



# Per-Oral Endoscopic Myotomy (POEM) Clinical Course

**Saturday July 14, 2018**

ANGMA and our faculty invite you to our Per-Oral Endoscopic Myotomy (POEM) Clinical Course on Saturday July 14, 2018. This hands-on course is an update in new technology for research and clinical application of Per-Oral Endoscopic Myotomy (POEM) for the treatment of achalasia and other oesophageal motility disorders. This course is for Gastroenterologists and Surgeons.

**OBJECTIVES:** After attending this program, participants will be able to:

- Review history of advanced endoluminal techniques and per-oral endoscopic myotomy (POEM)
- Identify indications and complications associated with POEM
- Learn the technical components of POEM in porcine lab setting

**FACULTY:** Mr Geoff Kohn, Dr Bronte Holt, Mr Dean Spiliadis, Mr Kiat Lim

**VENUE:** Royal Australasian College of Surgeons  
250 - 290 Spring Street  
East Melbourne VIC 3002

**AGENDA:** **Registration at 8:30am Saturday July 14, 2018**

*Morning session (9:00am):*

- Opening Remarks
- Pathophysiology and Diagnosis of Achalasia
- Medical Management of Achalasia
- POEM Overview and History
- Patient Preparation and Theatre Setup
- Other Indications for POEM

*Afternoon session (12:30pm):*

- Animal Lab POEM Hands-on, Supervised Training

**REGISTRATION:** Includes electronic course syllabus and refreshments breaks

- **Didactic session and lab (whole day) \$400 (spaces are limited)**
- **Didactic session only (Saturday AM) \$80**

**To register:**

- email to [POEM@uppergi.net](mailto:POEM@uppergi.net) or
- register through our website: [www.angma.org.au](http://www.angma.org.au)

