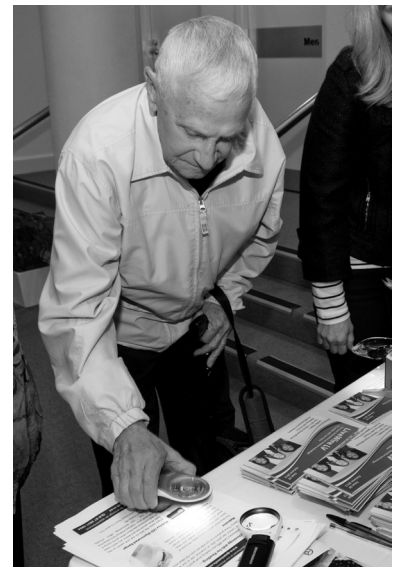


### Special Sydney Presentation

**As part of Macular Degeneration Awareness Week the Foundation is hosting a special Sydney presentation with retinal specialist Associate Professor Alex Hunyor along with orthoptist and low vision consultant Marion Rivers.**



Associate Professor Alex Hunyor



Low vision aids & technology

At this event, Associate Professor Alex Hunyor will give a comprehensive presentation on macular degeneration covering symptoms, risk factors, treatment options, the importance of nutrition and lifestyle and the latest research. Marion Rivers will discuss living well with low vision including daily living aids, best use of magnifiers and glasses, as well as new technology.

Additionally, Foundation Chief Executive Officer Julie Heraghty will speak on research about carers and the ripple effect of vision loss.

Quantum RLV will assist attendees in trialling low vision aids and technologies.

Location	Date and Time	Address
<b>Sydney</b>	Sydney, 24 May 2014 10.00am – 12.30pm	Sydney Masonic Centre (SMC) Conference & Function Centre 66 Goulburn Street, Sydney

**Bookings Essential on 1800 111 709**

## The Foundation will be holding a variety of macular degeneration education sessions and low vision days across New South Wales.

### Low Vision Days

The Foundation, in conjunction with various low vision organisations, will present comprehensive information and advice to help people with low vision maintain independence and quality of life. Learn about macular degeneration and trial low vision aids and technologies.

Location	Date and Time	Address
<b>Lismore</b>	Wednesday, 12 March 2014 10.00am – 12.30pm	Lismore Workers Club 225-231 Keen Street, Lismore
<b>Port Macquarie</b>	Thursday, 22 May 2014 10.00am – 12.30pm	Port Macquarie Panthers 1 Bay Street, Port Macquarie

### Education Sessions

The Foundation's education sessions cover risk factors, symptoms, treatment options, and the importance of nutrition and lifestyle.

Location	Date and Time	Address
<b>Baulkham Hills</b>	Wednesday, 26 March 2014 10.00am – 11.30am	Baulkham Hills Sports Club, 11 Renown Road, Baulkham Hills
<b>Newcastle</b> Ophthalmologist, Dr Peter Davies	Saturday, 3 May 2014 10.00am – 12.00pm	Belmont 16 Foot Sailing Club (Belmont 16s), The Parade, Belmont
<b>Griffith</b>	Wednesday, 7 May 2014 10.00am – 11.30am	Griffith Ex-Servicemen's Club (Exies), Jondaryan Avenue, Griffith
<b>Wagga Wagga</b>	Thursday, 8 May 2014 10.30am – 12.00pm	Wagga Wagga Commercial Club 77 Gurwood Street, Wagga Wagga
<b>Gosford</b>	Friday, 16 May 2014 10.30am – 12.00pm	Gosford RSL Club 26 Central Coast Highway West Gosford
<b>Coffs Harbour</b>	Wednesday, 21 May 2014 10.30am – 12.30pm	Coffs Ex-Services Club (C.ex Coffs) 1 Vernon Street, Coffs Harbour

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