



5<sup>TH</sup> WORLD CONGRESS  
on Controversies, Debates & Consensus  
in **Bone, Muscle & Joint Diseases**

Gold Coast, Australia  
August 31 – September 3, 2017

### Reasons to Attend BMJD

- BMJD aims to reach consensus on controversial issues through debates and expert opinion
- Opportunity to interact with international experts and key opinion leaders in the field
- Get updates in one congress that would usually require attendance at many congresses
- Sufficient time in each session for audience discussion

### Key dates

#### Abstract submission deadline

**Monday, April 3, 2017**

#### Early fee deadline

**Wednesday, June 28, 2017**

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