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Keynote Speakers:



**Prof. Alice Jones**  
The University of Queensland



**Prof. Paul Hodges**  
The University of Queensland



**Prof. Toby Long**  
Georgetown University

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**Prof. Alice Jones Ph.D., FACP, MPhil, MSc., Cert PT**  
**Honorary Professor at The University of Queensland**  
**Fellow of the Australian College of Physiotherapists**  
**Specialist in Cardiopulmonary Physiotherapy**

**Keynote Lecture: Cultivating interprofessional collaboration from student to life-long practitioner?**

**Workshop: Global expectations of quality clinical education (25 OCT 2024)**

Alice Jones graduated as a physiotherapist from Hong Kong, obtained her MPhil from the Chinese University of Hong Kong, MSc in Education from University of Surrey in the UK and PhD from the University of Queensland, Australia. She is a Fellow of the Australian College of Physiotherapists and a specialist in Cardiopulmonary Physiotherapy since 1995. Prof. Jones served The Hong Kong Polytechnic University from 1989 to 2012. In her academic career, she has been a Clinical Coordinator, a Physiotherapy Program Leader, Acting Head of Department and Director of the Centre for East-meets-West in Rehabilitation Sciences. She has been a visiting professor to Leeds Metropolitan University, UK, an adjunct professor at Griffith's University Australia, and an honorary professor at the University of Sydney from 2012-2020. Her research interests are in cardiopulmonary physiotherapy and physiotherapy education. She has over 140 publications in peer reviewed journals. Presently she is an Honorary Professor at The University of Queensland, a part-time Director of Physiotherapy at the Kunming Medical University and a visiting professor at the Sichuan West China Clinical Medical College, and Shanghai University of TCM. She continues contributing to the teaching of cardiopulmonary physiotherapy, and remains active in the promotion of the physiotherapy profession globally.



**Prof. Paul Hodges**  
**Professor and Director of the NHMRC Centre for Clinical Research Excellence in Spinal Pain, Injury and Health at The University of Queensland**

**Keynote Lecture: Mind, body and behaviour in pain**

**Workshop: Clinical discrimination between nociceptive, nociplastic and neuropathic pain (27 OCT 2024)**

Prof. Paul Hodges is a distinguished researcher and Senior Principal Research Fellow at the National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC). He holds several academic degrees and serves as a Professor and Director of the NHMRC Centre for Clinical Research Excellence in Spinal Pain, Injury and Health at The University of Queensland. He is also a Fellow of the Australian Academy of Science and a Fellow of the Australian College of Physiotherapists. Paul is a globally recognized expert in movement control, pain, and rehabilitation. His research has revolutionized our understanding of how pain affects movement, leading to effective treatments for various conditions. He has received numerous national and international research awards that span basic and clinical science, including five prestigious ISSLS Prizes, and has held leadership positions in prominent scientific organizations. Paul has organized multiple major international conferences and collaborated with experts from diverse disciplines to advance the field of pain research.



**Prof. Toby Long, PhD, PT, FAPTA**  
**Professor at Georgetown University**

**Keynote Lecture: Movement Matters: The Role of Physical Therapy for Children with Autism Spectrum Disorder**

**Workshop: Contemporary Practices in Early Childhood Intervention (ECI)  
(27 OCT 2024)**

*Toby Long, PhD, PT, FAPTA* is a Professor at Georgetown University. She received her physical therapy degree from Boston University, master's degree in early childhood special education from George Washington University and a doctoral degree in human development from University of Maryland. She is on the editorial boards of *Physical and Occupational Therapy in Pediatrics*, and *Infants and Young Children*. She is a prolific author in the area of children with disabilities. The third edition of *The Handbook of Pediatric Physical Therapy* is available. She received the Lucy Blair Service Award from the American Physical Therapy Association, and Jeanne Fisher Distinguished Mentorship Award and the Bud Dehaven Award from the Academy of Pediatric Physical Therapists. She is a Catherine Worthingham Fellow of the American Physical Therapy Association. She collaborates with colleagues throughout the world on issues related to serving infants and toddlers with disabilities and delays.

## Guest Speaker

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**Ms Sarah Daniel, MSc BSc MCSP HCPC reg**  
**Founder & Director at MOTIONrehab**

**Guest Lecture: Rethinking Rehabilitation**

**Workshop: Gait Rehabilitation augmented by Robotics and Sensor based Technologies (27 OCT 2024)**

Sarah Daniel is Clinical Director of MOTIONrehab, which launched the UK's first Intensive Outpatient & Residential Neurological Rehabilitation Facility augmented by Robotics and VR technology in Leeds. The centre has been given International Reference Centre Status for treatment, teaching and research. MOTIONrehab was selected as a Google Europe and Financial Times Top 100 European Business Leading Digital Change. Sarah also was awarded Director of the year by the Institute of Directors in 2021.

Sarah has a wealth of experience in treating a wide range of neurological conditions using hands on facilitatory techniques and rehabilitation technology. Sarah has handled several remarkable high-profile recoveries and is interviewed and reported by BBC, YorkshirePost and Wakefield Express. Sarah is an Expert Witness in her field providing Medico-Legal Reports for Solicitors and Rehabilitation Needs Reports for Case Managers and other health professionals.

In addition to her clinical work, Sarah lectures nationally and internationally. She also teaches postgraduate courses in Neurological Rehabilitation and Medico-Legal report writing.