



The Australian Society for Medical Research

ASMR Medical Research Week® June 2008

**ASMR Medical Research Week® Dinner**

May 29, 2008  
Cascade Visitors Centre

Health and Medical Researchers in Tasmania welcome the ASMR Medallist 2008

SIR GUSTAV NOSSAL AC CBE

**"Four Decades of Progress in Australian Medical Research?"**

Australia's Elder Statesman of Health and Medical Research begins his national tour for ASMR Medical Research Week® in Hobart today!

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**

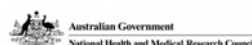
**Interview and photo opportunities**

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