## 2014 Graduate School Seminar Series

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| 12 Feb | Professor Joohon Sung  
Complex Disease & Genome Epidemiology Branch  
Department of Epidemiology (SNUG-Epi)  
School of Public Health  
Seoul National University, Korea | The Healthy Twin Study of Korea:  
*study setting and findings from the twin-family cohort* |
| 26 Feb | Professor Hugh Taylor  
Academic Centre for Health Equity  
Melbourne School of Population and Global Health | The central role of diabetic eye care in Indigenous Eye Health |
| 12 Mar | Professor Ivo Mueller  
Laboratory Head, Infection & Immunity Division  
Walter and Eliza Hall Institute of Medical Research and  
Research Professor, Barcelona Centre for International Health Research (CRESIB), Barcelona, Spain | The molecular epidemiology of P. vivax in Papua New Guinea |
| 19 Mar | Professor David Pevalin  
School of Health and Human Sciences  
University of Essex  
U.K. | Social Inequality and Avoidable Mortality in the UK |
| 26 Mar | Dr Amal Trivedi  
Associate Professor of Health Services, Policy and Practice, Brown University, Rhode Island, U.S.A. and Core Investigator, Providence Veterans Medical Center | The Relationship between Improving Quality and Reducing Health Care Disparities in Health Care:  
*Does a Rising Tide Lift All Boats?* |
| 9 Apr  | Professor Rob Moodie,  
Dr Melissa Russell, Ms Tara Skla,  
Amir Hanna and Kaushi Kogar  
Melbourne School of Population and Global Health | Teaching Seminar  
Web and elearning tools:  
*A showcase by MSPGH students and staff* |
| 30 Apr | Professor Joachim Heinrich  
Director of the Institute of Epidemiology and  
Head of the Unit of Environmental Epidemiology,  
Helmholtz Zentrum Meunchen, The German Research Centre for Health and Environment | The beauty of birth cohorts and potential pitfalls |
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Centre for Epidemiology and Biostatistics  
Melbourne School of Population and Global Health | Can chlamydia testing become routine in general practice?                     |
| 28 May | Dr Michael Adena  
Director  
Datalytics Pty Ltd | From randomised clinical trials to health economic models                     |
| 11 Jun | Teaching seminar                                                      | TBA                                                                          |
| 25 Jun | Associate Professor Janet McCalman &  
Dr Rebecca Kippen  
Academic Centre for Health Equity  
Melbourne School of Population and Global Health | The Life Courses of Tasmanian Convicts: early influences, insults, fertility, and cause-specific mortality |
| 9 Jul  | Stephen Duckett  
Director, Health Program  
Grattan Institute | Controlling costly care: a billion dollar hospital opportunity               |
| 23 Jul | Professor Sander Greenland  
Professor of Epidemiology, UCLA School of Public Health  
and Professor of Statistics, UCLA School of Letters and Science, U.S.A. | On the misuse, neglect, and nonsense use of epidemiologic effect measures in policy formulation |
| 6 Aug  | Laureate Professor Alan Lopez  
Director, Global Burden of Disease Group  
Melbourne School of Population and Global Health | Reducing ignorance about who dies of what: recent advances in verbal autopsy methods to measure causes of death in populations |
| 20 Aug | Associate Professor Peter Annear  
Nossal Institute for Global Health  
Melbourne School of Population and Global Health | Poor people in poor countries: How they can be protected from iatrogenic poverty |
| 3 Sep  | Dr James McCaw  
Chair, Higher Degree Research Committee  
Centre for Epidemiology and Biostatistics  
Melbourne School of Population and Global Health | A Research Higher Degree update: Implications of the new faculty processes |
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Centre for Epidemiology and Biostatistics  
Melbourne School of Population and Global Health | SPHINX, DEPTH, CIRRUS, The Ark, SPARK and “super” computing in 21st century population and global health research |
| 17 Sep | Dr Richard Chenhall  
Lecturer in Medical Anthropology  
Centre for Health and Society  
Melbourne School of Population and Global Health | Living the social determinants of health                                                          |
| 1 Oct  | Teaching seminar                                                                                                                           | TBA                                                                                              |
| 15 Oct | Professor Shyamali Dharmage  
Centre for Epidemiology and Biostatistics  
Melbourne School of Population and Global Health | The sins of the fathers: *a new paradigm that may inform the origins of asthma and allergies*     |
| 22 Oct | Professor Marcia Langton, Dr Richard Chenhall and Ms Kristen Smith  
Academic Centre for Health Equity  
Melbourne School of Population and Global Health | Alcohol Management Plans in Northern Australia                                                     |
| 29 Oct | Melbourne School of Population Health  
Annual Awards Presentation & Staff Convocation | N/A                                                                                               |
| 12 Nov | Associate Professor Michelle Kermode  
Nossal Institute for Global Health  
Melbourne School of Population and Global Health | The future of skilled and traditional birth attendants among the nomadic Maasai in Kenya          |
| 19 Nov | Professor John Carlin  
Clinical Epidemiology and Biostatistics Unit  
Murdoch Childrens Research Institute &  
Centre for Epidemiology and Biostatistics  
Melbourne School of Population and Global Health | Why statistical significance remains a significant problem: Understanding Type S and Type M errors |
| 26 Nov | Teaching seminar                                                                                                                           | TBA                                                                                               |
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