



Birth Masterclass

Friday 17 October 2025

ADELAIDE

Venue: University of Adelaide Medical School Simulation Centre

FACULTY

Convenors: Dr Anthia Rallis and Dr Andrew Woods

Facilitators:

Dr Andrew Woods – Obstetrician & Gynaecologist, Newcastle, NSW
Dr Anthia Rallis – Obstetrician & Gynaecologist, Adelaide, SA
Dr John Svigos (ret.) – Obstetrician & Gynaecologist, Adelaide, SA
Dr Basil Antonas (ret.) – Obstetrician & Gynaecologist, Adelaide, SA
Dr Henry Murray (ret.) – Obstetrician & Gynaecologist, Adelaide, SA
Dr Stephen Robson – Obstetrician & Gynaecologist, Canberra, SA
Dr Chris Wilkinson – Maternal Fetal Medicine Subspecialist, South Australia
Dr Anupam Parange - Dr Amanda Dennis – Obstetrician & Gynaecologist, Adelaide, SA
Dr Melanie Johnson - Obstetrician & Gynaecologist, Adelaide, SA
Dr Amanda Dennis – Obstetrician & Gynaecologist, Adelaide, SA
Dr Anu Raju, - Obstetric Anaesthetist, Adelaide, SA
? Dr Lydia Kennedy – Paediatrician, Adelaide, SA
? Dr Thu Kent – Paediatrician, Adelaide, SA
Ms Petra Noble – Neonatal Nurse Practitioner, Adelaide, SA

Planning two consultants per station – a mix of O&Gs, paediatricians, anaesthetists, midwives.

PROGRAM

7.45am – 8.00am	Welcome, Introduction, Housekeeping	<i>Anthia and Andrew</i>
8.00am – 9.30am	Short Presentations (20 mins each)	
	Informed Decision Making in Complex Birth	<i>TBC (Andrew will do 1 of TBCs)</i>
	Vaginal Breech Delivery	<i>Anthia Rallis</i>
	Vaginal Twin Delivery	<i>TBC</i>
	OP or not OP? Use of US in Labour Ward	<i>TBC</i>

HANDS ON' STATIONS IN ROTATION SESSIONS

9.30am - 10.15am STATION ONE

10.15am - 10.35 MORNING TEA

10.35am - 11.20am STATION TWO

11.20am - 12.05pm STATION THREE

12.05pm - 12.50pm STATION FOUR

12.50 – 13.50 LUNCH

14.00pm - 14.45pm STATION FIVE

14.45pm - 15.30pm STATION SIX

15.30pm – 15.50 AFTERNOON TEA

NOMINATED HANDS ON STATIONS AND MASTERS

STATION ONE:	Vaginal Breech Delivery	<i>Anthia Rallis/Andy & Henry Murray</i>
STATION TWO:	Kielland's Forceps/Rotational Ventouse	<i>Amanda Dennis & Stephen Robson</i>
STATION THREE:	Vaginal Twin Delivery	<i>Chris Wilkinson & John Svigos</i>
STATION FOUR:	Pudendal Block and Shoulder Dystocia	<i>Anupam Parange & ?Mel Johnson</i>
STATION FIVE:	Impacted Head at Caesarean Section	<i>Anthia /Andy & ?Mel Johnson</i>

STATION SIX: Neonatal Resuscitation

?Lydia Kennedy & ?Thu Kent
& Petra Noble

Time-Keepers and Coordinators - TBA

Supernumerary Facilitator + Substitute – Dr Basil Antonas

15:30pm -16:30pm **Short Presentations and Case Discussions - Interactive Session**

15:30pm – 15:50pm Anaesthesia for Obstetricians *Dr Anu Raju*

15:50pm – 16:30pm Case Discussions – Interactive Session *Anthia and Andrew*

16:30pm Conclusion & Thanks (Feedback) *Anthia and Andrew*

