



The Australian Society for Medical Research

ASMR Medical Research Week® June 2008

ASMR Medical Research Week® Dinner

May 30, 2008
Brisbane Marriott Hotel

Health and Medical Researchers in Brisbane welcome the ASMR Medallist 2008

SIR GUSTAV NOSSAL AC CBE

**"Four Decades of Progress in Australian Medical Research?"
*Australian discoveries have major global impact!***

Australia's Elder Statesman of Health and Medical Research on a national tour for
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Professor Nossal's world-renowned work helped build the foundations of modern immunology - an exacting field of science that he helped define for more than 30 years. As a public commentator about scientific and medical issues he has inspired continued popular and political interest in science and its application for the betterment of our lives and our country.

As a communicator of science he is unparalleled - inspiring future generations of scientists through lectures, radio and television. Professor Nossal's talk will address issues such as "Why perform medical research in Australia?"

Professor Nossal believes Australian iconic discoveries all rest on an extensive base of fundamental science and all involved dreams conceived early and pursued for decades with intense dedication

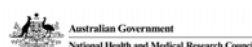
Presentation of Queensland Premier's Award is to take place at the Dinner

Interview and photo opportunities

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