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| **PACIFIC ISLANDS HEALTH RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM 2021: EXTRAORDINAIRE - VIRTUAL CONFERENCE: PROGRAM** |
| **DAY 1** | **Thursday 11th November, 2021** |
| 9:00am - 9:30 am | Online Registration for PIHRS Day 1 |
| 9.30am – 9:40am | Devotion – Mr. Raymond Keshwan (Head of School, School of Health sciences, CMNHS) |
| 9:40am – 9:50am | Introduction of Pro-Vice Chancellor, Research – MC: Dr. Osea Dukuno (Head of School, School of Dentistry & Oral Health, CMNHS)  |
| 9:50am - 10:00am | Opening Remarks and Introduction of Keynote Speaker – Professor Roland de Marco, Pro-Vice Chancellor Research, Fiji National University |
| 10:00am - 10.25am | **Keynote Address:**  Dr. Stephanie Williams - Ambassador, Regional Health Security, Department of Foreign Affairs & Trade (DFAT) -  “The Pacific Experience” – livestream from Australia  |
| 10:25am - 10:40am | Vote of Thanks, Overview of Day’s Program & Invitation to Panel Discussion 1 - Associate Dean Research, CMNHS - Associate Professor Dr. Donald Wilson |
| **10:40am – 11:00am** | **MORNING TEA** |
| 11.00am – 11.05am | **Welcome & Introduction of Panel Discussion Session - Dr. Osea Dukuno** |
| 11:05am-12:05pm | **Panel Discussion 1 - Livestream** |
|  | **Topic: “Education and Research during Global Pandemic (National/State/Regional Policies & Practices)”****Panelists:** Dr. William May, (Dean, CMNHS); (pre-recorded)Professor Philip Hill (Chair, Infectious Disease Emergency Planning Group University of Otago, NZ) – livestream from NZDr. Alec Ekeroma (Vice Chancellor, National University of Samoa) – livestream from Samoa[15 minutes’ presentation each & 15 mins Q&A]**Session Moderators:** Dr. Odille Chang (HOS, School of Medical Sciences, CMNHS) & Mr. Raymond Keshwan (HOS, School of Health Sciences, CMNHS) |
| 12.10pm – 12.20pm | **Water Break** |
| 12:20pm – 12.30pm | **Welcome & Introduction to Parallel Session 1 - Dr. Osea Dukuno** |
| **Rooms Numbers & Session 1 Chairs** | **Room 1****Session Chair: Dr. Mai Ling/Dr. Vikash Sharma** | **Room 2****Session Chair: Ratu Luke Mudreilagi/Dr. Litia Narube**  | **Room 3****Session Chair: Dr. Pragya Singh/ Dr. Aruna Devi** |
| **Topics** | **Infectious Diseases and Health Systems – Disease Surveillance** | **Health Systems**  | **Non-communicable Diseases** |
| 12:30pm – 12:50pm | **Ophelia Project Protocol – An Online Professional Development in Child and Adolescent Mental Health (CAMH)** **Dr Paul Robertson**, Dr Odille Chang, Ms Brigid Ryan*Department of Psychiatry, University of Melbourne, Melbourne*(Livestream from Melbourne) | **Strengthening Pacific Islander health systems resilience through effective human resources information systems and management during COVID-19: Tools and global best practices** **Rachel Deussom**, Leah McManus, Amy SedigC*hemonics International, USA*(Livestream from the US) | **Interplay between Law, NCDs and COVID-19 with specific focus on Fiji and Papua New Guinea** **Daiana Buresova***McCabe Centre for Law & Cancer, Suva, Fiji*(Livestream – Fiji) |
| 12:50pm – 1:10pm | **A Case Study on the Initiation of Training and Services in Oral Surgery in Pacific Island Countries (PICs) - A Preliminary Report** **Professor Jayantha Weerasinghe**, Inosi Salababa, Sailasa Luvunakoro*School of Dentistry & Oral Health, College of Medicine, Nursing and Health Sciences, Fiji National University*(Livestream – Fiji) | **What’s the Problem Represented to Be? A WPR Analysis of Health Policy in Fiji** **Andrew Boyle***Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology, Australia*(Livestream from Australia) | **Pasifika Veilomani Project - Reviewing Regional Experiences of Health Care Workers in Managing GBV & Family Violence - livestream - Fiji**Brigid Ryan, **Avelina Rokoduru**, Dr. Odille Chang, Dr. Amanda Hill, Senimelia Hataogo, Varsha Naidu, and Erin Gerber *Pacific Sexual & Reproductive Health Research Centre, Fiji Institute of Pacific Health Research (FIPHR), CMNHS, FNU*(Livestream – Fiji) |
| 1.10pm – 1.20pm | **Vote of Thanks– Dr. Osea Dukuno** |
| 1.20pm – 2.00pm |  **LUNCH** |
| 2.00pm – 2.05pm | **Welcome & Introduction of Panel Discussion 2- Dr. Osea Dukuno** |
| 2.05pm – 3.05pm | **Panel Discussion 2** |
|  | **“A Pandemic Response: Vaccination – Sharing Country Experiences (National/State/Regional Policies & Practice)”****Panelists:** Professor Fiona Russell & Professor Adam Jenney (MCRI, University of Melbourne) – livestream from Australia; Dr. Salanieta Saketa (Senior Epidemiologist-Surveillance - Preparedness and Response Program, Secretariat of the Pacific Community (SPC)); Dr. Rachel Devi (MHMS, Fiji) – 15mins presentation each & 15mins Q&A**Session Moderator:** Dr. Josephine Herman (Former Secretary of Health, Cook Islands); - livestream from NZ |
| 3.05pm – 3.25pm | **Water Break and AFTERNOON TEA** |
| 3.25pm – 3.30pm | **Welcome & Introduction of Panel Discussion 3 – Dr Osea Dukuno** |
| 3.30pm – 4:30pm | **Panel Discussion 3****‘Ensuring & Promoting Universal Access to Health for All during Pandemics’****Panelists:** Mr. Sunia Soakai (Dep. Dir. Policy Planning & Regulation Program, Secretariat of the Pacific Community (SPC), Dr. Josephine A. Herman (Former Secretary of Health, Cook Islands) – Livestream from New Caledonia and NZ(15minutes presentation & 15 minutes Q&A)**Session Moderators:** Dr. Gade Waqa (Dir. C-POND & Head, WHO Collaborating Centre) & Ms. Avelina Rokoduru (Dir. Pacific Sexual & Reproductive Health Research Centre, Fiji Institute of Pacific Health Research, CMNHS) |
| 4:30pm – 4.40pm | **Vote of Thanks & Conclusion of Day 1 Program - Associate Dean Research, CMNHS - Associate Professor Dr. Donald Wilson** |

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| **DAY 2** | **Friday 12th November, 2021** |
| 9:00am - 9:50 am | Online Registration for PIHRS Day 2 |
| 9.50am - 10:00am | Devotion – Dr. Mosese Salusalu (Senior Lecturer, Public Health, SPHPS, CMNHS) |
| 10.00am – 10.20am | Vote of Thanks, Overview of Day’s Program & Invitation to Morning Tea - Associate Dean Research, CMNHS - Associate Professor Dr. Donald Wilson |
| 10:20am – 10.40am | **MORNING TEA** |
| 10.40am – 10.50am | **Welcome & Introduction of Parallel Session 2 - Mr. Raymond Keshwan** |
| 10.50.am – 11.00am | **Parallel Session 2**  |
| **Rooms Numbers & Session 1 Chairs** | **Room 1****Session Chair: Dr. Alma Nacola/ Dr. Anaseini Ratu** | **Room 2****Session Chair: Dr. Eric Rafai/ Mr. Rineshwar Lal** | **Room 3****Session Chair: Mr. Sekove Naqiolevu/Dr. Litia Narube** |
| **Topics** | **Infectious Diseases** | **Health Systems – Disease Surveillance** | **Non-communicable Diseases** |
| 11.00am – 11.20pm |  |  | **Addressing the specialist workforce CAMH skill-gap: providing and evaluating iCAMH training in Fiji and Papua New Guinea – livestream from Aus****Dr Benjamin Hoadley**, Dr Kiran Gaikwad, Dr Odille Chang, Dr Nick Kowalenko, Dr Myrielle Allen*The University of Sydney, Australia*(Pre-recorded) |
| 11.20am – 11.25am | **Welcome & Introduction for Panel Discussion 4 – Mr. Raymond Keshwan** |
| 11.25am – 12:25pm | **Panel Discussion 4*****Topic:* Sharing Country Experiences (National/State/Regional Policies) – Fiji & Guam (COVID-19);** **Panelists:** Dr. Richard J. Brostrom (CDC Tuberculosis Officer for Hawaii and the US Pacific Islands) for Guam & Northern Pacific  [20mins presentation each & 20mins Q&A]**Session Moderators:** Professor Philip Hill (Chair, Infectious Disease Emergency Planning Group University of Otago, NZ) & Associate Professor Dr. Donald Wilson (Associate Dean Research, CMNHS) |
| 12.25pm – 12.30pm | **Vote of Thanks & Program Closure –Associate Dean, Research, College of Medicine, Nursing & Health Sciences – Assoc. Prof. Dr. Donald Wilson****END OF SYMPOSIUM** |