

# COMMUNITY FORUM

SKIN CANCER:

ADVANCES IN DIAGNOSIS, TREATMENT AND PATIENT CARE

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## TUESDAY 15 NOVEMBER, 2016

4.00 PM-5.30 PM

AUDITORIUM, LEVEL 3, CENTRAL, QIMR BERGHOFFER

300 HERSTON ROAD

### SPEAKERS

**Professor David Whiteman**

**Head of the QIMR Berghofer Melanoma and Skin Cancer Research Centre**

**Deputy Director of QIMR Berghofer**

Professor Whiteman will talk about the current rates of skin cancer and his research into prevention and prediction of risk.

**Arabella Young**

**Researcher in cancer immunotherapies**

Arabella will talk about recent immunotherapy testing (that has led to clinical trials) for the treatment of advanced melanoma, that may limit tumour growth and spread.

**Dr Peter Johansson**

**Investigator on the Australian Melanoma Genome Project (AMGP)**

Peter will talk about the data collected so far on the project, around identifying the genes responsible for the development of melanoma.

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