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to provide not only a blueprint for consistent data collection, but to allow pathways for international collaborations to compare differences (and similarities) between populations; and presented preliminary quality of life findings at national and international conferences.

- Australian Endometriosis Clinicians Collaborative (AECC)

The AECC



- Abbott J, Deans R. Uterus transplantation. *ASPIRE 2023 Congress*, Adelaide, SA, 7-10 September 2023
- Abbott J. The timing and limitations of surgery for endometriosis. *Australasian Sexual Health and Reproductive Medicine Annual Meeting*, Sydney, NSW, 20 September 2023 Invited Speaker
- Abbott J. Reproductive surgery. *13<sup>th</sup> Congress of the Pacific Society of Reproductive Medicine*, Sydney, NSW, 12-14 March 2023
- Abbott J. Keynote – Can we solve endometriosis with surgery. *The International Society for Gynecologic Endoscopy (ISGE) Annual Meeting*, Dead Sea, Israel, 17-18 February 2023
- Abbott J. Keynote – How to get published in gynaecology. *The International Society for Gynecologic Endoscopy (ISGE) Annual Meeting*, Dead Sea, Israel, 17-18 February 2023
- Abbott J. Keynote – Becoming a gynaecological surgeon. *The International Society for Gynecologic Endoscopy (ISGE) Annual Meeting*, Dead Sea, Israel, 17-18 February 2023
- Abbott J. Update on endometriosis centres in Australia. *Australasian Gynaecological Endoscopy and Surgery (AGES) Society 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting*, Sydney, NSW, 9-11 March 2023
- Alonso A. A double-blind, randomised, placebo-controlled trial of antibiotic prophylaxis in elective nonhysterectomy laparoscopic surgery for benign gynaecological conditions – A pilot study. *Australasian Gynaecological Endoscopy and Surgery (AGES) Society 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting*, Sydney, NSW, 9-11 March 2023 **N BB**
- Budden A. Reducing the impact of surgery. *Australasian Gynaecological Endoscopy and Surgery (AGES) Society 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting*, Sydney, NSW, 9-11 March 2023
- Ciccia D, Doyle AK, Ng CHM, and Armour M. Indigenous peoples' experience and understanding of menstrual health – A scoping review. *15<sup>th</sup> World Congress on Endometriosis (WCE)*, Scotland, UK, 3-6 May 2023
- Cole S, Deans R, Caponas G, Hargreaves C, Watterson L, and Downs C. Anaesthesia for uterus transplantation: The first Australian experience. *Australian and New Zealand College of Anaesthetists. (ANZCA) Annual Scientific Meeting (ASM)*, Sydney











Mother donates her own womb to daughter in an act of unconditional love | 60 Minutes Australia  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0tILzTKI3f0>

First Australian to undergo uterus transplant now pregnant  
<https://www.ausdoc.com.au/news/first->

Australia's first birth via uterus transplantation

<https://9now.nine.com.au/today/videos/health/update-on-first-baby-born-via-uterine-transplant-in-australia/clqbe5wl4000b0jl1mqoyzlyz>

Australia's first birth via uterus transplantation

<https://10play.com.au/theproject/news/2023/miracle-aussie-baby-delivered-from-transplanted-uterus/tpv231219qlrzh>

First baby born in Australian from 'groundbreaking' uterus transplant

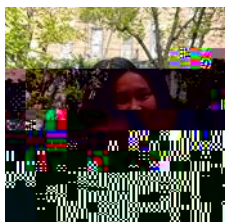
<https://www.news.com.au/lifestyle/parenting/babies/first-baby-born-in-australian-from-groundbreaking-uterus-transplant/news-story/ea86c85153cf790632bc5d376f905824>

'Dream come true': First baby born from uterus transplant in Australia

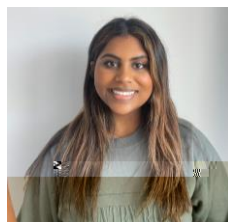
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Australia's first uterus transplant recipient Kirsty Bryant gives birth to healthy baby boy

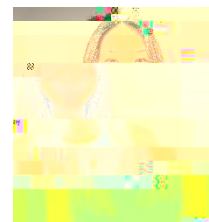
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Belinda Guo



Madhulikaa (Madhu)  
Sarjapuram Niranjana



Caitlin Tjoa

*"My project began the process of evaluating the relationship between hormonal expression and its clinical presentation in endometriosis and adenomyosis, with the aim to ultimately predict hormonal insensitivity and provide therapeutic alternatives for patients unresponsive to current therapeutics. Through the mentorship of the GRACE team, I was able to conduct research into this critical issue, but also gain a greater understanding of the intersection between molecular science and its clinical application."*

– Belinda Guo

*"Undertaking my research year at the Royal Hospital for Women was an invaluable learning experience which enhanced my capabilities as a future doctor. The medical team welcomed us, the students, with open arms and provided unwavering mentorship throughout our year. I was privileged to partake in specialist clinics, scrub into surgeries, and engage in numerous research projects.*

*Over the year, I completed my Honours research project focusing on 'Long-term follow-up of adolescents with PCOS-like symptoms.' Through the guidance and support of my supervisors and the exceptional clinical team, I will be sharing my work at the 2024 ASPIRE conference in Manila.*

*I extend my heartfelt gratitude to every member of the GRACE team whose support was instrumental in realising my academic and professional aspirations."*

- Madhulikaa (Madhu) Sarjapuram Niranjana

*"My Honours research project focused on investigating the pain and quality of life outcomes for women following surgery for confirmed endometriosis using data from the NECST Registry. Engaging in this research has not only deepened my understanding of the intricacies of gynaecological care, but it has also allowed me to truly appreciate the critica*

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