Planning, Victorian Department of Health*

Petra Andren, *Head of Innovation Districts, Greater Cities Commission*

Linda Dawson, *Deputy Director General, Industry, Science, Innovation, WA Department of Jobs, Tourism, Science and Innovation*

Priscilla Radice, *Deputy Director General, Health Capital Division, Queensland Health*

12:30 Networking Lunch



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DAY TWO: Thursday 7 December 2023

## Connecting Ecosystems Roundtables

**Governance Roundtables Host:** Associate Professor Tam C. Nguyen, *Deputy Director Research, St Vincent's Hospital Melbourne*

### CONNECTING ECOSYSTEMS ROUNDTABLES SESSION A: 1:30 – 2:30PM

#### INDUSTRY RT1

##### Innovation & research translation

- What are the models and options for driving connections between entrepreneurs and researchers, clinicians, industry?
- What are the ways in which innovation is sparked and diffused throughout a health innovation system?
- What can we learn from strong examples and what has it meant for researchers/ industry/ startups/clinicians?
- How do you put innovation into health services? How do you ensure it is mutually beneficial?
- What are the biggest hurdles to making this happen?
- How do we actually convert this collaboration into real products and services?

Melissa Ryan, *Director Incubation & Entrepreneurship, Macquarie University*

Dr Katja Beitat, *Head of Health Tech, Cicada Innovations*

Petra Andren, *Head of Innovation Districts, Greater Cities Commission*

#### INDUSTRY RT2

##### Collaboration between precincts

- What are the opportunities for collaboration across precincts here in Australia and internationally?
- How can we be more interconnected?
- How does each entity need to re-engineer themselves to do partnerships?
- What learnings can we take from established models of collaboration and partnerships?
- How can we drive a “Team Australia” approach?

Craig Rowsell, *Director, Gold Coast Health & Knowledge Precinct*

Davor Jozic, *Director - Innovation District Ecosystem, Westmead Health & Innovation District, Greater Cities Commission*

#### INDUSTRY RT3

##### Getting the physical assets right with place-based design



- How do we create a vibrant place and ensure the built environment is fit for purpose?
- How do you put the right structures in place to create connections and facilitate collaboration?
- How is the precinct evolving in line with the community?
- How do people actually utilise and engage in the place?
- What should be the role of landlord or property company – can we leverage their skills/experience?
- Learnings from strong examples

Steve Dolores, *Senior Development Manager, Urban Development, Economic Development Queensland*

Sophie Forbat, *Placemaking Curator & Producer, Randwick Health & Innovation Precinct*

Graeme Spencer, *Education & Science Principal, HDR*

Tom Payne, *Place Strategy Director, Hoyne*

### CONNECTING ECOSYSTEMS ROUNDTABLES SESSION B: 2:30 – 3:30PM

#### INDUSTRY RT4

##### Precinct Data

- How do we better manage and mine our data as precincts?
- How do we better collect, manage, secure and share it?
- How can we more effectively push data into research institutes to make it more seamless?
- How can we better incentivise or reward clinicians to engage with the university and share data?
- How can we provide more structured data access?

Steph Chaousis, *Chief Customer Officer, Datawe*

Associate Professor Omid Kavehei, *Deputy Head of School – School of Biomedical Engineering, The University of Sydney*

#### INDUSTRY RT5

##### Delivering strong networking assets

- What are the economic benefits of strong networking assets?
- What are the mechanisms for seeding and solidifying relationships?
- What do effective concierge type services look like?
- Creating a really easy to use “front door”
- How do we get mentoring working properly?
- How do we facilitate bringing these groups together?
- How can we reduce the cost of connection?

Philipp Dautel, *Tonsley Precinct Director, Renewal SA*

Jo Close, *Director Stakeholder Engagement for SA, MTP Connect*

#### INDUSTRY RT6

##### Talent attraction and retention

- What are the strategies to attract, retain and grow talent?
- How do you attract the best people to companies and organisations? How do places and precincts have an impact?
- Housing accessibility / affordability within precincts
- How do you build an ecosystem of other talented people to drive momentum in quality human capital?
- What can health precincts take from the National Medical Workforce Strategy e.g. internship places, training etc?

Tamara Lee, *Director of Future Workforce, NSW Ministry of Health*

#### 3:30 CLOSING KEYNOTE PANEL | Measuring success in a precinct

- How can you best capture and measure outcomes of what your precinct does?
- What are the best metrics? Patents? Economic output in high value sectors?
- How do you ensure your assets are high performing assets?
- How do you measure the value to health from precinct activity?
- Learning from best practice

4:15 Event concludes

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## NETWORKING ACTIVITIES AND ADDITIONAL EVENT FEATURES

### TECH CENTRAL SITE TOURS

**Tuesday 5 December**

**Where: Tech Central, Sydney**

Experience this exciting innovation precinct first-hand and get a closer look at some of the start of the art facilities which are home to a thriving ecosystem.

Be guided through by the multi-disciplinary teams involved in solving complex health challenges and bringing innovation to life within the precinct.

The tour will visit UTS, Sydney Nano, University of Sydney and Royal Prince Alfred Hospital Camperdown before ending back at Susan Wakil, University of Sydney for welcome drinks with a view!



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### WELCOME RECEPTION



**Tuesday 5 December, 5pm-7pm**

**Where: Susan Wakil Health Building, The University of Sydney**

Get a jump on your networking before the hustle and bustle of the conference begins!

Enjoy an informal drink and continue conversations at the state-of-the-art Susan Wakil Health Building.

### NETWORKING DINNER

**Wednesday 6 December**

**7pm - 9pm**

We are delighted to bring back the National Health & Innovation Summit Networking Dinner! Take this additional opportunity to network and continue discussions in this relaxed, informal setting.



### CONFERENCE NETWORKING DRINKS

**Wednesday 6 December**

**5:30pm - 7pm**

The official networking drinks will take place at the end of day one, providing an ideal opportunity for delegates, sponsors and speakers to network and discuss the day's proceedings over drinks.

## SPONSORSHIP & EXHIBITION OPPORTUNITIES

Sponsoring and exhibiting at the 2nd Annual National Health & Innovation Precincts Summit is your gateway to key precinct stakeholders from across the country and leading international innovation districts. This is a unique opportunity to demonstrate your leadership and the critical role you play in health and innovation precincts in Australia.

Join us as a premium partner, take up one of our event sponsorship packages, or enjoy dialogue with delegates and showcase what you have with a physical exhibitor stand.

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| Two day conference  | PRICE                                    | GST      | TOTAL      | SAVE  | PRICE                                    | GST      | TOTAL      |
| <b>ALL ACCESS PASS</b><br>2 Day Conference + Half Day Workshop + Dinner + Site Tour   | \$2,950                                  | \$295    | \$3,245    | \$300 | \$3,250                                  | \$325    | \$3,575    |
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| <b>Standard 2 Day Pass</b>  | \$2,295                                  | \$229.50 | \$2,524.50 | \$300 | \$2,595                                  | \$259.50 | \$2,854.50 |
| <b>Standard 2 Day Pass - Hospital/Uni/Govt Rate</b><br><i>(Full time employees of a hospital or government agency/Uni)</i>  | \$1,695                                  | \$169.50 | \$1,864.50 | \$300 | \$1,995                                  | \$199.50 | \$2,194.50 |
| <b>Virtual Pass</b><br><i>(excludes access to roundtable content)</i>   | \$2,095                                  | \$209.50 | \$2,304.50 | \$300 | \$2,395                                  | \$239.50 | \$2,634.50 |
| <b>Virtual Pass - Hospital/Uni/Govt Rate</b><br><i>(Full time employees of a hospital or government agency/Uni)</i><br><i>(excludes access to roundtable content)</i> | \$1,495                                  | \$149.50 | \$1,644.50 | \$300 | \$1,795                                  | \$199.50 | \$1,974.50 |
| <b>Networking Dinner</b>  |  |          |            |       | \$200                                    | \$20     | \$220      |
| <b>Streamly Access Pass</b>   |  |          |            |       | \$495                                    | \$49.50  | \$544.50   |
| <b>Pre-Conference Workshop</b>  |  |          |            |       | \$495                                    | \$49.50  | \$544.50   |

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