

**Australia-wide Videoconference
Update Seminar – Friday 4th of April 2003, 9:00am to 10:00 am**

"The role of the surgeon in achieving and maintaining an optimal stump"

- Dr René Baumgartner



Prof. Dr. med. René Baumgartner,
Emeritus Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery

Dr Baumgartner is an orthopaedic surgeon with a special interest in amputation surgery, the diabetic foot, wound healing and prosthetics and orthotics in general. He has been a fellow of the International Society of Prosthetics and Orthotics since 1974 and has written a textbook on prosthetic prescription for medical prescribers. Dr Baumgartner has very kindly donated his time and expertise to make this update seminar possible.

◆ **Please register your interest as soon as possible!**

You will be notified of the venue closest to you one week before the seminar.

◆ **Australia-wide videoconference seminar**

The seminar can be accessed via videoconference Australia-wide. Any centres wishing to dial in to Monash University, please notify REHAB Tech as soon as possible.

Calendar of Events – on the web!

The **REHAB Tech** website currently has a link to Calendar of Events that will be an interactive way of seeing what events are coming up both in the immediate month as well as the future. The new form allows for details to be accessed by simply clicking on the hyperlink at www.monash.edu.au/rehabtech and clicking on the heading in the top left hand corner (Internet Explorer users only). Currently there are some “real” events and also some test data. Feel free to have a look and if you have events that you would like to see listed please contact our services coordinator Maree Boehm (03) 95281960 or maree.boehm@eng.monash.edu.au with details as soon as possible.

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Positions Vacant - Job WATCH

Please visit our website <http://www.monash.edu.au/rehabtech/employ.htm>
for detailed information on vacancies as they occur.

Orthotist Grade 1/Melbourne

The Alfred Hospital Orthotic Service offers a broad range of experience including Trauma, Orthopaedics, Neurosurgery, Plastics and Rehabilitation as well as servicing other wards, departments and healthcare providers. We are looking for a highly motivated, team-orientated and qualified applicant with a degree in Orthotics and Prosthetics and AOPA eligibility. Honours Graduates are welcome to apply.

Enquiries to Craig Fraser, Manager, Orthotics and Prosthetics,
Alfred Hospital, Prahran
(03) 9276 3182.

(Closing date: Friday, 7 March 2003)

Orthotist/Perth

A permanent full-time vacancy exists at the Princess Margaret Hospital for Children in Perth, WA. The successful applicant will be required to liaise with medical and allied health staff to provide optimum orthotic treatment for our clients.

Enquiries to Mrs Jane Hardy, Women's and Children's Health Service,
Princess Margaret Hospital
(08) 9340 8253.

COMING EVENTS

Calendar of Events – now on the web at www.monash.edu.au/rehabtech

21–23 March 2003	Prosthetics, Orthotics and Rehabilitation in the New Century— Wellington NZ Fax “Prosth-TH-otics” Congress 0064 4 494 6133
29 March 2003	OPST Tasmania Open day - Hobart (including REHAB Tech research display) contact Weston Wiggins OPST (03) 6222 7377
4 April 2003	Update Seminar- (Australia wide) "The role of the surgeon in achieving and maintaining an optimal stump" - Dr Rene Baumgartner, contact REHAB Tech 03 9528 1960
1-3 May 2003	Material Science and P&O design - Maximising patient safety - American Academy of Orthotist and Prosthetists Chicago contact REHAB Tech 03 9528 1960

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