# XENOTRANSPLANTATION WORKING COMMITTEE (XWC)

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| **Professor Ian Olver AM (Chair)**  
Director  
Sansom Institute of Health Research | ▪ Chairperson of the Australian Health Ethics Committee (AHEC).  
▪ A member of NHMRC’s Council. | Professor Olver has declared his interests as a member of NHMRC Council and AHEC. Professor Olver has no declared interests relevant to xenotransplantation research. |
| **Dr Mike Catton**  
Director  
Victorian Infectious Disease Reference Laboratory (VIDRL) and  
Co-Deputy Director  
The Doherty Institute | ▪ Director of the Victorian Diseases Reference Laboratory (VIDRL)  
▪ Co-Deputy Directory of the Doherty Institute  
▪ Founding Vice-President and current board member of the Association for Biosafety of Australian and New Zealand (ABSANZ).  
▪ Advisory Committee member of the Victorian Donor Tissue Bank. | Dr Catton has declared his interests as a member of the Xenotransplantation Working Committee. Dr Catton has no declared interests relevant to xenotransplantation research. Dr Catton has declared his relationship with the Donor Tissue Bank of Victoria (DTBV). |
| **Ms Rebecca Davies**  
President  
Heart Foundation (NSW) and  
Board Member and Chair of the Research Committee  
Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation (JDRF) | ▪ A member of the Australian Health Ethics Committee (AHEC) (a person with an understanding of health consumer issues).  
▪ A member of the NHMRC Community and Consumer Advisory Group (CCAG). | Ms Davies has declared her interests as a member of AHEC. Ms Davies has no declared interests relevant to xenotransplantation research. |
| **Associate Professor Ian Kerridge**  
Professor of Bioethics and Medicine  
Centre for Values, Ethics and the Law in Medicine  
School of Public Health, University of Sydney | ▪ Professor of Bioethics and Medicine at the Centre for Values, Ethics and the Law in Medicine within the Faculty of Medicine at the University of Sydney.  
▪ Member of NSW Health Clinical Ethics Advisory Panel (CEAP) – which is charged with considering ethical issues arising in health policy. | Professor Kerridge has declared his interests as a member of the Xenotransplantation Working Committee. Research funding: Professor Kerridge has received research grants relating to organ and tissue transplantation. Professor Kerridge has not received research |
and
Haematologist/Bone Marrow Transplant physician
Royal North Shore Hospital, Sydney

- Member of the Australian Health Ethics Committee (person with knowledge of ethics of medical research)
- funding specific to xenotransplantation research.
- Publications: Professor Kerridge has published journal articles relating to tissue and organ transplantation.
- Other: Professor Kerridge was the chief supervisor for a Masters of Philosophy thesis on xenotransplantation. Professor Kerridge was a guest speaker on ABC Radio National’s ‘The Philosopher’s Zone’ for a program on xenotransplantation entitled “The ethics of Kevin Rudd’s heart”.

Professor Peter Procopis

- A member of the Australian Health Ethics Committee (AHEC) (person with knowledge of the regulation of the medical profession)
- Professor Procopis has declared his interests as a member of AHEC. Professor Procopis has no declared interests relevant to xenotransplantation research.

Dr Glenn Smith

- Director of Biological Science in the Scientific Evaluation Branch of the Therapeutic Goods Administration (TGA)
- Dr Smith has declared his interests as a member of the Xenotransplantation Working Committee (XWC); Dr Smith has no declared interests relevant to xenotransplantation research.