



Tolerance Working Group

AGENDA

Date: Thursday 12th June 2014

Time: 12.30pm – 1.30pm

Venue: Manning Clark Centre Theatre 5

Chair: Frank Ierino

Group composition – Open Membership

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- MINUTES - Tolerance Working Group Meeting 27/6/2013 (attached) (F. Ierino)
- Business arising (F. Ierino)
 - 1. Clinical Trials in Transplantation Tolerance – progress - ALL
 - 2. Flow Cytometry Workshop -
 - 3. ASI and TSANZ alliance (S. Grey; F. Ierino)
- Membership composition - ALL
- Report from Research Groups – ALL
- Meetings of Tolerance Working Group – meeting venues:
 - TSANZ ASM – Standing annual meeting (Canberra)
 - ASI ASM and Workshop

➤ Ad hoc Phone Links as needed

- Activity of the Tolerance Working Group - ALL

Current role: Primarily a Tolerance Working Group (Interest Group) – no formal Terms of Reference

Future goal: Establish a formal ***Tolerance Advisory Committee of TSANZ*** (Standing Committee) - with Terms of Reference – An Expert Advisory Group to provide advice, establish protocols and clinical standards/guidelines for tolerance in the Clinical setting and Clinical Trials

“Australia and NZ Tolerance Network” – Clinical Trials and Laboratory Research

- Collaborative links within Australia and New Zealand

- ASI & TSANZ alliance

1. TSANZ Symposium at ASI ASM – Standing session at the ASI ASM
2. TSANZ WORKSHOP at ASI ASM 2014 (S. Grey) -

“Translational Treg Therapy for Human Clinical Trials” 2014

- a. Dr. Birgit Sawitzki (“One Study”)
- b. Dr. Qizhi Tang (UCSF Transplantation Research Laboratory)

- Treg Flow analysis - Standardise analysis (Workshop) for Immune monitoring – Flow Cytometry
- Patient Register - Australia-wide Register for renal and liver patients (off immunosuppression)
- NHMRC
- Collaborative Studies within Australia

- International Groups – Links to International Tolerance Networks – USA and Europe

FUTURE