Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre, Melbourne
Course 1: Friday 15th June & Saturday 16th June 2012
Course 2: Friday 31st August & Saturday 1st Sept 2012
Day 1

8.30am Start, Peter McCallum Cancer Centre

All-day Live Surgery Session and Video Session: Laparoscopic Colorectal Surgery

Including lectures covering:

- Starting laparoscopic colectomy: Room-set up and port positions
- Case selection
- Managing the learning curve
- Techniques for right hemicolecotomy
- Techniques for anterior resection

Day 2

9.00am Start, University of Melbourne, Vet School Werribee

All day wet lab for laparoscopic colectomy

- Porcine laboratory 1: high anterior resection
- Question and answer wrap up: avoiding pitfalls in laparoscopic colorectal surgery

Dinner

Friday Night Dinner

Cumulus Inc., 45 Flinders Lane, Melbourne

Time: 6.00pm for 8.00pm dinner
COURSE OBJECTIVES

- Demonstrate an in-depth knowledge of laparoscopic techniques for colorectal surgery.
- Identify outcome of laparoscopic surgery.
- Identify strategies to integrate laparoscopic colorectal surgery into a participant's current surgical practice.
- Explain management strategies for intra- and post-operative complications.

TARGET AUDIENCE

General and colorectal surgeons, and advanced surgical trainees who have an interest in developing their laparoscopic skills for colonic and rectal resection.

FACULTY

**Craig Lynch**  MBChB, MMedSci, FRACS, FCSSANZ, FASCRS(int)

Craig is a Colorectal Surgeon at the Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre in Melbourne, Australia, and honorary Senior Lecturer with the University of Melbourne.

He completed his General Surgical Fellowship in New Zealand, with post-fellowship training in Colorectal Surgery at the Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, Ohio where he gained early exposure to laparoscopic robotic colorectal surgery; and St Vincent’s Hospital in Melbourne. He holds a Masters degree in surgery and has published over 30 peer-reviewed manuscripts.

He is a Fellow of the Colorectal Surgical Society of Australia and New Zealand and International Fellow of the American Society of Colon & Rectal Surgeons.

His current clinical practice includes the management of patients with advanced rectal cancer, and cytoreductive surgery with intraperitoneal chemotherapy. His laparoscopic surgical experience has also included the first series of robotic colorectal procedures in Australasia.

**Alexander (Sandy) Heriot**  MA MB BChir MD FRCS (Gen.) FRCSEd FRACS

Sandy’s colorectal surgery training has been extensive, including St Marks Hospital, London, the Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, Ohio, and St Vincent’s Hospital in Melbourne. His current positions are as consultant colorectal surgeon at the Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre and St Vincent’s Hospital, and Senior Fellow at The University of Melbourne.

Performing and teaching laparoscopic surgery are a routine part of his clinical practice.

He is a member of the Colorectal Surgical Society of Australia and New Zealand, and committee member for the International Society of Laparoscopic Colorectal Surgery.

Covidien Colorectal Surgery Fellow, Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre

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REGISTRATION DETAILS

ADVANCED LAPAROSCOPIC COLORECTAL SURGERY COURSE

Please complete the details below to register.

Name: 
Address: 
Phone:  Fax:  Email: 

Attending Course 1: [ ] Y [ ] N
Also attending dinner, Y [ ] N [ ]

Attending Course 2: [ ] Y [ ] N
Also attending dinner, Y [ ] N [ ]

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