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**10th World Congress of ISPO,
Glasgow, Scotland
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Images of the conference will be made available on the **REHABTech** website!

The **11th World Congress** will be in **Hong Kong 1-6 August 2004** and we're sure it will be bigger and better.



TRANS-TIBIAL UPDATE WORKSHOPS

special guest presenter: Villi Gudjonsson, CPOT
Manager International Technical Services,
Ossur headquarters, Reykjavik, Iceland

The aim of this workshop is to provide prosthetic practitioners with a clear overview of the clinical & technical principles, prescription guidelines and diagnostic techniques relevant to the Iceross system. The workshop has been structured to intensively elevate practising prosthetists knowledge of issues relevant to interface and suspension technologies.

There will be free registration, and all practising prosthetists and those involved in amputee management are welcome.

BRISBANE Monday 30th July - 8:30 – 17:00

Venue: Princess Alexandra Hospital, Prosthetic & Orthotic Department, Woollongabba

SYDNEY Wednesday 1st August - 8:30 – 17:00

Venue: Premier Prosthetics & Orthotics, Lidcombe

MELBOURNE Friday 3rd August - 8:30 – 17:00

Venue: **REHABTech**, Caulfield

For further information, or to register, please contact: Mr Harvey Blackney on 02 98908123 or by email to: apc@advancedprosthetic.com.au

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Positions Vacant

Chief Prosthetist/Orthotist - Repatriation General Hospital, S A

Applications are being sought for this position which is responsible for the delivery of a high quality prosthetic/orthotic service provided by the Dept. of Rehabilitation and Aged Care.

The position requires considerable administrative, managerial and communication skills and entails liaison with all disciplines within the Hospital. The position will be responsible for staff and budgets and effective marketing of the service.

Salary

The position is classified at Professional Services Officer Level 3, salary range - \$53,944 to 57,253.

Qualifications

A degree of applied science in Orthotics and Prosthetics is required.

Applications close on Friday the 10th of August 2001.

Clinical Manager - Prosthetics and Orthotics

The Ballarat Health Services (Queen Elizabeth Centre) Prosthetics and Orthotics Service is a vibrant, busy service in a large Regional Health network.

The staff employed within the P&O Service includes five qualified prosthetists / orthotists and three trained technicians. The Service sits within a dynamic Allied Health Directorate and the Clinical Manager participates fully in decision making within the Directorate.

Salary

The position is classified at Chief Prosthetist Orthotist Grade 2, attracting a salary between \$62,920 and \$65,780 per annum.

Qualifications

A Degree of Applied Science in Orthotics / Prosthetics is required. Business management skills are a definite advantage.

Applications close on Friday the 3rd of August 2001.

Further information on both these and other positions is available on the **JobWATCH** section of our website at www.monash.edu.au/rehabtech.

If you do not have web access, please call the **REHABTech** office on 03 9528 1960 and we will fax you the details.

COMING EVENTS

1 st October, 2001	Update Seminar - Brisbane (Qld) details TBA
2 nd - 4 th October 2001	Australian Rehabilitation and Assistive Technology Association, ARATA, Conference. Email arata2001@im.com.au
15 th - 17 th November 2001	International Medical Society of Paraplegia - Australasian Branch. Conference Melbourne Contact: Mr. Shane Moore, CVBS, shane@conferencevenues.com.au Tel: 03 9827 5374
7 th - 12 th January 2002	Lower limb Prosthetics Course 2002 Contact: UNSW Ph. (02) 9385 2756 Email i.nelmes@notes.med.unsw.edu.au
25 th February - 1 st March 2002	Lower Limb Prosthetics and Amputee Rehabilitation 2002 Contact nicholas.freijah@mh.org.au for information.
4 th - 8 th March 2002	Clinical Management of Upper Limb Amputees 2002 Contact REHAB Tech or Email naomi.alba@eng.monash.edu.au for information.

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